

May
2022

The Knightly News

Grand Knight Report



Greetings Brother Knights and Ladies

On April 2nd and 3rd, we conducted our annual recruitment drive to encourage more members from our Center to join the Knights. I want to thank those Knights who manned tables at the Church exists after each mass to answer questions about Knights of Columbus and about becoming a member. We were successful in encouraging two transfers from other Councils to join our Council. The two new Brothers are Dominic Rosa and Walter O'Brien. Please take a moment and welcome them at our next meeting on May 9th. If you know them and see them at church, stop by a say hello and welcome them to our Council.

I want to thank all the Knights who were able to show up and help with Kolbe Charities golf tournament this past week. Joe and Tony pulled off another very successful golf tournament. We all owe them a debt of gratitude for their hard work and dedication to this important fundraiser for Kolbe Charities.

On May 7th and 8th, we will be handing out roses to the women who attend mass at our Center. We will be giving a rose to each of the women following mass. We will need all those who are attending mass that weekend, to help in distributing the roses after each mass.

At our meeting on May 9th, we will be conducting our annual election of officers. Let Jerry know if you are interested in holding office this next year beginning July 1st.

Jerry and I will be attending the Annual Meeting of the State Chapter of the Knights of Columbus in Sacramento. The meeting runs from Thursday evening May 19th through May 21st.

The Council also decided to resume our annual Classic Car Show and BBQ. It will be held on Sunday June 12th in the afternoon. We can use your help setting up and inviting friends, family or neighbors to attend, particularly those who might have a classic car. We are also looking for raffle prizes. This is a great opportunity for us to recruit new Brother Knights and raise a few dollars at the same time.

I look forward to seeing everyone at our next meeting on May 9th, 7:00 PM.

Vivat Jesus,

Hugh Wood, GK

First Friday Adoration

This is a reminder that we have first Friday Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on 5/6/2022 from 8:30 Am to 10 AM and again from 7:30 PM to 9 PM. Volunteers are still needed. For you regulars, if you cannot make your scheduled hour, please call me at 714-609-9703 or have another council member replace you at the adoration. Thank you for participating in this continuing Bl. Fr. Jerzy Popieluszko council 9599 event.

God Bless
Hugh Wood

BIRTHDAYS

Kathy Cruz	1	Tony Cruz	2	Edward Murphy	3
Sylvia Quan	4	Gae Wood	4	Joan Tokar	5
David Raley	5	Stephen Brost	11	Hugh Wood	14
Teresa Wyszomirski	17	Paul Lewanski	18	Mario Brunasso	19
		Zofia Nowak	26		

ANNIVERSARIES

Frank and Dora Carrillo 5/6/50
Bob and Marilyn Hawkins 5/17/14

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Larry & Julie Klementowski	Bill Davis Bob Hawkins	Tony & Irma Palermo Joan Tokar
Benny & Sally Ramirez	Carol Arias	Kathleen Doud
Jerry Nicassio	Frank & Dora Carrillo	Joe Doud
Esther Munoz	Ann Rex	Steve Brost
Jean Carter	Yarmniz Rey Garcia	Terry Palus
John Lewandowski	Mary Ann Shewman	Sherry Palus
Bea Halphide	Debra Shewman	Ben & Angie Lamas
Dolly Piterak	Karl Kerr	Yolanda Lewanski
Gina Cruz	Amber Matranga	Elaine Quan
Marisa Palermo		Al & Georgi Schneider

Names on the "Pray for the Sick" list will need to be renewed every three (3) months.

RECYCLE



Recycling News

Our recycling program will continue on the weekend of May 14th & 15th. Before and after all the Masses. Please volunteer to help with this very important project. Containers will be available near the south-west corner of the main parking lot. We need at least two Knights at each Mass to help direct people to the drop off point and to help unload their recyclables. We will only accept aluminum beverage cans and plastic water and plastic beverage bottles, please no glass.

