UPCOMING EVENTS

JULY 2015

4th Degree Turnover - July 11 (Jerry Padgett 661-492-5473) Membership Drive - July 19 Vote on Budget at Council meeting - July 14 Council Installation & Turnover Dinner - July 19 1st Degree - July 22 K of C Hall (Mike Meade 390-8343) 2ndDegree - July 29 K of C Hall (Mike Meade 390-8343)

AUGUST 2015

Ya Ya Luau - Aug 1 Bowling Organization Meeting - Aug 27 (Bill Alexander 527-4720) Chapter Installation of Officers - Aug 29 (Cliff Wirtz Family Mass - Aug 30

SEPTEMBER 2015

Bowling Starts - Sep 3 (Bill Alexander 527-4720) Past Grand Knight Dinner - Sep 11 (Monday Night Football starts - Sep 14 (Ron Huerth 526-4935 SV Music Festival - Sep 17-20 (Blood Drive - Sep 19 (Paul Friedeborn 297-6473) Free Family dinner - Sep 27 (Membership Drive - Sep 27 (Michael Meade

OCTOBER 2015

Biship Fishing Trip - Oct 1-4 (Bill Alexander 527-4720) Free Columbus Day dinner - Oct 9 (Dream Cuisine - Oct 11 (Pro Life Breakfast & Family Mass - Oct 18 Kids Halloween Party - Oct 25 (

NOVEMBER 2015

PADS starts - Nov 1 (Rick Ostrich 4th Degree Exemplification - Nov 7 Thanksgiving Day Dinner - Nov 13 (Turkey Shoot - Nov 13 (Membership Drive - Nov 15 (Memorial Mass - Nov 24 (

DECEMBER 2015

Handicapable Lunch - Dec 5 Blood Drive - Dec 12 (Paul Friedeborn 297-6473) Toy Give Away - Dec 19 Kids Christmas Party - Dec 20 New Year's Eve party - Dec 31 Knights Knews July 2015 - Volume 150 Published monthly by: Knights of Columbus SIMI VALLEY COUNCIL, NO 5803 District 70 Division 5 1255 East Patricia Avenue http://www.kc5803.org/

Council Calendar:

www.kc5803calendar.com





Congratulations to GK Bob Spielman on his election as Grand Knight. He is also a Charter member of Council 5803. He will lead our Council into its second half century.

2015 - 2016 OFFICERS		COUNCIL 5803 EVENTS			
Grand Knight .	SK Bob Spielman 522-8446	FAMILY EVENTS	CHAIRMAN		
Spiritual Advisor	SK Deacon Terry Reibenspies 390	Fr. McGivney's Birthday—8/12	OPEN		
	-0745	Golf Tournament	PGK Ron Huerth (Lois) 526-4935		
Deputy Grand Knight	SK Tony DeMarco 558-4328	Installation of Officers	PGK Al McKinley (Jo) 527-2056		
Chancellor	SK Bob Smith 578-0434	PGK Testimonial Dinner	PGK Ron Huerth 526-4935		
Warden	SK John Antonacci 559-2944	Bishop Fishing Trip	PGK Bill Alexander (Lori) 527-4720		
Recorder	SK Chris Smith579-7373SK Gil Lindberg583-0725	Christmas Cards	PGK Norm Ouellette 551-3704		
Financial Secretary Treasurer	SK Gil Lindberg 583-0725 SK PGK Norm Ouellete 551-3704	K of C 5803 Toy Drive	Tony Demarco (Suzette) 558-4328		
3rd Year Trustee	SK PGK Andy Prete 910-0347	International Dinner/Vocation Sunday	PGK Cliff Wirtz (Paula) 208-8970		
2nd Year Trustee	SK PGK Rick Ostrich 501-8818	Charter Night	Paul Burke (Lisa) 581 1175		
1st Year Trustee	SK PGK Gene Walinski 583-4833	Annual Men's Retreat	PGK Mike Palacios (Lois) 581-9506		
Advocate	SK Jeff Sage 813-2599	Chili Cook Off—June	PGK Rick Ostrich 501-8818		
Guard	SK Lance Holman 579-9416	Turnover Dinner	PGK Al McKinley (Jo) 527-2056		
Guard	SK David Tellez 520-4615	Membership	Tony Demarco 558-4328		
Guard	SK Nick Wirtz 584-0263	Memorial Mass	PGK Al McKinley 527-2056		
		Bingo	PGK Cliff Wirtz (Paula) 208-8970		
District Deputy DD79	SK Cliff Wirtz 208-8970				
Insurance Representative	SK Willie Romero 522-1916	COMMUNITY EVENTS	CHAIRMAN		
Bulletin Editor	SK Fred Valdez 428-6413	Helping Hands	OPEN		
	IL 5803 EVENTS	PADS	PGK Rick Ostrich (Betsy) 501-8818		
FAMILY EVENTS	CHAIRMAN	Homeless Dinner	Tony Loniero (Catherine) 527-2254		
Fish Fries—1st Friday	Jorge Curiel (Cecilia) 526-5188		Bob Joyce 526-2220		
(Lenten Fish Fries, Mar-Apr)	Jorge Curiel (Cecilia) 526-5188	MRC Tootsie Roll Drive Oct 2011	Tony Demarco 558-4328		
Columbus Day Dinner	Lu Gammariello 522-9548	Christian Service Program	PGK Earl Todd (Angie) 818-312-0802		
	Tony Gammariello (Lee)	Pro-Life Breakfast	Tony Lemos (Loretta) 584-3803		
Thanksgiving & Turkey Shoot	Tony Demarco (Suzette) 558-4328		George Lemos (Sandy) 584-9816		
	Tony Lemos (Loretta) 584-3803	Blood Drive	Paul Friedeborn (Adelina) 522-6080		
Monday Night Football	PGK John Linscott (Chair) 527-7188	Simi Valley Days	Robert T. Spielman (Mary) 522-8446		
Monday Night Football	PGKRon Huerth (Co-Chair) 526-4935	Various Food Drives	Kobert 1. Spielman (Mary) 322-8440		
SuperBowl Party	PGK John Linscott / Ron Huerth		DOV Hammen Camera (Lassa) 591 2222		
St Patricks Day Dinner	PGK Ron Huerth 526-4935	Scholarship	PGK Herman Conant (Jean) 581-2332		
2		Free Throw Contest	PGK George Gnesda (Jan) 522-5699		
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2015-2016 OFFICERS 2015-2016 OFFICERS KOF Grand Knight Spiritual Advisor **Financial Secretary** Treasurer Bob Spielman Deacon Terry PGK Norm Ouellete Gil Linberg OF 3rd Year Trustee 2nd Year Trustee Deputy Grand Knight Chancellor **Rick Ostrich** Andy Prete Bob Smith Tony DeMarco UNCIL 5803-KOPC Warden Recorder 1st Year Trustee Advocate Chris Smith Gene Walinski John Antonacci Jeff Sage



