

The CRUSADER



KNIGHTS OF
COLUMBUS #3162

Peace and All Good



A Message from our Grand Knight

Worthy Brothers,

July centers on **Eucharistic devotion**, the **Precious Blood of Jesus**. These reflections offer profound spiritual guidance for the mid-year.

July is often a time when the Church highlights the **Pastoral Care of the Sick**, reminding our pastors and the faithful of the grace found in the Anointing of the Sick.

Pope Francis's Intentions:

Our past Pope frequently emphasized this sacrament not as a "preparation for death" alone, but as a source of vital comfort and strength for the sick and their caregivers. "Worthy Brother Knights, as we begin a new Columbian Year, let us renew our commitment to charity, unity, and fraternity. Inspired by the vision of Blessed Michael McGivney, let us strive to be "Heralds of Hope" in our parish and local communities this year

Early July

- **July 1:** St. Junipero Serra (Optional Memorial)
- **July 3:** St. Thomas, Apostle (Feast)
- **July 11:** St. Benedict, Abbot (Memorial)
- **July 14:** St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin (Memorial in the US)

Mid-July

- **July 15:** St. Bonaventure, Bishop & Doctor of the Church (Memorial)
- **July 16:** Our Lady of Mount Carmel (Optional Memorial)
- **July 22:** St. Mary Magdalene, Apostle to the Apostles (Feast)
- **July 25:** St. James the Greater, Apostle (Feast)

Late July

- **July 26:** Sts. Joachim and Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Memorial)
- **July 29:** Sts. Martha, Mary, and Lazarus, Friends of Jesus (Memorial)
- **July 31:** St. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest (Memorial)

Our **Golf tournament** date is set – August 14th, at Marine Memorial on Camp Pendleton.

Council Updates

CORPORATE COMMUNION

July 5, 10AM Mass

GENERAL COUNCIL MEETING

July 1

BABY BOTTLES DISTRIBUTION

Aug 8/9

FEAST SAN LUIS REY

Aug 22

GOLF TOURNAMENT ONLINE AUCTION BIDDING IS OPEN!

2026 GOLF
TOURNAMENT
AUG 14, 2026
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Semper Fi, In Charity, Unity and Fraternity.

Jeff Ripa GK



Knights of Columbus are called to support the U.S. bishops' consecration of the United States to the Sacred Heart of Jesus and celebrate the nation's 250th anniversary. Focus your council or assembly's efforts on the following campaigns to help your parish complete its mission of 250 hours of adoration and 250 works of mercy.
kofc.org/america250

250 Hours of Adoration



Pray a Holy Hour

Organize HolyHours with the goal of spending a total of 250 hours in Eucharistic adoration. If planning overnight adoration, council members should sign up to ensure every hour is covered with at least two members. Each person in attendance counts for one hour. You can also organize a Eucharistic procession on Corpus Christi Sunday.

Resources, including the [Holy Hour Service Guide \(#10708\)](#) and [Eucharistic Procession Guidebook \(#11348-E\)](#) are available on Supplies Online.



Host the Pilgrim Icon Program

Aspart of the Pilgrim IconProgram, host a **Sacred Heart Holy Hour**, which includes readings from Sacred Scripture and reflections from Pope Francis on the Sacred Heart of Jesus, as well as the Divine Mercy Chaplet, prayers to the Sacred Heart, and time for silent prayer and adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. These prayer services can be held with or without the icon of the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

Family Home Enthronement of the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Following your Holy Hour, distribute materials for families to enthrone an image of the Sacred Heart of Jesus in a place of honor in their homes, renewing their commitment to be faithful disciples and consecrating themselves to Jesus' Most Sacred Heart.

Resources, including the [Sacred Heart Holy Hour booklet \(#5050\)](#), as well as everything a family needs to conduct the enthronement, are available on www.kofc.org/sacredheart and Supplies Online. They can also be purchased at shopcatholicinfo.com.

250 Works of Mercy



Plan a Day of Service

Identifythe biggest needsin yourparish and wider community and carry out acts of mercy and service. Suggested activities include:

- Assemble and distribute care packages for the homeless.
 - Visit kofc.org/encounteringthepoor for a three-part video with insights and practical tools for serving those most in need.
- Volunteer at a local food bank or collect non-perishable food items for the hungry
 - Through the [Food for Families](#) program, for every \$500 or 1,000 lbs. of food donated, the Supreme Council will refund the council \$100 (up to \$500 max)
- Coach, officiate or provide general support for Special Olympics events
- Clean the grounds of your local school, parish, cemetery or seniors' homes in your area
- Host a blood drive
- Collect flags and conduct flag retirement ceremonies

All participation should be reported using the [this form](#) to highlight the Order's support for this historic celebration.



