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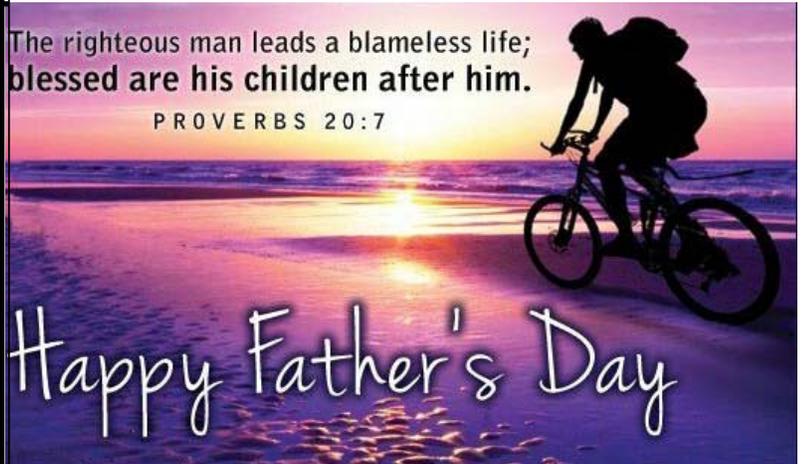
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HAPPY FATHER'S DAY! June 20, 2021

The righteous man leads a blameless life;
blessed are his children after him.

PROVERBS 20:7



Father's Day is the day to recognize, honor and celebrate the sacrifices and accomplishments of fathers. In 1910, the Washington State Governor declared Father's Day on the 19th of July. It then became a permanent federal holiday in 1972 when President Richard Nixon proclaimed that the third Sunday in June would be further known as Father's Day. On this day, children celebrate their fathers and father figures to show their love and appreciation.

In 1966, President Lyndon B. Johnson declared the third Sunday in June as Father's Day. It became a permanent holiday in 1972 when President Richard Nixon proclaimed that the third Sunday in June would remain Father's Day.

In 2014, 4% of all U.S. children lived only with their fathers. It is easier for a father to have children than for children to have a real father. - Pope John XXIII.

From Pope Francis's General Audience address in 2014: "I would like to greet today, being fathers' day, all parents, all fathers: I greet you from the heart! Let's see: are there any fathers in the square? Raise your hands, dads! Look, there are many fathers! Best wishes, best wishes to you on your day!"

I ask for you the grace to be ever closer to your children, allow them to grow, but be close, close! They need you, your presence, your closeness, your love. May you be for them as St. Joseph was: guardians of their growth in age, wisdom and grace. May you guard them on their journey: be educators and walk with them. And by this closeness you will be true educators. Thank you for all you do for your children: thank you. Best wishes to you, and a happy fathers' day to all fathers here, and to all fathers. May St. Joseph bless you and accompany you."

Notes From the Top: Grand Knights Message



My Dear Brother Knights,

Just a couple of weeks ago, we celebrated Pentecost, the birthday of the Church. One cannot think of Pentecost without considering evangelization and the commission given to all of us from our Lord and Savior: "Thus it is written that the Messiah would suffer and rise from the dead on the third day and that repentance, for the forgiveness of sins, would be preached in his name to all the nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things." (Luke 24:46-47).

But what does that have to do with the Knights of Columbus? Pope St. John Paul II called us the "strong right arm" of the Church. The primary mission of the Church is to evangelize and as Her strong right arm we are called to evangelize as well, each according to his own talents.

Councils evangelize by their works of charity and service to the Church and the community. Their efforts are fruitful if they are strong councils, rooted in the principles of our founder, Blessed Michael McGivney and in the teachings of the Church.

However, a strong council needs strong leadership. Unfortunately, we are at a crossroads regarding our council. We are in danger of not having anyone willing to fill the role of deputy grand knight or grand knight. I again implore you to prayerfully consider these two positions and other open positions as well.

Please never forget that I and other officers are always available to help you make a decision regarding becoming an officer or finding your stride as an officer.

May God the Father bless us all in our efforts as Knights of Columbus and we ask that He send the Holy Spirit to inspire us to help bring the light of Christ to others.

Fraternally in Christ,
Brother Jim

Notes From the Top: Deputy Grand Knights Message



Dear Brothers:

I want to first thank the Lord for all of the beautiful experiences of being the Deputy Grand Knight for the last year and a half. I also want to thank the Worthy Grand Knight and the officers for being so supportive, understanding, and dedicated to the Knights and the parish. Our council truly has a good group of Knights serving as officers.

It's been a year of on-line meetings, trying to get things done virtually, and some limited in-person events. Recruitment was

a difficult task, but we did add some Knights to our council this past year. Unfortunately, we also lost some. I look to welcoming the new Grand Knight, the new Deputy Grand Knight and the other new officers who are elected. I joyfully continue in prayer for everyone in this transitional year. May God continue to bless us all,

Fraternally
Brother John Rodriguez

Notes From the Top: Chancellor's Corner



Dear Brothers,

At Pentecost, at the 5 P.M. Mass on 5/23/2021, 9 adult candidates received the Sacrament of Confirmation. At Confirmation, the candidates receive a special outpouring of the Holy Spirit as once granted to the Apostles on the day of Pentecost. The Sacrament of Confirmation is a true participation in the mystery of Pentecost. It is a Gift ordered toward evangelization and witness to the Gospel.



Four of the five Cathecists for Adult Confirmation are Knights: Jim O'Hearn, Nick Schrod, Dcn. John Silberstein and myself. Our council is proud to have assisted the Adult Confirmandi on their journey of Faith and add 9 more evangelists of the Faith to our parish. Congratulations to the Adult Confirmandi!

JMJ,
Brother Tracy Higuchi

Notes From the Top: District Deputy's Message



Dear Brothers,

I want to say congratulations to the newly elected officers and to say well done to the out-going officers.

We are in the last month of the Columbian year and your current officers may be feeling a bit of what I called "senioritis" when I was a student. Please support them all the way to June 30th. I've noticed that the California State Council and the Supreme Council are pushing some councils to finish achieving Star Council. We need to focus on getting any

remaining forms in and recruiting a few more brothers with online exemplifications.

Your new officers are probably fidgeting and anxious to get started with their new duties. We need to schedule officer installations if we haven't already. But it isn't too soon to start planning the next Columbian year which runs from July 1, 2021 to June 30, 2022. Start planning your budget. Look at the requirements for Star Council and work those requirements into your planned schedule. Get training when it becomes available. Your goal should be that on July 1st you feel prepared and ready to start leading.

