

The Knightly News



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James Francis Cardinal McIntyre Council 6332 Newsletter
Council Membership Division 5



Daylight Savings Time Ends
November 3 at 2 a.m. Don't forget
to set your clocks back 1 hour.

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Veterans Day

November 11, 2024



Veterans Day 2024 will be on Monday, November 11 and is designated as a Federal Holiday. Veterans Day seeks to honor and give thanks to all the men and women who have served and are serving in the US Armed Forces. Ceremonies are held across the country at Veterans Hospitals, cemeteries, and National Monuments. At 11:00 am EST, the Veterans Day National Ceremony is held at Arlington National Cemetery. At this ceremony the President of the United States, or his assigned ambassador, places a wreath on the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.

All Saint's Day

November 1, 2024

On the feast of All Saints, we honor those men and women who—whether they've been canonized or not—have led lives of heroic virtue



that set an example for all Christians. Saints are big dreamers. They believe that with God on their side, no one and nothing can stop them. Saints are go-getters. They don't wait for someone else to do good first; they jump right in. Saints are love-bringers. They try to see Christ in every person and every situation. Saints tell us what matters most in life is not what we earn or own, not the job we have or the people we know. What really matters is how much we love God, others, and ourselves, and how well we show that love in all we do.

Notes From the Top: Grand Knights Message



Dear Brothers,

Our council continues to experience steady growth. Assuming our two candidates are exemplified on November 11 at Our Lady of Fatima Church, seven men will have joined the council this Columbian year. Our goal is 13.

We're still in need of Knights to step into leadership roles. In particular, we need a solid membership director. This is primarily a coordinator role, ensuring council recruiting materials are readily available and present at Knight events, coordinating the path of candidates into Knighthood and their onboarding after exemplification. It's a simple but important role. I would be glad to discuss this role with you.

Lastly, this election is an important one and as Knights, we are called upon to be examples in our community, as well as, our parish. If this newsletter is published after Tuesday, hopefully, you voted. If not, get to it! Our faith is always on the ballot.

Fraternally,
Brother Jim

Notes From the Top Deputy Grand Knight's Message:



Dear Brothers,

November, The Month of Remembrance.

The month of November is traditionally a time in which the Catholic community remembers those who have died. It is related to the fact that the end of November is the end of the Liturgical Year with a new year starting the First Sunday of Advent-the four-week period of preparation before Christmas. The Church then uses this end of the year period as a time to think of the end of life and the end of all things and the great hope that our earthly end is transition into a new life in God's heavenly reality. We give thanks for those who have gone before us and we look with prayer and hope to their new life in heaven and our desire to join them there one day.

Fraternally,
Brother Mike Urratio

Notes From the Top: District Deputy's Message



District Deputy Corner,

Worthy Knights.

On November 16th-17th the Special Olympics Fall Regional Games take place at Fountain Valley Sports Park. There are various set up and support activities where we need volunteers. See the flyer in your council newsletter.

Please Discern and commit to step up and lead. There are plenty of 'director' positions that need filling, confer with your Grand Knight. Help your parish thrive! If you hang out with the parish youth, complete our KOC Safe Environment On-line training. An hour or so of your time is good for 3 years. It will help your council towards a Star for three years!

Dan Hoffman
District Deputy 138
Vivat Jesus.

Notes From the Top: Chancellor's Message:



Dear Brothers,

Please sign up and staying connected with our very own KofC Council 6332 GroupMe app. It is a tremendous way for everyone to communicate with each other and stay informed of the various events that we support throughout the year. Look up the "Stay Connected with GroupMe!" section of this newsletter and follow the instructions. It's proven to be a valuable tool.

Do you want to become a better husband, father, brother, and develop a closer relationship with God? We all go through life's challenges and sometimes need that extra mentorship to keep everything in perspective, while never losing sight and always Trusting in God. Consider downloading the Exodus 90 app (<https://exodus90.com/>) on your mobile phone and give it a shot! If you have any questions regarding either of these apps, feel free to contact me.

Every brother matters in this council – don't be a stranger and please support where you can.

Vivat Jesus

Fraternally,
Brother Mario Alegre

Notes From the Top: Financial Secretary's Message



Dear Brother Knights,

There is no financial secretary's message this month. Please stay tuned to future editions for a message from Brother Steve.

