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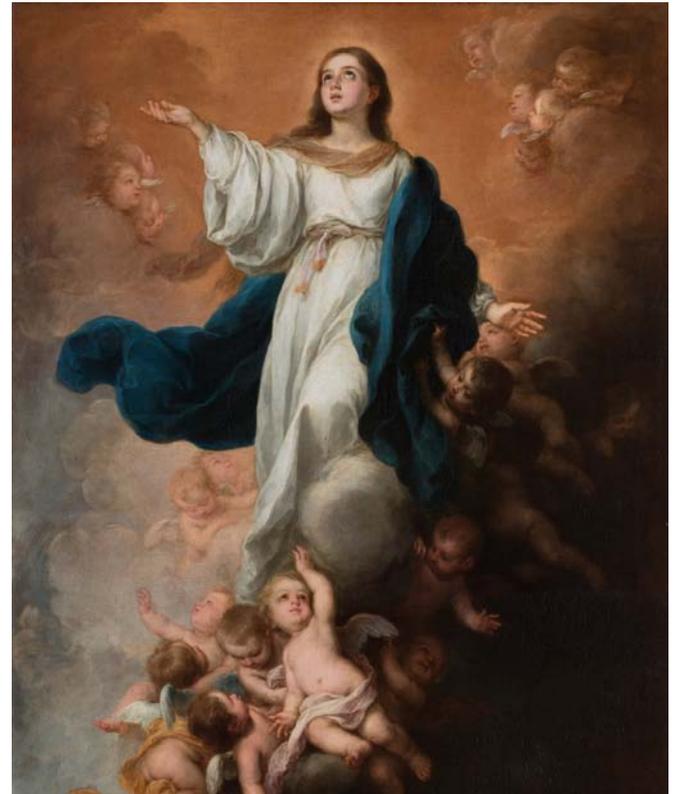
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Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary August 15, 2022



The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary is a Catholic holiday announced on November 1, 1950 by Pope Pius XII. It celebrates the day when the Holy Virgin Mary ended her earthly life and was taken to heaven together with her soul and body. However, already in earlier centuries, it was believed that Jesus glorified the body of his mother and took it to heaven making it similar to his and stressing the role of Mary in the history of salvation.

The Assumption is marked as a Holy Day of Obligation in the Roman Catholic Church. In the United States Assumption is a Holy Day of Obligation unless it falls on a Saturday or on a Monday, in which cases the precept to attend Mass is abrogated. This was decided by the National Conference of Catholic Bishops of the United States of America on December 13, 1991 (Canon 1246) and is effective as of January 1, 1993. Nevertheless, all the faithful are encouraged to attend mass on this day.

Notes From the Top: Grand Knights Message



My Dear Brother Knights,

Be grateful for every day and for the loved ones God has blessed you with.

Be gracious to all you meet and leave them with a generous experience of Our Heavenly Father's love.

For August, we are planning a BBQ dinner after the 4:30 p.m. Mass on Saturday the 27th. This is in lieu of a pancake breakfast. We will need plenty of volunteers to cook burgers and dogs, prep onions, tomatoes and lettuce, cut watermelon, restock cold drinks and other chores (like clean up). We will have sign up sheets and a digital sign up site as well.

Let's all pitch in to make this outing a huge success.

May God our Father be merciful to us all and bless us and our families abundantly.

Fraternally in Christ,
Brother Jim

Notes From the Top Deputy Grand Knight's Message:



Dear Brothers,

Why become a Knight? What do they do there? These are some of the questions that came to my mind when I was first praying over becoming a knight. What is the point of becoming a knight? What defines us as a brotherhood? What is our purpose? Then I heard the answer come to me from the literary of The Word, spoken at mass and through our clergy. The answers was so simple. We are the body of Christ. As a parish, as a fellowship, and as individuals. We are tasked as parishioners to take the work and word of our Savior Jesus Christ, then live it, breathe it, be the light in our community, yea, in our world.

To me being a Knight is to embody this spirit. We watch over and protect our church and our congregation. We are truly embodying being of service to the world we live in through our actions of philanthropy. Either when we give of our time, raise funds, and oversee the just disbursement of said funds. This is truly Christ's work, to benefit others through our service. Not for self seeking justification and accolades, but for the purity of being of service to others. Therein lies the bond of our fellowship. Therein lies the Gods true work for us. There you will find me, and I will walk tall next to you as we follow this path of service together.

I was never told I had to contribute this exact amount of money, or contribute so many hours to be a part of the Knights. Instead you welcomed me with open arms, not for

giving what I could and working when I was able, but just for who I am, and you knew that, Together Everyone Achieves More. T.E.A.M. Thank God for the Knights. I have built brotherhood and fellowship here though our combined ethics, integrity and deep commitment to our church and God. I look forward to working with you all, over the coming year as we truly do The Lord's work. Let's have some fun while we are at it. We can have fun and be of service at the same time? Right?! See you all soon!

