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GRAND KNIGHTS MESSAGE FEBRUARY 2022

Worthy Brothers, Families, Squires and Roses:

When I was in elementary school and Valentines Day was approaching, it wasn't required to have a valentine's card for everyone in class. It was easy to see who the most popular kids in class were because their desks were covered with cards. Looking around the room, a number of students didn't have one card on their desk. You could see the hurt and sadness because they were left out of the receiving side of the event.

Our Council attempts to bring everyone together and we try not to leave anyone out of the loop or activities. That is why we have the Crusader, the Council's webpage, the emails that go out to everyone. We want everyone to have the opportunity to be active, participate and know what is happening.

On February 1st, Gary Valente will be celebrated with a Rosary, Mass, Burial and Reception. Financial Secretary, Buster Beazley, send out an email listing the times and location. Gary was one of our hidden gems in the Council. Looking back through the records, he held many posts including the position of Recorder for 2 years (2005-2007). He will be missed.

Normally, we would have our ID Drive in October. However due to Covid, we couldn't do our traditional activities. As a result, the Council will be having a pancake breakfast on Sunday, February 27 from 7 AM to about 2 PM. Portions of the proceeds will support our Parish and the Ivey Ranch. If you look at its webpage, you will see what they do (<https://iveyranch.com/>). The Council has supported it for years. You have time to volunteer for the event and to donate to the cause.

Just a reminder that the Council meeting on February 2 at 7:00 will be Zoom only. We are following the directive from the pastor about face-to-face meetings.

Our monthly Corporate Communion will be at the 10:00 AM Mass on February 6, 2022.

Finally, the officers at the January 26th meeting, discussed and agreed to move the March Council meeting from Wednesday, March 2 to the following week, Wednesday, March 9 due to Ash Wednesday happening on March 2. This will be discussed at the February 2nd Council meeting under New Business.

Please stay healthy and stay safe.

Vivat Jesus,
Grand Knight
Rick Lewis



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COUNCIL CALENDAR - Year 21/22

(ALL EVENTS WILL BE DETAILED IN FLOCKNOTES/ EMAILS/ WEBSITE

<http://kofc3162.org/calendar/>)

DATE(s)	DAY	TIME	EVENT	LOCATION	PURPOSE	CHAIRMAN
February 1, 2022	TUE	N/A	State Service Programs Contest	Supreme/State	Reporting	Grand Knight
February 1, 2022	TUE	N/A	State Family of the Year Contest	Supreme/State	Reporting	Grand Knight
February 1, 2022	TUE	N/A	RESOLUTIONS ADDED FOR CONVENTION	Supreme/State	Reporting	Grand Knight
February 1-28, 2022	N/A	TBD	Special Olympics	TBD	Life	TBD
February 1-28, 2022	N/A	TBD	Ultrasound Program	TBD	Life	TBD
February 2, 2022	WED	7 to 8:30 PM	General Council Meeting	Knights Hall/Zoom	Organization Meeting	Grand Knight
February 2, 2022	WED	7 to 8:30 PM	RSVP	Knights Hall/Zoom	Faith	TBD
February 4, 2022	FRI	N/A	Free Throw Section E due	State	Reporting	TBD
February 6, 2022	SUN	10:00 AM	Corporate Communion	Serra Center	Faith	TBD
February 6, 2022	SUN	2:00 PM	Squires/Roses Meeting	Knights Hall	SQUIRES/ROSES EVENT	Squires Counselor
February 15, 2022	TUE	N/A	Semiannual Audit Report #1295 due	Supreme/State	Reporting	Trustees
February 17, 2022	THU	7 to 8:30 PM	Exemplification	Zoom/St Marks	Membership	St Marks Team
February 22, 2022	TUE	7 to 8:30 PM	PARISH PASTORAL MEETING	PARISH	REGULAR MEETING	PASTOR
February 23, 2022	WED	7 to 8:30 PM	Officers Meeting	Knights Hall/Zoom	Organization Meeting	Grand Knight
February 25, 2022	FRI	5 PM to 8 PM	ShrimpFest 2022	St Francis Hall	Community	TBD
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March 1, 2022	TUE	N/A	Father Juan Perez Enteries due	State	Reporting	TBD
March 1, 2022	TUE	N/A	Scholarship Applications due	Supreme/State	Reporting	TBD
March 1-30, 2022	N/A	TBD	Helping Hands	TBD	Life	TBD
March 2, 2022	WED	All Day	ASH WEDNESDAY			
March 2, 2022	WED	7 to 8:30 PM	General Council Meeting	Knights Hall/Zoom	Organization Meeting	Grand Knight
March 5, 2022	SAT	TBD	Habitat for Humanity	TBD	Community	TBD
March 6, 2022	SUN	10:00 AM	Corporate Communion	Serra Center	Life	TBD
March 6, 2022	SUN	5:00 PM	Spiritual Reflection	Serra Center	Faith	TBD
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News of the Month

Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast:

Parish Knights will be serving a Pancake, Egg and Sausage breakfast in the Serra Center Garden

When: Sunday, 27 Feb. from 8 a.m. until 130 p.m.

Proceeds: To help support Intellectually Disabled people in the community.



2nd Semi Annual Card Night "FUN" Raiser

Benefactor: Coats for Kids & ID Drive

Where: K of C 3162 Hall

When: February 18th at 6pm

RSVP by: Feb 11th

Limited Seating - 36 total players
1 "Big Boy" Table (reservation only)
\$25 Buy-In (\$100 in chips) 2 Re-buys
At \$15ea for half chips (\$50)
Bingo for Wives
Food & Drinks will be available
RSVP to dragon_blue_64@yahoo.com



2022 KofC Membership Dues Notice coming soon

Your 2022 KofC Council Dues Notice will be published December 15th and sent to you in the mail. The Council Officers have made a couple of changes this year; 1) There is no longer a Special Assessment, and 2) Online payment option has been implemented for your convenience. If you have any questions when you receive your 2022 Council Dues, please contact the Financial Secretary at your earliest opportunity. Your Dues Notice will reflect your current Dues status, and Miscellaneous Assessment. Your **Annual Dues** are based on the following membership status: Regular =\$48, Honorary =\$20, Student =\$15, and Honorary Life, Seminarian, Military, & Disabled = \$0. The **Miscellaneous Assessment** = \$3.65, is for 365 Club which is optional. See the 365 Club description below.

365 Club Donation

In 1955, the State Council created California Columbian Charities, Inc. The charity is dedicated to assisting California Brothers in financial distress, including their widows. For almost sixty years, we have consistently worked to provide charity, the first principle of our Order, and to fulfill Father McGivney's mandate of BROTHER HELPING BROTHER. We ask that every Brother in California join the 365 Club and **donate a penny a day, by adding an additional \$3.65 to their dues payment.** This will provide every Brother in your Council an opportunity to practice charity, unity and fraternity. We hope

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that 100% of the active Councils in California will contribute. The council should hold these funds until May when they can be brought to the State Convention. For more information on the 365 Club and other state council programs, please visit the KofC State Council website at www.californiaknights.org or our Council website:

<http://kofc3162.org/californiaknights/>

Pay your Dues electronically

You can now pay your dues electronically through your bank. The Council officers have looked at several electronic payment options to allow our council members to **pay their dues or make a donation electronically**. Council #3162 has adapted "Zelle" to send funds electronically from your bank account to Council #3162. Zelle works with banks across the U.S. so you can send and receive money in a moment. All you need is the recipient's U.S. mobile number or email to send money directly to their checking account. Your account information stays protected- you won't see the other person's bank account info, and they won't see yours. Zelle is available at most banks. You can pay your Dues or make a donation to the Council by utilizing the Council email (kofc3162@gmail.com) . Zelle procedures will be posted on the Council website and be found with this link: <http://kofc3162.org/zelle/>

Directed Charitable Donations

Any council member can contribute! If you would like to help Council #3162 continue our charitable works, we invite you to consider making a directed contribution to one of the following charitable funds:

- 365 Club, - Culture of Life Fund, - Intellectually Disabled Drive, - Military Fund, - Rachel Statue Fund, - Scholarship Fund, - Special Olympics, - Vocations Fund, - Widow & Orphans, Disaster Fund, - Wheelchair Mission.