Fraternally,
The Editor



Recycle Drive News



Dear Brothers,

October was our second lowest month for collection, netting \$229. Calendar YTD we've collected \$3,768. This has us on track to equal last year. We filled 3 ½ bins with plastic and ¾ of a bin with aluminum. We'd still like to see more plastic bottles and aluminum cans from Knights! Please collect your aluminum cans and plastic bottles and bring them to the lower parking lot on recycle Saturday.

Thanks to Brother Terry for stepping up as the lead and all brothers who helped out on Saturday. The next recycle drive is November 16. The drive begins with set up at 6:45am and concludes at Noon. Please sign up at the monthly meeting or on SignUp Genius and wear your Knight shirt or hat and your badge.

Fraternally,
Brother Jim Messmer

From the Editor:



Dear Brothers,

Please enjoy and pray the Luminous Mysteries with Scripture on pages 12-13. Also the Mass of Remembrance is Monday 11/4/24 at 7 PM..

Fraternally,
Brother Tracy Higuchi

Trustee's Corner



My Dear Brother Knights,

The Parable of the Talents comes to mind (Matthew 25:14-30) we should ask ourselves which one of the three are we? God has given us talents that we can use to help others, or we can bury them in the sand. No matter who you are in our council, old or new, we each have something to contribute to the growth of our council. Bring your talents and help us grow. You have read of the council's needs and your talents may help fill one of those vacant positions. Think and pray about it. God Bless!

Fraternally,
Brother Michael

Lecturer's Corner: Norm Abbod



Dear Brothers,

A Prayer from Notre Dame (Faith@nd.edu) about GRATITUDE really caught my attention. The author is Rev. Herb Yost, C.S.C.

Lord, please help us to remember that the more we complain, the more we limit our ability to see the blessings in our lives. We also ask your blessing on all those whose labor enhances our quality of life. We recall with gratitude the hundreds or thousands of people involved in the food we eat, the clothes we wear, the transportation we use, and the roof over our heads. Our world is utterly filled with Marthas. Please, Jesus, bless them all, and bless their families. Amen.

Fraternally,
Brother Norm

Notes From the Top: Field Agent's Message



Dear Brothers,

This time of year, we give thanks for the many blessings in our lives. I'm thankful to call each of you my brother Knight, and I give thanks to God for all he has helped us do in our community this year.

I want to take this opportunity to help you prepare for the possibility that you or your spouse may one day need extended care.

November is Long-Term Care Awareness Month. With that in mind, I would like to share a valuable resource available to you and your family and would encourage you to check this out.

WhatCareCosts gives you access to view the costs of Skilled Nursing Homes, Home Health Aides and Assisted Living Facilities in your area and across the country. This service is available free of charge to all our members regardless of whether or not you hold an insurance policy with Knights of Columbus. Visit www.whatcarecosts.com/KnightsofColumbus and enter sponsor code "KofC" to get started. We want to help families focus on their time with their loved ones – not the financial cost of caring for them.

Now is the time to prepare for your family's future needs. As your Knights of Columbus agent, I can help you review your financial goals and ensure you have an extended care plan in place. Come talk to me to set up an appointment.

Vivat Jesus!

Fraternally,
Mark Yubeta
Financial Advisor
949-322-7266

Blood Drive Update



Dear Brothers,

Many Thanks to those 24 blood donors who stepped forward on October 9th to donate their precious gift of life! Because of them as many as 72 lives could be saved.

Special thanks to our brothers who made it this time, including Nik Raleigh without whom we could not have such great success. Our next blood drive for those who plan far ahead is planned for January 22nd, 2025, so please mark your New Year calendar

Fraternally
Bob Bochniarz

Knights on GroupMe



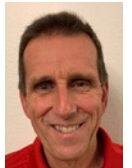
Worthy Brothers,

GroupMe is a social media application for mobile phones that will help improve communications within our council. We are up to (24) members. Please join, stay current and help our Council as we manage multiple events! It's as easy as 1-2-3:

1. Download the GroupMe app from the app store for iPhones or Android phones. This is a free app from Microsoft
 2. Create your own account on GroupMe
 3. Text or email Brother Mario Alegre at 949-636-6542 or mario-alegre86@gmail.com, and the link to join will be sent to you.
- Please join and stay connected if you have not yet done so.

