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## **KC STATE CONVENTION 05/18/07-05/19/07**



On Saturday, May 19<sup>th</sup>, those of us who attended the KC State Convention in Ontario were treated to a very special guest: our Supreme Knight, Carl Anderson.! From right to left: Fr. John Grace (our Current State Chaplain), Carl Anderson and Emilio Moure (our current State Deputy).

## **GRAND KNIGHT'S REPORT**

*By Stephen Schlesselmann, Grand Knight*



### **A Spiritual Thought**

On June 10<sup>th</sup>, we will be celebrating the Feast of Corpus Christi. As **St. Josemaria de Balaguer** states: “This is my Body...”, and the immolation of Jesus took place, hidden under the appearances of the bread. He is now there, with his Flesh and with his Blood, with his Soul and with his Divinity. He is the same as on the day that Thomas placed his fingers in his glorious Wounds.” (Page 458 of the **Way/Furrow/the Forge** by **St. Josemaria de Balaguer**).

Before reporting on the some of the events during the month, I wanted to take this opportunity to extend a big **THANK YOU** to everyone in the council and their wives. I also want to thank each and every officer and director for a job well done. Brothers Francisco, Dan, Jim, Vince, Ed, Ralph, Joe, Bernie, Jose, Chris, John Vogel, Rich, John Luzader, Brad, Dwight, Bob and Sam, you have done a great job this year and should congratulate yourselves.

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**Program Director's Report**

*By Francisco Cabrera, Deputy Grand Knight*

**Food for Thought:**

On June 24<sup>th</sup> we celebrate the feast day of John the Baptist.

**Who is John the Baptist who baptized Jesus?**



In the Catholic Church, his feast day is June 24th... John the Baptist is a different person from the apostle John, for whom the Gospel of John is named... In speaking of Jesus, John said: "I have baptized you with water, but he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit"... According to Luke, John was the son of Zechariah (or Zachary) and his wife Elizabeth, a relative of Jesus' mother Mary, and was born roughly six months before Jesus.

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**June, 2007**

- 06/01/07 Friday 24-Hour Adoration
- 06/04/07 Monday K of C Officers' Meeting, 8:00 PM
- 06/10/07 Sunday Pancake Breakfast after 7:30 and 9:30 AM Masses
- 06/11/07 Monday K of C 5300 Business Meeting/1<sup>st</sup> Degree Exemplification, 7:30 PM
- 06/17/07 Sunday Father's Day Cards
- 06/27/07 Wednesday Officer's Installation & Grand Knight's Party

**July, 2007**

- 07/05/07 Wednesday K of C Officers' Meeting, 8:00 PM
- 07/07/07 Friday 24-Hour Adoration
- 07/09/07 Sunday Pancake Breakfast after 7:30 and 9:30 AM Masses
- 07/10/07 Monday K of C 5300 Business Meeting, 7:30 PM
- 07/28/07 Saturday Coke Booth Setup
- 07/29/07 Sunday Corporate Communion

**August, 2007**

- 08/01/07 Wednesday Fiesta Coke Booth
- 08/02/07 Thursday Fiesta Coke Booth
- 08/03/07 Friday Fiesta Coke Booth
- 08/03/07 Friday 24-Hour Adoration
- 08/04/07 Saturday Fiesta Coke Booth
- 08/05/07 Sunday Coke Booth Tear Down
- 08/06/07 Monday K of C Officers' Meeting, 8:00 PM
- 08/12/07 Sunday Pancake Breakfast after 7:30 and 9:30 AM Masses/Blood Drive
- 08/13/07 Monday K of C 5300 Business Meeting, 7:30 PM
- 08/27/07 Monday Dinner Social-Knights & Their Families



**Chancellor's Report**  
Dan Knauss, Chancellor

Please pray for the repose of the souls of:

Brother Len Mooy; Deacon Fred Pelletier, Former Deputy Supreme Knight and Past State Deputy; PGK, PFN Ignacio Ramirez; Past Church Music Director Don Fitch; Walter Swiacki Jr., Son of PGK Walter Swiacki Sr.; Brother Mark Christman; Donna Riley, wife of Ken Riley; PGK Dick Hopper; Barbara Vogel, mother of PGK John Vogel; Felix Sanchez' Mother; Coco Corcoran, Wife of John Corcoran of Council 1684; Brother Joseph Castro's Father; Father Martin L. Brewer: May God grant them peace and comfort.

Please pray for Brother Knights who are ill or recovering from illness:

Jesse Garcia; Fred Cota; George Romich; Don Benn; Daniel Bunke who is doing well and thank the Knights for all their prayers; Fritz Cahill.

Other persons for whom prayers are requested:

Eleanor Cahill, wife of Fritz Cahill; Nancy Herrera; Ann Marie McBeth, daughter of PGK Max Keller; Patrick Donohoe, son of PGK Frank Donohoe; Ellen Velasco, granddaughter of Bruce Velasco; Theresa Meza, sister of Jose Meza; Michael T. McGrew, grandson of Tom Cordeiro; Barbara Friedrich; the niece of PGK John Vogel; Bill Kestel, brother of John Kestel; Steve Schlesselmann's sister's family; Donna Abels, wife of Jim Abels; Larry Torres, Jr. (at home waiting for liver transplant), son of Larry Torres; Steve Schlesselmann's father; Cay Donohoe (heart surgery), wife of PGK Frank Donohoe; Jim Bradbury's granddaughter; Jack Turney's daughter Christine; Tom Puerling who is doing well after hip surgery; Isabel Gill, mother-in-law of Brian Klinge.

If you know of any corrections or changes to this report, please contact Dan Knauss by phone at (805) 964-2442 or at [Daniel@gvoptical.com](mailto:Daniel@gvoptical.com).



**Report of the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree**  
Bill McLafferty, Faithful Navigator

At the May dinner meeting, the Fourth Degree Knights elected a slate of officers to lead the Assembly in the next Columbian Year. Starting on July 1, the new officers include Sir Knight **Cherif Khoury** as the Faithful Navigator, Sir Knight **Richard Scholl** as the Faithful Captain and Sir Knight **Jacques Benoit** as the Faithful Pilot. Sir Knights **Paul Coyne** and **Jim Schooter** will continue in their offices as Faithful Comptroller and Faithful Purser, respectively and Sir Knight **Hal Thompson** will serve as the Faithful Scribe. Serving as Trustees for the next year are Sir Knight **Michael Donovan**, Sir Knight **Ed Page** and Sir Knight **Brian Klinge**. The Inner Sentinel will be Sir Knight **Raphael Cardenas** and Outer Sentinel will be Sir Knight **Jack Turney**. I will be stepping down as Faithful Navigator and will be serving as the Faithful Admiral.