Yours in Christ,
Brother Steen
Deputy Grand Knight

Notes From the Top: Chancellor's Message



Dear Brothers,

This month we are blessed to have 2 Feast Days for the Blessed Mother on the calendar: The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary on August 15th and the Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary on August 22nd. The Church has always believed in Mary's assumption into heaven and on November 1, 1950, Pope Pius XII declared that August 15th would be the Feast Day of the Assumption of Blessed Virgin Mary and reenforcing the Assumption of Mary as a dogma and mystery of our faith. Soon after in 1954 Pope Pius XII published his encyclical "To the Queen of Heaven" and declared that August 22nd would be the Feast Day celebrating the Blessed Virgin Mary as Queen of Heaven.

A quick note on evangelization, Br Rosendo brought his next door neighbor, Jerry to inquire about RCIA. Great job Rosendo! Brothers, we must remember that as practicing Catholics we need to be evangelizing and talking to our friends and neighbors and strangers proclaiming the Good News!

JMJ,
Brother Tracy Higuchi

Notes From the Top: Financial Secretary's Message



My Dear Brother Knights,

Due to an internet outage there is no article this month from our financial secretary.

However, Br. Sean is still actively seeking a replacement, the commute from Julian to Mission Viejo would be pretty rough, so please prayerfully consider contributing and helping your council as the financial Secretary. If you are interested in this role please contact me or the Grand Knight. You can reach me by email at seangawne@aol.com or by cell phone at (949) 280-4306. Jim can be contacted at jimohearn@gmail.com

Vivat Jesus!
The Editor

Notes From the Top: District Deputy's Message



Brother Knights,

There is no District Deputy Message this month, please stay tuned for a future article from our Worthy District Deputy.

Vivat Jesus,

Membership Director's Message



Dear Brothers,

We have 2 prospective members that came in online. Please pray that they will continue the process and become Knights!

Fraternally,
Brother Patrick Rivera

Blood Drive Update



Dear Brothers,

Good news!, our next Knight-sponsored blood drive will be on 8/25/22 from 11-4:00 in the classrooms above the church office. See the flyer in the newsletter on page 7 and sign up to donate, your donation will save lives!

Sincerely,
Brothers Bob Bochniarz & Sean Gawne

Knights on Bikes



My Brother Knights:

Looking for a few good St. Kilian Motorcycle Riders! If you, or if you know of any potential Knight who rides motorcycles, please consider joining Knights on Bikes, a group of practical Catholic gentlemen, comprised of Knights of Columbus members. Learn more as Knights on Bikes will be attending the Knights of Columbus Family Picnic at the Santiago Retreat Center on August 13, 2022 (<https://www.santiagoretreatcenter.org/kofcpicnic>) or see the flyer on page 8. For more information contact Brother Mario Alegre at marioalegre86@gmail.com. For information regarding Knights on Bikes in California: <https://knightsonbikescalifornia.com/>

Thanks,
Brother Mario

Notes From the Top: Field Agent's Message



Dear Brothers,

Blessed Michael McGivney founded the Knights of Columbus 141 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.

Fraternally yours,
Mark Yubeta
Fraternal Insurance Agent
949-322-7266



Recycle Drive News



Dear Brothers,

We have the check for the June Recycle Drive which came to \$615.83. The July check usually comes just before our August Drive. The next Recycle event will be held on Saturday, August 20 with set up at 6:30 A.M. and collecting from 7 A.M. to 12 noon. Want to help out cleaning up God's World one ALUMINUM CAN, one PLASTIC BOTTLE and one PAPER at a time

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Fraternally
Br. Bob Knoke



Adult Faith Formation

**Raise Up Your Catholicism!
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Dear Brothers,

St. Kilian Adult Faith Formation is alive and well, and work continues on our videos on "The Mass" and the "The Mystery of the End Times with a new video in the works Looking into the Chasm.

1) "Scripture with Your Pastor" blog series continues to be on break. Brothers you can read the past reflections and questions with answers from Father Angelos and Father Tuan on the Website:

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

2) The End Times video series has **3 recent videos**: "This Generation Will Not Pass Away Again", "Sign of Christ in the Sky" and "Sending Out Angels With Trumpets" and they are available for viewing so please subscribe. Just go to our Catholic Mystery web page here:

<https://youtube.com/c/CatholicMystery>

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

Lecturer's Corner
Norm Abbod



Brother Knights:

An update on Toni Abbod, she is finally home after 6 weeks recuperating from her surgery at a skilled nursing facility!

