

#### **NEWSLETTER**

# OUR LADY OF THE INCARNATE WORD COUNCIL 15199 OUR LADY OF THE INCARNATION ASSEMBLY 3309 2309 Monterrey Rd. Rio Rancho, NM 87144

#### April 2025

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#### **APRIL 2025**

#### SUPREME CHAPLAIN'S MONTHLY CHALLENGE

She said to him, "Yes, Lord. I have come to believe that you are the Messiah, the Son of God, the one who is coming into the world."

(Gospel for April 6, Jn 11:27)

These words belong to Martha, sister of Lazarus, as she and Jesus speak outside her brother's tomb. Her choice of words is important: "I have come to believe." This suggests her belief has evolved, that her previous uncertainty or ignorance about Jesus has blossomed into faith. Growing in faith is usually a process of moving from questioning or doubt to illumination and trust. How do we come to faith and then grow deeper in it? We do so through prayer, study and reflection. Let us continually deepen our faith in this manner.

#### Challenge by Supreme Chaplain Archbishop William E. Lori:

This month, I challenge you to take part in a Catholic faith formation course, event or opportunity offered through your local council (such as *Cor*), your parish or diocese, or online.

#### **Questions for Reflection:**

Looking at the development of your own faith, how have you "come to believe" truths about Christ and/or the Catholic faith? What teachings do you still have questions about? What areas of your faith would you like to develop further? Where can you find resources — or whom can you ask for resources — to help you deepen your faith and understanding?

2024-2025

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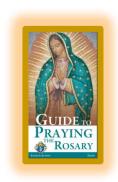
Please join the Knights Wednesday evenings at 7:00pm for our weekly rosary

Parishioners, Family and Friends are invited

Join from your computer, tablet, or smartphone

Click on the link below to participate https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/196982653

You can also dial in using your phone. United States: +1 (224) 501-3412 Access Code: 196-982-653



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### Worthy Lecturer SK Jimm White

My Argument for the Church

Ezekiel 36:24-28

"I will take you away from among the nations, gather you from all the foreign lands, and bring you back to your own land. I will sprinkle clean water upon you and cleanse you from all your impurities, and from all your idols I will cleanse you. I will give you a new heart and place a new spirit within you, taking from your bodies your stony hearts and giving you natural hearts. I will put my spirit within you and make you live by my statutes, careful to observe my decrees. You shall live in the land I gave your fathers, you shall be my people, and I will be your God."

Isaiah 9:6-7

"For to us a child is born, to us a son is given; and the government will be upon his shoulders, and his name will be called "Wonderful Counsellor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Of the increase of his government and peace there will be no end, upon the throne of David, and over his kingdom, to establish it, and to uphold it with justice and righteousness from this time forth and for evermore. The zeal of the Lord of hosts will do this".

Is this canticle from Ezekiel speaking to the Israelites at the time? Of course. But is there a second answer, one that would be equally true? Is the symbolism of this passage from the Prophet Ezekiel telling us of a new order of things to come? When God speaks of bringing all peoples back to one place, of cleansing us with clean water, of replacing our stoney hearts with natural hearts, living by Gods law; where is that place today?

The Roman Catholic Church.

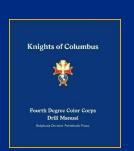
Isaiah, of course, is talking about Jesus Christ.

We know the Old Testament sets the foundation for the New Testament. The Torah sets the moral laws for the Hebrews that they will live by all the way into the New Testament, and beyond for many Jews.

We know that a great deal of our Church in the very beginning came from Jewish culture, Jesus and all the Apostles and disciples were, after all, Jews. From the Torah came the moral foundation of a way of life for the Jews that set the stage for the coming of the Church, the Church that Jesus began upon the Rock of Peter, the Church today that does all that God said He would do in Ezekiel. The Hebrews in the Old Testament needed their faith to get back to God, and He gave them their faith because He wanted them to come back to Him.



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7:00 PM Second Monday of the month

www.kofcassembly3309.com

COUNCIL MEETING

7:00 PM Second Thursday of the month

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At the crucifixion, Jesus commits the care of his mother, Mary to his Apostle John, and John keeps that commitment. But Fr. Blake Britton, in his book "Reclaiming Vatican II", explains the theology of Mary and John at the foot of the cross.