Guard, Nick Wirtz

Insurance Representative Willy Romero



Congratulations to all of our new officers for the 2015— 2016 Columbian year. For Bob Spielman this is a special accomplishment. Not only was he elected Grand Knight, he is also a Charter Member of our Council. What does that mean? It means that he has been with our Council from the very first day, Jan 30, 1966. In January, 2016 that will make it 50 years! There were 85 Charter members, they met in a real estate office and had no money.

In the past 50 years we've come a long way. For the calendar year 2014, our Council made charitable contributions in the amount of \$103,000.00 that included Church, Community, Culture of Life and Youth. We also had almost 75,000 Volunteer hours. Council 5803, give yourselves a pat on the back but lets not rest on our laurels. Let's make our second 50 years better than the first 50.

We need the new generation of Knights to step up to the plate and work with the same faith, dedication and enthusiasm as our Charter Members did. Brother Knights, remember why we joined the Knights of Columbus and what our principles are: Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism.

The Council Installation and Turnover dinner will take place on Sunday, July 19 (see article in bulletin). Come on down to the hall to show our appreciation for GK Bob Spielman's 50 years of service to our council and to congratulate our new officers

GRAND KNIGHT REPORT

I wish to thank this past year's officers and appointees for the great job they did to continue the tradition of Council 5803.

What makes our Council 5803 an outstanding organization are all the people that keep stepping forward and take on all the responsibilities to get the job done.

During this upcoming year, we are going to acknowledge and hear from some of the people that make this council great.

There are many Knights that have been doing these tasks for a number of years and I think the new and the young will be interested in hearing about these events and how they started.

The Special Olympics are coming up at the end of the month and this council will be participating in some of the activities.

A special thanks to all that participated and made this year's CHILI COOKOFF AND CAR SHOW a great success.

You are missing out, if you are not volunteering for this event.

Bob Spielman GK

DEPUTY GRAND KNIGHT REPORT

Dear Brother Knights,

Thank you for electing me as your Deputy Grand Knight this year. I will work very hard for you and do a good job. I have a plan for this year and if elected as Grand Knight I have a plan for that year. As your program director this year I have reached out to some of our new Knights to step up this year on some council events. I am grateful to them for stepping up. I also thank all the brothers who are returning and look forward to working with all of you.

Coming up on July 19th is our installation of Officers, installing them is our worthy District Deputy Cliff Wirtz. The installation will take place in the church at 3:30. I would love to see all of you come out and show your support to our new (and year 50) Grand Knight Bob Spielman and the rest of the 2015/2016 team. After the installation we will then drive over to the Knights hall for the turnover dinner, chair by PGK Al Mc kinley. Please attend the installation ceremony for all our elected officers, they need our support this year.

As your DGK this year I needed to step down as the membership director. I am happy to announce that Brother Mike Mead has stepped up. Mike is the grandson of our deceased and much loved Brother Herb and recently deceased Ann Bansbach. If Mike is anything like Herb was, we are going to have great year in new members. I have promised Mike that I would work with him and mentor him this year. I hope that he has all of our support.

Yours in Christ, Tony De Marco

WE HAD A DREAM—PART V

Russ:

I was so busy working and going to meetings at night that I didn't realize Gail's feelings. The state deputy appointed Al Bandle the Grand Knight (after all, it was his office and his name was the first name on the charter!). Most of us were young thirty-some things, with lots of energy. The average age in Simi Valley at that time was 18! The Deputy Grand Knight was Bob Taris and I was Chancellor.

Gail:

Russ was elected grand knight in June of that year 1966. If he had been busy during the spring, his meetings quadrupled after election! My folks came for a visit that summer, and I had a conversation with my dad about feeling left out. I asked him if there was any auxiliary for the wives of Knights. His reply was that there was not, and if I wanted one, I would have to start one. We had four children under 4 by this time, and when I said how busy my life was, Dad just said, "then people will say, 'I don't know how you do it'"!



PICTURES FROM THE PAST The mystery Knight is none other than Al Mckinley



PICTURES FROM THE PAST Who are these ladies? Send your guess to F_valdez@yahoo.com

HISTORY OF THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS—PART IV

1911-1918: "Everybody Welcome, Everything Free"

As membership in the Knights of Columbus grew, the Order became increasingly known as a force for public good. Following the dedication ceremony for the Christopher Columbus Memorial Fountain in Washington, D.C., in 1912, a reporter for *The Washington Star* noted that the large number of Knights in attendance "marked anew the important position of the Knights of Columbus as an order in the social fabric of the United States."