The money in these charitable funds are held separate from the Council operating funds and used for the specific funds intended purpose. If you decide to make a directed donation to one of the above charitable funds, please send your donation to Council #3162 and your funds will be directed as you intend the money to be utilized. Your donation goes to good use to help those less fortunate.



- *For Pope Francis and the Holy Catholic Church*
- **For Brother Knights:** *All current and past members of council #3162 to have a Blessed Advent and Christmas Season.*
- Remembering those knights and family members who are sick or in distress and need our prayers. We especially want to pray for:
 - New member BK Michael Talbert's daughter Tabitha Tabbert as she is experiencing pain and symptoms from long haul covid.
 - Tom & Sherry Reising
 - Don & Marilyn Schweibold
 - Erik & Althea Orezechowski
 - BK George Rovetto who is homebound and his caregiver BK Roger Alves
- **For Brother Knights Friends and Family:** *All who suffering from mental or health related problems including cancer & covid*
- **For the faithful departed and intentions:** *For the repose of the soul of Brother/Sir Knight Gary D. Valente, Tom Finnerrick, PGK John O'brien and his wife passed away may they Rest in Peace.*

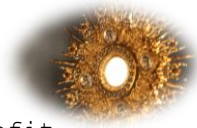
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- **For the Priestly Vocations and for Brother Knights:** Bishop Joe Coffey (chaplain USN), Rev. Oscar Mendez, OFM Pastor, Rev. Sam Nasada, OFM, Rev. Alberto Villafan, OFM, Rev. Anthony Garibaldi, OFM

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is held in the Parish Chapel EVERY Thursday immediately following the 8 a.m. Mass until Noon.



Columbian Retirement Home Inc. -The Columbian Retirement Home Inc. is a non-profit corporation founded in 1973 by the California State Council of the Knights of Columbus. The Columbian Center in Marysville, CA provides reasonably priced retirement housing for brother Knights and others who would find comfort in a faith-based setting. The Columbian Retirement Home also provides assistance through the Columbian Senior Advisory Service (CSAS). The CSAS is dedicated to offering guidance and support, linking you with **helpful community resources in your area** and providing reliable information on housing and care options for the elderly. This is a **FREE service** for Knights of Columbus members, their family, and friends. Columbian Retirement Home is committed to helping member Knights, their immediate families and others navigate through the sometimes-confusing array of senior services and housing now available in California. If you have questions, please call (530) 743-7542.



Visit Our Website

- Meeting Minutes are posted on our website <http://kofc3162.org/minutes/>
- Crusader Newsletters are posted on our website: <http://kofc3162.org/crusader/>
- Council Calendar can be found here: <http://kofc3162.org/calendar/>
- Please visit our website <http://kofc3162.org> for the latest information, news, pictures, national, state, and local council chapter news.



First Name	Last Name	Birth Date
Chris	Diaz	3
Greg	Martinez	4
Tito	Luna	6
John	Litvak	8
PGK Rick	Sharp	9
PGK Buster	Beazley	10
Paul	Greene	10
Carlos	Hernandez	11
Bernie	Nacional	11
Matt	Simmons	15
Eric	Kliebenstein	16
Larry	Boyle	17

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SAVE THE DATE



Mission San Luis Rey Parish Knights of Columbus Council 3162 Annual Charity Golf Tournament

Qualifier for Randy Jones Invitational Semi-Final

When: June 13, 2022 1pm Shotgun Start

Where: The Golf Club of California, Fallbrook, CA
3742 Flowerwood Ln, Fallbrook, CA 92028 / (760) 451-3737

Benefitting

Mission San Luis Rey Parish & Semper Fi Fund

For More Information Contact:

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