Jesus says to Mary, "Mother, behold your son', and to John he says, "behold your mother". Jesus has just established his mother, Mary, as *the* Church, not a person in the Church, but *the* Church; and John is now the people of the Church, the ones who need the Church to get back to God.

For Christians and Jews alike, in the Old and New Testaments, that symbiotic relationship between God and his people has existed for thousands of years, all the way back to Genisis when Adam and Eve lost the presence of God, and it still exists today.

In the introduction to his book "The Everlasting Man", GK Chesterton comments, "When the world goes wrong, it proves the Church is right. The Church is justified, not because her people do not sin, but because they do".

# CHAELY, McGINNEY

You can play a key role in advancing Father McGivney's cause by joining the Guild for free and praying for his intercession and canonization.

<u>JOIN THE GUILD</u>

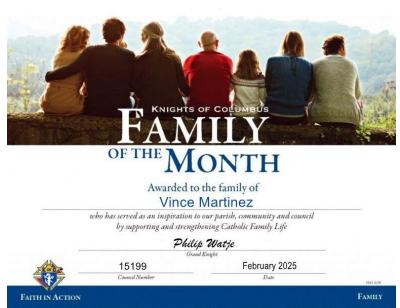
<u>CANONIZATION</u> <u>PRAYER</u>

May Father McGivney intercede for you!

# Family of the Month

# Congratulations to the Vince Martinez Family

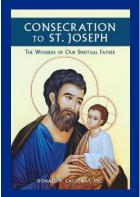




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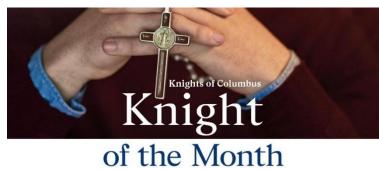




# **Knight of the Month**

+ Sir Knight Steve Wilson





# Awarded to

+ SK Steve Wilson

February 2025 Philip Watje



February 2025

Faith in Action

# St Joseph's Table 2025

Thank you to all who supported this year's St Joseph's Table.





#### **Exciting Prize Options Await!**

Choose between an original 1967 Chevy Camaro or a 2010 Chevy Camaro SS, Special Bumblebee Transformers Edition!

First Winner Drawn Chooses Their Prize Car, Second Winner Drawn Automatically Receives The Other Car.

Tickets are just \$25 each! We Pay The Taxes!

Drawing will be held on Saturday, June 21, 2025. Don't miss out on this incredible opportunity!

**GET TICKETS!** 

#### IT'S NOT TO LATE

Attention all Third Degree Brother Knights of Council 15199 you are invited to complete your journey to full Knighthood and become a Fourth Degree Sir Knight.

"Sir Knight" is more than a title. It's an Honor.

This is a special opportunity for you as this Exemplification will be hosted by Council 15199 and Asembly 3309 and held at the Church of the Incarnation.

To Register contact Faithful Naigator SK Jim Guth (faithnav3309@gmail.com) or GK Philip Watje (gk15199@gmail.com) or ask any Fourth Degree Sir Knight for more information.



#### EXEMPLIFICATION OF PATRIOTISM

**APRIL 5TH, 2025** 

HONORING: Worthy District Marshal Charles "Chuck" DuBois

#### HOSTED BY

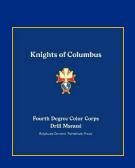
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Family members are welcome to join you at the Exemplification of Patriotism.

Please inform your sponsor on the number who plan to attend with you.





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# Uniform

Regalia Wear – the KofC Fourth Degree standard is "One Button" used on the jacket. See the Drill Manual for photographic examples. The Bottom Button of the jacket is not used.

Could you wear the Fourth Degree uniform blazer with other slacks and a regular tie when going out? The answer is: No

Our uniform was designed to be worn complete with the Fourth Degree blazer, official slacks, tie, and official Fourth Degree pin (PG-113). It also requires a white dress shirt with no button-down collar, black shoes, and black socks. However, it may be worn in social settings such as Knights of Columbus events, banquets, exemplifications, meetings, and church.