Br Norm says that Toni has had Physical, Occupational, Speech-Therapists and two different nurses checking on her vital signs, etc. Toni can now walk down the hallway and almost every place in the house.

We will continue praying for Toni and for all of our brothers and sisters that are on the sickness and distress list.

Fraternally,
The Editor

Sickness, Distress and Gratitude Prayer List

<u>Name</u>	<u>Sponsored By</u>	<u>For</u>
Frieda Kanoor	Jim O'Hearn	Recovery from hospitalization,
Birgit O'Hearn	Council 6332	Healing, Recovery from Covid
Katherine Goodwin	Tracy Higuchi	Healing, and diagnosis for her illness
Toby Renzullo	Jonathan Goodwin	Cancer
Serena Madison	Council 6332	Repose of the Soul
Nancy Bold	John Connolly	Repose of the Soul
David Booth	Tom Real	Repose of the Soul
Rosemary Black	Tracy Higuchi	Gratitude, she is home after 129 days NICU & surgery
Toni Abbod	Norm Abbod	Home after 6 weeks in SNF, continued recovery-cancer surgery
Ron Gryzanoski	Al Dilingham	Covid, Broken back, Kidneys, Dialysis
Evelyn Jose	Ray Trebels	RIP
Mary Ann Gilmore	Ryan Flynn	Hospice
Arnie Herrera	Anthony DiBernardo	Healing Cancer
Jim Kitka	Mike Williams	Cancer, Chron's disease
Dara Murdy	Gary Murdy	Healing
Clark Brody	Mike Williams	healing birth defects
Hedy The	Tracy Higuchi	healing: ER visit- internal bleeding, full recovery heart surgery
Justin Taylor	RCIA Catechists	Repose of the Soul
Jim Moore	Tracy Higuchi	Recovery, knee replacement surgeries
People of Ukraine	Council 6332	Peace, healing, comfort, relief
Jim O'Hearn	Council 6322	Kidney stone 2nd procedure recovery
Sally Chung	Tracy Higuchi	PNH complications, liver, iron overload, phlebotomy, Hgb drop
Raiden Xavier Correa	Bob Knoke	Repose of the Soul for Br. Correa's baby grandchild
Richard Urratio	Michael Urratio	Repose of the Soul
Walter Francois	Council 6322	Repose of the Soul
Alex Urratio	Michael Urratio	Repose of the Soul
Dan Friedman	Norm Abbod	Healing
Bill O'Hearn	Jim O'Hearn	Repose of the Soul
Phillip Mc Elhinney	Al Rizzo	Stage 4 spine Cancer
Father Jerry Walker	Council 6332	Repose of the Soul
Cindy DeMior	John Connolly	Healing
Mary Moore	Tracy Higuchi	Healing
Diana Nieto	Arnie Herrera	Hospitalization, healing
Sally Chung	Tracy Higuchi	Gratitude for PNH clinical trial
Nicholas Black Elk	Mike Williams	Canonization of
David Smith	Sean Gawne	RIP
Ed Thornton	Tracy Higuchi	Repose of the soul
Margaret Goodwin	Tracy Higuchi	Repose of her soul
Rita Gledich	Council 6332	RIP
Patti Closs	Council 6332	RIP
Geri Paulcivic	Council 6332	Healing
Ginny White	William Deluca	RIP
Alfred Di Domenico	William Deluca	Hospice
Carla and Venessa Vielleux	William Deluca	Crones and Colitus
Jonah and Tiffany Peter	William Deluca	HLH Disease
Karl Beierschmitt	Council 6332	RIP
Francis Keilty	Council 6332	RIP
Tony Gomez	Jim O'Hearn	Mitral heart valve replacement
Br. Gil Correa	Council 6332	RIP
Audrey White	Ron White	Cancer
Kevin Snider	Ron White	Cancer
John Visser	Bob Bochniarz	RIP
Joe Pickett	Ron White	Cancer
Kathy Anderson	Ron White	Cancer
Manual Alegre	Mario Alegre	surgery/rehab
Stan White and Family	Council 6332	Prayers for comfort, support during the time of thier loss
Norma Johnson	Joe Paulcivic	Stage 3 cancer
Bettie Correa	Council 6332	Sympathy and Support
Jude DiBernardo	Anthony DiBernardo	Gratitude for successful surgery
Seth London	Council 6332	Prayers for a Br Knight in Seminary School
Stan White	Council 6332	Healing
Laura and Thomas Rodriguez	John Rodriguez	Health
Medical and Essential Workers	Council 6332	gratitude & pray for their health/safety
Those sick with rare diseases	Council 6332	Cure/healing recovery
Those who died from Covid	Council 6332	RIP and sympathy for their families

For Updates/additions please email Patrick Rivera and Tracy Higuchi

BLOOD DRIVE

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Thursday, August 25, 2022

11:00 am - 4:00 pm

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FEAST DAYS-AUGUST 2022

St. John Vianney August 4, 2022



Jean-Baptiste-Marie Vianney, known as John in English, was born May 8, 1786 in Dardilly, France and was baptized the same day. He was the fourth of six children born to Matthieu and Marie Vianney. John was raised in a Catholic home and the family often helped the poor and housed St. Benedict Joseph Labre when he made his pilgrimage to Rome.

