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March 2023



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3 Yr. Richard Shoemaker PGK

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Charlie Klenner PGK

Lecturer

Fraternal Benefits Adviser

Mark A. Koeppen

DD#15

Greg Mattingly

Grand Knight's Message

Brother Knights,

March is here, and Lent is upon us. In keeping with our traditions, there will be no food after the business meetings. Also, we are collecting 40 Cans for 40 Days. We will put the box out for donations to be dropped in. Please donate if you are able. The donations will be turned over to St. Vincent DePaul Society.

The Annual State Meeting will be in May, and we will be electing one delegate, and two alternatives in our March meeting. Please try to attend the meetings so that we have a quorum to conduct needed business.

Our next planned event is St. Patrick's Day. I see this event becoming popular every year, and PGK Charlie Klenner puts great effort into it. Please show your support for this event and get your tickets early.

As for other information, State Raffle Tickets are available. Swing by the hall to pick up books to sell, or buy tickets on site. We are not allowed to mail tickets. This is a great fundraiser to support OLPH and SLK. The drawing happens at the State Convention in May. So get your tickets now.

Also we will be holding a Spaghetti Dinner in April to support Maggie's Place, and the First Way Pregnancy Center. For every \$500 dollars we donate to those organizations the Supreme Council will donate another \$100 to them. The Assembly has already donated \$1000, and we as a Council are looking to match that.

I don't have much else to say. I strongly encourage you to attend our meetings as we plan new activities, select Knight and Family of the Month, and maintain contact with each other.

FAITH IN ACTION DIRECTORS

Program Director:

Church/School Directors:

OLPH

SLK - Fred Holly

Community Director: Eric Barna

Faith Director: Matt Hoffarth

Life Director: Joe Andreano

Family Director: Larry Costanzo

Membership Director: Ron Woods

Retention: Trustees

Historian: Ralph Marino

Knightline: Danny/Diana Haywood

BUILDING CORPORATION OFFICERS

President Marvin Carter

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FOURTH DEGREE ASSEMBLY OFFICERS

Faithful Navigator SK Bill Patterson

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3 Year Faithful Trustee SK Ed Haywood

Faithful Outer Sentinel SK Diego Tarin

Faithful Inner Sentinel SK Bill Groner

Color Corp Commander SK Greg Mattingly

February Knight of the Month

Frank Torak

February Family of the Month

Ron & Barbara Woods

DID YOU KNOW . . .

The members of Fray Garces Council #3855, Knights of Columbus, are also voting members of Fray Francisco Garces Foundation, Inc, and owners of the hall? The Foundation is better known as the Building Corp and is responsible for the Columbian Hall that we all frequent. The Building Corp operates the Lounge and the Friday Night Fish Fry. It also is responsible for hall rentals and other events.

The Building Corp meets on the first Monday of each month at 7:00 P. M. at the hall and all members are invited to attend. The list of Officers is included in this monthly Newsletter. Please feel free to attend the meetings or make your concerns known to the Officers so that we can have a place welcome to all. Please note that you can rent the hall at a discount for your event including parties.

Is there an event that you would like to see at the hall?

Is there one day of the month that you can help do some work at the hall?

Feel free to email me, Marvin Carter, at mar367@msn.com with your answers or text me at 480-658-3644 or with any questions you may have.

Knights of Columbus Right To Life Spaghetti Dinner

Fray Garces Columbian Hall

April 10, 2023

5:00 - 7:00 p.m.

\$12 per person

Children under 10 are free

All you can eat

Live entertainment by "The Thorn and the Rose"

Proceeds will be donated to Maggie's Place and First Way Pregnancy Centers. Let us support those who need care.

4th Degree Rosary

March 25, 2023
Holy Cross Cemetery
8:00 a.m.

Lenten Fish Fry

Fridays, 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.
Come and Enjoy the Evening!

Special During Lent: Clam Chowder

Organ Donor and Membership Drive

Our council is holding an Organ Donor and Membership Drive at SLK Sunday, March 26th, at the 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Mass. Please join us to help promote both worthy Drives. Contact Ron or Matt if you can join or have questions.

Divine Mercy and Our Lady of Guadalupe Print Program

These prints by Southwestern Landscape Artist Charles Pabst are available for donation and a commitment to pray a rosary novena. The Divine Mercy is one print and Our Lady of Guadalupe and Divine Mercy is a set of two prints. Donations benefit the Knights of Columbus. Prints will be available at the hall or by contacting Steve Lopez at 623-826-0600.

The set of Our Lady of Guadalupe and Divine Mercy will be on the wall of Bishop Dolan's office.



Arizona State Annual Drawing To Support Local Charities

The Knights of Columbus State Raffle is starting again and benefits both our local and state charities. As in the past, the prize list contains only Money payouts \$10,000 (1), \$7,000 (1), \$5,000 (1), \$3,000 (1), \$2,000 (1), \$1,000 (1), \$500 (4). St. Louis the King and Our Lady of Perpetual Help Schools, and Grateful Hearts will receive a share of the proceeds from the sale of the raffle tickets this year. Last year, we gave checks for \$417 for OLPH, \$417 for SLK, and \$208 for Grateful Hearts.