The other components of the uniform are used when participating in our color corps (color guard or honor guard). Those include the official beret with flash representing office (if any), white gloves, a service baldric, a Fourth Degree sword with scabbard.

Flag bearers would not wear baldric or sword. (Note that the service baldric is either a general member baldric or else a specific color to indicate your current office held).

So, if you want to show your pride as a member of the Fourth Degree, then wear all the components according to the laws and rules of the Fourth Degree.

If you have any other questions on training your members, please email me at MJPKNIGHT9282@aol.com.





From Wednesday March 5<sup>th</sup> to Sunday April 13<sup>th</sup> our pro-life community in Albuquerque will unite with cities across America and around the world for a massive, coordinated, pro-life mobilization. This is an effort to bring together people of all faiths to pray for an end to the loss of pre-born human life and for the healing of those affected by abortion.

40 Days for Life is a focused pro-life effort that consists of:

- · 40 days of prayer & fasting
- · 40 days of peaceful vigil
- · 40 days of public witness

A prayer campaign for those who respect the dignity of all human life and strive for justice for the poorest, most vulnerable, and the least of God's children – the pre-born

Join us in peaceful prayer between 9 am and 3 pm daily at these locations:

- The NEW Planned Parenthood at 4630 Eubank Blvd NE in Albuquerque
  - Southwestern Women's Options abortion mill at 522 Lomas Blvd

More information is available at <a href="www.40daysforlife.com">www.40daysforlife.com</a>
You can also send an email to Curt@defendinglife.org

#### Spring 2025 Schedule, 40 Days for Life Requested Days of Prayer

Alb. Catholic Moms, 3/11, 3/28 Annunciation, 3/14, 4/11 Ascension, 3/18, 3/28 Assumption, 3/7, 4/1Adat Yeshua, 3/5, 4/9 Calvary Alb, 3/7, 4/11 Calvary Belen, 3/12, 4/12 Calvary East, 3/11, 4/11 Calvary Rio Rancho, 3/12, 4/8 Christ the King Anglican, 3/8, 3/28 Cross Christian Fellowship Rt.66, 3/5,\_3/28 Eastern Hills Baptist, 3/8, 3/26 Estancia Valley Parish, 4/5 Faith Bible Church, 3/6, 3/26 Grace Fellowship, 3/6, 3/27 Heights Cumberland, 4/3 Holy Child Tijeras, 4/5 Holy Family, 3/18, 4/9 Holy Ghost, 3/6, 4/2 Holy Rosary, 3/12, 3/28 Hope Evangelical Free Church, 3/10, 3/29 Immaculate Conception, 3/13, 3/31 Immaculate Heart of Mary, 3/15, 3/29 **Incarnation**, 3/18, 4/11 John XXIII, 3/26, 4/9

Knights of Columbus, 3/14, 4/3

New Beginnings, 3/5, 3/28

Newman Ctr UNM, 3/7, 3/25

Legacy, 3/7, 4/1

Nativity, 3/13, 3/29

Olive Tree, 3/5, 4/9 OLO Belen, 3/15, 4/12 OLO Fatima, 3/18, 4/1 OLO Guadalupe, 3/17, 4/7 OLO La Vang, 3/7, 3/24 OLO Mt Carmel Moriarty, 4/5 OLO Perpetual Help, 3/7, 4/4 OLO Sorrows Bernalillo, 3/8, 4/2 Prince of Peace, 3/21, 4/11 Oueen of Heaven, 3/21, 4/3 Risen Savior, 3/14, 4/4 Sacred Heart, 3/18, 4/8 Sagebrush, 3/7, 4/1 San Clemente, 3/21, 4/12 San Felipe de Neri, 3/13, 4/4 Sangre de Cristo, 3/19, 4/7 San Ignacio, 3/19, 4/7 San Jose, 3/7, 3/24 San Martin de Porres, 3/10, 3/31 San Ysidro in Corrales, 3/20, 4/12 St. Alice Mountainair, 4/5 St. Anne, 4/5 St. Bernadette, 3/11, 3/25 St. Charles Borromeo, 3/20, 4/10 St. Francis Xavier, 3/6, 4/10 St. Edwin, 3/10, 4/4 St. John Vianney, 3/14, 4/1 St. Joseph on the RG, 3/27, 4/10 St. Jude Thaddeus, 3/11, 3/25 St Therese, 3/19, 4/2 St Thomas Aquinas, 3/21, 4/8 Surrendered Hearts, 3/5, 3/28 UNM Students for Life, 3/7, 3/25

Letter to Mommy and Daddy after Abortion

Mommy... why did you hurt me? Daddy did you know? Why didn't you fight for my life?

