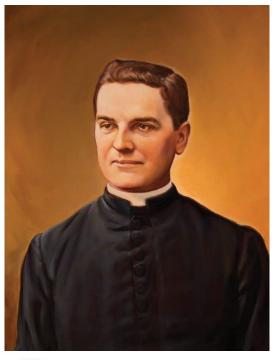


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June 2021

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Blessed Michael McGivney

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Grand Knight Ron Karaskiewicz

Brothers All,

June 2021 marks the last month I will be serving as your Grand Knight. For the past 2 1/2 years I have had the honor, and the privilege to serve you. These words may sound a bit cliché, but they are heartfelt and true. In these final moments of my tenure, I wanted to share with you some thoughts.

I have learned that working with a group of men that believe and practice their faith and, in so many other ways, feel as I do, is more than simply rewarding...its life changing. I thought I felt this fraternity with my brothers before, when I played H.S. football and during my military career. Each of these however fall short of the deep feelings I have as a Knight.

It has been my honor to serve Council 15199 as Grand Knight. Looking back there are things I wish I had done a bit differently, but everything I did was with the good of the Council in mind. This has been a great experience for me, and I hope that the Council has benefited in some way from my tenure. I know I have personally benefited, and I cannot thank you enough for all of your support, help and prayers these last couple of years.

We are over 130 men that have arrived at Incarnation and this Council in various ways. We come from all walks of life, from different cultural backgrounds, geographic locations, ethnicities, and paths to Catholicism, yet down deep we are all the same.

And finally, you will be under the leadership of Tom Plate moving into the new fraternal year. SK Tom is a good man; he already has my backing as I know he will serve the Council well. Please give SK Tom the respect, support, and prayers you have so generously given me.

God Bless each of you and your families.

Vivat Jesus GK Ron Karaskiewicz

Knights of Columbus

Building the Domestic Church While Strengthening Our Parish



C a l e n d a r

ASSEMBLY MEETINGS

7:00 PM Second Monday of the month www.kofcassembly33

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COUNCIL MEETINGS

7:30 PM Second Thursday of the month 2020-2021 Council Officers

Grand Knight SK Ron Karaskiewicz

Deputy Grand Knight SK Tom Plate

Chancellor FN SK John Alvarado

Financial Secretary SK Jim Guth

> Treasurer SK Stan Talik

Recorder SK Tom Plate

Advocate SK Blair White

Lecturer SK Jimm White

Warden SK Clemente Garcia

Inside Guard SK David Chavez

Outside Guard SK Gerald Roybal

1 Year Trustee SK Mark Bagdon

2 Year Trustee SK Ronald Cook

3 Year Trustee SK Matthew Walsh



Supreme Chaplain's Monthly Challenge JUNE 2021

"To what shall we compare the kingdom of God, or what parable can we use for it? It is like a mustard seed that, when it is sown in the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on the earth. But once it is sown, it springs up and becomes the largest of plants and puts forth large branches, so that the birds of the sky can dwell in its shade." (Gospel for June 13, Mk 4:30-32)

Every gardener has witnessed how great things can come from small beginnings. Planted in its proper season and cared for over time, the tiniest seed can blossom into a glorious plant. Parents, teachers and mentors responsible for the moral and spiritual formation of children know well the value of "planting seeds." Instructing children in virtue at a young age gives them a firm foundation of faith as they mature. May we be intentional in our instruction and example to our children and others, knowing small actions can have great influence.

Challenge by Supreme Chaplain Archbishop William E. Lori:

This month, I challenge you to share your faith and beliefs in at least one conversation with your children or friends. Second, I challenge you to join with your brother Knights in planning and participating in the Faith in Action Family Prayer Night program or Holy Hour program.

Questions for Reflection:

What "seeds" of faith did your own parents or others plant in your life as a youth that blossomed later in life? What are some of the concrete ways (even small ways) you can share your faith with your family and friends? What role does your witness — attending Mass, going to confession, serving others and being willing to discuss your faith — play in helping to strengthen the faith of others?