In response to growing anti-Catholic hostility and the rise of socialism, two Knights, David Goldstein and Peter W. Collins, embarked on an extensive, 27,000 -mile lecture tour throughout North America in 1914. Later that same year, the Order established the K of C Commission on Religious Prejudice. The commission's work concluded in 1917, when the United States entered World War I.

During the Great War, the Order provided rest and recreational facilities and social services to Allied servicemen of all faiths. K of C Huts throughout the United States and Europe provided religious services, supplies and recreation under the motto, "Everybody Welcome, Everything Free."

Everybody meant everybody. Whatever your race or creed, you were welcome at K of C facilities. In fact, the Order was praised by a contemporary African American historian of World War I, because "unlike the other social welfare organizations operating in the war, it never drew the color line."

As a result of the Order's wartime work, which earned high praise from Pope Benedict XV, nearly 400,000 men joined the Knights between 1917 and 1923.

1910: Notre Dame Council 1477 is chartered in the spring of 1910, becoming the first of nearly 250 college councils worldwide.

1912: With support from the Knights, the Christopher Columbus Memorial Fountain is dedicated in Washington, D.C. Some 20,000 Knights attend the ceremonies, which are overseen by President William H. Taft.

1914: Tens of thousands of copies of a "bogus oath" are circulated to defame the Knights of Columbus. The Knights, in turn, lay the groundwork for a lecture series and educational programs to combat anti-Catholic hostility. Between 1914 and 1917, the number of anti-Catholic publications drops from 60 to fewer than five.

July, 50 YEARS AGO

1st - KUID TV channel 12 in Moscow, ID (PBS) begins broadcasting 2nd - 79th Wimbledon Mens Tennis: Roy Emerson beats Fred Stolle (62 64 64) 3rd - 72nd Wimbledon Women's Tennis: Margaret Smith beats M Fraiser (64 75) 3rd - Phillies Dick Allen & Frank Thomas get into a fight during practice 3rd - USSR & Persia sign dam building & economic aid pact 4th - 20th US Women's Open Golf Championship won by Carol Mann 6th - Rock group "Jefferson Airplane" forms 7th - Otis Redding records "Respect" 8th - Joe Morgan is 1st Houston player with 6 hits in a game 9th - 94th British Golf Open: Peter Thomson shoots a 285 at Royal Birkdale 9th - John Edrich completes 310* v NZ in 532 minutes, 52 fours 5 sixes 9th - Senators Frank Howard ties record with 7 strikeouts in DH 10th - Beatles' "VI" album goes #1 & stays #1 for 6 weeks 10th - Rolling Stones score their 1st US #1 single "(I Can't Get No) Satisfaction" 13th - 36th All Star Baseball Game: NL wins 6-5 at Metropolitan Stadium, Minn 13th - All star MVP: Juan Marichal (SF Giant) 14th - Australian Ronald Clarke runs world record 10k (27:39.4) 14th - Israeli/Jordanian border fights 14th - US Mariner IV, 1st Mars probe, passes at 6,100 miles (9,800 km) 15th - "Mariner IV" sends back 1st pictures of Mars 15th - Athanassiades Novas succeeds Papandreo as premier of Greece 16th - Mount Blanc Road tunnel between France & Italy opens 17th - WLCY (now WTSP) TV channel 10 in St Petersburg-Tampa, FL (ABC) begins 18th - Kathy Whitworth wins LPGA Yankee Golf Open 19th - Shooting begins on Star Trek 2nd pilot "Where No Man Has Gone Before" 20th - 18.18" (46.18 cm) of rainfall, Edgarton, Missouri (state 24-hr record) 20th - NY Yankee pitcher Mel Stottlemyre hits an inside-the-park grand slam 21st - Pakistan, Iran & Turkey sign Regional Co-Operation pact 22nd - Edward Heath succeeds Alec Douglas-Hume as leader of Brit Cons party 23rd - Beatles "Help" is released in UK 23rd - Dick Stuart homers in a major league-record 23rd different park 24th - Bob Dylan release "Like a Rolling Stone" 24th - Casey Stengel resigns as manager of NY Mets 24th - Rock group "The Animals" 1st time in British charts 25th - Folk-rock begins, Dylan uses electric guitar at Newport Folk Festival 25th - Kathy Whitworth wins LPGA Buckeye Savings Golf Tournament 27th - President Lyndon B. Johnson signs a bill requiring cigarette makers to print health warnings on all cigarette packages about the effects of smoking 28th - LBJ sends 50,000 more soldiers to Vietnam (total of 125,000) 29th - Beatles movie "Help" premieres, Queen Elizabeth attends

29th - Gemini 5 returned after 12d 7h 11m 53s

INSURANCE REPORT

A new fraternal year is upon us. Congratulations to the newly elected and appointed council leaders. I'm sure you have a list of things that you want to accomplish during the coming year. I'm eager to help.

One of these goals is the attainment of the Star Council award, the most prestigious award the Order offers at the council level. I'm certainly committed to helping on the insurance side, but I'll be glad to help on the membership side as well.

If you know an eligible Catholic man who might be interested in joining the Order (and who among us doesn't), he's probably just waiting to be asked. I can help you, either by approaching him myself, or by "coaching" you, transferring sales skills that you can use to recruit him and other prospects. As always I'm at your service.

What would be helpful to all of us would be an early start on these those goals, rather than waiting until May or June. Let's get an early start on award season this year.

Fraternally. Willie Romero FICF

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SK Willie Romero Supreme Insurance Field Agent 805-522-1916 Bus 805-813-6707 Cell

JULY Bilthdays



Donald L. Fransen PKG Al Mc Kinley Nicholas Wirtz Jay Griffiths Patrick Luyet Nicholas Robles John Morrow Joel Frias Patrick Silvestri Henry Mancilla Tim McNicoll Anthony Rodriguez John Howard James W. Keehne Gerald R De Mill Frederick B. Muller PGK Earl Todd Jim King Loren Anthony Ed Weigand James L Manda

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Annual Bishop Fishing Trip Only 4 months to go October 1-4, 2015

I don't think it is too early to start thinking about our annual fishing trip. How many times have you said to yourself that you should go on the trip at least once? This trip should be on your bucket list. Start thinking now and be ready when the next trip comes around.