Jesus said I would have looked just like you Your hair, your eyes, and

smile I know you didn't mean it Mommy

Daddy I know you love me.

Daddy, you will never get to see me

You'll miss my first words, you'll miss me fall and get up.

Mommy, you'll never get to comb my hair or paint my nails, you'll miss me go to kindergarten

You guys will miss my whole life And I will to....

But don't worry, I am with Jesus now.... Next time think about what you are doing, and who you are hurting,

I AM A PERSON

Mommy, Daddy, I love you, wish you would have loved me too

By: Danielle Martinez

#### ASAP (Aid and Support After Pregnancy)

Host a fundraiser for a pregnancy resource center or maternity home. Pregnancy resource centers and maternity homes can be found by searching through databases available at <a href="https://heartbeatinternational.org">heartbeatinternational.org</a>, <a href="https://hittps

Preganacy Centers in NM	Mailing Address	City	Phone	
Birthright	3228 Candelaria NE	Albuquerque	505-262-2235	
Birthright	609 N. Butler Ave.	Farmington		
Birthright	203 Manzaneras Ave #16	Socorro	575-835-4236	
Project Defending Life	729 San Mateo Blvd NE	Albuquerque	505-266-4100	
Life Choice Pregnancy Resource Center	621 N. Main	Clovis	(575) 935-5433	
New Beginnings Caring Pregnancy Center	108 W. Hagerman	Carlsbad	575-885-0848	
New Life Pregnancy Center	PO Box 43	Taos	575-758-2899	
Open Arms PC	PO Box 3579	Truth or Consequences	970-799-4792	
Pregnancy Help Center of Artesia	610 W. Quay Ave	Artesia	575-736-6400	
Right to Life of New Mexico	2413 Wyoming Blvd NE	Albuquerque	(505) 881-4563	
LegacyPregnancy Resource	1100 E. Llano	Hobbs	575.942.2567	
Southern NM Outreach	1222 N. White Sands Blvd	Alamogordo	575 434-5525	
Origins	2704 Southern Blve SE	Rio Ranch	505-891-1430	
Care Net Pregnancy Center of Los Cruces	PO Box 1865	Las Cruces	575-526-6242	
Turning Point A Pregnancy Help Center	3201 S. Main Suite C	3201 S. Main Suite C Las Cruces		
Care Net of the East Mountains	21 Main St Suite 202	Edgewood	505-281-5408	
Care Net Pregnancy Center Rio Rancho	2451 Monteney Rd	Rio Rancho	505-896-2305	
Care Net Pregnancy Center Los Lunas	601 Main SE, Ste 26	Los Lunas	505-565-3838	
Chaves County Pregnancy Resource Center	PO Box 3611	Roswell	575-623-1217	
Hands of Hope Pregnancy Center	120 Boardman Dr	Gallup	505-722-7125	
Our Lady of Guadalupe Gift of Life Center	811 St. Michael's Dr. Suite 103	Santa Fe	505-988-1215	
Life-Way of Lincoln County	270 A Country Club DDr	Ruidoso	575.973.0088	
Restarting a CPC			719-439-3116	
Grace Place Pregnancy and Health Center	4801 N. Butler, Ste 3102	Farmington	505-327-4747	



#### Celebrate the Gospel of Life

D Mary,
bright dawn of the new world,
Mother of the living,
to you do we entrust the cause of life:
Look down, O Mother,
upon the vast numbers
of babies not allowed to be born,
of the poor whose lives are made difficult,
of men and women
who are victims of brutal violence,
of the elderly and the sick killed
by indifference or out of misguided mercy.
Grant that all who believe in your Son
may proclaim the Gospel of life
with honesty and love
to the people of our time.
Obtain for them the grace
to accept that Gospel
as a gift ever new,
the joy of celebrating it with gratitude
throughout their lives
and the courage to bear witness to it
resolutely, in order to build,
together with all people of good will,
the civilization of truth and love,
to the praise and glory of God,
the Creator and lover of life.