2020-2021 Assembly Officers

Faithful Friar Father Leo Ortiz

Faithful Navigator SK John Alvarado

Faithful Captain SK David Chavez

Faithful Admiral SK PFN Frank Melo

Faithful Comptroller SK PFN Ron Meyer

Faithful Purser SK Henry Chavez

Faithful Pilot SK Ross Aiello

Faithful Scribe SK Vince Rojas

Faithful Inner Sentinel SK Steve Wilson

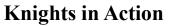
Faithful Outer Sentinel **SK** Dominick Lepore

Faithful Trustee One Year SK John Garcia

Faithful Trustee Two Year SK Gerald Roybal

Faithful Trustee Three Year SK Tom Plate

> Color Corp Commander SK James Starr





FAITH

LIFE



Knights say "Thank You"



The fratemal year of the Knights of Columbus is ending, and your Knights extend this Thank You to the Church of the Incarnation and you, the parishioners for the contributions, prayers and support given to us that allowed you to accomplish some great things through us.



YOU DID IT!

Breakfast Burritos

Prior to the COVID lockdown, your Knights routinely made breakfast burritos which everyone seemed to enjoy. After expenses ALL proceeds went to Project Defending Life.



Baby Bottle Campaign

You donated over \$7,000 in change. Monies collected supports mothers that made the choice of NOT having an abortion. Your generosity is the largest single donation ever presented to PDL.





St. Felix Pantry Food

St. Felix provides meals to hungry families. The need is always there, but COVID added to the pressures of feeding the hungry. You always contribute during Church food drives but in addition the Knights held two drive-thru food drives to facilitate a safe way to support St. Felix.



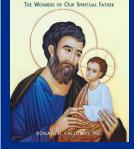
Moving the Felician Sisters

The Felician Sisters of North America lost their Rio Rancho convent in the middle of the pandemic. The Knights moved the Nuns into their new home.





CONSECRATION TO ST. JOSEPH







Remembering Veterans and 9-11

To remember and honor those that lost their lives on 9/11 and all US veterans your Knights placed 2977 American flags and 300 Christmas wreaths at the Vista Verde Memorial Park in RR in 2020.



Saying Thanks to RR Police

Prior to COVID, the Knights held a free pancake breakfast for the Rio Rancho police department to honor them and express our thanks for their service.





Hurricane Relief Program

This past year your donations have helped people in need both locally and across the nation. Our hurricane relief program has helped parishes in Alabama and Florida rebuild after devastating hurricanes.





Seminarians and Friars

The Knights financially support both Incarnation's own seminarians and the Franciscan Friars of the Renewal in Albuquerque as these men work to become priests and live a life according to the gospel.



WHAT IT MEANS TO BE A KNIGHT We are Catholic men who lead, serve, protect and defend. We share a desire to be better husbands, fathers, sons, neighbors and role models and to put charity and community first.

GET STARTED Knights come from every stage of life, and across the world. Join us as we celebrate real role models in a world that needs real men now more than ever. We invite all men that want to put their Faith to work, and who are practicing Catholics in good standing with the Church to join us.



Call (505) 610-1120 Our Lady of the Incarnate Word Council #15199 and Our Lady of the Incarnation Fourth Degree Assembly #3309



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Lord, make me an instrument of Your Peace: Where there is hatred, let me sow love; Where there is injury, pardon; Where there is doubt, faith; Where there is despair, hope; Where there is darkness, light; And where there is sadness, joy.

O Divine Master, Grant that I may not so much seek To be consoled as to console; To be understood, as to understand; To be loved, as to love;

For it is in giving that we receive, It is in pardoning that we are pardoned,

And it is in dying that we are born to Eternal Life. Amen



Congratulations and Welcome!