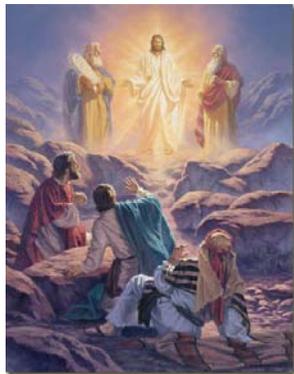
A man with vision overcomes obstacles and performs deeds that seem impossible. John Vianney was a man with vision: He wanted to become a priest. But he had to overcome his meager formal schooling.

His failure to comprehend Latin lectures forced him to discontinue. But his vision of being a priest urged him to seek private tutoring. After a lengthy battle with the books, John was ordained.

With Catherine Lassagne and Benedicta Lardet, he established La Providence, a home for girls. Only a man of vision could have such trust that God would provide for the spiritual and material needs of all those who came to make La Providence their home. His work as a confessor is John Vianney's most remarkable accomplishment. In the winter months he was to spend 11 to 12 hours daily reconciling people with God. In the summer months this time was increased to 16 hours. Unless a man was dedicated to his vision of a priestly vocation, he could not have endured this giving of self day after day.

Many people look forward to retirement and taking it easy, doing, but John Vianney had no thoughts of retirement. As his fame spread, more hours were consumed in serving God's people. Even the few hours he would allow himself for sleep were disturbed frequently by the devil.

In 1929, Pope Pius XI named him the patron of parish priests worldwide..



Transfiguration of the Lord August 6, 2022

All three Synoptic Gospels tell the story of the Transfiguration (Matthew 17:1-8; Mark 9:2-9; Luke 9:28-36). With remarkable agreement, all three place the event shortly after Peter's confession of faith that Jesus is the Messiah and Jesus' first prediction of his passion and death. Peter's eagerness to erect tents or booths on the spot suggests it occurred during the week-long Jewish Feast of Booths in the fall.

According to Scripture scholars, in spite of the texts' agreement it is difficult to reconstruct the disciples' experience, because the Gospels draw heavily on Old Testament descriptions of the Sinai encounter with God, and prophetic visions of the Son of Man. Certainly Peter, James, and John had a glimpse of Jesus' divinity strong enough to strike fear into their hearts. Such an experience defies description, so they drew on familiar religious language to describe it. And certainly Jesus warned them that his glory and his suffering were to be inextricably connected—a theme John highlights throughout his Gospel.

Tradition names Mount Tabor as the site of the revelation. A church first raised there in the fourth century was dedicated on August 6. A feast in honor of the Transfiguration was celebrated in the Eastern Church from about that time. Western observance began in some localities about the eighth century.

On July 22, 1456, Crusaders defeated the Turks at Belgrade. News of the victory reached Rome on August 6, and Pope Callistus III placed the feast on the Roman calendar the following year.

St. Dominic August 8, 2022



Truth was Dominic's motto and his goal. Dominic was born in Spain, the youngest of four children. He was educated by his uncle, a priest. Dominic became a priest and joined a religious community.

Dominic might have lived his whole life in that monastery he had not gone with his bishop to northern Europe in 1204. As they traveled, Dominic saw that many people were following heretics, or false teachers. One heresy was Albigensianism, named for the French town of Albi where it had begun. These who followed this heresy taught that people do not have a free will. They taught that marriage was bad, but suicide and the killing of elderly or fatally ill people could be good. Because these heretics lived strict lives with little comfort, people believed them.

Dominic saw that the Catholics sent by the pope to preach against the heresies lived in comfort. The people would not accept their teaching because their lives did not support what they taught. Dominic, his bishop, and three Cistercian monks went from city to city preaching the truth of Christ, using the Bible. They went on foot, depending on others for food and a place to sleep. Soon people returned to the faith—not only because of what these preachers said, but because of how they lived.

In 1206 Dominic began an order of religious women. At one point the bishop died, and the three monks left Dominic. To make matters worse, war broke out between the heretics and some Church members. Dominic's mission seemed to be failing. At this time he was greatly supported by the prayers and encouragement of the Sisters.