The annual Men's KCO (K of C Outdoor Club) fishing trip to the Bishop Creek area of the Eastern Sierra's is be held on the 1st weekend of October (10/1/15-10/4/15).

Join me and 40-50 of your Brother Knights, friends, and families for a great weekend. In addition to the South Fork of Bishop Creek that runs through the campground, there are the South Lake, North Lake, Lake Sabrina and Intake 2 fishing areas nearby.

The event is held at the Creekside RV Park with campsites, RV sites, and trailers available for rent. **You must make your own reservation for sites**. They hold a few sites for us but they are first come-first serve. Contact the office at Creekside for a reservation of your desired site. Be sure to tell them that you will be part of our group. They may be reached at 760-873-4483.

Activities include a fishing derby with many prizes (adults and kids, depending on attendance), a BBQ Tri-Tip Dinner on Saturday Night, and card games almost every night. If we have enough interest and help we may have a Sunday morning breakfast.

Beautiful mountain (elevation 8300 ft at the campgrounds) scenery, good fishing (trout up to 5 lbs) and good people. You shouldn't pass it up. Ask anybody that has ever gone, they will tell you what a great weekend it is.

This event is open to Council and Assembly members, their families, and friends. We generally have only male guests (let your wives and daughters have a "ladies night out" with other fishing trip widows).

Lets hope that the weather, the Edison Company, and assorted others allow for more water into South Lake, Lake Sabrina, and the creeks. Like all of California, the Eastern Sierras need water/rain/snow. Let us pray that our drought ends before we have more serious water shortages and possible rationing.

Special Note: The pond within the Creekside Campgrounds continues to be under control of the California Department of Fish and Game. They stock the pond on their schedule. All normal Fish and Game laws apply.

For more information, please contact me at a Council or Assembly Event or call me.

SK Bill Alexander PGK KCO Club Event Chairman 805-527-4720

BEREAVEMENT & FRATERNAL REPORT

Hi My Brothers and their Families;

The month of June started like a House on Fire, with my grandson Kyle Graduating from High School in Las Vegas the good part we did not have to burn the school down., Father John Love's 25th. Anniversary as a Priest to glorious occasions to be able to be at.

On Tuesday June 30th. Our brother Bob Joyce's sister Margaret "Peg" Middlebrook who past away this month will be laid to rest in San Diego. Our love and prayers go out his sisters family and also Bob's family in their lost. Our prayers also go out to Jim Fabry who had a back operation, Lance Holman

who also had an operation, & to Ann Bansbach [wife of deceased brother Herb] who has returned home from rehab if you my friends can come & visit this nonth. Don't forget these other brothers, wives, and friends who are in ill health also that need our prayers PGK. Mike Palacios [operations]; Rachel McCracken Cogestive eart Failure [PGK. John's Wife], Ralph Rodgers [operation], Don Corson [operation], Lorraine Farrell [Broken Ankle], [Joel's wife] PGK. Ron Brown's Mom, Chris Smith Cancer [Bob Smith's cousin], PDD. & PGK, Bill Williams is in an assisted living home in 1000 Oaks, and let's not forget brother Jim Krebs who is in need of a Liver Transplant. Along with these that are in ill health Andrew Cicoria, Pat and Jan Moran, John Linscott PGK., Jan Strojeck Heartattack [Deceased PGK. Gene Strojeck wife], PGK John Mitchell, Jerry Wirtz [PGK. Cliff Wirtz's brother] PDD. Giuseppe Calderaro, Richard Case, Robert Goerich, Andrew Budinski, Tyler Ritch, Harold "Chris Lev Jr., Pat Silvestri, Michael Wilkomm, Afra Rodgers [Ralph's wife], Tom Susan's [son of deceased brother Tom Susan's], Lois Huerth [PGK. Ron's wife], Dan & Carmel Kelly ,Paul Friedeborn Family,Kittie Fidermutz [Lonnie Todd's Daughter], Joe & Ginger Trematore, Ann Dumais [Roland's Wife] John Erickson [Fred's son], Emily Como [Paul's wife] Jesse Madrigal [PGK. Henry Mancilla's Uncle], Julia Mora [Joe Lopez's Daughter], Peggy Giarrussio [Gerald's Wife] Ari Conner [Wife of Blair], Dante Ferrari [Patrick Ferrari son], Chelsea White { Deceased brother Jack's Granddaughter], Isabelle McCabe [Doug Conant's niece] Greg Cassidy, McFetters Family, Francis Blythe, Lillian Mora, Bernice Hansen, Debbie Hollar, and,, and G.K. Gene Walinski's Mom Maryann Walinski .

Please continue praying for our serviceman and women, as they continue to serve throughout the world, helping to maintain peace and the ideals of our country. My Brothers, if you know of someone in your family, or a friend who is in ill health, who needs our prayers, please give us a call at the phone numbers below to let us know.

Peace and God Blessings always, PGK. AI & Jo McKinley 527-2056 PGK. Bill & Lori Alexander 527-4720 PGK. Ron Huerth 526 - 4935

4TH DEGREE CORNER

Starting time for the next 4th Degree meeting on Wednesday, July 15 will be **7:00 PM**.