After serving as an officer for the past several years, I can appreciate how important it is to have committed officers who attend every meeting and perform their functions as expected. I want to thank the officers who served with me this year for a wonderful experience. The meetings went well, we had some great speakers and the food was always great. Thanks to Sir Knights **Jim Bradbury**, **Jose Meza** and **Larry Torres**, among others, for making sure the food was prepared on time and in enough quantities to feed the group. The Ladies' Nights Out were really successful; just ask your Lady!

We must spend the time and effort to recruit new Fourth Degree members this year. There are some great candidates available and we must encourage them to join us by getting them to Visalia in November for the Fourth Degree Exemplification.

Sir Knight Paul Coyne has announced that the Color Corps will be kept busy this month and next, starting with the remaining confirmation at Holy Cross Church at the end of May. In June, the Color Corps will be called out for Corpus Christi at the

Santa Inez Mission, the 14<sup>th</sup> of June (Flag Day) to be announced, and the big event on June 16, 2007 at City College La Playa Stadium for the Diaconate Ordinations. On Saturday, June 30, there is the Bishop Madera Jubilee to which we have been invited, with lunch at 12:00 noon and Mass at 4:00 PM. Please make sure you notify Paul if you intend to attend the luncheon.



**Insurance Agent's Report**  
*David Farebrother, Field Agent*

June is traditionally the month for two important life events: graduations and weddings. These events both present ideal opportunities to review your life insurance coverage – particularly if you're young and in good health.

It's a simple fact that when you're young and healthy, your rates for coverage will be lower than when you're older and your health might not be as good. Even if you're in excellent health, however, there's no way to predict when your health might change. People get sick every day – and no one rings a bell warning them that it's about to happen!

You're loved-ones will suffer emotionally if you die. You can take steps now to prevent them from suffering financially as well.

Owning sufficient life insurance ensures that your family will have sufficient money, come what may. As your Knights of Columbus agent, I can help you determine how much is "sufficient" for your family. I can also discuss with you the relative merits of different types of life insurance.

It's become fashionable to focus almost exclusively on planning for a prosperous retirement. Yet even in this age of improved health and longevity, some families must still endure the premature loss of a breadwinner. The fact is that none of us can be assured that retirement will happen until we actually get there.

By taking the appropriate steps now, you'll protect your loved ones against the possibility of financial despair caused by your death. What's more, the

sooner you act, the greater the benefits will be for your family – and, possibly, for you as well.

To contact me with regards to this or any of your KofC insurance needs, please email me at [dlfarebrother@aol.com](mailto:dlfarebrother@aol.com) or call me at either of the numbers listed below. I look forward to hearing from you.

Fraternally,

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**Community Director's Report**  
*Rich Scholl, PGK  
Community Director*

**Sisters of Charity of the Blessed Virgin Mary**  
*By Richard Scholl*

This is the 17<sup>th</sup> article in a series on the religious orders who have served in the Santa Barbara area.

During the 1820-30's in Dublin, a group of young Irish women banded together to do good works for the poor and sick. In 1833, four of these women, led by Mary Frances Clarke left Ireland, to work with the Irish immigrants in North America. Mary Frances Clarke had no formal education, but was taught at home by a kinsman educated at Salamanca. They opened a school in St. Michael's Parish in Philadelphia in fall 1833. They founded their congregation later that year with the assistance of Rev. Terence Donaghue. Ten years later, the young community of 19 Sisters migrated to Dubuque, Iowa at the invitation of Bishop Matthias Loras.

The pioneer BVMs discovered an immense need for education, particularly of girls. They established a boarding school on the prairie near Dubuque. It later became Clarke College. As the community grew, the Sisters staffed elementary and high schools along the Upper Mississippi Valley and farther West. In 1885, the congregation received a

final Decree of Approbation of their institute from Pope Leo XIII. This decree recognized them as an independent entity and worthy of acceptance into any diocese of the Church where they were called. From there, the community expanded to the West Coast and other locations throughout the USA. After World War II, they established missions in Hawaii. Since the 1960s, BVMS have spread to South America. The Second Vatican Council released additional energies for diversifying ministries in other fields. The order supplied teachers for Bishop High School in Santa Barbara for many years and one, Sr. Helen, still serves there.

Mary Frances Clarke died in 1887, at 85 years of age and 55 years in religious life. Many of her letters can be read at:

<http://www.public.asu.edu/%7Eidmcs/mfc2a/letters1mfc.html>.

I recommend them to everyone as an absolutely fascinating account of the trials and development of Catholicism in the USA and of one of its pioneers. Here are some excerpts:

Sister Mary Antoinette Aug. 26, 1887

My dear Child,

Yours of the 26th is just received and I hasten to relieve you. I only sent you there thinking it was for the best. May our Sweet Mother and St. Joseph assist you my very dear Child under this very great trial, which will be in future years for others under similar circumstances. May God bless you and aid you to bear this generously for His love.

Your Affectionate

Mary F. Clark

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Hon. W. J. Knight

Respected Sir

I did as you advised. I wrote to Milwaukee requesting the release of the Butterworth property, also the forty acres (40) which Mr. Mahoney wanted. You will see by their answer that they granted the first and ignored the latter. Mr. Mahoney has the money to pay for it, which I need, but which he is not willing to give before it is released – please tell me how to act. Is it possible that no more of the mortgaged property can be

released until the full expiration of the fifteen years. In addition to my many obligations, will you be kind to see as usual to forwarding the Milwaukee payments. You promised to send the satisfaction paper I did not receive it.

Yours, etc.

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My dear Sister,

Your remittance came safely – I needed it. I hope you and my dear Sisters are well. Did I tell you we lost our hogs which were a great loss to us. They died of some sickness. I would ask you if you could lend me a little money if you had it to spare before Christmas. May God bless you all.