Thanks,
Brother Mario Alegre

Keep Christ in Christmas Poster Contest Update



Dear Brothers,

Our Keep Christ in Christmas was a huge success! The total entries for both age groups combined was 215. There were 178 entries for grades 1 - 4 and 37 entries for grades 5 - 8. The participation rate well exceeded my expectations.

For the winning art for Grades 1 - 4 in the 2024 Keeping Christ in Christmas art contest the winners are:

- 1st Place: Sophia Stuelp Fernandes (#27) \$100
- 2nd Place: Parmis Vakili (#168) \$75
- 3rd Place: Ivy Graham (#47) \$50
- 4th Place: Yuna Jeon (#114) \$25
- 5th Place: Madison Heredia (#133)
- 6th Place: Arianna Munoz (#172)

For the winning art for Grades 5-8 in the 2024 Keeping Christ in Christmas art contest the winners are:

- 1st Place: Avalon Galonsky (#206) \$100
- 2nd Place: Cate Hayes (#191) \$75
- 3rd Place (tie): Sam Davis (#178) \$37.50
- 3rd Place (tie): Isla Wheeler (#189) \$37.50
- 5th Place: Sophie Caraballo (#179) \$25.00
- 6th Place (tie): Cate Robinson (#177) \$12.50
- 6th Place (tie): Abigail Heslop (#203) \$12.50

Please examine and enjoy the award winning artwork on pages 5-6 and see the Holy Spirit is strongly at work with our youth!

Fraternally
Brother Terry Koressel

Poster Contest Winners Grades 1-4



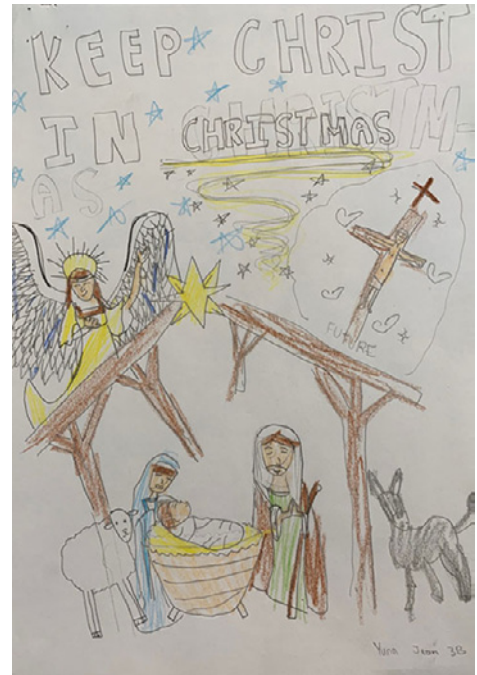
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Poster Contest Winners Grades 5-8