Some of you will be required to take Safe Environment Training for the Knights of Columbus. If you are required to take the training please get it done as soon as possible so that you are prepared to protect our vulnerable parishioners.

I am planning to be your District Deputy for one more year. My training is the last weekend of the month when I will learn which councils are in my district and what our new district number will be.

The churches are reopening and the current plan is that in about two weeks all Covid restrictions will be removed. Let's get ready for a great year!

Vivat Jesus!

Brother Michael Klett
District Deputy, CA District 120

Membership Director's Message



Dear Brothers,

Recruitment is the most important activity for the Knights of Columbus, membership development and to secure its existence, right? Not necessarily.

Member recruitment is definitely a key factor, but if we want our council to thrive, membership retention is the most important piece of the puzzle.

In order for new members to join, it's necessary to have a solid foundation of members which will always stimulate membership growth. Here are three reasons why retention is more important than recruitment:

1. Retention: a preservation of the aftereffects of experience and learning that makes recall or recognition possible. Get retention right and you will have built the basis for recruitment. High retention rates are the signal that you have happy, satisfied members.
2. It takes less effort to keep a member than find a new member, but also it is less expensive to retain a member than recruit a new one.
3. Recruiting members is primarily a function of great

marketing, but member retention is a function of both marketing, and more importantly, a great membership experience.

The bottom line is that recruitment is important for our council, but retention must be our first priority. If we master the art of member retention, then recruitment will be fun and easy, leading to success for our council. Several ways to accomplish this is:

- Evaluate and enhance our digital presence
- Implement modern ways of communication
- Improve Social Media engagement
- Post videos to website and social media
- Start a blog and keep it updated
- Host more events for current members and invite prospects

Over the next few months I would like to start with your help the retention process. To successfully attract and keep members, we must continually remind ourselves membership marketing is a process. No single "super" idea turns everything around. Until we face this, we will continue to repeat the mistakes of the past.

Fraternally
Brother Patrick Rivera

Notes From the Top:

Financial Secretary's Message



My Dear Brothers,

There is much good news to share this month. The church is on the verge of being fully open with no restrictions. Our council monthly meetings are now taking place in the church hall, and we are once again able to come together as a community of brother Knights. As more opportunities arise we will share them through the newsletter, website, and emails.

We all know the Order of Mass includes the Liturgy of the Word and the Liturgy of the Eucharist, but have you ever thought about the meaning of the word "Liturgy"? This word comes from Greek and it means public service, or public worship. The breaking of the bread as a community has been a part of the Catholic church from the very beginning, and it is important for us to gather together to share in the Body of Christ. Many in our community still have fears from the pandemic, and we must welcome everyone back to the church. The temple doors are open wide, and all are welcome inside!

Jesus commissioned us to "Go into all the world and preach the gospel to all creation." (Mark 16:15) Saint Kilian Church is a place that welcomes all who want to come and hear the Good News of the Lord. If you like to smile and are interested in joining the Hospitality Ministry (formerly known as Ushers) please visit the church ministry web page, our council website, or contact me for more information.

Vivat Jesus!
Brother Sean

It's Election Time!



As Knights we are called to service,
Answer the call, grow in your faith,
Consider becoming an officer!
Find your calling, review the officer
Descriptions on pages 11 and 12.

Notes From the Top: Field Agent's Message



The VANTAGE Annuity Advantage

Concerned about a comfortable and worry-free retirement? In addition to our traditional Flexible Premium Annuity, the Knights of Columbus offers the VANTAGE Single Premium Deferred Annuity, and it may be part of the answer for you.

With a single deposit of \$25,000 or more, the VANTAGE allows you to lock-in a guaranteed interest rate for five years. In addition, there are several attractive renewal options once the five-year period has expired, including keeping the funds in another VANTAGE Annuity, placing them in a more traditional, flexible premium annuity where the interest rate can be changed on a quarterly or more frequent basis, or — in the 30-day period prior to the fifth and tenth policy anniversaries — withdrawing the funds without a surrender charge. The VANTAGE Annuity, along with our Flexible Premium Annuity, provides the guarantees that Knights of Columbus members have

come to expect — guaranteed interest rates along with absolute safety of principal. In addition, we can easily accommodate roll-overs and transfers free of charge.

I will be happy to meet with you at your convenience — in your home — to discuss with you in detail how the Knights of Columbus can help you to secure the comfortable, worry-free retirement you want and deserve.

Mark Yubeta
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Lecturer's Corner Norm Abbod



Dear Brothers,

I gave this Invocation for two military groups on Monday, May 31, 2021 Memorial Day:

MEMORIAL DAY INVOCATION

Almighty God, we ask that thy blessing be bestowed on our friends, loved ones, and all those gathered here to honor those that have served our country and have given their lives so that we may stand here and still live in freedom. Freedom has never been "free" and has been paid for many times in blood.

We as a country have experienced, perhaps for the first time, the loss of many of our basic freedoms we always assumed due to the Covid-19 virus. However, these don't compare to no freedom at all in Communist countries like China, Russia, or Venezuela and a total loss of all freedoms. Today, people in Venezuela, the Middle East, and throughout the world are dying and hunger for freedom. We need to be constantly reminded of our gift of freedom and of those who gave everything to make sure future generations continue to live in a free, democratic society.

Lord, remembering those who have given their lives for our freedom is only half of the task before us today. We must carry their love, honor and duty forward to future generations. The future belongs to the young and our children must know who they were, what they did, and why they did it. To do anything less would be a disservice to their sacrifice and their memories.

As any Medal of Honor recipient will tell you, the real heroes are the ones that didn't come home. They gave up everything for our country, for us, and for the FREEDOM we assume every day. They did this because they loved our country and their family. All we can do is remember them and why they gave their lives.

AMEN.

Fraternally,
Br. Norm



Adult Faith Formation

**Raise Up Your Catholicism
Enter the Mystery
Touch the Divine**

Dear Brothers,

St. Kilian Adult Faith Formation is alive and well, even with the pandemic. Work has started on a new series on the Mass.