Please Volunteer to help

UPCOMING EVENTS

May 8th	Mother's Day Roses
May 14 & 15th	Recycling day
May 20 & 21st	State Meeting
May 30th	Memorial Day
June 12th	Classic Car Show

DEGREES

First, Second & Third Degree
 NONE AT THIS TIME
 Please contact GK Hugh Wood if you are interested or know someone who is

Prayer for The Sick, Elderly and Dying

O God, source of all life and hope, look kindly on our brothers and sisters facing the end of their lives, fill them with the hope of your mercy and give them peace and comfort. We pray for our citizens to choose life and fight against assisted suicide. Lord, move our hearts to work for life and for the protection of the elderly, the sick, and the disabled. Renew our commitment to building a community where every human life is welcomed and wanted, valued and defended, from conception to natural death. We ask this through the intercession of Saint John Paul II. Amen.

		May 2022				
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3	4	5	6 <small>First Friday</small>	7 <small>Mother's Day Roses</small>
<small>Mother's Day Roses</small>	<small>Council Meeting</small>					<small>Recycling</small>
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
<small>Recycling</small>	<small>4th Degree Meeting</small>					
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	<small>Bulletin articles due</small>			<small>Chapter Meeting</small>		
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
<small>Ascension of the</small>	<small>Memorial Day</small>					
29	30	31			 <small>Emerald</small>	 <small>Lily of the Valley</small>
<small>Lord</small>						



Report From Our Insurance Agent

May 2022



Blessed Michael McGivney founded the Knights of Columbus 140 years ago with two purposes in mind: To strengthen men in their faith and to provide for the widow and orphan if the breadwinner died or could not work. Our Order continues his mission today. That two-pronged approach to the young Catholic men of New Haven, Connecticut was important then and even though much has changed in our society since 1882, I believe that approach is important now. I am honored and blessed to be a part of continuing that mission.

While we work together to strengthen our brother Knights in their faith, I am able to work to secure the future for those who are left behind. For those who know me and the indispensable work I do for our members, you already have a good idea of how I do that work. But I'd like to take a minute to explain my approach.

My approach is to help members solve problems. The most important thing I can do for you is listen: listen to what you want to accomplish, listen to what keeps you up at night, listen to the plans you have for you and your family's future.

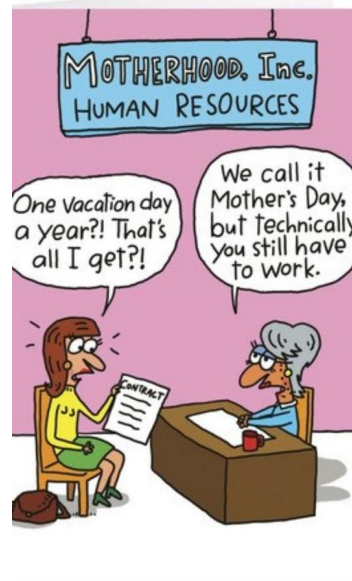
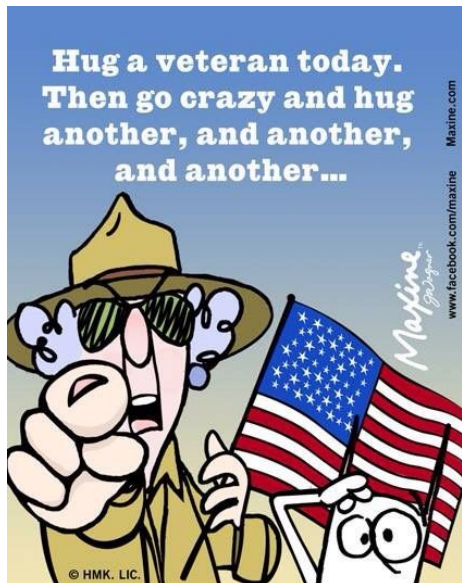
And the first step is to take stock of where a family is at the present...a snapshot of this time in your life. The Order has equipped me with a financial needs analysis platform to help you take that snapshot. We plug in the numbers and it does the calculations, taking any bias out of the process.

If your analysis shows there are gaps, we can discuss how to fill those gaps. We have a wide range of life insurance products that can be tailored to your needs if that is where the gap is. We have fixed rate annuities that are designed for retirement savings. Long-term care insurance and disability income insurance can provide peace of mind for the unexpected that life throws at us.