By 1215 a few men had joined Dominic in his work of preaching. He founded the Order of Preachers, better known as the Dominicans. Dominic urged his members to study and to pray. Then they would be ready to preach. Dominic realized that to be true witnesses of the Gospel, Dominicans could not be wealthy. His followers also deeply loved the Blessed Virgin Mary and spread devotion to her through the rosary.

Dominic's community was different from most because his friars traveled and preached instead of staying in their monastery. Dominic's order tried to reach the well-educated who were deceived by heresy, while the Franciscans went to the poor and uneducated.

While St. Dominic was on a preaching mission through northern Italy, he died, only six years after he had founded his community.

Dominic was able to draw the members of this community together and inspire them to love and forgive one another. He was outstanding for his love of truth, his clear thought, his organizing ability, and his sensitive, loving nature. For Dominic, love for people was part of his love for God.

Pope Gregory IX canonized St. Dominic on July 13, 1234, and his feast day is August 8

Blessed Father Michael J. McGivney August 13, 2022



Blessed Michael McGivney's Story

The eldest son of an immigrant Irish family in Connecticut, young Michael left school at 13 to work in a brass factory making spoons. At 16 he began studies for the priesthood in Quebec, but was obliged to leave to help support the family when his father died. Michael completed his education in Baltimore, Maryland, and was ordained for the diocese of Hartford in 1877.

Assigned to St. Mary's Parish in New Haven, Fr. McGivney was very active in parish and civic affairs, serving as director of public plays and fairs. He volunteered to become the guardian of Alfred Downes, a minor whose father had died leaving a large family in poverty. This situation as well as his own family's circumstances and that of other immigrants impressed on Fr. McGivney the need for lay Catholic men to establish a mutual aid society to provide financial assistance for their families if the primary wage earner died. Protestant fraternal groups already provided this type of life insurance protection for their members.

In 1882, Fr. McGivney formed the Knights of Columbus among a small group of St. Mary's parishioners to promote charity, unity, and fraternity, assisting widows and orphans. Because of the Knights' emphasis on serving Church, community and family, the organization grew and did not remain strictly parish-based. Patriotism was added as a founding principle in 1900.

Father McGivney died from pneumonia in 1890 and was buried in Thomaston, Connecticut. Later his body was moved back to St. Mary's in New Haven where it remains today. He was beatified in 2020.

Michael Joseph McGivney was a genuine pastor who, in the words of Pope Francis, was unafraid to share "the smell of his sheep." He promoted families whose members were strong in their faith expressed through generous following of the corporal and spiritual works of mercy. In a decree read at the beatification Mass, Pope Francis praised Fr. McGivney's "zeal and the proclamation of the Gospel and generous concern for his brothers and sisters." These "made him an outstanding witness of Christian solidarity and fraternal assistance.

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St. Maximilian Kolbe August 14, 2022



"I don't know what's going to become of you!" How many parents have said that? Maximilian Mary Kolbe's reaction was, "I prayed very hard to Our Lady to tell me what would happen to me. She appeared, holding in her hands two crowns, one white, one red. She asked if I would like to have them—one was for purity, the other for martyrdom. I said, 'I choose both.' She smiled and disappeared." After that he was not the same.

He entered the minor seminary of the Conventual Franciscans in Lviv—then Poland, now Ukraine—near his birthplace, and at 16 became a novice. Though Maximilian later achieved doctorates in philosophy and theology, he was deeply interested in science, even drawing plans for rocket ships.

Ordained at 24, Maximilian saw religious indifference as the deadliest poison of the day. His mission was to combat it. He dreamed of and then founded Knight of the Immaculata, a religious magazine under Mary's protection to preach the Good News to all nations. For the work of publication he established a "City of the Immaculata"—Niepokalanow—which housed 700 of his Franciscan brothers. He later founded another one in Nagasaki, Japan. The magazine ultimately reached the one-million mark in members and subscribers. His love of God was daily filtered through devotion to Mary.

In 1939, the Nazi panzers overran Poland with deadly speed. Niepokalanow was severely bombed. Kolbe and his friars were arrested, then released in less than three months, on the feast of the Immaculate Conception. In 1941, Fr. Kolbe was arrested again. The Nazis' purpose was to liquidate the select ones, the leaders. The end came quickly, three months later in Auschwitz, after terrible beatings and humiliations.

A prisoner had escaped. The commandant announced that 10 men would die. He relished walking along the ranks. "This one. That one." As they were being marched away to the starvation bunkers, Number 16670 dared to step from the line and Kolbe said "I would like to take that man's place. He has a wife and children." The commandant asked "Who are you?" Kolbe answered "A priest." No name, no mention of fame. Silence. The commandant, dumbfounded, perhaps with a fleeting thought of history, kicked Sergeant Francis Gajowniczek out of line and ordered Fr. Kolbe to go with the nine.