Your Affectionate

M. F. Clarke

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My dear Miss A. Bolger,

Yours of Dec. 28th was duly received and your request to return duly considered. You have made a trial, dear child, of over three years, in the Novitiate and in two of our mission houses. As the same causes for dissatisfaction would still exist for you – I can not, in justice to yourself or the Community, admit you again among us. This must not discourage you, dear child, as this decision must be the will of God. I am sure you will serve Him well and be a good Christian in the world. May God bless you.

Your Affectionate

M. F. Clarke

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Very Rev. R. Ryan

Rev. Father,

I am very uneasy regarding the money borrowed from you one year ago last Nov. I had hoped to have been able to pay at least the interest before this. I write to assure you I have not forgotten it and to ask if I may pay it by installments. I have met with unforeseen troubles in money matters which have crushed me – all this has happened by the permission of God – to Him I trust to be able to meet my just debts. Thanking you, Rev. Father, for your patience with me and asking your blessing for all.

Your humble  
M. F. Clarke

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Let us remember that religious orders today face challenges just as great. They often minister in a hostile world under financial strain. They endure great personal sacrifice to bring Christ to all people. As Knights they are a group which we are committed to serve.



**Pro-Life Director's Report**  
*Bob & Cecilia Marks*  
*Pro-Life Couple*

Below is an excerpt from the Priests for Life newsletter (May-June, 2007, Vol. 17, No 3) at [www.priestsforlife.org](http://www.priestsforlife.org). The web site includes many articles, resources and links related to the pro-life movement.

**What should our response be to the Supreme Court's Partial-birth Abortion decision?**

*Fr. Frank Pavone*

At the time of this writing the Supreme Court had not yet issued its decision on the constitutionality of the federal ban on partial-birth abortion. The decision is expected soon, however, and we need to think ahead to how we will respond to the various possible outcomes.

At issue are actually two cases for which the Supreme Court heard oral arguments on November 8. I was present in the court for the entirety of those arguments because I am involved with one the briefs that was submitted to the court. Both cases address, from various different angles, whether the bill passed by Congress and signed into law by the President in 2003 is constitutional. The arguments focused on a) whether, to be constitutional, this ban requires a health exception (which it does not have); b) whether the law is too broad, actually banning abortion procedures other than partial-birth abortion; and c) whether the law is too vague, not specifying clearly enough the particular action(s) for which a doctor could be prosecuted.

It is impossible to predict what the Supreme Court will say in its decision. Here, however, are some considerations for our response in a few different possible scenarios.

1. *The Supreme Court says the law is constitutional.*

In this case, of course, an important victory will have been won. For the first time since *Roe vs. Wade*, the United States will have effectively banned abortion, albeit abortion by one particular method. Until this time, neither federal nor state legislatures have been able to do anything but regulate some of the circumstances under which the procedure was performed.

Of course, babies who would have been killed by partial-birth abortion could still be killed by other procedures. But the point of this victory is that it shows that we can in fact ban abortion. The ability of the government to ban *all* abortion – and that is a necessary goal of the pro-life movement – rests on its ability to ban abortion at all. To prohibit a particular abortion procedure is, if you will, like a legislative “stretch of the arms” after a long sleep, during which it did not touch the legality of abortion at all.

If the court gives deference to the findings of Congress that partial-birth abortion is not necessary for health reasons, this will provide momentum to establish further findings that can be used to close the “health exceptions” loophole in future abortion-related bills.

In the light of a favorable decision, we should push forward, without apology, toward protection for all children in the womb, and expose the horror of the other abortion methods as we did with partial-birth abortion.

2. *The Supreme Court says the law is unconstitutional.*

This scenario would require a vigorous response of outrage that our government cannot prohibit a procedure as barbaric as partial-birth abortion. Public education about the nature of the procedure should, in such a case, be redoubled. The concepts of “pro-choice” and of “*Roe vs.*

Wade” should then be clearly and continuously linked with partial-birth abortion, because that essentially is what the abortion supporters will have asserted, that the “right to choose abortion” includes the right to choose partial-birth abortion. All but a small part of the public rejects partial-birth abortion. Should the procedure remain legal, we need to use that outcome to taint the slogans that otherwise may sound so benign.

An unfavorable outcome of this type would also provide an additional strong basis to fight against judicial tyranny. Most state legislatures, as well as the Congress and the President, have called for partial-birth abortion to be banned. The Supreme Court should not contradict such an obvious expression of the will of the people.

3. *The Supreme Court asks Congress to revise the law in some fashion, or instructs the lower courts to reconsider some aspect of their decisions.*

There can be various other scenarios in between simply upholding or striking down the law. The specifics of whatever the Court hands down should be studied carefully. If further Congressional action is required, an intensive lobbying effort needs to be launched.

In any outcome, prayer efforts should be organized in our Churches specifically addressing partial-birth abortion, letter writing campaigns should be mobilized, and public demonstrations should be held to express the will of the people.

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**OUR 105<sup>TH</sup> CALIFORNIA STATE  
CONVENTION  
ONTARIO, CALIF. - MARCH 17, 18, 19**  
*Brian Klinge, FDD, PFN, PCP*



Our Annual Knight's of Columbus Convention was recently held in Ontario, Calif. on March 17-19.

We gathered to celebrate Faith, Charity and Growth.

Thursday, March 17, was a travel day and a day of registration for the events to happen. In addition, everyone received a commemorative Plate, showing the faces of Fr. McGivney and Pope John Paul II noting this event. The convention opened Friday morning, the 18<sup>th</sup> with a Mass in Memorial of all Deceased Members, which was celebrated by His Excellency Bishop Barnes of San Bernardino.

The delegates and all attendees were warmly greeted by our State Deputy and Supreme Director, Emilio Moure. Unlike previous years, all 105 Resolutions were expeditiously dealt with by State Advocate Vincent Pacis. (When I congratulated and thanked him for a job well done, I learned he had previously worked out the “kinks.”). This was all accomplished within 30 minutes...WOW!!

Similarly, the remainder of the business session(s) moved right along.

Regarding the Elections, this year, the State elected JAMES SCROGGIN, PSD, as our new STATE DEPUTY. He is a member of Fr. Manus Doherty Council 4440 in Fresno, Calif., served as Vice Supreme Master of the Junipero Serra Province and is a continuing member of the Color Corps.