Stepping back and taking stock is not a difficult process and I try to make it as easy as possible. I can meet with you face to face or if you prefer, we can meet virtually. My goal is to fulfill Fr. McGivney's mission of taking care of every member and his family in this council. But I want to further his legacy and offer membership to every man eligible in the parish. His goal was to protect Catholic families...that's my goal, too.

Vivat Jesus!

Paul Vayna



Welcome new Members

A big welcome to our two newest members to our council, Dominic Rosa and Walter O'Brien both from the 9:00 AM Sunday Mass.

Dominic is married to Agnieszka with no children and works for the Orange County Sheriff's department. Dominic is a transfer from Hacienda Heights.

Walter is married to Ariana for 14 years. Walter and Ariana have three girls, Chloe, Maggie, and Ellie and they have all been baptized at Pope John Paul II center. Walter is a high school chemistry teacher now in his 18th year. He loves to play soccer and enjoy passing his passions along to his children. He also enjoys riding his Harley, when he can. Yet his most favorite time is spending time with his family. They hike together, camp together, explore the city together, enjoy museums together. They even love road trips, his last road trip was to the Gold Country (Northern California) to visit all the small towns and Sutter's Mill and then circled their way back to San Francisco for an experience walking the Golden Gate Bridge and eating fresh sourdough bread at Boudins Bakery. Walter is looking forward to helping out the Knights and the parish who has given so much love to his family. Walter is a transfer from the Fullerton council.

Welcome aboard men , and thanks for joining our council.



The Old and The New

Left, Tony Krawczak and Joe Kozak retire from our golf Tournament Chairmanship and will be replaced by, on the right, Jerry Labuda and Hugh Wood.



2022 COUNCIL DUES

If you haven't paid your 2022 membership dues yet, a reminder, please send a check for \$35 to, Knights of Columbus Council 9599, 3999 Rose Dr., Yorba Linda, CA 92886-1629. If you did not receive your 1st or 2nd notice please call Jerry Labuda @ 714-995-7097 or email Jerry @ NANCYJERRYL@yahoo.com. Please save the council extra expenses. The Council needs to pay a "per Capita Tax" for every member of the council to the State and Supreme Councils.



2022 ELECTION NEWS

ELECTION FOR OUR 2022-2023 COUNCIL OFFICERS WILL BE AT THE MAY COUNCIL MEETING

Nominations and a slate of officers will be posted and published in the May 2022 Knightly News. If you or someone you know would like to run for an office Please notify the Election Committee, Grand Knight Hugh Wood, Deputy Grand Knight Roberto Garcia, or Financial Secretary Jerry Labuda. Your names must be nominated from the meeting floor. **Below is a list of the Bother Knights wishing to run for an office and you can see we need someone to run for the Warden and Outside Guard positions. Please volunteer to help your council with the needed officers.**

Columbian Year 2022-2023 Slate of Officers

Here is the list of Brother Knights wishing to run for an office for the 2022-2023 Columbian year. The election will take place at the May 2022 council meeting. If you or another 3rd degree Brother Knight would like to run for an office, your names must be nominated from the meeting floor, or contact grand Knight Hugh Wood, Deputy Grand Knight Roberto Garcia, or Financial Secretary Jerry Labuda. If you're interested in helping as one of our committee chairmen, please let the newly elected Grand Knight know your intentions.

OFFICE CANDIDATE

Grand Knight	Hugh Wood
Deputy Grand Knight	Tom Arias
Chancellor	Joe Kozak
Recorder	Joe Antognini
Treasurer	Wayne Hacholski
Advocate	Roberto Garcia
Warden	
Inside Guards	Frank McBride
Outside Guards	
Lecturer	Mario Brunasso
Three Year Trustee	Tony Krawczak
Two Year Trustee	Tony Cruz
One Year Trustee	Ben Ramirez

Here is a list of the committee and chairmen needed.
Please volunteer for a non-voting chairmanship.

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Life Programs Director
Community Programs Director
Membership
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MOTHER’S DAY FLOWERS

Once again our council will be distributing roses on Mother’s Day after all the Masses on the weekend of May 7th and 8th. Please volunteer to help the council distribute the flowers.



Day of Sharing 2022



Left, PGK’s Benny Ramirez and Jerry Labuda join Grand Knight Hugh Wood at the 2022 Day of Sharing operating the Tic-Tac-Toe game at the event.