Tickets are available from me; we can no longer mail raffle tickets. Those that participated in the past, please let me know so I can either fill out the tickets for you and mail the stubs or I can deliver the tickets to you or call me for other options. Please, buy your tickets today and/or help sell them to anyone you know. I am asking you to sell two packets, for \$40. The cost is \$5 each, a book of five for \$20, or six books for \$100. Our sales Goal this year is \$2,500, ten percent more than last year. Please mail your checks to me and I will take care of the rest. Again, if you need tickets please call Greg Mattingly 623-910-8414 (please leave a message).

MARCH 2023 SUPREME CHAPLAIN'S MONTHLY CHALLENGE

But Jesus came and touched them, saying, "Rise, and do not be afraid." (Gospel for March 5, Mt 17:7)
"Do not be afraid" — we read these words often in Scripture. Here, Jesus speaks to the apostles, awestruck at his Transfiguration. In a similar way, the angel told St. Joseph, "Do not be afraid" to take Mary, who had conceived the Christ Child, as his wife. The knowledge that God is with us should encourage and strengthen us. Sometimes, as with the apostles, we are overwhelmed by the mysteries of faith; at other times the challenges of living our faith in a secular culture seem daunting. Yet Christ continually empowers us as he calls us: "Rise, and do not be afraid."

Challenge by Supreme Chaplain Archbishop William E. Lori:

This month, in which we celebrate the feast of St. Joseph, I challenge you to watch the documentary *St. Joseph: Our Spiritual Father* (available for free at kofc.org/stjoseph), reflecting on St. Joseph's courage. Second, I challenge you to participate in the Faith in Action Pilgrim Icon program, which features an icon of St. Joseph.

Questions for Reflection:

What are you afraid of? Do your fears prevent you from fully following God's will in your life? How can you imitate the courage of St. Joseph?

St. Patrick's Day Party

March 11

Knights of Columbus Hall
8066 N. 49th Avenue

No Host
Cocktails
6:00pm

Dinner at 6:30

Corned Beef and Cabbage

Potatoes and Carrots and Dessert



\$20.00/ Person
Before March 1, 2023
\$25.00/Person
March 1-11, 2023
Tickets available at the Knights
of Columbus or call for
reservations at
602-469-7186

Entertainment
By
Rick and Donna Nestler

FRIDAY NIGHT FISH FRY



RELAX WITH FAMILY & FRIENDS

1st
Friday



St. Cecilia Circle
Open Mic

2nd
Friday

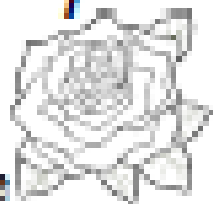


Country
Crossing
Band

Dinner
every
Friday
5:00 pm

3rd Friday

Yellow
Rose
Showcase



4th

Friday

Bluegrass
Jam



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Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

			1	2	3 Fish Fry 5:00 - 7:00 St. Cecilia Circle	4
5	6 Building Corp 7:00	7	8 4th Degree Officers Mtg 7:00	9	10 Fish Fry 5:00 - 7:00 Country Crossing Band	11 St. Patrick's Day Dinner 6:00 
12	13 CUF Degree 7:00	14	15 4th Degree General Mtg 7:00	16	17 Fish Fry 5:00 - 7:00 Yellow Rose Showcase	18
19	20 Officers Mtg 7:00	21	22	23	24 Fish Fry 5:00 - 7:00 Bluegrass Jam	25 4th Degree Rosary Holy Cross Cemetery 8:00 a.m.
26	27 General Mtg 7:00	28	29	30	31 Fish Fry 5:00 - 7:00	

March Member Birthdays	
Fernando Camou, Sr.	1
Robert Czigler	1
Mark Dalley	2
Ray Wolosz	4
Greg Mattingly	5
George Sweeney	5
Fred Hollie	9
Daniel Verderosa	10
William O'Reilly	14
Danny Gomez	14
Frank Torak	20
Ken Brown	24
Larry Costanzo	27
Leonard McCloskey	28
Chuckie Martinez	30

MARCH



March Spouse Birthdays	
Margaret Hughes	10
Margaret Bonilla	15
Lue Henry	15
Verlee Nanneman	25

March Anniversaries	
Kevin & Carolyn Shives	12
Matt & Kara Hoffarth	18
Josh & Michelle Opincar	27

If we have missed your birthday or anniversary, please let us know by calling Diana Haywood, 602-904-0964, or emailing ddhaywood65@gmail.com.



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MAINTENANCE:

- HVAC
- Electrical
- Plumbing

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FISH FRY

Fridays
5:00-7:00 p.m.
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First Fridays
St. Cecelia Circle
Open Mic

Third Fridays
Yellow Rose Showcase

Fourth Fridays
Arizona Blue Grass
Association

Take-Out Orders
Available

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