As is the custom, we also elected a new State Warden, Charles Clark. Brother “Charlie” is from Blessed Sacrament Council 5322 in Rancho Cordova, Calif. He has previously served as District Deputy and Chapter President of the Northern California Chapter. He is a member of Bishop Manogue Fourth Degree Assembly #50 and served as Faithful Navigator.

Saturday, the 19<sup>th</sup>, was the Ladies luncheon; always a *BIG* Event. Their room was packed. Ladies from each of the eighteen Chapters in the State had been asked to prepare a basket with product(s)/goodies representing their area. Our Los Padres Chapter President, John Bravo, had asked my wife Judy to prepare such a basket. She chose products from Santa Barbara and chose a large basket to hold everything. At the luncheon, the Ladies voted by putting their raffle tickets in a container near their preferred basket. The bottom line was, our Basket,

WON the prize for having the most tickets. The prize which she won was a hand painted and framed Certificate stating the event at the K/C Convention and a very nice Rosary as a thank you for her efforts.

Saturday morning, everyone was surprised by the attendance of our Supreme Knight, Carl Anderson. He delivered a moving and enthusiastic speech, outlining the future of the Knights. He stated that California was consistently among the leading states within the Knights. After delivering his talk, he left the convention site to speak at the Rosary Bowl, which was held that evening in the Rose Bowl in Pasadena.

At the conclusion of business Saturday, there was a closing Mass, conducted by the Auxiliary Bishop from San Bernardino accompanied by the Color Corps.

Saturday evening was the night of "the" Banquet for approx. 1,800 delegates, attendees and ladies. The main room was very full and, I believe, the over-flow room was equally crowded. Members wore either White Dinner Jackets or Black Tuxedos. The Ladies wore their finest and looked beautiful. We love our Ladies!

The main meal was tournedos of beef, and unlike the usual road-kill, rubber chicken "banquet food," served with salad, desert and coffee. The meal was very good!

Those Knights who did not attend the Banquet left to attend the Rosary Bowl in Pasadena to be ushers and in the attendant Color Corps. As I understand, this was a magnificent event, with over 60,000 people in attendance!

What a day Saturday was!!

Sunday the 20<sup>th</sup> was a travel day...time to return home and back to Reality.

I am very pleased our Grand Knight Steve Schlesselmann and his Deputy Grand Knight Francisco Cabrera had the occasion to attend this convention, to hear the speeches from our leaders, make important contacts, learn from their peers, and better understand the "big picture" and mission of our Order.

I would again make a plea for other Third Degree members to please plan to attend a State Convention. What are learned at these meetings are an intangible asset, knowledge and lasting friendships/contacts which will change you and you life. (Next year's convention will be in mid-May and will be held in San Jose). Details will be forthcoming...you need only ask. Please give it some consideration.

As we say in business, "I'll see you at the TOP."

...THE END...

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**4th Degree Knight to Become Deacon**  
**Stephen J Montross to be Ordained June 16 At**  
**SBCC's La Playa Stadium by Cardinal Mahony**  
*By Joe T. Kovach, 3rd Degree Knight*



Stephen James Montross, a St. Raphael parishioner since 1983 and a 4th Degree Knight of Council 5300, will be ordained a Deacon on Saturday, June 16<sup>th</sup> by Cardinal Roger Mahony in ceremonies to be held at La Playa Stadium on the SBCC campus. Festivities begin at 1 P.M. with 64 men from the Santa Barbara parishes (St. Raphael, Holy Cross, Our Lady of Sorrows and Our Lady of Guadalupe) and another 14 from the greater Santa Barbara area to be ordained. Bishop Thomas Curry will be assisting in the Deacon Ordination Ceremony. Stephen will become the fifth parishioner to serve as a Permanent Deacon.

Anthony J. "Tony" Varesio was in the first class of Permanent Deacons ordained by the Los Angeles Archdiocese back on June 7, 1975. He was followed by Virgil Glocheski, ordained in May 1979, Clarke Shea ordained on January 30, 1982 and Wayne Michael Rascati ordained on June 10,



1995.

The Knights Color Corp led by Paul Coyne will be providing the maximum honor that the Knights can offer at special ceremonial occasions. Paul plans to have 15 local Knights in action and as many as 50 taking part as he has invited others from the Santa Barbara Region. As of press time nine Knights are confirmed: Francisco Cabrera, Raphael Cardenas, Paul Coyne, Michael Donovan, Brian Klinge, Jose Meza, Edmund Page, Stephen Schlesselmann and Larry Stigney. The Knights will be helping also with the parking on the SBCC campus.

A native of Santa Barbara, Stephen decided in mid 2002 to begin studies for the Diaconate program. "I decided to become a Deacon because of my great love for God. I wanted to serve Him and His people through service and I felt called to the Diaconate," stated Stephen. He highly recommends other men to consider becoming a Deacon. He emphasized, "Due to the shortage of priests it is important to the future of the Church to have men committed to their faith through service. The Diaconate is the ideal way to do this."

The four and one-half years of study and training took place at Our Lady of Sorrows on weekends. Stephen pointed out, "We studied the Bible, Church history, Canon Law, Ethics, Morality, Social Justice, etc. from 9-12. In the afternoon, we studied Homiletics and the different sacramental rites." He added, "Wives were encouraged to attend all classes but it was not mandatory. The non-mandatory attendance for wives only applied to the program held in this region. In the Los Angeles program, wives had to attend all classes."

As to his assignment after ordination, Stephen is not certain where it will be. Bishop Curry makes that decision.

Stephen joined the Knights of Columbus, Council 5300 in August, 1996 and in October became a 2nd and 3rd Degree. His sponsor was PGK Don Aubrey. On November 8, 1997, Stephen became a 4th Degree. "My initiation into the 3rd Degree stands out as a cherished remembrance never to be forgotten," stated Stephen.

Stephen's parents, Byron and Lucille, are deceased.

His father hailed from Truckee and his mother from Arroyo Grande. They were proud of their nine children, five daughters and four sons. Stephen was born on August 29, 1951. His brothers include Byron, Thomas and Michael and his sisters are Ann, Katherine, Mary, Linda and Rizzie.

Stephen's education began at Dolores Grade School (now known as Notre Dame) and continued at Bishop Garcia Diego High School and Santa Barbara Community College.

Sylvia, a native of Fresno, has four siblings, Raymond, Michael, Marc and Marian. Her birth date is July 10, 1955.