Supreme Knight Patrick Kelly traveled to Poland and Ukraine during Holy Week to meet with Knights and to witness and encourage their ongoing humanitarian efforts in response to the war. “What you are doing here really exemplifies that kind of courage that we are called to as Christian men,” he told a group of Knights in Rava-Ruska, in western Ukraine. “It’s the kind of courage that Father McGivney had when he founded the Knights in order to serve his parishioners who needed help.”

Photography: Audrey Gorb



Words To Live By
 Let gratitude be your attitude....

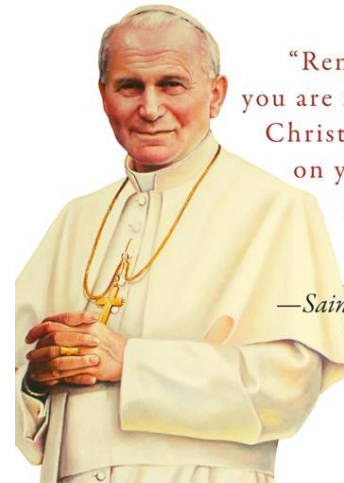
MAKE A DIFFERENCE

RECRUIT A NEW KNIGHT TODAY

PRAYER FOR OUR TROOPS
 Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands, Protect them as they protect us.
 Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need
 I ask this in the name of Jesus, our Lord and savior. Amen.

Prayer for Vocations
 Heavenly Father, bless your Church with an abundance of holy and zealous priests, deacons, brothers and sisters. Give those you have called to the married state and those you have chosen to live as single persons in the world, the special graces that their lives require. Form us all in the likeness of your Son so that in him, with him and through him we may love you more deeply and serve you more faithfully, always and everywhere, With Mary we ask this through Christ our Lord.
 Amen

Prayer for Healthcare workers
 Loving God, we place into your care all our doctors, nurses, and healthcare workers. Give them courage of heart and strength of mind and body, keep them safe from harm. May they know our deep gratitude for all they are doing to heal and help those affected by the coronavirus. God of all consolation may they know your protection and peace. Bless them in these challenging days and bless their families.
 Amen



“Remember that you are never alone. Christ is with you on your journey every day of your lives!”

—Saint John Paul II
 Pray for us!



This Month's Challenge

“My sheep hear my voice; I know them, and they follow me.” (Gospel for May 8, Jn 10:27)

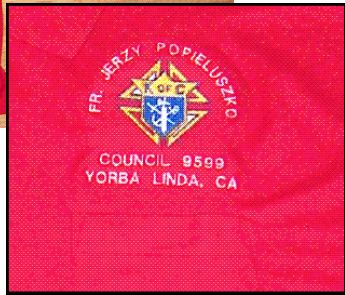
Jesus is the Good Shepherd, and the Church is his flock. But are you a good sheep? Do you hear his voice as he calls, teaches and leads you? If we want to follow the Shepherd and not become lost, we must know him well and listen intently. We come to know him most intimately through prayer, the Eucharist, Scripture and good spiritual reading. My brother Knights, let us continually listen to Christ’s voice so we can follow him ever more closely wherever he leads us.

Challenge by Supreme Chaplain Archbishop William E. Lori:

This month, I challenge you to pray the rosary every day and meditate intently on its mysteries to know Jesus better, and become ever more attuned to his voice. Second, during this month of Mary, I challenge you to join your council in holding the Faith in Action Rosary program.

Questions for Reflection:

Do you regularly make time to pray? Do you sometimes just go through the motions in prayer or at Mass, not really listening to what Christ is saying to you? What personal habits could you adopt in order to make your prayer life more focused, receptive and fruitful?



Council Shirts Now Available

New council shirts are now available to wear at
Our meetings and functions.

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One Year Trustee	Tony Krawczak	657-444-2596

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Message from the Bulletin Editor

All members of Council #9599 are welcome to place articles in the council bulletins. All articles must be received no later than the third Monday of the month in order to be published in the next months bulletin. For more information or to place an article in the bulletin, contact Jerry Labuda at, nancyjerry@sbcglobal.net or by phone at (714) 995-7097, or send an article to Jerry Labuda, 2519 W. Crescent Ave., Anaheim, Ca 92801-5004

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