1) "Scripture with Your Pastor" blog series continues this month with the Book of Revelation. Brothers you can read the Scriptures along with Father Angelos and Father Tuan, and post questions and reflections about the Bible. Website:

<https://www.stkilianmissionviejo.org/scripture-with-your-pastor>

2) The End Times video series has 6 videos completed and a video on the Mass titled: "The Mystery of Sunday - Covenant, 7, and Creation" is available so please subscribe. Just go to our page here:

<https://www.youtube.com/user/jonathandgoodwin/featured>

And click on the Red Subscribe button. And when you do, you'll be the first to get notifications on our series on the Mass and other offerings

God Bless!

Br. Jonathan Goodwin

Blood Drive Results



Dear Brothers,

A quick note on the results of our Blood Drive from Sue Forster:

"I want to thank all of you for all your efforts in making the Blood drive a Success!

Here are your results:

Goal 30
Registered 43
Deferred 7
Q's -2
RBC ½
Whole Blood 32

Total of 34 good units and you saved 102 lives!

Best Regards,
Sue"

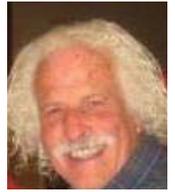
Thank you to all of you that came out to donate to make this a very successful Blood Drive!

And a special thank you to all of our brothers who volunteered and helped staff the Blood Drive!

Fraternally,
Bob Bochniarz



Recycle Drive News



Dear Brothers,

Well men, time is approaching for our June 19 monthly Recycle Drive. We start to set up at 6:30AM Saturday morning and collect ALUMINUM CANS, PLASTIC BOTTLES and PAPERS from 7AM to 12 NOON. There are three ways to sign up to help

1) EMail me at : ROBERTKNOKE@GMAIL.COM,

2) Telephone: (949) 472-1249

3) Online:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0d4aadad22a6f4c34-recycle>

Fraternally,

Br. Bob Knoke



Men's Retreat at Mater Dolorosa



Brothers,

Our annual K of C's, St. Kilian's Men's Retreat will resume this year, now that Mater Dolorosa is once again open! The weekend assigned to us, per request of a number of our members, is the weekend of November 19-21st, the weekend prior to Thanksgiving. Registration may be completed by going to the website for Mater Dolorosa www.materdolorosa.org.

We do have 15 spaces reserved, which we are hoping to fill. For further information, please call Bob Bochniarz @ (949)716-9055 OR Bob Knoke @ (949)472-1249.

May the passion of Jesus Christ be always in our hearts!

Fraternally,

Bob Bochniarz

General Business Meeting Update June 10, 2021 at 7:00 p.m. In the Hall!

Dear Brothers,

Good news continues! Our next General Business Meeting will be held again in person at Saint Kilian in Hughes Hall. Please note the time change to 7 p.m. Masks and social distancing rules will be observed. We hope to see everyone there. This meeting is very important since we will be nominating and electing officers for the 2021-2022 year. We encourage everyone to attend. For our brothers that cannot attend in person, the meeting will also be on Zoom.

Fraternally,

Your Council 6332, 2020-2021 Officers.

Sickness, Distress and Gratitude Prayer List

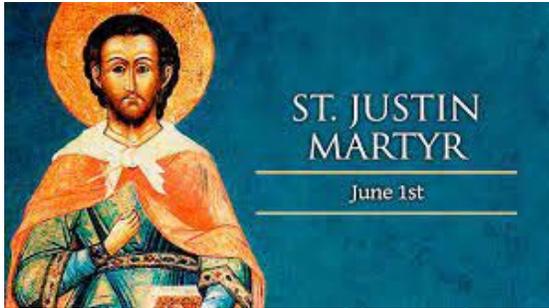


<u>Name</u>	<u>Sponsored By</u>	<u>For</u>
Jude DiBernardo	Anthony DiBernardo	Gratitude for successful surgery
Mary O'Hearn	Jim O'Hearn	Gratitude excellent recovery from surgery
Hedy The	Tracy Higuchi	Recovery, healing from open heart surgery
Toni Abbod	Norm Abbod	Healing for her leg
Sandy Sumich	Arnie Herrea	Recovery from cancer
Seth London	Council 6332	Prayers for a Br Knight now in Seminary School
Marianne Brown	Sean Gawne	Recovery kidney cancer surgery, spiritual healing and strength
Ed Thornton	Tracy Higuchi	Healing, cancer spreading, chemo not working
Joseph Abbod	Norm Abbod	Gratitude for all the prayers & receiving Communion
Stan White	Council 6332	Healing
Al Ladesma	Tracy Higuchi	Repose of the Soul
Martin Serrano	John Rodriguez	Repose of the Soul
Tadeusz Dudzinski	Sean Gawne	Repose of the Soul
Laura Rodriguez	John Rodriguez	Health
Thomas Rodriguez	John Rodriguez	Health
John Pellegrino	Tracy Higuchi	Repose of the Soul
Lisa, Kyle, Michael Pellegrino	Council 6332	Sympathy, emotional support
Raul Mendez	Arnie Herrea	Repose of the Soul
Patrick and Lora Rivera	John Rodriguez	Healing, Full recovery from Covid
Phil Mc Elhinney	Al Rizzo	Stage 4 Lung Cancer
Carolee Rodriguez	John Rodriguez	Repose of the Soul
Phyllis Merrill	William De Luca	Cancer
Lynn Stone and her sister	William De Luca	Covid
Linda Page	William De Luca	Brain Tumor
Marina Parada	William De Luca	Covid
Carmen Lozano	William De Luca	Covid
Belem Robles	William De Luca	Covid
Margaret Goodwin	Tracy Higuchi	Continued Healing, dementia
Brigette O'Hearn	Council 6332	Emotional support, healing
Will Crafts	Tracy Higuchi	Repose of His Soul
Joan Costa	Anthony DiBernardo	Healing cancer and successful chemotherapy
Shelby Vu	Michael Vu	recovery from surgery
Ken Johnson	Council 6332	Healing
Charlie Gorman	Ryan Flynn	Cancer
Ron Gryzanoski	Benedict Jones	Surgery
Doug Whitney	Anthony DiBernardo	Lung Transplant
Father Jerry Walker	Council 6332	Healing
Francis Kielty	Council 6332	Dementia
Bill White	William De Luca	Cancer surgery
Gil Correa	Council 6332	Cure/healing cancer
Sally Chung	Tracy Higuchi	Cure/healing for PNH, blood transfusions, clinical trial
Serena Madison	Stan White	Cure/healing cancer, lung surgery
Krystan O'Hearn	Jim O'Hearn	Healing/recovery cancer
Dr Jose Aguilar	Dcn John Silberstein	RIP
David J Spalenka	Benedict Jones	RIP
John Dorsey	David Edenhofer	Repose of his soul
Kyle Wright	Herb Lank	RIP
Kaaron Carver	Norm Abbod	terminal cancer
Rodney Giles	Tracy Higuchi	Covid complications, liver transplant
Dave Weathers	Arnie Herrera	Continued recovery to full health
Donald "Scotty" Scott	Council 6332	Repose of his soul
Kerry Deguilio	Ryan Flynn	Cancer
Jim Zuley	Council 6332	Recovery cancer
Brother Lenny G Gibbons	Ryan Flynn	Possible lung cancer
Josefa Gibbons	Ryan Flynn	Cancer Stage 4
Gene Reyes	Bill Villanueva	Healing Heart Surgery
Wes Mayesseault	William De Luca	healing/cure cancer
Gene Wolf	Michael Urratio	RIP
Maria Luisa Rodero	Tony Rodero	Cure/healing cancer
Paul Garcia	Council 6332	spiritual and physical healing
John Viser	Bob Bochniarz	Cancer recovery
Medical and Essential Workers	Council 6332	gratitude & pray for their health/safety
Those sick with Covid19	Council 6332	Cure/healing recovery
Those who died from Covid	Council 6332	RIP and sympathy for their families