Sir Knights Erwin Baca, James Bodin, Elvis Momlanyuy, John Smith, Matthew Walsh and Curt Kuper on the completion of your journey to full Knighthood









Rummage Sale – 2021

4th Degree Uniform click to order

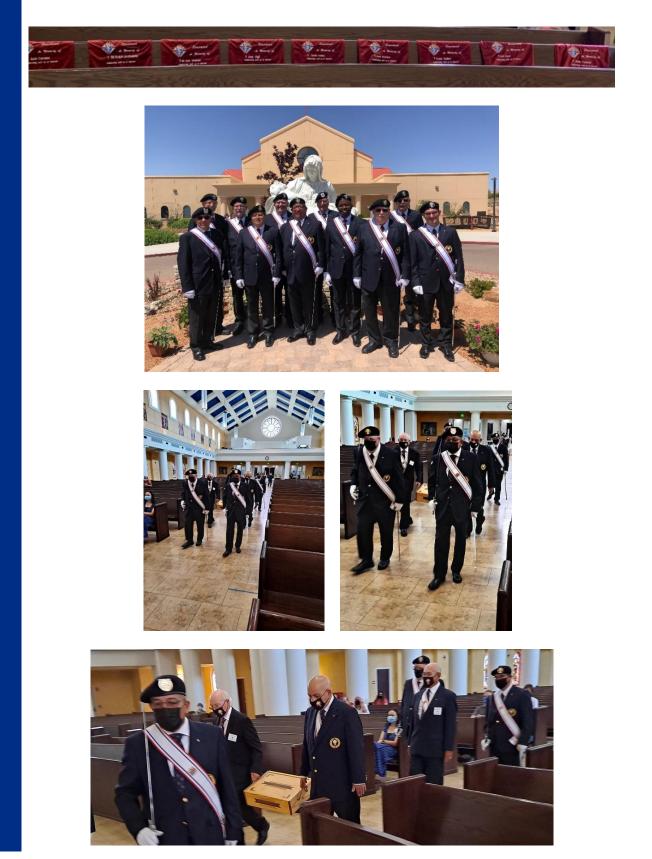
Religiously Devoted. Patriotically Proud.



Color Corp Drill Manual click to down<u>load</u> Thank You to all who assisted with and supported this year's rummage sale and a special thank you to Our Lady of Sorrows!



Corporate Communion May 30, 2021









Worthy Lecturer SK Jimm White

Somewhere in The Middle

"Children, it is the last hour; and just as you heard that the antichrist was coming, so now many antichrists have appeared. Thus, we know this is the last hour. They went out from us, but they were not really of our number; if they had been they would have remained with us. Their desertion shows that none of them was of our number".

1 John 2:18-19

In his speech recently Tyler Perry was accepting the Jean Hersholt Humanitarian Award at the 93rd Oscars and he used the opportunity to 'refuse hate". He talked about his upbringing in the Jim Crow south, growing up poor, and his mother who taught him to reject blanket judgement and reject hate, and later his days as homeless. He talks about his mother grieving over watching other children around her murdered simply for the color of their skin. I have to believe that his mother's words stayed with him because listening to him it is obvious the lesson he learned was that all that violence was born of hate, and so he chooses to "refuse hate".

Tyler Perry challenges us to refuse hate, Jesus commands us to love one another.

It's the same message.

Tyler finished his speech by talking about meeting in the middle. He talked about the middle is where listening is, where the healing is, where listening is, where conversation is, where listening is, where people can come together to find common ground, where listening is, away from the anger and shouting on the far left and far right, (I added the extra "where listening is" because it is important). He challenged anybody who chooses to refuse hate to meet him in the middle.

And so, where is the Church in all this? I was listening to Teresa Tomeo a while back and she was talking to a priest who was talking about a question he had been asked by a secular reporter: "Is the Church conservative, or liberal?" Teresa's immediate answer was "the Church is the Church"! And while that is the exact correct answer it bears some deeper conversation. The Church does not have two separate teachings; the Church's teaching is not dynamic and changing with the moral social interpretation of any given time. The teachings of the church are static and consistent, that form for us a moral standard that we should use to judge everything around us.

But I would say that on the one hand the Church could look very conservative, and on the other, very progressive and both would be true.

The Church's stand on abortion and euthanasia, on the moral teachings on homosexuality and transgender are, by every measure, very conservative.