Upcoming events:

- 1. July 11 4th Degree Introduction of new officers and Turnover lunch.
- 2. July 20 Date Knight
- 3. August 17 4th Degree membership drive at the hall. 7:00 PM
- 4. Oct 4th 4th Degree orientation for new members. 2:00 PM at the hall
- 5. Nov 7 4th Degree Exemplification
- 6. Jan 10 4th Degree Family mass
- 7. Jan 29 Knight at the races
- 8. Feb 6 Karen Roberts Memorial Ladies Lunch



- 9. March Disabled Veterans Lunch
- 10.April 9 Casino Night

Council members, if you are interested in joining the 4th Degree please contact the Assembly Membership chairman, SK Fred Valdez at 805-428-6413

Knights of Columbus see fifteenth consecutive year of increased charitable

giving

The Knights of Columbus have been preparing to welcome Pope Francis to the U.S. this autumn with record-setting charity, having raised more than \$173 million in 2014.

The world's largest Catholic fraternity achieved an all-time record in donations and community service hours in 2014. The Knights of Columbus raised more than \$173.5 million and served more than 71.5 million hours.

In a June 8 statement Supreme Knight Carl Anderson commented that "charity has been at the heart of the Knights' mission for the past 133 years."

According to Anderson, the Pope will see the Church in America alive "with love of God and love of neighbor, and the Knights of Columbus are excellent examples of this reality."

For the 15th consecutive year, the Knights of Columbus has increased its charitable giving.

Some major donations the fraternity has given include more than \$1 million to the Special Olympics World Games, which "will cover the cost of transportation, housing and meals for the athletes as they travel to the games, stay there during the competition, and return home," according to the statement.

Another organization the Knights of Columbus has helped tremendously is the Knights of Columbus Refugee Relief Fund, to which the fraternity donated more than \$2 million. The relief fund is using the donations to help persecuted persons in the Middle East.

"It has shocked the conscience of the world that people are systematically being purged from the region where their families have lives for millennia – simply for their faith," Anderson said.

The last ten years have shown the fraternity's immense passion for helping out in the community. Cumulatively, the Knights of Columbus has donated more than \$1.5 billion and contributed more than 600 million hours of community service supporting charities.



SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

Left to Right: GK Andy Prete, Nicholas Fowler - Royal HS, Jeanelle Arellano - Bishop Alemany HS, Michael Huynh -Santa Susana HS, Rachel Castillo - La Reina HS and Hannah Lemos - Royal HS.

Congratulations to our \$500.00 scholarship winners and their families. We have many events in our Council but few are as rewarding as helping these young men and women pursue their education.

Congratulations as well to PGK Herman Conant who is the man behind the scenes and makes these scholarships possible.



Los Padres Chapter - Testimonial & Installation of Officers For Michael A Ohler Columbian Year 2015 – 2016 August 29, 2015 at Holy Cross Catholic Church 13955 Peach Hill Road, Moorpark, CA 93021

Mass and Installation – 5:00 PM at Holy Cross Church Social from 6:30 PM – 7:00 PM in the Cosgrove Hall Dinner – Served at 7:000 PM in the Cosgrove Hall

The Attire: State Officers & Chapter Officers - White Dinner Jacket All Other Men: Business Suit - Ladies: Evening Wear

Questions – Please contact: Michael Ohler @ 13966 Keisha Drive, Moorpark Ca., 93021

Phone 805-231-0677 or via E-mail at: lospadres2015@gmail.com

Accommodations:

Rooms have been reserved at the following hotels and **must be booked by DATE: August 22,** 2015 Best Western Posada Royale Hotel and Suites, 1775 Madera Rd., Simi Valley, CA ~ (805) 584-6300 Courtyard by Marriott, 191 Cochran St., Simi Valley, CA ~ (805) 915-5000

Dinner Price \$25.00 Please RSVP by **August 22, 2015** Make Checks Payable to "Los Padres Assembly" C/o Ron Bodigheimer PO Box 7592 Thousand Oaks, CA 91359

Number of Dinners:	E-mail:	
Name:	Phone:	
Title:	Council:	
Amount Enclosed:		

God Bless Mike Ohler LPCP-10 805-231-0677



CHILI COOK OFF AND CAR SHOW

What a great day ! The Lord blessed us with perfect weather. Tony sold out of vendors booths, John and Gene sold out at the Car show and Tony had a great showing for chili cooks. I can't thank you all enough for all your help. I can't list everyone's names since it would fill the page. You make me proud to be part of this council. We are still paying off the bills, but it looks like we had a very profitable event again this year. We should have the final Net profit in the next couple of months.



PARISH NEWS



Cardboard Box City August 7th-8th: Join us from 4:45PM-9:00AM at St. Rose of Lima as we spend a night with the bare essentials sleeping in cardboard houses. We will be making sandwiches and toiletry bags for the homeless. Cost is \$25 per person which will be donated to a nearby homeless shelter.

Capture the Flag Face-Off! August 14th: Join us as we challenge Holy Cross of Moorpark to a epic game of Capture the Flag!

Call the YM Office for more information at (805) 526-8181

PREGNANCY COUNSELING CENTER Volunteers and nurses needed. Please call Edy Bernal at 818–895-2500 or email at edy@pregnanthelp4u.org

RCIA

Are You Interested in the Catholic Faith? St. Rose of Lima will soon begin a new journey in faith to share the richness of the Catholic Church and our parish family. We invite you to learn what the Church teaches, and be introduced to some of our parish members. These sessions also are opportunities for you, and others that you may wish to invite, to ask those perplexing and difficult questions you may have about the Church. These gatherings are for inquirers and are open to people who are unbaptized, as well as those who are baptized Christians from other religious backgrounds, or a baptized Catholic who has not received the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist. Please give us a call if you have questions and would like further information at 805.915.4625 or email at Julia@strosesv.com.