For Updates/additions please email Michael Vu and Tracy Higuchi

Feast Days And Important Dates -June 2021

Saint Justin, Martyr June 1, 2021

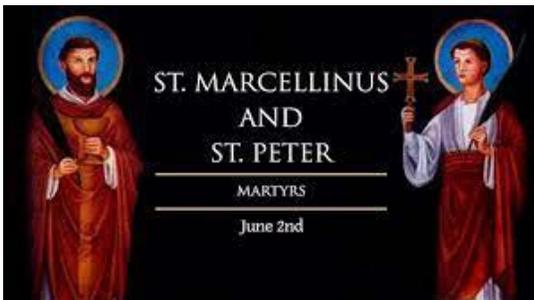


Justin, born in Palestine at the start of the second century, searched everywhere for truth. He traveled to big cities, where he talked and studied with wise teachers. One day, a stranger told Justin to read the Old Testament prophets, who had foretold the coming of Christ. He did this, and it led him to see that the Christian religion taught the truth. He was baptized.

Justin began to speak and write in defense of Christianity, since some people were attacking it. His books give us insight into the early Church. In one of them he described the ceremony of Baptism around the year 160. It was similar to the ceremony today. In another place, he wrote that the Sunday meetings of the Christian community included readings from Scripture, a homily, offering of bread and wine, and giving Holy Communion.

In about 165, Justin was arrested for being a Christian but refused to give up his faith. The Roman judge asked him, "Do you have an idea that you will go to heaven and receive some suitable rewards?" Justin answered, "It is not an idea that I have; it is something that I know well and hold to be most certain." The judge ordered him killed.

Saint Marcellinus and Peter, Martyrs June 2, 2021

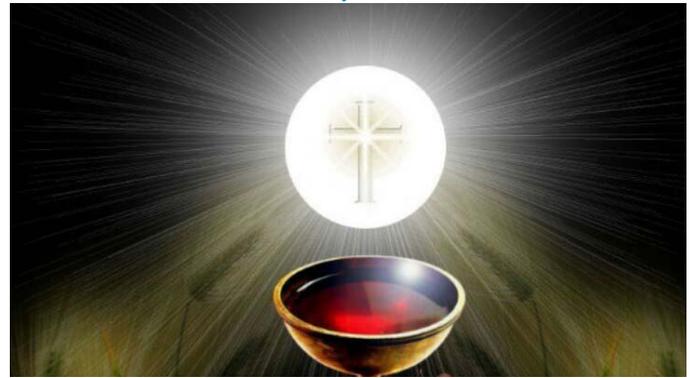


Saint Marcellinus was a priest who lived about 300, probably in Rome. One day, an exorcist named Peter, who was in prison because of his faith in Jesus, asked Marcellinus to baptize the jailer and his family, whom Peter had converted.

When the governor learned that Marcellinus had baptized Peter's converts, he called both men into court. He ordered them to offer incense to the false gods. When they refused, the governor commanded his soldiers to behead them. They were tortured before they were killed. They suffered quietly and joyfully because they loved Jesus and knew that he was waiting for them. Several years later, Constantine, the new Christian emperor, had a church built over the place where these martyrs were buried.

Marcellinus and Peter were prominent enough in the memory of the Church to be included among the saints of the Roman Canon. Mention of their names is optional in our present Eucharistic Prayer I.

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ June 6, 2021



The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ is also known as the Solemnity of Corpus Christi, which translates from Latin to "Body of Christ." This feast originated in France in the mid-thirteenth century and was extended to the whole Church by Pope Urban IV in 1264. This feast is celebrated on the Thursday following the Trinity Sunday or, as in the USA, on the Sunday following that feast.

This feast calls us to focus on two manifestations of the Body of Christ, the Holy Eucharist and the Church. The primary purpose of this feast is to focus our attention on the Eucharist. The opening prayer at Mass calls our attention to Jesus' suffering and death and our worship of Him, especially in the Eucharist.

At every Mass our attention is called to the Eucharist and the Real Presence of Christ in it. The secondary focus of this feast is upon the Body of Christ as it is present in the Church. The Church is called the Body of Christ because of the intimate communion which Jesus shares with his disciples. He expresses this in the gospels by using the metaphor of a body in which He is the head. This image helps keep in focus both the unity and the diversity of the Church.

The Feast of Corpus Christi is commonly used as an opportunity for public Eucharistic processions, which serves as a sign of common faith and adoration. Our worship of Jesus in His Body and Blood calls us to offer to God our Father a pledge of undivided love and an offering of ourselves to the service of others.

General Business Meeting June 10, 2021 at 7:00 p.m. In the Hall!

Dear Brothers,

Good news continues! Our next General Business Meeting will be held again in person at Saint Kilian in Hughes Hall. Please note the time change to 7:00 p.m. Masks and social distancing rules will be observed. We hope to see everyone there. This meeting is very important since we will be nominating and electing officers for the 2021-2022 year. We encourage everyone to attend. For our brothers that cannot attend in person, the meeting will also be on Zoom.

Fraternally,
Your Council 6332, 2019-2021 Officers.