On the other hand, the Church's work in Catholic Charities and Catholic Health Care would look, by most standards, to be very progressive, and this places the Church in the middle, exactly where it should be.

I have been very blessed to work in Catholic Health Care for the last 10 ½ years and to see first-hand how the conservative teachings of right to life of the Church is practiced in how we care for everyone around us, for the poor, the disadvantaged, and the underserved. In a way, the concretive values of the Church drive the progressive practices of the Church. It's a very difficult concept to understand if you're on the edges refusing to meet in the middle.

My brothers, there is a cancer in the Church today. That cancer is the voices of those administrators in the Church, and secular forces outside the Church who stand on the edges of the Church, and who are seeking to tear the Church apart. I wonder if those are the antichrists John is referring to.

To attempt to address any one of those issues individually only serves to put a band-aide on the symptom of the cancer. If we cure the cancer the symptoms will go away.

I believe the cure for the cancer is in the middle, where the listening is, where the healing is, where love is, where the conversation is, where we see the face of Jesus in everyone around us, where we accept Tyler Perry's challenge to reject hate and where we live Jesus's command to love one another.

My brothers, we are called to cure the cancer, we are called to meet in the middle and spread the healing teachings of Jesus and the Church. My brothers, we are called to Evangelize from the middle.

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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!



Supreme Council has announced that the MCGIVNEY2020 Free Online Membership has been extended until June 30th!

Grand Knights and/or Financial Secretaries please pass this information along to every member of your council to use as a tool in offering membership into the Knights of Columbus to every eligible Catholic man.

As an **eMember**, the new knight will have the Order's Fraternal Benefits made available to him and his family. It is also a great first step in him joining your council and helping support the parish, families, life, and build a better community by following Blessed Michael McGivney's vision for the Knights of Columbus with our charity, unity, and fraternity in service to all.

BECOME AN ONLINE MEMBER FOR FREE!*

Now through June 30th, enter Promo Code **MCGIVNEY2020** for 12 months of free online membership.

*Online Membership only. Annual dues of \$30 will apply on your Membership Anniversary. Local council dues vary

Click Here to Join

Church of the Incarnation

Office and Church Hours

Monday - Thursday, 9:00am - 5:00pm Fridays 8:00am-1:00pm

Daily Mass

Monday, Wednesday & Thursday: 5:30pm Tuesday & Friday: 8:00am

Weekend Mass

Saturday: 4:00pm Sundays: 8:00am, 10:30am and 12:30pm

Confessions

Monday, Wednesday & Thursday: 4:30pm-5:15pm Tuesday & Friday: 7:15am -7:45am Saturdays 2:00pm -3:45pm Sunday 9:30am -10:15am

Eucharistic Adoration

Monday and Wednesday from 6:00pm-7:00pm Fridays from 9:00am - 1:00pm

Contact Information for Staff and Clergy



We are looking for more volunteers to join the cleaning ministry. Volunteer teams meet Saturday mornings to clean the church building once to twice a month. If you are interested, please call the parish office, 771-8331, email pat@incarnation.church, or reply to this post.



The Martha's and Mary's Ministry is looking for new volunteers. This ministry maintains the linens used during the Mass. Instructions will be provided. There are no scheduled meetings, and a roster is sent out quarterly for your assigned week(s). Please contact the parish office at 771-8331 if you are interested.



We are starting a new Ministry called the Publicity and Historical Ministry. This ministry will be responsible for recording the Saturday evening Mass and any other special events. We are looking for 5 to 10 tech-savvy individuals. Training will be provided. Please call the parish office or reply to this post for more information.

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 even your 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

Culture of Life



Every Friday morning our pro-life community in Albuquerque will conduct a peaceful prayer vigil to pray for an end to the loss of pre-born human life and for the healing of those affected by abortion.