In the "block of death" they were ordered to strip naked, and their slow starvation began in darkness. But there was no screaming—the prisoners sang. By the eve of the Assumption, four were left alive. The jailer came to finish Kolbe off as he sat in a corner praying. He lifted his fleshless arm to receive the bite of the hypodermic needle. It was filled with carbolic acid. They burned his body with all the others. Fr. Kolbe was beatified in 1971 and canonized in 1982.

The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary August 22, 2022



The Story of the Queenship of Mary

Pope Pius XII established this feast in 1954. But Mary's queenship has roots in Scripture. At the Annunciation, Gabriel announced that Mary's Son would receive the throne of David and rule forever. At the Visitation, Elizabeth calls Mary "mother of my Lord." As in all the mysteries of Mary's life, she is closely associated with Jesus: Her queenship is a share in Jesus' kingship. We can also recall that in the Old Testament the mother of the king has great influence in court.

In the fourth century Saint Ephrem called Mary "Lady" and "Queen." Later Church fathers and doctors continued to use the title. Hymns of the 11th to 13th centuries address Mary as queen: "Hail, Holy Queen," "Hail, Queen of Heaven," "Queen of Heaven." The Dominican rosary and the Franciscan crown as well as numerous invocations in Mary's litany celebrate her queenship.

The feast is a logical follow-up to the Assumption, and is now celebrated on the octave day of that feast. In his 1954 encyclical *To the Queen of Heaven*, Pius XII points out that Mary deserves the title because she is Mother of God, because she is closely associated as the New Eve with Jesus' redemptive work, because of her preeminent perfection, and because of her intercessory power.

St. Bartholomew, Apostle August 24, 2022



In the New Testament, Bartholomew is mentioned only in the lists of the apostles. Some scholars identify him with Nathanael, a man of Cana in Galilee who was summoned to Jesus by Philip. Jesus paid him a great compliment: "Here is a true Israelite. There is no duplicity in him" (John 1:47b). When Nathanael asked how Jesus knew him, Jesus said, "I saw you under the fig tree" (John 1:48b). Whatever amazing revelation this involved, it brought Nathanael to exclaim, "Rabbi, you are the Son of God; you are the King of Israel" (John 1:49b). But Jesus countered with, "Do you believe because I told you that I saw you under the fig tree? You will see greater things than this" (John 1:50b).

Nathanael did see greater things. He was one of those to whom Jesus appeared on the shore of the Sea of Tiberias after his resurrection (see John 21:1-14). They had been fishing all night without success. In the morning, they saw someone standing on the shore though no one knew it was Jesus. He told them to cast their net again, and they made so great a catch that they could not haul the net in. Then John cried out to Peter, "It is the Lord."

When they brought the boat to shore, they found a fire burning, with some fish laid on it and some bread. Jesus asked them to bring some of the fish they had caught, and invited them to come and eat their meal. John relates that although they knew it was Jesus, none of the apostles presumed to inquire who he was. This, John notes, was the third time Jesus appeared to the apostles.

FEAST DAYS-AUGUST 2022

St. Monica August 27, 2022



The feast of St. Monica occurs the day before the feast of her son, St. Augustine. Her tears, prayers, and sacrifices over many years helped bring about his conversion. It is only proper that their feasts are celebrated close together.

Monica was born in North Africa. As a child she lived with her family, but she and her sisters were raised by an elderly servant. This wise woman had also raised Monica's father.

As a young girl, Monica had a shocking experience. According to the custom of the time, her parents would ask her to bring up wine from the cellar for them. Once Monica took a sip of the wine before she brought it up. After that, she gradually began to drink just a little more each day. She thought no one knew about it. Then one day, Monica quarreled with a servant, and the servant accused her of drinking too much. Monica realized that the maid was right. This helped her to face this temptation. She decided then and there to stop drinking and she did.

Monica was raised a Christian, but was given in marriage to a pagan official named Patricius. They had three sons. Patricius was not only a violent man, but he had a number of other bad habits as well. Monica remained patient. Other wives with marriage problems came to her for advice. A year before Patricius died, he was converted—due to Monica's powerful example. In their early years of marriage Monica's mother-in-law turned against her because of ugly rumors spread by unhappy servants. Through patient forgiveness, Monica was able to win her cooperation.

Another source of worry for Monica was her son Augustine. This brilliant and gifted young man rejected the faith his mother had taught him. Augustine lived an immoral life and had a son although he was not married. Monica was ready to disown Augustine, but in a dream it was revealed to her that eventually he would come back to the faith. She prayed and fasted for her son and stayed close to him, following him to Rome and Milan. In Milan, she met Ambrose, the bishop, who became her spiritual director. He promised her, "Surely the son of so many tears will not perish."