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The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus June 11, 2021



The Feast of The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus is one of the most widely practiced and well-known devotions in the Roman Catholic Church. It takes the physical heart of Jesus as representation of His Divine love for humanity. The Feast of the Sacred Heart has been in the Roman Catholic Liturgical calendar since 1856, and is always celebrated 19 days after Pentecost Sunday. The feast of the Sacred Heart always falls on a Friday. The devotion especially emphasizes the unmitigated love, compassion, and long-suffering of the heart of Christ towards humanity.

In his Encyclical, "Miserentissimus Redemptor", Pope Pius XI stated, "The spirit of expiation or reparation has always had the first and foremost place in the worship given to the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus". The Resurrection of Christ. Tradition links Matthias with the country of Ethiopia, where he is believed to have met his martyrdom. The known facts about the missionary work and martyrdom of Matthias are not many. What is known is that he loved Christ and that he lived and died to spread the Good News as far as possible.

The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary June 12, 2021



The Memorial of the Immaculate Heart of Mary celebrates the interior life of the Blessed Virgin Mary. We remember her joys and sorrows, her virtues and hidden perfections, and above all, her love for God the Father, her maternal love for her son Jesus, and her compassionate love for all people.

Traditionally, the heart of Mary in artwork is depicted with seven wounds or swords, in homage to the seven sorrows of Mary. Also, roses or another type of flower may be wrapped around the heart.

Nevertheless, it was not until after the Apparitions at Rue du Bac made to Catherine Labouré in 1830, and the establishment of a society dedicated to the Immaculate Heart of Mary, at the Church of Our Lady of Victories in Paris in 1836, that this particular devotion became really well known. Since then devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary, has gradually grown more widespread in the Church, particularly since the apparitions at Fatima.

Saints John Fisher and Thomas More, Martyrs June 22, 2021



From the USCCB Witnesses to Freedom Fact Sheet:

Saints Thomas More and John Fisher were Renaissance Men. Talented and energetic, they contributed to the humanist scholarship of early modern England. More wrote theological and philosophical treatises, while making a career as a lawyer and government official. Bishop John Fisher worked as an administrator at Cambridge, confronted the challenge Martin Luther presented to Christian Europe, and most importantly served as Bishop of Rochester. As a bishop, he is notable for his dedication to preaching at a time when bishops tended to focus on politics. These men were brilliant. They both corresponded with Erasmus, who helped Bishop Fisher learn Greek and Hebrew, and who also famously referred to More as a man omnium horarium, a man of all seasons.

Above all their accomplishments, these men bore witness to a deep faith in Christ and his Church. More considered joining religious life and was assiduous in his devotional practices. As a married man, he committed himself wholly to his vocation as a father. At the time, disciplinary practices with children tended to be severe, but More's children testify to his warmth, patience, and generosity.

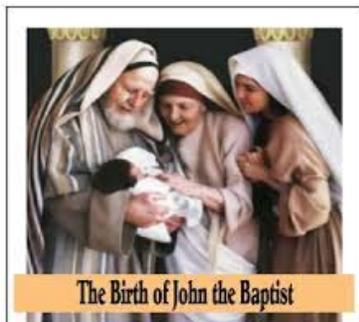
St. John Fisher was a model shepherd and demonstrated remarkable humility. He remained in the small Diocese of Rochester his entire episcopal ministry, devoting himself to his local church rather than seeking promotion to a larger, more powerful diocese.

More and Fisher are well-known for opposing King Henry's divorce. Ultimately, it was their refusal to sign an oath of supremacy that led them to be executed. King Henry VIII claimed to be the supreme head of the Church in England, asserting sovereign power over English Christians. Neither Fisher nor More could abide this claim, and their steadfastness to their consciences put them in conflict with the king. They were convicted of treason.

When More made his way to the gallows, he is said to have stated, "I die the King's good servant, but God's first." Both More and Fisher were patriots. They never rose up to incite rebellion or foment revolution. They were no traitors. But when the law of the king came into conflict with the law of Christ, they chose Christ. These men gave their lives for the freedom of the Church and for freedom of conscience. They bear witness to the truth that no government can make a claim on a person's soul.

Feast Days And Important Dates -June 2021

The Nativity of John the Baptist June 24, 2021



The Birth of John the Baptist

One day an angel appeared to Zachary and announced that he was to have a son named John, who would prepare Israel for the messiah. Zachary doubted that Elizabeth, his aged wife, could bear a child.

He asked for a sign, and the angel obliged. Zachary was struck dumb until John's birth. When the baby was born, the old man cuddled him and celebrated with this prophetic song:

*Blessed be the Lord, the God of Israel,
for he has visited his people, he has set them free;
and he has established for us a saving power
in the House of his servant David,
just as he proclaimed,
by the mouth of the holy prophets from ancient times,
that he would save us from our enemies
and from the hands of all those who hate us,
and show faithful love to our ancestors,
and so keep in mind his holy covenant.
This was the oath he swore
to our father Abraham,
that he would grant us, free from fear,
to be delivered from the hands of our enemies,
to serve him in holiness and uprightness
in his presence, all our days.
And you, little child,
you shall be called Prophet of the Most High,
for you will go before the Lord
to prepare a way for him,
to give his people knowledge of salvation
through the forgiveness of their sins,
because of the faithful love of our God
in which the rising Sun has come from on high to visit us
to give light to those who live in darkness and the shadow dark as
death,
and to guide our feet
into the way of peace.
—Luke 1:68–79 NJB*

Saint John began his ministry thirty years later. He called people to repent and baptized them in water as a sign of purification. Jesus himself approached John for baptism "Behold the lamb of God," John declared to the crowds, "who takes away the sin of the world." He resisted baptizing Jesus, but acquiesced when Jesus explained that he wanted to set an example of righteous behavior.

Herod, the ruler of Galilee, arrested John because he feared the Baptist might foment a rebellion. John had also embittered Herod by condemning his marriage to Herodias, his half-brother's wife. While in prison, John was bothered with doubt about Jesus. He had expected the messiah to come more forcefully with a "winnowing fan in his hand to clear the threshing floor." Thus, he sent his disciples to ask Jesus if he was really the messiah.

Jesus responded that he fulfilled all the messianic signs, healing the blind, the deaf, the lame, and lepers, raising the dead, and preaching good news to the poor. Then Jesus praised John to the crowds as "more than a prophet" and as the greatest man who ever

lived. One evening Herod threw a party for Galilee's upper crust. Herodias's daughter entertained, dancing so beautifully that Herod offered to reward her with anything she desired. Her mother told her to ask for John the Baptist's head on a platter. Herod kept his promise. Without even a pretense of a trial, he gave the order and a soldier beheaded John at the prison.