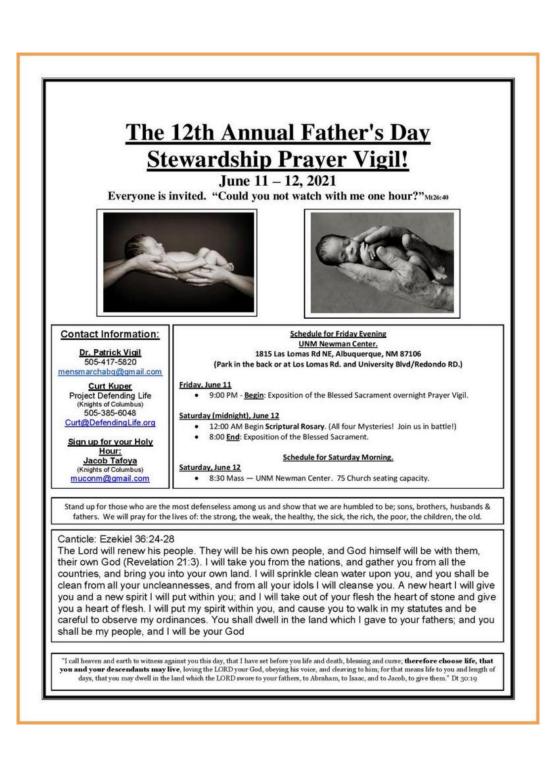
Fridays for Life is a focused pro-life effort that consists of:

- · Prayer & fasting
- · Peaceful vigil on the sidewalk
- · Public witness at the abortion mill

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 <u>peaceful prayer</u> on Friday from 7-11:30 AM at this location: Planned Parenthood abortion mill at 701 San Mateo NE in Albuquerque Sponsored by Project Defending Life, 729 San Mateo Blvd, Alb. NM 87108

For more information contact Rachel at <u>vp@defendinglife.org</u> or <u>Curt@defendinglife.org</u> or call **Project Defending Life** at (505) 266-4100



SIDEWALK ADVOCATE TRAINING

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PRO-LIFE OPPORTUNITY

Saturday, June 19

8:30 AM-2:00 PM

Reserve you spot today! Contact Rachel at (505) 266- 4100 or vp@defendinglife.org

In the Know – Events and Activities



- Council Officer's Meeting First Thursday of the month
- Council General Meeting Second Thursday of the month
- Assembly Meeting Second Monday of the month
- Virtual/Online Rosary, Wednesday Evenings Contact Grand Knight (gk15199@gmail.com) for details
- Election of Council and Assembly Officers for Fraternal Year 2021-2022 takes place in June 2021
- Installation of Council and Assembly Officers July 2021
- Special Olympics Fund Raiser Dates to be determined
- August 29, 2021 Corporate Communion
- November 29, 2021 Corporate Communion



2021 Color Corp Schedule - Assembly 3309

January 31, 2021 - Corporate Communion process at Mass

April 1, 2021 - Holy Thursday Guard for the Blessed Sacrament

April 4, 2021 - Easter Sunday Process at Mass

May 30, 2021 - Corporate Communion Process at Mass

June 6, 2021 - Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi) process at Mass

August 29, 2021 - Corporate Communion process at Mass

November 7, 2021 - Veterans Day Present the Colors (Sunday Before)

November 21, 2021 - The Feast of Christ the King process at Mass

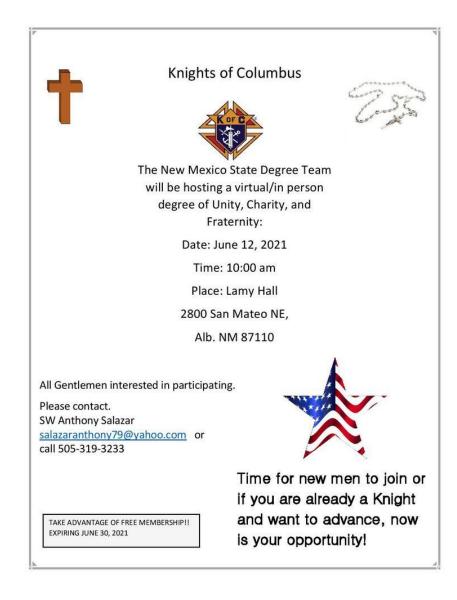
November 29, 2021 - Corporate Communion process at Mass