COUNCIL CALENDAR

AS OF 6/5/2026

KofC COUNCIL 3162
FRATERNAL CALENDAR 2026-2027

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DATES	DAY	TIME	EVENT	LOCATION	PURPOSE	CHAIRMAN
7/1/2026	WED	1900 - 2000	GENERAL COUNCIL MEETING	KNIGHTS HALL	ORGANIZATION MEETING	GRAND KNIGHT
7/5/2026	SUN	10 AM MASS	CORPORATE COMMUNION	PARISH CHURCH	TOGETHERNESS	GRAND KNIGHT
7/15/2026	WED	N/A	FAMILY OF THE MONTH REPORT (#10784) DUE		FAMILY	BK ALEX RIVERA
7/29/2026	WED	1900 - 2000	OFFICERS' PLANNING MEETING	KNIGHTS HALL	ORGANIZATION MEETING	GRAND KNIGHT

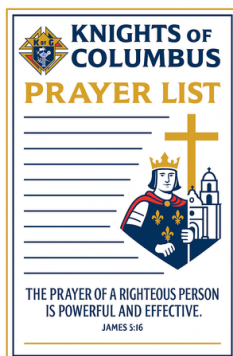
8/5/2026	WED	1900 - 2000	GENERAL COUNCIL MEETING	KNIGHTS HALL	ORGANIZATION MEETING	GRAND KNIGHT
8/8/2026	SAT	ALL MASSES	DISTRIBUTION BABY BOTTLES	PARISH CHURCH	LIFE	PGK ARMANDO MENA
8/9/2026	SUN	ALL MASSES	DISTRIBUTION BABY BOTTLES	PARISH CHURCH	LIFE	PGK ARMANDO MENA
8/9/2026	SUN	10 AM MASS	CORPORATE COMMUNION	PARISH CHURCH	TOGETHERNESS	GRAND KNIGHT
8/14/2026	FRI	ALL DAY	GOLF TOURNAMENT	MM GOLF COURSE	CHARITY	PGK DAVID AUSTIN
8/15/2026	SAT		ANNUAL COUNCIL AUDIT (#1296) DUE	KNIGHTS HALL	ORGANIZATION MEETING	TRUSTEES
8/15/2026	WED	N/A	FAMILY OF THE MONTH REPORT (#10784) DUE		FAMILY	BK ALEX RIVERA
8/15/2026	SAT	ALL MASSES	COLLECTION BABY BOTTLES	PARISH CHURCH	LIFE	PGK ARMANDO MENA
8/16/2026	SUN	ALL MASSES	COLLECTION BABY BOTTLES	PARISH CHURCH	LIFE	PGK ARMANDO MENA
8/22/2026	SAT	1500-2100	FEAST OF SAN LUIS REY	SERRA GARDEN	PARISH	TBD
8/26/2026	WED	1900 - 2000	OFFICERS' PLANNING MEETING	KNIGHTS HALL	ORGANIZATION MEETING	GRAND KNIGHT

PRAYER LIST

Prayer for the Canonization of Blessed Michael McGivney

Please pray add the following BK's and their families to the prayer list:

- Jack Schwarzel asking for pray for Barry E. Schwarze
- Ron Lihe asking for pray for Ron Luce
- Vern Capistran asking for pray for Irene Gruhat
- James Langston asking for pray for Evelyn J. Langston
- Dave Austin asking for pray for The Ala Family
- Dave Austin asking for pray for The Julian Family
- FS asking for prayers for Heather Severy (daughter of passed BK Bill Severy) recently passed away





NEW COUNCIL

The following council officers were elected to their respective council positions by Acclamation. FS passed gavel to GK: Our District Deputy, Viet Nguyen leads the new Fraternal Year's Installation of Officers for Council 3162

GK – Jeff Ripa
DGK – Alex Rivera
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**BREAKING
NEWS**



July 2026

Brothers,

A consistent income brings financial stability and well-being to your family. If it were to vanish unexpectedly — whether because of death or disability — consider what might happen next:

Would your loved ones need to sell or downsize their home? Would your children need to change schools? Would it impact retirement savings?

Insurance from the Knights of Columbus can help replace that crucial income, protect savings and prevent major lifestyle disruptions.

Depending on your stage of life, there are products designed to fit your needs.

If you're a young man, you may be working hard to pay rent or cover basic living expenses. As you age into your prime working years, there may be mouths to feed, a mortgage and a car payment. Then finally as you approach or enter retirement, you might be looking for supplemental income or to protect what you've built.

If you're supporting a family, term or permanent life insurance can help give you peace of mind that they will be financially protected if you or your wife should pass away. Even amid tragedy, it helps give the people you love stability and time to adjust without the added weight of financial hardship.

Term life insurance, which gives you coverage for a specified time period, can be a great option if you have a young family with temporary needs. It's an affordable choice that typically provides coverage for 10, 15 or 20 years.

Later, you could choose to convert your policy to whole life, which can provide coverage for your entire lifespan and accrue cash value. This can be helpful if you want a potential way to supplement retirement income or if you're interested in using insurance as part of your estate plan.

Not sure what coverage is right for you?

Please come see me after the meeting, and I would be glad to schedule a time to sit down and talk about your needs. I'm here to help you protect your family and the life you've built.

Thank you!

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CHARITY 2026



GOLF TOURNAMENT

HOLE-IN-ONE WINS A 26 CHEVY SILVERADO RST

Hole-in-One Vehicle Sponsor

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OF CARLSBAD**



**MSGT TUPUTALA (TALA) PAULO
MEMORIAL CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT**

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MARINE MEMORIAL GOLF COURSE

AUG 14, 2026 • CAMP PENDLETON • 8:30 SHOTGUN • START 4 PERSON SCRAMBLE

HOLE-IN-ONE CHALLENGE

*MAKE A HOLE-IN-ONE ON THE DESIGNATED PAR-3 AND WIN A CHEVY SILVERADO RST
COURTESY OF PREMIER CHEVROLET.*

Hole-in-One prize subject to official rules. Must be a single verified hole-in-one on the designated hole during tournament play. Prize provided by Premier Chevrolet. Vehicle may be substituted with cash or equivalent prize at sponsor's discretion. Taxes, registration, insurance, and licensing responsibility of winner. See tournament officials for full details.

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