Saints Irenaeus, Martyr June 28, 2021

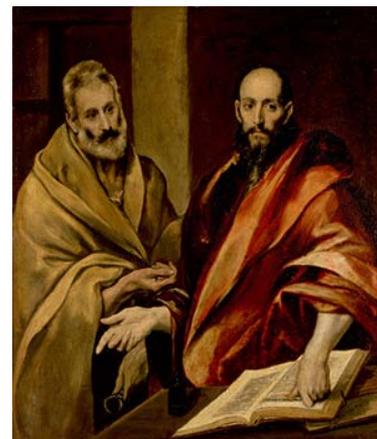


The Church is fortunate that Irenaeus was involved in many of its controversies in the second century. He was a student, well trained no doubt, with great patience in investigating, tremendously protective of apostolic teaching, but prompted more by a desire to win over his opponents than to prove them in error.

As bishop of Lyons he was especially concerned with the Gnostics, who took their name from the Greek word for "knowledge." Claiming access to secret knowledge imparted by Jesus to only a few disciples, their teaching was attracting and confusing many Christians. After thoroughly investigating the various Gnostic sects and their "secret," Irenaeus showed to what logical conclusions their tenets led. These he contrasted with the teaching of the apostles and the text of Holy Scripture, giving us, in five books, a system of theology of great importance to subsequent times. Moreover, his work, widely used and translated into Latin and Armenian, gradually ended the influence of the Gnostics.

The circumstances and details about his death, like those of his birth and early life in Asia Minor, are not at all clear.

Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles June 29, 2021



Peter and Paul are giants of the Church. Both are apostles. Peter was very likely a middle-aged man when Jesus called him. He was a fisherman from Bethsaida, a village near the Lake of Galilee. Perhaps he was part of a fisherman's co-op with his brother Andrew and friends James and John. At any rate, Andrew introduced Peter to Jesus. Jesus said, "You are Simon son of John; you are to be called Cephas, meaning Rock."

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During the three years the apostles lived with Jesus, Peter showed definite signs of leadership. He was often the spokesman for the group. When Jesus asked, "Who do you say I am?" Peter replied, "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God." It was Peter who objected to Jesus' stating that he was on his way to Jerusalem to suffer and die. Peter is mentioned 195 times in the New Testament. He appears lovable, impetuous, practical, and sometimes weak under pressure. Jesus loved him dearly, even after Peter denied knowing him during the passion

Peter became the leader in the early Church. According to the Acts of the Apostles, he was the first to preach on Pentecost. He arranged for the selection of Matthias to replace Judas. He worked the first public miracle: curing the lame man at the temple gate. He welcomed the first person who was not Jewish into the Church. People thought just his shadow passing by would cure them.

Peter was imprisoned three or four times. Finally, in Rome, he was sentenced to death by crucifixion. Out of respect for his Master, Jesus, he asked the guard to fasten him to the cross upside down. He was buried in an old Roman cemetery, probably where the basilica of St. Peter is today. He is called the "Prince of the Apostles." Two letters in the Bible are said to be his.

St. Paul the Apostle was the greatest of the early Christian missionaries. He first appears in the Acts of the Apostles under the name of Saul. Saul was raised in the Jewish faith as a Pharisee trained in the strict observance of God's Law. He believed the Law should be obeyed by himself and all Jews. Saul was upset by the early Christian Church, believing that the early Christians had broken away from their Jewish traditions. He actively persecuted the Church in Jerusalem. As the first Christian martyr Stephen was being stoned to death, Saul watched the cloaks of the persecutors (Acts 7:58).

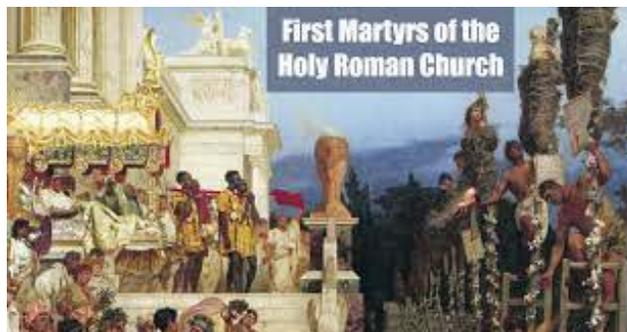
Paul then traveled to Damascus to further persecute early Christians. On the road to Damascus Saul had an encounter with the Risen Jesus Christ (Acts of the Apostles 9:1-19, Galatians 1: 13-14). Jesus asked, "Saul, Saul, why are you persecuting me?" Paul replied, "Who are you, sir?" Jesus responded, "I am Jesus whom you are persecuting" (Acts 9: 4 - 5). Jesus then sent Saul into Damascus to wait for further instructions. Saul was shaken and blinded by the experience. When a Christian named Ananias came and baptized Saul, his blindness went away. As a result of this encounter Saul became a follower of Christ. He was now convinced that fellowship with the risen Jesus Christ, not the observance of the Law, was all that was needed to receive God's promise of salvation. (Galatians 1:11-12; 3:1-5)

Saul, whose name now became Paul, went to Jerusalem to consult with Peter (Galatians 1: 18). After his first missionary journeys, Paul was called by Jesus to proclaim the Gospel to the Gentiles. He spent the rest of his life journeying on his missions, establishing local churches, and writing to them when he heard of their accomplishments and failures. Paul's letters are the earliest records of the life and history of the early Church. As inspired by the Holy Spirit Paul's letters are part of the Canon of the New Testament. As a record of the happenings in the early Church they are in invaluable record of the expansion of the Christianity.

All together, there are 13 epistles that bear Paul's name as the author. However, scholars do not believe that he wrote them all. Paul himself was the author of first and second Thessalonians, Galatians, Philippians, first and second Corinthians, Romans, and Philemon. The epistles to the Ephesians, Colossians, Titus, and first and

second Timothy bear Paul's name, but it is believed that they were written after his death. The writers of these letters were disciples of Paul who wanted to continue his teaching. Whoever the authors of these epistles were, these writings have been accepted into the New Testament as inspired by the Holy Spirit

The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church June 30, 2021



There were Christians in Rome within a dozen or so years after the death of Jesus, though they were not the converts of the "Apostle of the Gentiles" (Romans 15:20). Paul had not yet visited them at the time he wrote his great letter in 57-58 A.D.