When asked how he met Silvia Ruiz, Stephen replied, "We met through a mutual friend." The wedding took place at the Santa Barbara Old Mission on September 23, 1978 with Rev. Alonzo DeBlas performing the ceremony.

Stephen and Silvia are proud parents of four children: Selina 27, Nathaniel 26, Brandon 24 and Adam 21 and three grandchildren: Anthony 7, Alyssa 4 and Daniel 5- months.

"I started my own company, Montross Electric, in 1989 as an Electrical Contractor," noted Stephen. He attributes the keys to his success in his profession to, "My honesty, my conscientiousness and having respect for the needs of my customers."

Some of Stephen's involvements with St. Raphael organizations include: Eucharistic Ministry, St. Joseph Prayer Group, Spirit-Led Rosary, Confirmation, XLT, Eucharistic Adoration and Wednesday Morning Prayer Group at Bishop Diego High School. Stephen also taught CCD for five years before he started teaching Confirmation which he has now taught for nine years. Silvia worked at GTE & Verizon for 29 years before retiring in June 2006. She taught CCD for six years and Confirmation for nine years. She also is a Eucharistic Minister and is also with the Spirit-Led Rosary.

Some other interesting personal items:

- Favorite food: Steak and potatoes;
- Favorite meal Silvia prepares: Fried Chicken and Cole slaw;

- Favorite local restaurant: The Outback;
- Favorite meal to prepare: BBQ Tri-Tip;
- Favorite book: I have many;
- Favorite TV program: Anything that has to do with sports;
- Favorite movie of all time: The Old Man and the Sea;
- Favorite sport to watch live or on TV: Golf;
- Favorite sport as a participant: Golf;
- One word to describe us at Church: Devoted;
- One word to describe St. Raphael: Faith
- One word to describe the Knights of Columbus: Brotherhood;
- Best thing about being a Knight: Community Service;
- Best thing about being a St. Raphael parishioner: The People;
- Growing up, I always thought I'd be an: Electrician;
- My parents were right when they told me: "Never give up; if you're willing to work hard, success will come to you."
- Greatest personal moment as a husband: The birth of my children;
- Advice to youngsters: With God, anything is possible.

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*(Grand Knight's Rpt-Continued from page 1)*

Also, I would like to thank our DD Cherif Khoury for constantly prodding us and keeping us on course for the Star Council award and for our insurance agent, David Farebrother, who has made it a point to make sure that every member of our Council has been given the opportunity to enroll in the KC insurance program. It has been a great honor to serve you as your Grand Knight for this past Columbian Year. I will be moving on to another role with the Knights and I look forward to serving you in that role as well.

We have had a busy year and it is because of each and every one of you that it has been successful. Everybody has contributed their time, talent and treasure whether by physically contributing and/or through their prayers. We had many fun and successful events including the Coke Booth during

Fiesta, our staffing of the Polling Booth, the Parish Picnic, the Italian Dinner in October, the Trustee's Christmas Party, the Candy for Widows program, the Prime Time Band Dinner, Santa Claus at the Christmas Boutique, the Lenten Fish Fries, Mothers Day Orchids, Fathers Day Cards, the Pancake Breakfasts and Blood Drives. We also had several successful Membership Drives and at this writing it appears that we will attain Star Council Status for a 2<sup>nd</sup> Year in a row. Our year was also tinged with some sadness due to the deaths of several of our beloved Brother Knights: Nacho Ramirez, Mark Christman, Len Mooy, Don Fitch and PGK Dick Hopper. Let's continue to pray for their souls.

The 2007-2008 Columbian Year promises to be another great one. DGK Francisco Cabrera will be taking over as Grand Knight and Francisco has been planning the year for several months now and the schedule looks packed. Let's give Francisco 100% of our support. There are many opportunities to volunteer so let Francisco or one of the officers know that you are available to do so.

I would also like to thank Fr. Cyril for his work as our Chaplain this last year. Fr. Cyril will be leaving the parish on June 21<sup>st</sup> for his new assignment in Altadena and we will miss him. Fr. has been a great inspiration to our Council and to the parish for the few years he has been here. Fr. not only joined the Knights while he was with our Council but took his 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Degrees. Fr. has already signed up to join the Junipero Serra Assembly by taking his 4<sup>th</sup> Degree in November. Remember to pray for Fr. that his new assignment will be a successful one.

Now for a quick synopsis of the month's events: We had our usual delicious pancake breakfast on May 13<sup>th</sup> (Mother's Day) with a twist. All mothers received a free breakfast. The idea (first put forward by Brother Paul Curzan) was popular and had the added benefit of providing free advertising for the Knights. Brother Sam Alfano also set up a membership table in the hall. In addition to the breakfast and membership drive, we handed out orchids to all the mothers of the parish (see my article elsewhere in this bulletin).

On May 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>, DGK Francisco Cabrera and his wife Maria, PCP Brian Klinge and his wife

Judy, and I attended the annual State Convention in Ontario, CA. It was a very energizing event and included some great speeches including one by our Supreme Knight, Carl Anderson. For more on the convention, please see Brian's article elsewhere in this bulletin. If you have never attended a State Convention or have not attended one for a while, you should make your plans to do so next year. It is very worthwhile.

On May 19<sup>th</sup>, the Rosary Bowl took place at the Rose Bowl in Pasadena. There were over 60,000 participants there all saying the rosary at the same time. Each decade of the rosary was led by a different ethnic group in their native tongue showing just how diverse our Archdiocese is. It was very moving. Several speeches occurred before the event including one by Bishop Solis and our Supreme Knight, Carl Anderson. For more details, please visit the [www.rosary.org](http://www.rosary.org) website and in addition, a reprint of Carl Anderson's speech is at [www.kofc.org](http://www.kofc.org).

On May 28<sup>th</sup>, we had our annual Memorial Day picnic at Stowe Park. For more details, see DGK, Francisco Cabrera's report.