Help children be aware of unhealthy behavior among others . Children have more opportunities to be out of your immediate sight during the summer. It's important to remind your child that if another child or adult – including people they know and trust – try to touch them inappropriately they should: Say NO and GET AWAY from any person or situation that makes them feel scared, uncomfortable or confused. Tell them to TRUST THEIR FEELINGS and be sure to TELL a trusted adult. And it's never too late to tell a trusted adult what happened. For a copy of the article called "Know the Rules…Summer Safety Tips to Teach Children" from the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children, email: jvienna@laarchdiocese.org

ARCHDIOCESE NEWS

Statement on the U.S. Supreme Court Ruling in Obergefell v. Hodges Most Reverend José H. Gomez Archbishop of Los Angeles June 26, 2015

The Supreme Court's decision is not a surprise. But it is disappointing and troubling.

The Court expresses some beautiful and true thoughts about the "transcendent" purposes of marriage and the importance of marriage as a "keystone" of our social order. The Court acknowledges that marriage has existed "for millennia and across civilizations."

So it is hard to understand how the Court can feel so assured that it has the power to discard and rewrite the definition of marriage that has existed since the beginning of history — as the lifelong union of one man and one woman.

This decision reflects a deep confusion about the meaning of marriage, the family and the human person; about individual liberty; and





about the role of the courts and legislatures in our democratic system of self-government.

By their nature, court decisions cannot really resolve social questions that are rooted in deeply held values, history, and tradition. So the public conversation and debate about marriage will continue.

As Catholics living in this democracy, our first duty always is to love and to reflect the mercy of God to all of our neighbors.

Let us go forward in charity, confident in Jesus Christ and the truths of the Gospel. Let us continue to promote the dignity of all men and women, who are made in the image of our Creator and endowed with a transcendent value and destiny.

Let us continue to work for the good of our society and to create a culture of life and love. Remember that holy lives, good marriages, and strong families can change the world.

This is an extract from Pope Francis's encyclical on the environment, Laudato Si

The Earth, our home, is beginning to look more and more like an immense pile of filth. In many parts of the planet, the elderly lament that once beautiful landscapes are now covered with rubbish. Industrial waste and chemical products utilised in cities and agricultural areas can lead to bioaccumulation in the organisms of the local population, even when levels of toxins in those places are low. Frequently no measures are taken until after people's health has been irreversibly affected.

These problems are closely linked to a throwaway culture which affects the excluded just as it quickly reduces things to rubbish. To cite one example, most of the paper we produce is thrown away and not recycled. It is hard for us to accept that the way natural ecosystems work is exemplary: plants synthesise nutrients which feed herbivores; these in turn become food for carnivores, which produce significant quantities of organic waste which give rise to new generations of plants. But our industrial system, at the end of its cycle of production and consumption, has not developed the capacity to absorb and reuse waste and by-products. We have not yet managed to adopt a circular model of production capable of preserving resources for present and future generations, while limiting as much as possible the use of non-renewable resources, moderating their consumption, maximizing their efficient use, reusing and recycling them. A serious consideration of this issue would be one way of counteracting the throwaway culture which affects the entire planet, but it must be said that only limited progress has been made in this regard.

DEACON'S CORNER

Evangelization

When we are at work or with a group of friends, we often talk about an exciting movie we saw, a good TV show, a baseball game, or an interesting story we heard, but rarely will we hear someone speak about a great homily they had heard at Mass or a spiritual uplifting they received making a visit to the Blessed Sacrament. Sometimes we Catholics are afraid or reluctant to speak about and share the faith we have with others whether they are Catholics or not. We tend to think that our faith is a very private thing, and therefore, that evangelization is a task only for priests and deacons. If we look back in history, we see that the first Christians were true apostles of the gospels. Their faith gave them the gift to communicate Jesus' teachings to their co-workers, neighbors and extended family and friends.

Evangelization is not just a task for priests and deacons. It belongs to every baptized person. It belongs to every family. Yes, families are called to be missionaries. St. John Paul II said, "The future of humanity passes by the way of the family."

If we consider that the future of humanity is Jesus Christ, then we understand that the family is called to be the subject of evangelization within the church. This does not mean that they must travel to far off places where the gospel has not been preached, but that the gospel needs to be preached at home, in the work place, in the neighborhood and to extended families.

The fruits of the new evangelization will be enhanced when we develop a true covenant of vocations between priests and the families. Families are a vital part of the evangelization process. They can be missionaries with their example of life and mutual love, and also with their words. This is the way for a family to keep and grow in their faith. Pope Benedict XVI said, "Faith grows when it is lived as an experience of love received and when it is communicated as an experience of grace and joy." In other words, a family that evangelizes will stay together.

We must never be afraid or embarrassed to profess our faith. Our faith can be shared and expressed to all those whom we come into contact.

I pray that you will receive the grace to evangelize!