December 12, 2021 - Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe

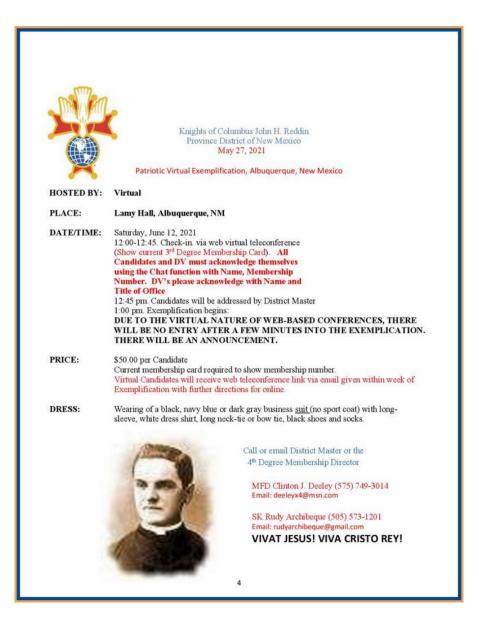
December 25, 2021 - Christmas Day process at Mass

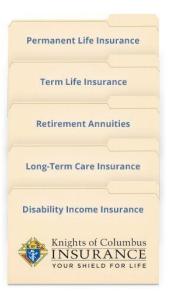
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Charity, Unity, Fraternity Degree Saturday, June 12, 2021



4th Degree Exemplification Saturday, June 12, 2021





S&P Global Ratings issued a report that ranked all of its rated North American Life Insurance Companies from strongest to weakest. You should be proud to know that your Knights of Columbus are tied for first!*

The Knights is one of six companies - out of a total of 66 - that has an AA+ rating on financial strength, and a stable outlook. S&P also lists the Knights as having a "very strong" business risk profile, and an "excellent" financial risk profile.

Financial strength and stability are on a lot of people's minds lately, and it's reassuring to know that the Knights stand tall among the competition.

However, this unprecedented international crisis may be impacting your family, please know that I am here to help you review your situation and discuss how the Knights may be able to help.

And - to respect social distancing protocols - we have transitioned to virtual meetings. I can meet with you over the computer whenever you'd like.

So let's chat! Let me know sometimes that work for you, and together we can figure out how the Knights' best-in-class financial strength can help protect you and your family.



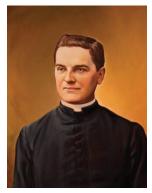
Contact Sir Knight Bob Brunoni today to set up an appointment and learn how the Knights of Columbus can help protect your family. Office: (505)850-7474, Cell: (505) 850-7474, Email: bob.brunoni@kofc.org



June Birthdays

THOMAS	PLATE	6/1
JOSEPH	BERRYMAN	6/3
ANTHONY	LOMBARDO	6/5
RICHARD	GATTI	6/6
VICTOR	CARAVEO	6/7
DOMINICK	LEPORE	6/8
JOSEPH	PEREZ	6/10
JACOB	MEDLEY	6/12
JAMES	BODIN	6/13
JOHN	GARCIA	6/14
CHRISTOPHER	CHRETIEN	6/16
RONALD	HENSLEY	6/17
DAVID	O'HARA	6/21
PATRICK	GARCIA	6/22
REV JOHN	CARNEY	6/25
ABELINO	MARTINEZ	6/27
SIDNEY	GUTIERREZ	6/27
ELVIS	MOMLANYUY	6/27
BERNIE	MARQUEZ	6/30

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



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 1 Columbus Plaza New Haven, CT 06510-3326 • USA www.fathermcgivney.org

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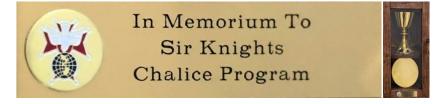
Reminders

Council and Assembly Meetings are held online via "Go to Meeting", please "tune in" for this month's meetings.

Please Remember to Pay Your Council and Assembly Dues

Please Submit Your Service Hours

Please submit your Assembly Chalice Fund Donations



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.



Knight's Prayer



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.