

Knights of Columbus

Goleta Valley Council 5300
St. Raphael's Church, Goleta, California
Newsletter
February 2022– March 2022

February 7, 2022	4th Degree Officer's Meeting	Zoom Meeting - 7:00 pm
February 7, 2022	3rd Degree Officer's Meeting	Zoom Meeting - 7:30 pm
February 13, 2022	Pancake Breakfast/Blood Drive	Parish Hall-8:00-11:00 am
February 14, 2022	3rd Degree Business Meeting	Parish Hall - 7:00 pm
February 21, 2022	4th Degree Dinner Meeting	Parish Hall - 7:00 pm
March 4, 2022	Fish Fry	Parish Hall - 6:00 pm
March 7, 2022	4th Degree Officer's Meeting	Zoom Meeting - 7:00 pm
March 7, 2022	3rd Degree Officer's Meeting	Zoom Meeting - 7:30 pm
March 11, 2022	Fish Fry	Parish Hall - 6:00 pm
March 13, 2022	Pancake Breakfast	Parish Hall-8:00-11:00 am
March 14, 2022	3rd Degree Business Meeting	Parish Hall - 7:00 pm
March 18, 2022	Fish Fry	Parish Hall - 6:00 pm
March 21, 2022	4th Degree Dinner Meeting	Parish Hall - 7:00 pm
March 25, 2022	Fish Fry	Parish Hall - 6:00 pm

Officer Meetings - Note on the calendar above the Officer meetings will continue to be conducted using the Zoom application on using your computer, smart phone, or tablet. Business meetings will be held "in-person" using the standard COVID guidelines in practice at the time.

Business Meetings - Also note on the calendar, the business meetings held in the Parish Hall start at 7:00 pm.

Pancake Breakfast - The pancake breakfast and Blood Drive will be on February 13th. Brian Gosney (805 252 4505) will be coordinating getting volunteers for encouraging potential donors to sign up to give blood at each Mass on February 6th. Give him a call if you can help on this effort. The pancake breakfast for March will be on March 13th.

Fish Fries - After a year's hiatus, the Famous Fish Fries will resume on March 4th, the Friday after Ash Wednesday. The monies from this event are used to support our philanthropic efforts to the ministries of the Parish and your help is needed. If you have not been contacted to help and would like to contribute to this effort, call Chris Arnoult at 805 252 0971. This is our MAJOR money raising event and YOUR help is needed.

Planned Parent Prayer Vigils - Prayer vigils are still being held most weekday mornings across the street from Planned Parenthood, 518 Garden Street, Santa Barbara. These are still going on in spite of the pandemic. Note that beginning on Ash Wednesday will be the beginning of the 40 Days of Life. Social Distancing and masks are required. For more information please call Gisela Cooper at 805 886 3732.

Insurance Agent - Please note that we now have a new insurance agent. His contact information is: Wilfrid Romero - 805 522 1916.

5th Sunday Months - In the past, Council 5300 Knights and their families have celebrated Mass on the 5th Sunday, of those months, at 9:00 am. Members are encouraged to wear their Council polo shirts, or tuxedo (if you are a 4th Degree). The Council banner would be processed in and placed at the front of the Church. October 31st is the last 5th Sunday month for 2021.

Up Coming Birthdays:

February		March	
Charles DiMauro	1	Dennis Paulazzo	1
Rev. Antonio Cacciapuoti	2	Jack Turney	1
Jose Rodriguez	9	David Varesio	4
Vincent Fillippello	11	Stephen DeWalt	5
Gerald Liponi	14	Larry Torres	14
Teodulo Nungaray	17	Fr. Rajan Sengol	15
Max Keller	18	Michael Macdonald	16
Paul Curzan	20	Nicholas Mina	21
Richard Danduran	24		
Brian Fitipaldi	27		

Saint for December, *Paul Miki and Companions, Martyrs (died 1597)*

Nagasaki, Japan, is familiar to Americans as the city on which the second atomic bomb was dropped, immediately killing about forty thousand people. Three and a half centuries before, twenty-six martyrs of Japan were crucified on a hill, now known as Holy Mountain, overlooking Nagasaki. Among them were priests, brothers, laymen, Franciscans, Jesuits, and members of the Secular Franciscan Order; there were catechists, doctors, simple artisans, servants, old men, and innocent children-all united in a common faith and love for Jesus and his Church.