Deacon Terry

Congratulations to our newly elected District Deputy



Brothers,

As we enter the new Columbian year I wish to thank all of last year's officers for a job well done. I also thank our outgoing District Deputy and now Chapter President Mike Ohler for his years of fine service. I now wish to offer my congratulations to this year's new officers. My name is Cliff Wirtz and I am your new District Deputy for District 79. I am a Past Grand Knight of Council 5803 and a Past Faithful Navigator of Assembly 2557, both of Simi Valley. My wife Paula and I have a son and daughter. Our son is a 4th Degree Sir Knight and our daughter has also worked alongside the Knights since childhood. I just returned from the 2015/2016 District Deputy Orientation held by our State Officers, Supreme Representatives and Insurance Agents. I left very encouraged from all the help that will be afforded to usthis Columbian year. Each of your councils has unique challenges facing you. I give my word as your new Worthy District Deputy I will do all I can to make you and your Council successful. I am here for you, my brothers. Do not be shy about contacting me so that I can assist you in any way that I can. If I don't know the answer, I will track it down for you. I can be reached by my cell or email below. Your council Grand Knights and Deputy Grand Knights will soon be assigning program directors and event chairmen in your councils. Don't wait for them to call you. Give them a call and see where the needs are and step up. God gave you talents that are unique to each of you. Please don't sit on the sidelines and waste the wonderful gifts He gave you. Membership is the key to the survival of any organization and the Knights are no different. We need new members in all our councils if we are to continue the work of our founder Fr. Michael J. McGivney. Please invite your friends, neighbors and fellow parishioners to join us. Let's start out on day one in working to make your Council a Star Council in program and membership-insurance. The newly elected Grand Knights in our District along with their emails are: Mystic Rose Council 5746 - GK Dick Jennings dickednaj2@yahoo.com (St. Paschal Council re-activated)Simi Valley Council 5803 - GK Bob Spielman rspielman3235@att.net, St. Jude Council 8072 - Ron Bodighiemer rbodigh391@aol.com, St. Julie Billiart Council 8397 - GK Ray Sobrino Jr. sborinotermite@verizon.net, St. Peter Claver Council 9410 - GK Rick Lapore rlepore@rainborecords.com, Holy Cross Council 9969 - GK Cris Kalal kcrisalan@aol.com I look forward to seeing you at your upcoming council installations. I truly look forward to working alongside each of you this Columbian year. May God bless you and your loved ones and may He comfort any of you in physical or mental distress

Cliff Wirtz District Deputy – 79 805-208-8970 cawpaw@aol.com

Knights of Columbus Bowling League

The 2014-2015 season is complete. Our 2015-2016 season will start Thursday Aug 27th with an organizational meeting to select teams, and review rules etc. The actual season opens the following week on Thursday Sept 3rd.

Think about joining us next season as a regular, a sub, or on the wait list for a regular position. We anticipate 12 teams again next season but we could increase it to 14 teams if we have enough interest.

We can always use subs. Only \$3 for a sub after you pay your USBC Sanctioning fees of \$20 (estimated). Let me know if you are interested in joining as a regular bowler or substitute. Returning bowlers have priority on being a regular again. Additional new regular bowlers will be asked/allowed to bowl with the following order: being a Knight, a Knight's spouse, or part of a Knight's family (age 18 and older). Friends, neighbors, coworkers or others with an existing regular bowler as a sponsor will be considered as space allows.

SK Bill Alexander PGK Bowling League President

COUNCIL MEMBERSHIP

There will be a 1st Degree on Wednesday, July 22nd and a 2nd Degree on Wednesday,

July 29th. Both of these will begin at 7:30 sharp. The degrees will take place at Council 5803 hall. Please give DGK Tony Demarco (558-4328) or Mike Mead (390-8343) a call if you have any candidates so he can arrange for them and pass the word to the degree captain.

BINGO WORKERS

We are in need of more pull tab workers. If you are new to the council please call me so I can get you on the Bingo Schedule. I hope I did ok planning the July schedule, if not please email how to improve for the August schedule. We had no subs for July since many people are on vacation. If you can't work a specific weekend in August or have a shift preference please email me at <u>webmaster@kc5803.org</u>. I have also begun to post the bingo worker schedule online at www.kc5803.org, you will need a password to access it. This is the same password as for the roster. Call me if you need the password.

PGK Rick Ostrich, 805-501-8818

VATICAN RELEASES SCHEDULE OF POPE FRANCIS' VISIT TO THE UNITED STATES

June 30, 2015

WASHINGTON—Pope Francis' apostolic journey to the United States is "a source of joy and gratitude," said the president of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops in response to the release of the full visit schedule by the Vatican, June 30. Pope Francis will visit Washington, New York and Philadelphia, September 22-27. His visit will include addresses to Congress and the United Nations, the canonization of Blessed Junípero Serra and will culminate in his participation in the World Meeting of Families in Philadelphia.

"It's a source of joy and gratitude for U.S. Catholics that Pope Francis will be visiting us this September," said Archbishop Joseph E. Kurtz of Louisville, Kentucky, USCCB president. "We look forward to journeying with him, whether in person, in prayer or via the media, as he goes out to the peripheries and shows us what it means to live as brothers and sisters in one family."

More information on the apostolic journey to the United States is available atwww.uspapalvisit.org.

INSTALLATION / TURNOVER DINNER

Hi Fred::

A FEW MORE MONTHS TO GO!!! And we will have our 50th. ANNI-VERSARY of Council 5803, this year we will celebrate with the Instillation and Turnover Awards Dinner as we change with the old to the new. On Sunday July 19th. at St. Rose of Lima at 3:30 PM. The Instilation will be held and go over to our hall for drinks & dinner. The Dinner will consist of Tri-Tip, Mash Potatoes, Vegetable, Salad, Rolls and desertand will be served about 6:00 P.M.. Junior PGK. Andy Prete and his team of Officers & Chairman who did a terrific job of leadership during this past year to turn the reins for the year of 2014 & 15th to GK. Bob Spielman and his crew . so come one, come all, for a fun filled evening of friendship, fellowship, and the Knight of the year and Family of the Year awards. REMEM-BER IT IS FREE, FREE, FREEEEEEEEEE !!!

Thanks & God Bless

Al McKinley Chairman

THE POPE'S MONTHLY INTENTIONS

JULY

Universal: That political responsibility may be lived at all levels as a high form of charity.

Evangelization: That, amid social inequalities, Latin American Christians may bear witness to love for the poor and contribute to a more fraternal society.

CHILI COOK OFF

Thank you everyone able to work the 2015 Chili Cook off and Car Show. Your staffing of the approximate 160 positions made it possible for the St Rose of Lima community to enjoy the most cars, vendors and chili booths of our twenty-eight year event. Thank you wives and families for working at, or allowing your husbands, and fathers to work the event.