There was a large Jewish population in Rome. Probably as a result of controversy between Jews and Jewish Christians, the Emperor Claudius expelled all Jews from Rome in 49-50 A.D. Suetonius the historian says that the expulsion was due to disturbances in the city "caused by the certain Chrestus" [Christ]. Perhaps many came back after Claudius' death in 54 A.D. Paul's letter was addressed to a Church with members from Jewish and Gentile backgrounds.

In July of 64 A.D., more than half of Rome was destroyed by fire. Rumor blamed the tragedy on Nero, who wanted to enlarge his palace. He shifted the blame by accusing the Christians. According to the historian Tacitus, many Christians were put to death because of their "hatred of the human race."

Nero had Christians covered with pitch and set on fire to light the way for his night drive through the park. He had some Christians sewn into animal skins and left in the woods so that he and his guests could go hunting for them. In the two centuries after Nero, thousands of Christians were put to death. All these unnamed martyrs are honored on the day after the feast of Saints Peter and Paul.

Threatened by an army revolt and condemned to death by the senate, Nero committed suicide in 68 A.D. at the age of 31.

Officer Descriptions

Grand Knight

The grand knight is responsible for the welfare of the council. He presides over council meetings, acts as an ex-officio member of all committees, appoints a membership and programming director, convenes officers for a monthly meeting, and ensures all necessary reports are submitted to the state and Supreme Council. He should also be aware of the council's financial status and ensure that his signature appears on all checks drawn. The grand knight is a member of the Advisory Board with general supervision of the council's Columbian Squire circle. *For more specific duties and responsibilities, refer to the Grand Knight's Handbook (#915).*

Chaplain

The chaplain is the spiritual advisor of the council. He is expected to make a report at council meetings on religious matters. The grand knight appoints a priest in accordance with any rules established by the bishop of the diocese to serve as council chaplain. *For more specific duties, responsibilities and eligibility, refer to the Chaplain's Handbook (#945).*

Deputy Grand Knight

The deputy grand knight is second in command. He assists the grand knight with council affairs and fulfills all duties assigned to him by the grand knight. Should the grand knight be absent from a council meeting, the deputy grand knight will preside. He is chairman of the council's retention committee

and also a member of the Advisory Board charged with overseeing the council's sponsored Columbian Squires circle.

Chancellor

The chancellor has a variety of responsibilities. Primarily, he assists the grand knight and the deputy grand knight in the execution of their duties and oversees the council in both their absences. He is charged with strengthening the members' interests in council activities. The chancellor is chairman of the admission committee and a member of the Columbian Squires circle ceremonial team.

Recorder

The recorder is similar to a court reporter or a secretary. He is responsible for maintaining a true record of all actions of the council and its correspondence. A Recorder's Minute Book (#1403) is available from the Knights of Columbus Supply Department for keeping a record of council meetings.

Financial Secretary

The financial secretary is appointed by the supreme knight, upon recommendation of the council. His main area of responsibilities is maintaining all financial and membership records. He collects and receives all moneys from all sources, including annual dues from council members. He also handles supply orders for the council officers and members, filing the Report of Officer

(#185), and submitting all membership transactions to the Supreme Council. *For more specific duties and responsibilities, refer to the Financial Secretary Handbook (#1410).*

Treasurer



The treasurer is responsible for the safe-keeping and maintaining records of all council funds and accounts. He is responsible for depositing money into the council's accounts and provides a certificate of such monies to the grand knight. He is also responsible for payment of all expenses.

Lecturer



The lecturer is appointed by the grand knight to provide both educational and entertaining programs to the council. He is responsible for the 'Good of the Order' portion of council meetings. In order to provide members with informative and educational programs, he must be knowledgeable and aware of all council programming.

Advocate



The advocate is the legal representative of the council and serves as the council's attorney at trials and investigations of any interest to the council. While he does not need to be a member of the legal profession, he should be familiar with the council by-laws, the Order's Charter, Constitution and Laws (#30), Methods of Conducting a Council Meeting (#1937), and Robert's Rules of Order.

Warden



The warden is the 'watchdog' for council property and degree paraphernalia, except the property of the financial secretary, treasurer and recorder. He is also responsible for setting up the council chambers for meetings and ceremonial work. During ceremonial exemplifications, he will appoint and supervise guards.

Inside & Outside Guards



The guards have similar responsibilities, but distinct differences. The outside guard tends to the outer door admitting visitors and members to the inner door. Once at the inner door, the inside guard checks to make sure that their membership cards are current.

Board of Trustees



The board of trustees consists of three members elected by the council and the grand knight, who serves as chairman of the board. They oversee the work of the financial secretary and treasurer, and with the deputy grand knight serve on the council's retention committee. During council elections, only the three-year trustee is voted on, with the others moving on to become two- and one-year trustees, respectively.



**Knights of Columbus
Cardinal McIntyre Council No. 6332**

June , 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Some events TBD Pending Full Opening of St. Kilian		Saint Justin, 1	Saints Marcellinus and Peter, 2	Officer Meeting 7 p.m. Saint Charles Lwanga & Companions 3	Adoration 10:00 p.m. - 6:00 a.m. TBD	Saint Boniface 5
The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ 6			Saint Ephrem, Doctor of the Church 9	Business Meeting 7 p.m. Officer Election. 4th Degree Meeting 10 7:30 p.m.	The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus 11	The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary 12
Welcome Ministry TBD 13						Recycle 7:00 a.m. - Noon Saint Romuald 19
Corporate Communion 8:30 Mass Father's Day 20	Saint Aloysius Gonzaga 21	Potluck 6:30 p.m. Saints John Fisher & Thomas More 22		The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist, Officer Mtg 7pm 24		
	Saint Irenaeus, 28	Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles 29	The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church 30			



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July , 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Some events TBD Pending Full Opening of St. Kilian				Saint Junipero Serra Business Meeting 7:00 1 p.m.	Adoration 10:00 p.m. - 6:00 a.m. 2	Saint Thomas, Apostle 3
Independence Day 4	Independence Day Observed Saint Anthony Zaccaria 5	Saint Maria Goretti 6		4th Degree Meeting 7:30 p.m. 8	Saint Augustine Zhao Rong and Companions 9	
Welcome Ministry after Morning Masses 11		Saint Henry 13	Saint Kateri Tekakwitha 14	Saint Bonaventure 15		Recycle 7- 12 Noon 17
		Saint Apollinaris 20	Saint Lawrence of Brindisi 21	Saint Mary Magdalene 22	Saint Bridget 23	Saint Sharbel Makhluf 24
	Saint Joachim and Anne, parents of the Blessed Virg Mary 26			Saint Martha Officer Meeting 7:00 p.m. 29	Saint Peter Chrysologus 30	Saint Ignatius of Loyola 31