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***KNIGHT OF THE MONTH***

***Jim Bradbury / Jose Mesa***

***By Stephen Schlesselmann, Grand Knight***



This month, I would like to name two Knights as Knights of the Month. They are Brothers Jim Bradbury & Jose Meza. Both of these Knights were named Knights of the Month by PGK Chris Arnoult last year and they both deserve the honor again this year. Brother Jim Bradbury first joined Council 5300 in June, 2001 and received his 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> degrees in September, 2001. Jim joined the Junipero Serra Assembly in November, 2002 in

Buellton when the 4<sup>th</sup> degree held their exemplification there. Jose first joined the Knights in October, 1981 and received his 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Degrees the next month in November. Jose joined the 4<sup>th</sup> degree in July, 1985.

Both Knights have been very, very active with Council 5300 since they joined. Brother Jim has been our chief cook for several years now (ever since Brother Terry Sliger moved north) and has been cooking at many of the pancake breakfasts and 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> degree dinners (if you haven't tasted Jim's spare ribs, you are missing something). Jim has also faithfully been serving the council for a number of years as our Warden (the Warden is responsible for setting up the hall for the meeting). In addition to the above duties, Jim also helps set up and taken down the Coke Booth and has assisted for the last few years in picking the orchids for the Mothers Day Orchid distribution. Since Jim has carpentry skills, Jim has also rebuilt some of the shelves in the kitchen area in the hall.

Brother Jose, Jim's trustworthy sidekick, is always there helping Jim in the kitchen. Additionally, Jose faithfully attends most of the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Callouts that are held throughout the year. Jose is known for his warm and friendly demeanor, his corny sense of humor and his salsa (his salsa is muy, muy, caliente! (very hot!)) Jose has been serving the council for many years as Outside Guard and is at every meeting.

It is a great honor to have both Jim and Jose as Brother Knights. Thanks for your great work!

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***Mothers' Day Orchids a Big Success!***

***By Stephen Schlesselmann***



The annual Mothers' Day orchid distribution was again a big success due to the hard work of a

number of Knights and the continued generosity of our orchid distributor: Al Lionello (See Al's picture below).



On Saturday, May 12<sup>th</sup>, Brother Jim Bradbury and I made our way to Lionello's Orchids in Carpinteria in order to pick orchids. We were soon joined by Brother Dan Knauss and his two sons, Jacob and Jonathan. Al Lionello also pitched in and within a short period of time, 6 boxes full of orchids were picked (last year, we were accompanied by Al's 2 cats; this year we were accompanied by Al's 2 dogs). We transported the flowers back to St. Raphael's and with the help of Dan's wife, Jackie, we stored them in buckets until the distribution took place.

We handed out the flowers as usual before and after the 5:30 PM Mass on the 12<sup>th</sup> and again after all the Masses on Sunday. Those that helped in the distribution included Brothers Ed Barrier, Bill McLafferty, Bill McNamara, Paul Curzan, Hal Thompson, Joe Kovach, Don Aubrey, Brian Holtz, Paul Coyne, Felix Sanchez, Bernie Jochum, Joe Salcedo, Jr., Joe Ponce, Ray Lyra, Dan Knauss, Brian Klinge, Rich Scholl, Rick Zabala, several Hispanic parishioners for the Spanish Mass and the teens for the 5:30 PM Mass on Sunday evening. Several of the Knights including Paul, Ed and Jim did double duty working with the orchids and the pancake breakfast. Brother Ralph Wengler and his wife, Cathy, distributed the orchids at St. Mark's in Isla Vista and so impressed Fr. Tomas that he transferred to our council on the spot. On Monday, the 14<sup>th</sup>, Brother Rich Scholl distributed the remaining orchids to Cottage Hospital, Goleta Valley Hospital, Hillside House, Mission Terrace, and the Buena Vista Care Center.

Thank you to everyone who helped both with the pick-up and the distribution. All the work is worth it

when you see the smile on a Mother's face and hear her "Thank you". As mentioned in my Grand Knight's report, we were able to tie in the Mother's Day Orchids with the pancake breakfast by offering a free breakfast to all the Mothers of the parish.

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*(Program Director's Report continued from page 2)*

John the Baptist is a key figure in the Biblical stories of Jesus Christ. According to the Gospels, John's role was to announce the coming of Jesus: in John 1:23 he tells interrogators, "I am the voice of one crying out in the wilderness, 'Make straight the way of the Lord.'" According to Matthew 3:4, he wore clothing made of camel's hair and ate locusts and wild honey, and baptized people in the river Jordan. (It was after being baptized by John that Jesus was led to the wilderness to be tempted by the devil.) John later was executed by the ruler Herod; as told in Matthew chapter 14, Herod granted the demand of Salome to "give me the head of John the Baptist here on a platter."

God gave Israel His Law through Moses as well as the sacrificial system so that they could attain atonement for their sins and iniquities. He ordained Aaron, the elder brother of Moses, as the High Priest and had him offer the sacrifice of atonement on the tenth day of the seventh month, the Day of Atonement, so that the yearly sins of Israel could be washed away (Leviticus 16).

God specified that the sacrifice of the Day of Atonement could only be offered by Aaron and the succeeding High Priests among his descendants. God opened the way for Israelites to atone for all their sins through the laying on of Aaron's hands on the head of the scapegoat. This is the law of atonement God established for them.

By this shadow, He let it be known clearly that Jesus was the Savior of mankind. In the age of the New Testament, God sent John the Baptist, a descendant of Aaron (1 Chronicles 24:10, Luke 1:5) and the last High Priest of the Old Testament (Matthew 11:11-13). John the Baptist, as the God-sent prophet, representative and High Priest of humankind, baptized Jesus in order to pass all the

sins of humankind onto Him, the Son of God, who came to save sinners.

All people are blessed indeed to be able to pass their sins onto Jesus through John the Baptist. The role of John was to be the High Priest who represented humankind and the servant of God who passed all our sins onto Jesus.

John the Baptist was the representative and the High Priest of humankind sent by God, and the messenger who was sent 6 months prior to Jesus. On the other hand, Jesus was the Lamb of God who took away all the sins of the world while John the Baptist was the last High Priest who passed the sins of the world onto Jesus through baptism. John the Baptist was a servant of God.