Joannes Paulus ME

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# **Prayer Requests**



SK Ray Montoya Deacon Jerome Paszkiewicz SK Larry Kolker SK Ernie Marquez Lady Karen Thuli, wife of Dcn Mark Thuli Dolores Bernal, wife of Deacon Louis Bernal SK Clemente Garcia SK Henry Chayez Lady Peg Bagdon SK Pat Bodin Lady Cindy Melo Lady Trudy Meyers Brother Jack Reznick SK Frank Cruz Peggy Meyerson, wife of Deacon George Meyerson Father Leo Ortiz

Lady Elaine Chavez Lady Alice Garcia SK Frank Morganti SK Joe Berryman Lady Jacqui Berryman SK Ron Cook SK James Starr Brother George Schlegelmilch SK Ray Montoya GK SK Tim, and Lady Amanda Sheehan

Lady Marian Oldham Deacon Louis Bernal Roseann Pino, sister of PFN John Alvarado

Lady Roxane Delgado, wife of SK Gene Delgado

Lady Cecilia Brunoni Lady Joan Archuleta SK Frosty Johnson Jennifer Talik Daughter in Law of SK Star Talik and Lady Debbie SK Garold Hohmann SK Joseph Lepre Lady Zenaida Cantu SK Henry Chayez SK Julian and Lady Teresa Gonzales SK Anthony Gutierrez Lawrence Goddard Lady Debbie Talik Michael Lee, nephew of Father John

God Almighty, Heavenly Father, Physician of our souls and bodies, You, who sent Your only begotten Son, Our Lord, Jesus Christ, to heal every sickness and infirmity, visit and heal also Your sick and distressed Knights and their beloved from all physical and spiritual ailments.

Through the Grace of the Holy Spirit, grant these Knights and their beloved patience in their sickness, strength of body and spirit, and recovery of health. Lord, You have taught us through Your Word to pray for each other that we may be healed. We pray, heal your servants and grant to them the gift of complete health.

For You are the source of healing and to You we give glory, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, Amen



- +SK Steve Wilson
- +Lady Marcella Johnson
- +Baby Ezekiel Brenton
- +Michael Tobin
- +Pat and +Joanne Salerno
- +Jeanne Cynova
- +Thomas Maloney Brother of SK John Maloney +Lawrence Goddard
- +Thomas Meyer Brother of SK Ron Meyer +Lawrence Brenner Brother of Lady Trudie Meyer
- +PGK SK Joseph Lepre
- + Therese Zerwas, Mother of Father Rick Zerwas
- + Johnny Sawder Torres, Brother of Lady Alice Garcia
- +Bill Clifton
- +SK Marty Cantu
- +Clyde Archuleta, Son of +SK Ralph and Lady Joan
- +SK David Chavez
- +SK Tom Guzman
- +Patricia Walker, Sister of
- Lady Marjorie Starr

- +Alvin Cynova
- +SK Ralph Archuletta
- +Warren Ferguson
- +Gloria Baca, Sister of SK Gerald Roybal

Carney

- +Mary Kerr, Sister of Lady Josie Roybal
- +Christopher Melo, Son of Lady Cindy and
- SK Frank Melo
- +Lady Toni Chavez Wife of SK David L Chavez
- +Sierra Rodriguez Granddaughter of Lady Pam
- and SK Jimm White
- +Juan Canales
- +Dean Ramaeker +SK Ken Weiman
- +Dave Ashley
- +SK Tony Vigil
- +Lady Alicia Vigil
- + John B Sayer
- +Frank Guillen

In your hands, O Lord, we humbly entrust our brothers and sisters.