It was Ambrose who finally converted Augustine. Together, Augustine, Monica, Augustine's son, and some other devoted people moved to the country to pray and write. From there they began a journey back to Africa. Monica died on the way. The day before she died, she and her son had a beautiful conversation about the joys of heaven.

St. Augustine August 28, 2022



St. Augustine of Hippo is the patron of brewers because of his conversion from a former life of loose living, which included parties, entertainment, and worldly ambitions. His complete turnaround and conversion has been an inspiration to many who struggle with a particular vice or habit they long to break.

This famous son of St. Monica was born in Africa and spent many years of his life in wicked living and in false beliefs. Though he was one of the most intelligent men who ever lived and though he had been brought up a Christian, his sins of impurity and his pride darkened his mind so much, that he could not see or understand the Divine Truth anymore. Through the prayers of his holy mother and the marvelous preaching of St. Ambrose, Augustine

finally became convinced that Christianity was the one true religion. Yet he did not become a Christian then, because he thought he could never live a pure life. One day, however, he heard about two men who had suddenly been converted on reading the life of St. Antony, and he felt terrible ashamed of himself. "What are we doing?" he cried to his friend Alipius. "Unlearned people are taking Heaven by force, while we, with all our knowledge, are so cowardly that we keep rolling around in the mud of our sins!"

Full of bitter sorrow, Augustine flung himself out into the garden and cried out to God, "How long more, O Lord? Why does not this hour put an end to my sins?" Just then he heard a child singing, "Take up and read!" Thinking that God intended him to hear those words, he picked up the book of the Letters of St. Paul, and read the first passage his gaze fell on. It was just what Augustine needed, for in it, St. Paul says to put away all impurity and to live in imitation of Jesus. That did it! From then on, Augustine began a new life.

He was baptized, became a priest, a bishop, a famous Catholic writer, Founder of religious orders, and one of the greatest saints that ever lived. He became very devout and charitable, too. On the wall of his room he had the following sentence written in large letters: "Here we do not speak evil of anyone." St. Augustine overcame strong heresies, practiced great poverty and supported the poor, preached very often and prayed with great fervor right up until his death. "Too late have I loved You!" he once cried to God, but with his holy life he certainly made up for the sins he committed before his conversion. His feast day is August 28th.

Passion of St. John the Baptist August 29, 2022



The Story of the Martyrdom of Saint John the Baptist

The drunken oath of a king with a shallow sense of honor, a seductive dance and the hateful heart of a queen combined to bring about the martyrdom of John the Baptist. The greatest of prophets suffered the fate of so many Old Testament prophets before him: rejection and martyrdom. The "voice crying in the desert" did not hesitate to accuse the guilty, did not hesitate to speak the truth. But why? What possesses a man that he would give up his very life?

This great religious reformer was sent by God to prepare the people for the Messiah. His vocation was one of selfless giving. The only power that he claimed was the Spirit of Yahweh. "I am baptizing you with water, for repentance, but the one who is coming after me is mightier than I. I am not worthy to carry his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire" (Matthew 3:11).

Scripture tells us that many people followed John looking to him for hope, perhaps in anticipation of some great messianic power. John never allowed himself the false honor of receiving these people for his own glory. He knew his calling was one of preparation. When the time came, he led his disciples to Jesus: "The next day John was there again with two of his disciples, and as he watched Jesus walk by, he said, 'Behold, the Lamb of God.' The two disciples heard what he said and followed Jesus" (John 1:35-37).

It is John the Baptist who has pointed the way to Christ. John's life and death were a giving over of self for God and other people. His simple style of life was one of complete detachment from earthly possessions. His heart was centered on God and the call that he heard from the Spirit of God speaking to his heart. Confident of God's grace, he had the courage to speak words of condemnation, repentance, and salvation



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August, 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	Memorial of Saint Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop and Doctor of the Church 1	2	3	Saint John Vianney Business Meeting 7:00 p.m. 4	Adoration 10:00 p.m. - 6:00 a.m. 5	Transfiguration of the Lord 6
19th Sunday Ordinary Time 7	Saint Dominic 8	Saint Teresa Benedicta of the Cross 9	Saint Lawrence 10	Saint Clare 4th Degree Meeting 7:30 p.m. 11	12	Saints Pontian & Hypolytus KofC Family Picnic at Santiago Retreat Center BBQ Ticket sales after 13
Saint Maximilian Kolbe, Welcome Ministry after morning masses 14	The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary 15	Saint Stephen of Hungary 16	17	18	Saint John Eudes 19	Saint Bernard, Dr. of the Church Recycle 7:00 a.m. - Noon, BBQ Ticket Sales after 4:30 Mass 20
21st Sunday of Ordinary Time 21	Memorial of the Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary 22	Saint Rose of Lima, Virgin 23	Saint Bartholomew, Apostle 24	Blood Drive 11:00-4:00 p.m. Officer Meeting 7:00 p.m. 25	26	Saint Monica BBQ Fundraiser after 4:30 Mass 27
Saint Augustine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church 28	Memorial of the Passion of Saint John the Baptist 29	30	31			