### **Past Activities**

- 1) **May 4 2007** - 24 Hour Adoration took place in the church.
- 2) **May 13, 2007** - Pancake Breakfast. We hosted a special Mother's Day Parish breakfast from 8:30 am to 11:00 am in the Parish Hall. All mothers were treated to a **free** scrambled egg, sausage and pancake breakfast. Breakfasts for other family members and friends were available for purchase for a nominal charge. It was a great turn out. Please read the chairman's report for additional details.
- 3) **May 13, 2007** - Mother's Day Orchids. In addition to the pancake breakfast, we distributed orchids to all the mothers of the parish. See GK Stephen Schlesselmann's article elsewhere in this bulletin.
- 4) **May 19 to 20, 2007** - The State Convention in Ontario took place. Brian Klinge PCP, PFN, Cherif Khoury DD, Steve Schlesselmann GK, and Francisco Cabrera DGK were in attendance. This event was very inspiring. I learned a lot and had the opportunity to network with other members from different councils. Our Worthy Grand Knight Steve Schlesselmann and I participated in the Color Corps at the Friday morning Mass. Then at the Saturday Mass our DD Cherif Khoury and I participated in the Color Corps. I strongly recommend that the members of our council participate at the

State Conventions, especially our officers. Please see the Photo Gallery for several pictures of the event.

- 5) **May 19, 2007** - Rosary Bowl, 6 PM (at the Rose Bowl in Pasadena) - Paul Robillard, a member of St. Vincent de Paul, chartered a bus and brought a number of parishioners from the parish including Fr. Cyril. Additionally, as stated in Brother Brian Klinge's report, a number of Knights left the convention early to attend the event including our Grand Knight, Steve Schlesselmann, who participated in the Color Corps and Lew Valenzuela from Council 1684 who helped many other Knights with the ushering.
- 6) **May 28, 2007** - Memorial Day Picnic. Everyone who attended enjoyed themselves. Our cooks, Jim Bradbury, Jose Meza, Jim Bonsell and Mark Vampola were assisted by several other Knights and their wives. They did a great job and served a delicious meal. The weather was moderate to a little on the cool side so the heat was not a problem. Brother Sam Alfano ran the 50/50 raffle (Lee, his wife, won one of the prizes). Thank you to everybody who attended.
- 7) **May 31, 2007** - A 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree took place in Saticoy. For more details and a picture, see the announcements section of this bulletin.

### **Upcoming Activities**

- 1) **June 1 2007** - 24 Hour Adoration will take place in the church. We all have many reasons to give thanks to **God**.
- 2) **June 4,, 2007** - K of C Officer's Meeting, 8:00 PM. Officers, please add all meeting notices to your work and/or home calendar. This will help you as a reminder of the meeting.
- 3) **June 10, 2007** - Pancake Breakfast from 8:30 AM to 11:00 AM in the Parish Hall. Please come and enjoy scrambled eggs, sausage and fresh pancakes with your love ones.
- 4) **June 10, 2007** - There will be a 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree Exemplification at Council 750 in Oxnard. If you are interested in attending, please let one of the officers know.

- 5) **June 11 2007** - K of C 5300 Business meeting will take place at 7:30 PM. There will also be a 1<sup>st</sup> Degree Exemplification during the meeting.
- 6) **June 17 2007** – Fathers Day Cards will be distributed after all the Masses.
- 7) **June 27 2007** – Officers’ Installation & Grand Knight’s Party. The installation will be a joint one with Council 1684 in St. Raphael’s hall.

The 2006-2007 Columbian year was very productive. I am very proud of all our Directors: Membership - Sam Alfano, Church - Chris Arnoult, Community - Richard Scholl, Council - John Luzader, and Family - Brad Bowen, and Youth - Dwight Morey and our Grand Knight, Stephen Schlesselmann.

We again met our membership quota and qualified for the Star Council Award. Our Church director coordinated the blood drives and Family director selected our Quarterly family. Our Community Director continued publishing Knightline articles on decency, our Council Director selected a display board to promote and show events and activities that took place throughout the year. The Youth director came up with ideas to enhance our youth program.

We continue fulfilling the objectives of the Order: We are a “Catholic, family, fraternal, service organization.” CATHOLIC - the common denominator for all of our members. FAMILY - the very basis of society around which all our programs and activities revolve. FRATERNITY - banded together for the purpose of providing for the spiritual and material welfare of our membership. SERVICE - our involvement with and commitment to Church, community, council, family and youth. There is a lot more to be done in the 2007-2008 Columbian year. The momentum is there for all the new directors to lead the programs to new heights. As the next Grand Knight, I look forward to working with the new Program Director Dan Knauss and his Directors. My main objective is to continue with programs that will help the youth, parish, priests, families and community.



### Resolutions

#### **Knights of Columbus Goleta Valley Council 5300**

Be it resolved that the Knights of Columbus Council 5300 will commit to making charitable donations to support the following recipients. The named recipients will be notified in writing of the intention to provide funds to them. The total amount of all the donations to all the recipients collectively will be \$12,000.00.

- 1) St. Raphael’s Church - \$1,000 to help in the construction of a wheelchair access ramp at the front entrance to the Parish Office.
- 2) Catholic Committee on Scouting - \$500 to \$600 to help in their yearly purchase of the Catholic Religious Emblems Promotion for rewards to Catholic Scouts.
- 3) Father Richard Kayizzi – \$1,000 to assist the former St. Raphael seminarian, now in Uganda, Africa, to purchase nine bicycles for his Catechists Pastoral Ministry.
- 4) Villa Majella - \$1,500 to assist in the pro-life, pregnancy counseling and unwed mothers program undertaken by this local organization. They provide a home for unwed mothers, where they are given help while they carry their babies to term - a positive alternative to abortion.
- 5) St. Vincent de Paul Society - \$500 to the St. Raphael Conference for assisting the needy of our Community. The money is helpful in a number of various requests for those in need.
- 6) St. Francis Foundation - \$400 - The former Parish Nurse Program under Mary Jo Durenburger now known as the St. Francis Foundation provides those in need with health care assistance.
- 7) Seminarians in Nigeria - \$400 to assist the fellow seminarians in Nigeria where Father Cyril Nnadi received his initial seminarian training.