ROSE & ROSARY PROGRAM: Our Council distributes Knights of Columbus rosaries at the baptisms held the 2nd and 4th Saturday of the month at noon. A rosary is given to each family and it is a beautiful meaningful part of the ceremony. We are always interested in more Knights and their wives participating, and you can contact PGK Mike Ensley for further details. Note:
Pending Church re-opening

COFFEE & DONUTS PROGRAM: The Knights assist the Welcome Ministry with coffee and donuts in the parish hall after Sunday masses, and the 2nd Sunday of the month the Knights are the host ministry. We are responsible for picking up the donuts and bagels on Saturday evening as well as setting the table up in the hall. Sign-up sheets are available at the regular monthly Business Meeting and you can contact Brother Al Rizzo for further details.
6/13/2021 TBD

MEMBERSHIP/RECRUITMENT: Membership and recruitment are a never-ending process. All brothers should be actively promoting membership in the Knights. When you recruit other members you help us sustain and grow our ability to help others. 1st Degree Knights who recruit at least one person during their first year of service are eligible for the Shining Armor Award. For further details contact Patrick Rivera or the Deputy Grand Knight.

- The 2nd Sunday of the month, we staff our recruitment table. Sign-up sheets will be available pending church re-opening
- Also Brothers please consider re-attending any Degree that you have attended previously to revisit the important message of that Degree and to support our Brothers on their journey.

PANCAKE COMMITTEE: Pancake breakfasts are the most significant fund raiser and are held approximately 5 times per year. It is expected that all Knights make an effort to

attend and assist with duties as assigned. Dan Friedman has been appointed as the Pancake Breakfast Coordinator. Contact him for information and volunteering. Next Breakfast will be on TBD
pending church reopening

4TH DEGREE LIAISON: The 4th Degree Knights of Columbus, Santiago de Compostela Assembly #2305 meets the 2nd Thursday of the month in the Conference Center. For further details, contact PGK Joe Paulicivic Jr. Next mtgs are June 10th, and July 8th (dates contingent on Church re-opening)

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION: Adoration is always the First Friday of every month, Knights of Cardinal McIntyre Council have responded to the Pastor's concern that at least one good Catholic man be in attendance during the "small hours" (10:00 PM to 6:00 AM Saturday) so that other parishioners, women and children, can feel safe and confident to visit the Church at all hours. Please notify PGK Mike Ensley if you can participate. Our next Eucharistic Adorations will be on June 4, 2021 and July 1, 2021 (dates contingent on Church re-opening)

CORPORATE COMMUNION-

Corporate Communion will be at the 8:30 a.m. mass at St. Kilian every quarter. Please wear your name badge and sit with fellow Knights in the reserved seats. Our next Corporate Communion: June 20th, 2021

RECYCLE DRIVE

Monthly Recycle Drive held the 3rd Saturday of every month from 7 am until noon. We can use your help. If you are interested, please contact PGK Bob Knoke
Next Drive: June 19th, 2021

KOC POTLUCK

Our next Potluck will be on (TBD)
(dates contingent on Church re-opening)
Contact Brother Joe Paulicivic for more information.

NEXT COUNCIL MEETING

The next Council Business meeting will be on June 10th, at 7:00 p.m., the July meeting will be on July 1st at 7:00 p.m. Meetings will now be in the Parish Hall!

Council Officers—CY 2020-2021

	Grand Knight Br. Jim O'Hearn		Financial Secretary Br. Sean Gawne
	Deputy Grand Knight Br. John Rodriguez		Chancellor Br Tracy Higuchi
	Recorder Br. Joseph Oliva		Treasurer Br. Arnie Herrera
	Advocate Br Michael Vu		Warden Br. Bert Munoz
	Inside Guard Br. Gil Correa		Outside Guard Br. Robert Bochniarz
	One Year Trustee Br. Anthony DiBernardo		Two Year Trustee Church Director Br. Mike Ensley
	Three Year Trustee Br. Ryan Flynn		Chaplain Fr. Angelos Sebastian
	Lecturer Br. Norm Abbod		Financial Secretary Emeritus Br. Dave Edenhofer
	Community Director Br. Anthony Dibernardo		Youth & Recycle Dir Bob Knoke
	Our New Membership Director Br. Patrick Rivera		District Deputy Br. Michael Klett
			Insurance Agent Br. Mark Yubeta

"St. Kilian Council 6332 Monthly Recognition"

For brother knights as follows:

Degree Completions

Timothy Mahar	May 15	3rd Degree
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Transfers to our Council

None

Anniversary of Knights of Columbus Service

Joe Alber	June 1	39 Years
Raymond Toal	June 1	66 Years
Ben Attard	June 8	12 Years
Brian Berneking	June 8	12 Years
David Edenhofer	June 8	12 Years
Bill Villanueva	June 8	12 Years
John Chizmar	June 14	15 Years
Craig Hall	June 15	17 Years
Tom Riles	June 15	13 Years
Joshua Ching	June 16	1 Year
Patrick Stoker	June 16	6 Years
Patrick Rivera	June 18	1 Year
Jack Frisch	June 21	17 Years
Steve Hinton	June 21	17 Years
Al Rizzo	June 21	26 Years
Vincent Nunez	June 24	12 Years
Alejandro Alatorre	June 28	8 Years

Birthdays in June

Father Paul Vu	June 1
Gene Reyes	June 3
Daniel Murillo	June 5
Klayton Khishaveh	June 6
James Renzas	June 6
David Ball	June 7
Scott Bryars	June 9
Ron Gryzanoski	June 11
Paul Garcia	June 12
John Landgard	June 13
Steen Sellers	June 13
Grant Voss	June 14
Ed Fabela	June 15
Bob Knoke	June 16
Rob Regan	June 16
Mike Carr	June 17
John Connolly	June 18
Benny Jones	June 19
Jack Frisch	June 20
Eddie Vido	June 20
Derek Earley	June 24
Richard Lester	June 24
Tony Rodeiro	June 25
Al Rizzo	June 27
Paul Michelini	June 28