FALL BLOOD DRIVE

Please help our community by giving the gift of life at our Knights of Columbus quarterly blood drive September 19 at the St Rose of Lima parish hall Saturday September 19, 2015 from 8:30 AM to 12:30 PM.

You never know when the need for blood may come, and it's availability at our local blood bank United Blood Services is vitally important. Please call Paul Friedeborn at 805-395-1126 or 805-297-6473, or register online at UBS.

Occasional Knights of Columbus Cruise

Many people have asked me about another K of C Cruise. We have had K of C Cruises in 1989, 2008, and 2013. How many are interested in another cruise later this year or more likely next spring? The cruise would include Council and Assembly members in addition to other family and friends

Contact me if you are interested. If there is enough interest (probably 10 to 20 couples) I can start working out potential details. I try to collect as many names as possible because there is a 25-50% dropout from initial interest and final booking.

Potential Cruise Coordinator Bill Alexander PGK 805-527-4720



Elections for the 2015-2016 Columbian Year

The elections of new officers for 2015-2016 Columbian Year took place at the June Business Meeting on June 9th. The following lists all the new officers and their respective offices. The Officers and Directors will be their first official meeting to be held Tuesday July 8th. The general business meeting will be held on July 15th. Attend the meeting to congratulate the new officers and offer your support during the upcoming year.

Grand Knight Deputy Grand Knight Chancellor	Bob Spielman Tony Demarco Bob Smith
Warden	John Antonacci
Treasurer	PGK Norm Ouellete
Recorder	Chris Smith
Lecturer	NONE
3 Year Trustee	PGK Andy Prete
2 Year Trustee	PGK Rick Ostrich
	No Election Required
1 Year Trustee	PGK Gene Walinski
	No Election Required
Financial Secretary	Gil Lindberg
	Appointed Position
	No Election Required
Advocate	Jeff Smith
Guards	Lance Holman
	David Tellez
	Nick Wirtz

Bill Alexander PGK Nominating/Elections Committee Chairman 527-4720

FATHER JOHN LOVE

On last June 21st. my wife and I had the privilege of going to Father John Love's 25th. Anniversary Mass. I have been a part of St. Rose of Lima one way of another since 1966. Even though I am no longer at this time a parishioner, but I have great feelings and memories of St. Rose. Father John Love 's 1st, parish was St. Rose of Lima in June of 1990. He was a tremendous priest and friend here at St. Rose and through the years as many others can say. The Mass and food afterwards was just great. What was so super was also seeing so many priests and friends for his anniversary Mass. The priest's that were there were Father's Michael Jennett, Monsignor's Michael Bunny & Paul Albee. Father Jennett was at St. Rose in the late 70's and he was a Seminarian at St. Rose at that time and his 1st. parish was in Carpinteria and has been all over Ventura and Santa Barbara counties. He is now the Pastor at where the Mass for Father John was held and is Vicar of Santa Barbara & Ventura Counties. Monsignor Bunny is now retired and living in Apple Valley and helping parishes in the area, and of course Monsignor Paul Albee who is pastor at Holy Cross in Moorpark. They all look Super and it was great visiting with them, remember the Monsignor's were with Father John here At St. Rose. Those parishioners who were at the anniversary were John & Remy McKenzie Family, Rick & Peggy Cassonova, Pat & Sheila Shaffer, Mark & Bobbie Driscoll, Tim & Sara NcNichol and of course my wife Jo and myself & it was great visiting with them also.

Even though we could only visit with Father John a short time, because everyone wanted a piece of him, it was great to see him honored so . The bad part he is at Santa Barbara Universary as the pastor for the College & he is not closer as a pastor. If any of you would like to go out to visit him I have his address. What a Great Day and it was like a class reunion from the 60's to the present.

God Bless you Father John Love and we hope you have many more anniversaries & enjoying your priesthood.

Yours in Christ

Al Mckinley

A message from the Financial Secretary.

The budget for the new 2015 –2016 Columbian year will be presented and voted on at the business meeting on July 14th.

Please try to attend this meeting.

Financial Secretary

Gil Lindberg 583-0725

Bingo Scheduling

With Brother Ralph Roger recent health problems, he has let us know that he is unable to continue preparing the Bingo worker schedule in the future. He has done a great job with the schedule for many years. I am taking over making up the Bingo schedule for now. If you have any special requests or things that Ralph knows about your scheduling requirements, please email me what I need to know.

The Email is <u>webmaster@kc5803.org</u>. Please bear with us during this transition.

Specific bingo job questions can still be directed to PGK Cliff Wirtz at 208-8970 We also currently are in need of two callers and some young pull tab workers.

Many thanks, PGK Rick Ostrich



ROSARY FOR THE UNBORN

FIRST SATURDAY OF EVERY MONTH

Please Join Us.

Assumption Cemetery on Fitzgerald Rd. 9:30am

Fish Fry - Chairman, Jorge Curiel

FISH FRY DINNER FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH

5:00pm – 6:30pm Knights of Columbus Hall 1255 Patricia Ave.

The dinner includes: a delicious BBQ or fried fish with

cole slaw, fried clams, French fries, mac & cheese, bread roll, coffee, punch & dessert. Bring friends & family. Only \$8.00 for adults and \$4.00 for kids 12 or younger.



July 2015

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3 Fish Fry 5:00—6:30	4 BINGO - Rosary for Unborn at Assumption 9:30
6	7 Officers Meeting 7:30	8	9 - St Rose Home- less dinner	10	11 Bingo 4th Degree Turn- over lunch 12PM at the hall
13	14 Business Meeting 7:30 & Vote on Budget	15 4th Degree Meeting 7:00 PM	16	17 K of C Home- less dinner	18 Bingo District Deputy Meeting 9 AM
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23	24	25	26	27 Bowling organization meeting	28	29 Bingo
30 - Family Mass	31					