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September, 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				Business Meeting 7:00 p.m. 1	Good Friday Adoration 10:00 p.m. - 6:00 a.m. 2	St. Gregory the Great, Pope and Dr of the Church 3
23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time 4	Labor Day 5	6	7	Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary 4th Degree Meeting 7:30 p.m. 8	St. Peter Claver, Priest 9	10
24th Sunday in Ordinary Time Welcome & Recruitment after morning Masses 11	The Most Holy Name of Mary 12	St. John Chrysostom, Bishop and Dr of the Church 13	The Exaltation of the Cross 14	Our Lady of Sorrows 15	Sts. Cornelius, Pope & Cyprian, Bishop, Martyrs 16	St. Robert Bellarmine Recycling 7:00 a.m. - Noon 17
25th Sunday in Ordinary Time 18	19	Saints Andrew Kim Tae-gon and Paul Chong Ha-sang, & Companions 20	Saint Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist 21	Officer Meeting 7:00 p.m. 22	Saint Pius of Pietrelcina 23	24
26th Sunday in Ordinary Time 25	26	Saint Vincent de Paul, Priest 27	Saint Wenceslaus, Saint Lawrence Ruiz & Companions 28	Saints Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, Archangels 29	Saint Jerome, Priest and Dr. of the Church 30	

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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 at (949) 367-1427 for further details.

4TH DEGREE LIAISON:

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. (949) 699-2576. **Next meeting is August 11 2022, September's meeting is September 8, 2022.**

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 at (949)-367-1427 if you can participate or sign up at our next business meeting. **Our next Eucharistic Adoration will be on August 5, 2022. September's Eucharistic Adoration will be on September 2, 2022.**

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: TBD.**

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 at (949)-472-1249. **Next Drive: August 20, 2022, September's Recycle Drive is September 17, 2022.**

KOC POTLUCK:

Our next Potluck will be on TBD. Contact Brother Joe Paulicivic at (949) 699-2576 for more information.

NEXT COUNCIL MEETING:

The next Council Business meeting will be on 8/4/2022 at 7:00 p.m. and the September meeting will be on 9/1/2022. The meeting will be held in the upstairs classroom and on Zoom.

COFFEE & DONUTS PROGRAM:

The Knights assist the Welcome Ministry with coffee and donuts under the canopy after Sunday masses, and the 2nd Sunday of the month the Knights are the host ministry. We are responsible for picking up the donuts on Sunday at 6:30 in the morning 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 at (661) 714-0203 for further details. **Next date: August 14, 2022.**

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 at 949 212-0118.

- 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. Due to the renovation of the Hughes Hall, further pancake breakfasts are on hold until the renovation is finished in 2023. **However, we have a BBQ fundraiser after the 4:30 Mass on Saturday, August 27, 2022.** We need volunteers, please contact our Deputy Grand Knight, Steen Sellers at (949) 350-2542 if you can help.

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"St. Kilian Council 6332 Monthly Recognition"

For brother knights as follows:

New Knights/reactivations

None

Degree Completions

None

Transfers to our Council

None

Anniversary of Knights of Columbus Service

Doug Tchang	August 5	2 Year
Seth London	August 12	2 Year
Mike Ensley	August 14	19 Years
Tim McGivern	August 22	4 Years
Donald Closs	August 24	12 Years
Ryan K Burris	August 24	2 Year
Matt Pastorkovich	August 24	12 Years
Alec McDonald-Rodriguez	August 28	3 Years

Birthdays in August

Mike Ensley	August 1
Patrick Kearins	August 2
Richard Ytzen	August 5
James Zuley	August 6
Mike Kelleher	August 7
Mark Lambert	August 9
James Isenhardt	August 11
Ron White	August 11
Joseph Gatto	August 12
Francis Kielty	August 14
Robbi Doncost	August 17
Alfred Luppi	August 17
Jon Raleigh	August 19
Steve Ducco	August 20
Joe Paulicivic	August 22
Severino Guaio	August 22
John Chizmar	August 24
Gary Murdy	August 24
Michael Lepre	August 25
Jeremy Gauthier	August 27
John Smead	August 28
Mark Dano	August 31