

Knights of Columbus

Goleta Valley Council 5300

St. Raphael's Church, Goleta, California

Newsletter

February, 2020 – March, 2020

Date	Event	Time/Place
February 3, 2020	4 th Officer's Meeting	7:00 pm, Admn Conf Rm
February 3, 2020	3 rd Officer's Meeting	8:00 pm, Admn Conf Rm
February 5, 2020	Clergy & Religious Appreciation Dinner	7:00 pm Parish Hall
February 9, 2019	Pancake Breakfast	8:30 am Parish Hall
February 10, 2020	3 rd Degree Business Meeting	7:30 pm Parish Hall
February 17, 2020	4 th Degree Business/Dinner Mtg.	6:00 pm, Parish Hall
March 2 2020	4 th Officer's Meeting	7:00 pm, Admn Conf Rm
March 2, 2020	3 rd Officer's Meeting	8:00 pm, Admn Conf Rm
March 8, 2020	Pancake Breakfast	8:30 am Parish Hall
March 9, 2020	3 rd Degree Business Meeting	7:30 pm Parish Hall
March 16, 2020	4 th Degree Business/Dinner Mtg.	7:00 pm Parish Hall

Clergy & Religious Appreciation Dinner 5 February, Social Hour at 6:00 pm, dinner at 7:00. Cost for Clergy free, non-clergy \$15. Menu: pork loin with all the fixings.

Lenten Fish Fry Fridays

The date for our Fish Fries this year are Feb. 28th, Mar. 6th, Mar.13th, Mar. 20th, Mar. 27, and Apr. 3rd. Doors open at 6:00PM. \$10 a ticket.

5th Sunday months - For 2020, months that have a fifth Sunday are March 29th, May 31st, Aug 30th, and November 29th.

Council 5300 Corporate Communion – In the month of March, 2020 this falls on the 29th. All knights and their families are encouraged to attend the 9:30 AM Mass and, hopefully, sit together to show unity.

Saint for February-- St. Blaise (also spelled St. Blase) (Feast day Feb. 3) He was the bishop of Sebastea, Armenia. He was imprisoned, tortured, and beheaded as part of the Christian persecution in 316 A.D. Most of us will remember the feast of St. Blaise when we would all get a throat blessing using two crossed candles by a priest at Mass.†

Saint for March-- St. Patrick (Feast Day March 17) Often referred to as “the Apostle of Ireland”, he was captured by raiders at the age of 16 and was carried off in slavery to pagan Ireland. He seems to have managed to return to Britain and later studied at the monastery of Lêrins from 412 through 415. About 432 he was consecrated a bishop and sent back to Ireland. Where he eventually converted most of the island to Christianity.†

†Stories taken from “Dictionary of Saints” by John J. Delaney,1980, DoubleDay publishing.

Up Coming Birthdays:

	Feb.		Mar.
Charles DiMauro	1	Dennis Paullazo	1
Rev. Antonio Cacciapuoti	2	Jack Turney	1
Richard Karr	8	William Regis	3
Jose Rodriguez	9	David Varesio	4
Vincent Fillippello	11	Stephen Dewalt	5
Gerald Liponi	14	Jack Ward	5
Teodulo Nungaray	17	Robert Rennie	9
Max Keller	18	Larry Torres	14
John Peyton	19	Michael Macdonald	16
Paul Curzan	20	Nicolas Mina	21
Richard Danduran	24	Miguel Ibarra	22
Brian Klinge	25	Fred Brokaski	25
Brian Fittipaldi	27	William McNamara	26

Please keep in your prayers the following:

Eleanor Paulazzo

In Memory of Deacon Wayne Rascati

John Kestel

Maggie Crosby, fiancé of SK Patrick Donohoe

Teresa Barrier, wife of SK Ed Barrier

Lee Alfano

SK Al Meckelborg

Christian Franzen, nephew of Deacon Wayne Rascati

Terry Pugh, wife of SK Earl Pugh

Sr. Teresa Meza, sister of SK Jose Meza

SK Jose Meza's wife, Maria

SK Larry Torres

Anita Pullens, sister-in-law of SK Feliz Sanchez

Manual Cabrera and his spouse, brother and sister-in-law of Francisco Cabrera

Fr. Frank Colburn

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Below is a final letter from our retiring insurance agent, George Majouie:

Worthy Brothers,

First, thank you for your good works in organizing and distributing your respective monthly/quarterly newsletters. For many brother Knights and their families, this is the only connection between your council and them. It is unfortunate that so many brothers are disconnected from their councils.

Points to consider:

1. Is there a possible activity your council can organize to bring some of these “lost” brothers back to you?
2. How about a letter from your Grand Knight with a focus on **Remember Why!**
 - a. Why did you join the Knights of Columbus XX years ago?
 - b. Do you remember who your sponsor is/was?
 - c. What activity most interested you? Why?
 - d. Etc.
3. Consider creating a spreadsheet of all inactive and prior Knights.
 - a. Host a meeting of current active members and spread out on a table the names and contact information of those brother Knights who are no longer attending.
 - b. Invite those in attendance to go through the list/contact card for each Knight they personally know.
 - c. That Knight then calls the inactive Knight with the focus of getting them to join in a community/council event.
 - d. A report of calls made and responses from the inactive Knights is presented and all are collated and reviewed by the Officers.

4. Most of our current, active Knights do not know why prior/inactive Knights are no longer active. Could it be a lack of communication? Not taking the time to reach out to a brother in need? Does the brother have transportation challenges? Does the brother have financial challenges preventing him from paying dues? (This can be handled easily if there is a true financial need.)

These are just some of my final thoughts regarding reaching out to our lost brothers and the important role you have as Newsletter/Bulletin Editor. This is my final Insurance Agent Article for submission. God bless you in all you are and do. Thank you.

Fraternally yours,

George

Editor's Note:

This Newsletter is a work in progress and will be limited to text (black and white) only to keep the cost down. Pictures of events can be found on the K of C website, www.kc5300.org.

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