- 8) Father Cyril Nnadi - \$400 to assist Council 5300's Chaplain to visit his home in Nigeria this year after his two-years of outstanding spiritual assistance at St. Raphael's and to Council 5300.
- 9) St. Vincent Sisters - \$500 to provide assistance to Sister Alicia Martin and her Parenting classes for new mothers and for various personal needs as they move into their housing units.
- 10) "Over There...Say a Prayer" - \$1,000 to the Janet Fanucchi Rosary Guild. Members make and provide rosaries, scapulars, holy cards and medals for the U.S. Armed Forces stationed around the world.
- 11) St. Raphael's Church - \$200 to assist the Brother Don Fitch Memorial Library Fund.
- 12) Decency in Media - \$400 to be used by the Media Decency organizations supported by Supreme for quality videos, movies, newspapers, magazines, books, etc.
- 13) Religious Orders - \$400 to assist those persons who are interested in the religious life as a priest, nun, brother in any religious order in America.
- 14) St. Raphael Youth Groups - \$2,000 to be earmarked for all Youth Groups and Youth Confirmation Groups in the Parish led by John Vasellina, Youth Minister.
- 15) St. Raphael's School - \$500 to be of assistance to a student in the school under their "Adopt a Student Program."

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Respectfully Submitted:

Harold Thompson  
Joe Kovach  
Sam Alfano



On Thursday, May 31<sup>st</sup>, Saticoy Council 10067 hosted a 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree in Biedermann Hall. The Degree was well attended. Seventeen Brother Knights took their 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree including three from Council 5300 and three from Council 1684. There were four seminarians (Augustinian Recollects) who also took the degree. The picture above includes our new 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree Brothers from Councils 5300 and 1684. From left to right: (Cherif Khoury, DD61, Tony Martinez (1684), Joe Salcedo, Jr. (5300), Tony Vallejo (kneeling, 5300), John Luzader (5300), Thomas "Al" Anglin (1684) and Gene Manriquez (1684).

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**COUNCIL 5300**  
**LIST OF OFFICER CANDIDATES,**  
**COLUMBIAN YEAR 2007-2008**

Grand Knight	Francisco Cabrera
Deputy Grand Knight	Daniel Knauss
Chancellor	William McLafferty
Recorder	Vacant
Treasurer	Joe Darga
Advocate	Ed Barrier
Warden	Vacant
Inside Guard	Brad Bowen
Outside Guard	Jose Meza
Trustee for Three Years	Stephen Schlesselmann
Trustee for Two Years	Chris Arnoult
Trustee for One Year	John Vogel

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**Reminder:** The next 3<sup>rd</sup> degree is coming up on June 10<sup>th</sup> in Oxnard at Council 750 at 1:00 PM. All members who haven't yet attained the degree,

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

We will be voting on the resolution (printed earlier in this bulletin) at the business meeting, so be sure to come and make sure your voice is heard.

please try to make it. The time spent is well worth it.

On June 16<sup>th</sup>, 64 deacons will be ordained to the permanent diaconate at SBCC's La Playa Stadium. 6,300 people are expected to attend the event. The Bishop has asked that the Knights help with security and parking control. Please let one of the officers know if you can help and if you can't, please try to attend the event and show your support for our new deacons.

On Saturday, June 30<sup>th</sup>, Bishop Madera of Ventura/Oxnard will be celebrating 50 years as a priest. The Mass and reception will be at Mary Star of the Sea. The cost of the luncheon is nominal and if anyone is interested in attending, please let one of the officers know as soon as possible.

Our new Faithful Navigator for the Fourth Degree, DD Cherif Khoury, would like to extend the following invitation to all council members:

All members are welcome to attend the Junipero Serra Assembly's (4<sup>th</sup> Degree) annual Fourth of July Barbecue. This year the barbecue will be held at Serra Hall. The cost of the event is still to be determined but will be no more than \$10 per person if the council prepares the whole meal. If the barbecue is a potluck, the cost should not exceed \$5 per person. There will be no charge for children under 12.

Cherif is trying to promote the Fourth Degree by opening up some of the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree activities to those who have attained only their 1<sup>st</sup> to 3<sup>rd</sup> Degrees.

Families are welcome to be at the hall from 11 AM. The Color Corps will be participating in the annual Fourth of July parade on State Street and Knights and their families are welcome to attend the parade as well as the barbecue. Dinner will be served about 4 PM.

Volunteers are needed to coordinate the event.

For further information, contact Cherif Khoury or any of the officers.

# June Birthdays

Roberto F. Najera	06/01
Kenneth E. Riley	06/02
James M. Stelma	06/04
Flemming A. Andersson	06/05
Joseph R. Meitz	06/05
Frederick R. Lopez	06/05
Donald M. Benn	06/08
Terrence J. Bonham	06/08
Aloysius A. Meckelborg	06/08
Laurence Montano	06/10
Wilbur F. Barry Jr.	06/10
Mark E. McClintock	06/10
Valdez A. Taylor	06/12
J William McLafferty	06/14
John A. Vasellina	06/15
Lawrence L. Stigney	06/18
Rev. John D. Stoeger	06/19
Edward C. Carr	06/22
Walter J. Swiacki	06/27

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**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**



## **PHOTO GALLERY**

*State Convention, May 18 – 19, 2007*

*Rosary Bowl, May 19, 2007*

*Confirmation at Holy Cross, May 27, 2007*



*DGK Francisco Cabrera, SD Emilio Moure, State Warden Ivan Reek, State Advocate Vincent Pacis, James Scroggin incoming SD and GK Stephen Schlesselmann at State Convention.*



*Charles Clarke, the incoming State Warden, visits with members in the Los Padres Chapter's Hospitality Suite.*



*GK Stephen Schlesselmann and DD Cherif Khoury with Cherif's MR Drive Award.*



*The Rosary Bowl at the Rose Bowl in Pasadena*



*Judy Klinge receiving award for best gift basket at Chapter Dinner at the Convention.*



*Color Corps Callout for the Holy Cross Church Confirmation.*

*Memorial Day Picnic, May 28, 2007*



*DGK Francisco Cabrera, PGK Brian and Judy Klinge, PGK Mike and Mirtha Donovan and Brother Sam Alfano ready to enjoy picnic.*



*Brother Paul and Evelina Curzan with Chapter President John Bravo pose for their picture.*



*A number of Knights and family members ready to eat.*



*Brother Felix Sanchez chats with the Knauss family.*



*GK Stephen Schlesselmann and Chancellor Dan Knauss enjoying the picnic.*



*Brother David Farebrother with his wife, Martha and their son, David, paying their entrance fee to the picnic.*

*Photos by Maria Cabrera/Stephen Schlesselmann/Jackie Knauss/Ed Miller/Unknown*

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