Brother Paul Miki, a Jesuit and a native of Japan, has become the best known among the martyrs of Japan. While hanging on a cross, Paul Miki preached to the people gathered for the execution:

The sentence of judgment says that these men came to Japan from the Philippines, but I did not come from any other country. I am a true Japanese. The only reason for my being killed is that I have taught the doctrine of Christ. I certainly did teach the doctrine of Christ. I thank God it is for this reason I die. I believe that I am telling only the truth before I die. I know you believe me and I want to say to you all once again: Ask Christ to help you to become happy. I obey Christ. After Christ's example I forgive my persecutors. I do not hate them. I ask God to have pity on all, and I hope my blood will fall on my fellow men as a fruitful rain.

When missionaries returned to Japan in the 1860's, at first found no trace of Christianity. But after establishing themselves they found that thousands of Christians live around Nagasaki and that they had secretly preserved the faith. Beatified in 1627, the martyrs of Japan were finally canonized in 1862.

Saint for March: *Cyril of Jerusalem, March 18, Bishop and Doctor (315?-386)*

The crises that the Church faces may seem minor when compared with the threat posed by the Arian heresy, which denied the divinity of Christ and almost overcame Christianity in the fourth century. Cyril was to be caught up in the controversy, accused (later) of Arianism by St. Jerome (September 30), and ultimately vindicated both by the men of his own time and by being declared a Doctor of the Church in 1822,

Raised in Jerusalem, well-educated, especially in the Scriptures, he was ordained a priest by the bishop of Jerusalem and given the task of catechizing during Lent those preparing for baptism and during the Easter season the newly baptized. His Catecheses remain valuable as examples of the ritual and theology of the Church in the mid-fourth century.

There are conflicting reports about the circumstance of his becoming bishop of Jerusalem. It is certain that he was validly consecrated by the bishops of the province. Since one of them was an Arian, Acacius, it may have been expected that his "cooperation" would follow. Conflict soon rose between Cyril and Acacius, bishop of the nearby rival see of Caesarea. Cyril was summoned to a council, accused of insubordination, and of selling Church property to relieve the poor. Probably, however, a theological difference was also involved. He was condemned, driven from Jerusalem, and later vindicated, not without some association and help of Semi-Arians. Half of his episcopate was spent in exile (his first experience was repeated twice). He finally returned to find Jerusalem torn with heresy, schism, and strife, and wracked with crime. Even St. Gregory of Nyssa, sent to help, left in despair.

They both went to the (second ecumenical) Council of Constantinople, where and a amended form of the Nicene Creed was promulgated in 381. Cyril accepted the work consubstantial (that is, of Christ and the Father). Some said it was an act of repentance, but the bishops of the Council praised him as a champion of orthodoxy against the Arians. Though not friendly with the greatest defender of orthodoxy against the Arians, Cyril may be counted among those whom Athanasius called "brothers who mean what we mean, and differ only about the word [consubstantial]."

The above are excerpts taken from *Saint of the Day: the Definitive Guide to the Saints*, by Leonard Foley

Please keep in your prayers the following:

Jose Meza

Bob Marks

John Kestel

Katherine DiMauro, sister of Charlie DiMauro

Helen Mudugno (wife of Ralph Mudugno)

Earl Pugh

Bob Montgomery

Carol McLafferty (widow of PGK Bill McLafferty)

Teresa Barrier, wife of SK Ed Barrier

Lee Alfano (widow of Sam Alfano)
 SK Al Meckelborg
 Sr. Teresa Meza, sister of SK Jose Meza
 SK Jose Meza's wife, Maria
 Anita Pullens, sister-in-law of SK Felix Sanchez
 Manual Cabrera and his spouse, brother and sister-in-law of Francisco Cabrera
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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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