In this life you embraced them with your tender love; deliver them now from every evil and bid them eternal rest. The old order has passed away:

welcome them into paradise, where there will be no sorrow, no weeping or pain, but fullness of peace and joy with your Son and the Holy Spirit forever and ever. Amen



#### Church of the Incarnation

Office and Church Hours
Monday – Thursday, 9:00am – 5:00pm
Fridays 8:00am-1:00pm

Daily Mass
Mon, Wed & Thurs: 5:30pm
Tuesday & Friday: 8:00am

Weekend Mass Saturday: 4:00pm Sundays: 8:00am, 10:30am and 12:30pm Confessions
Mon., Wed & Thurs: 4:30pm-5:15pm
Tuesday & Friday: 7:15am -7:45am
Saturdays 2:00pm -3:45pm
Sunday 9:30am -10:15am

Eucharistic Adoration
Monday & Wednesday: 6:00pm-7:00pm
Fridays: 9:00am – 1:00pm
Contact Information for Staff and
Clergy





# In the Know – Programs, Events and Activities



Council Officer's Meeting – First Thursday of the month

Council General Meeting – Second Thursday of the month

Assembly General Meeting – Second Monday of the month

Virtual/Online Rosary – Wednesday Evenings – Contact Grand

Knight (gk15199@gmail.com) for details



The Chalice Program is a beautiful and lasting gesture to memorialize and pay tribute to a Sir Knight who has passed away. A Chalice and Paten with the name of the deceased Sir Knight engraved (on the Paten) are given to a Mission Church for use during the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass



JOHN	T	SMITH	4/6
TED	N	CHAVEZ	4/6
DEACON MARK	A	THULI	4/9
MATTHEW	D	SMITH	4/9
RAYMOND	C	GATTI	4/12
LAWRENCE	J	SALAS	4/14
REV RICK		ZERWAS	4/18
GREGG	G	KOTILA	4/18
BERNARD	F	ALBERS	4/22
DELFIN	E	MEDINA	4/22
CLEMENTE		GARCIA	4/22
JEFFREY	T	WOOTEN	4/28
MICHAEL		ALLRED	4/29

Happy Birthday! May God continue to bless you with peace, love, health, and happiness!

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#### Partner with Your Agent to Succeed

Are there men in your parish and community who have yet to join your council? Do you wish that more of your current members were engaged in the work of the council? Would you like more council members to be comfortable asking another man to join the Order? Your agent stands ready to help you with all these things and more. Reach out to him today to start a discussion on how you can partner for success





# Prayer for the Canonization of Blessed Michael McGivney

Founder of the Knights of Columbus

God, our Father, protector of the poor and defender of the widow and orphan, you called your priest, Blessed Michael McGivney, to be an apostle of Christian family life and to lead the young to the generous service of their neighbor. Through the example of his life and virtue, may we follow your Son, Jesus Christ, more closely, fulfilling his commandment of charity and building up his Body which is the Church. Let the inspiration of your servant prompt us to greater confidence in your love so that we may continue his work of caring for the needy and the outcast. We humbly ask that you glorify Blessed Michael McGivney on earth according to the design of your holy will. Through his intercession, grant the favor I now present (here make your request). Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Please report all favors received:
The Father McGivney Guild
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www.fathermcgivney.org

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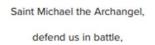
#### Join in Praying for Our Founder's Intercession

The faithful around the world are turning to Blessed Michael McGivney for their personal prayer petitions. Visit the Father McGivney Guild website where you'll find a list of the latest favors received, as well as a form to submit your own petitions.

Also, click here to download and pray a Litany of Blessed Michael McGivney.











be our protection against
the wickedness and snares of the devil.
May God rebuke him, we humbly pray;

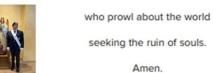




and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God,



cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits















Our Lady, Queen of the Knights, bless all the activities of our Order. Keep us true to our pledge, to extend the kingship of thy divine son on earth.

Through Thine intercession, win for us the grace, ever to exemplify in our public and private lives, the virtues that should characterize those especially dedicated to the service of the heavenly court. Make us always aware that as your Knights, we are constantly observed, our faith judged, and our Order appreciated.

Accept, O Mary, this renewed pledge of fealty and devotion, of Thy Servants, the Knights of Columbus.