1st Place Avalon Galonsky



2nd Place Cate Hayes



3rd Place Tie Sam Davis



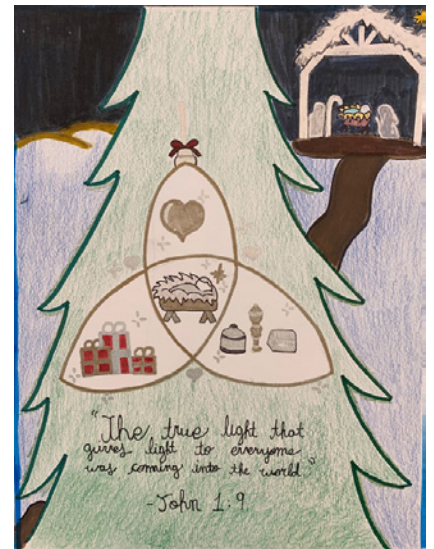
3rd Place Tie Isla Wheeler



5th Place Sophie Caraballo



6th Place Tie Cate Robinson



6th Place Tie Abigail Heslop

Sickness, Distress and Gratitude Prayer List

<u>Name</u>	<u>Sponsored By</u>	<u>For</u>
Patty Hrad	Tracy Higuchi	Rest of the Soul
Thomas Oliphant	Anthony DiBernardo	Healing and recovery from Back Surgery
Vicky Lyndsey	Tracy Higuchi	Healing Foot surgery
Beth Daniels	Michael Urratio	Cancer
Kay Kenson	Tracy Higuchi	Recovery & Healing from Stroke
Lotus Rea	Jake Huluna	Rest of the Soul
Nobue Puchalski	Raymond Trebels	Rest of the Soul
Julie Orozco	Dan Hoffman	Rest of the Soul
Joe Paulicivic	Mike Ensley	Health
Maria Corona	Jake Huluna	Rest of the Soul
Diane Contreras	David Hoffman	Rest of the Soul
Burt Susunka	Bill DeLuca	Rest of the Soul
Baby Ella	Bob Hrad	Cancer
Hank Berry	Matt Woods	Cancer
Kyla Schmidt	Danny Reed	Paralyzed
Roopa Gopal Guttal	Matt Woods	Passed due to stroke, Rest of the Soul
Patrick Gawne	Sean Gawne	Healing for Spine Injury, Alcoholism
Mike Schnell	Bob Hrad	Cancer
Grace Dunn	Bob Hrad	Healing, heart
Mariella Stie	Michael Urratio	Cancer
Val Deamonte	Michael Urratio	Rest of the soul for her husband
Pricilla Anderson	Norm Abbod	Passed due to cancer, Rest of the Soul
Angela Blair	Randy Blair	Healing, Double knee replacement, Auto immune disease, neuropathy
Fred Bertrando	Dave Bertrando	Healing, recovery from seizures
Rich Kreich	Danny Reed	Rest of the Soul, passed due to Cancer
Mary O'Hearn	Jim O'Hearn	Memory issues
Pam Hrad	Bob Hrad	Healing, recovery
Bob Knoke	Council 6332	Memory issues
Carol Schuster	Bill DeLuca	Rest of the Soul
John Schuster	Bill DeLuca	Rest of the Soul
Raymond Toal	Council 6332	Rest of the Soul
Wojciech Henry Zakrzewski	Council 6332	Rest of the Soul
Patrick Mansfield	Council 6332	Rest of the Soul
James C Russ	Council 6332	Rest of the Soul
Michael Scialabba	Bill DeLuca	Rest of the Soul
Mark Derrico	Dave Bertrando	Full Return of Eyesight
Mike Tamkin	Bill DeLuca	Stroke
Ian Tomson	Bill DeLuca	Alzheimers, stroke
Liz Quirk	Michael Urratio	Breast Cancer
Manuel Reyes Alegre	Council 6332	Rest of the Soul
Vince Martin	Michael Urratio	Rest of the Soul
Jack Anderson	Ron White	Cancer
Ron White	Council 6332	Surgery
David Weathers	Council 6332	Rest of the Soul
Rob Heller	Dave Bertrando	Back Surgery
John Rette	Sean Gawne	Rest of the Soul
Earl Santy	Council 6332	Rest of the Soul
Bill Reed	Daniel Reed	Amputation
Tammy Hrad	Bob Hrad	Surgery
Dorothy Fathauer	Norm Abbod	Heart
Steve Shekerlian	Council 6332	Surgery and recovery
Bill Ganassian	Norm Abbod	Rest of the Soul
Vincent Esguerra	Gabriel Trebels	Cancer
Zack Lori	Mike Williams	Support
Barr Thompson	William Daly	Cancer
Ines Cuzakis	George Cuzakis	Knee Surgery Recovery
Pauline Hurley	Michael Urratio	Rest of the Soul
Jack Dillon	Al Dillingham	Recovery surgery
Michelle Montez	Michael Urratio	Rest of the Soul
Bishop Tod Brown	Sean Gawne	Rest of the Soul
Amalia Orozco	Tracy Higuchi	Rest of the Soul
Those that have died in the Middle East	Council 6332	Rest of the Souls
End to conflict in Middle East	Council 6332	Peace and that love of neighbor will prevail
Phillip Mc Elhinney	Al Rizzo	Healing cancer
Those impacted by the Hurricanes	Council 6332	Prayers for healing and support
Those impacted by the Maui Fires	Council 6332	Prayers
People of Ukraine	Council 6332	Peace, healing, comfort, relief
Medical and Essential Workers	Council 6332	Gratitude & pray for their health/safety
Our military	Council 6332	Gratitude for their service and sacrifice

Feast Days-November 2024

The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Soul's Day) November 2, 2024



Catholics believe that death can separate people who they love from them for only a while. We are still united with them in the Communion of Saints. On this feast of All Souls, and throughout the entire month of November, we recall our deceased relatives, friends, and all the faithful departed who may yet be waiting for the full joy of heaven in purgatory. We pray for them, remembering that likewise these people being purified have the power to intercede for us too.

The Church has encouraged prayer for the dead from the earliest times as an act of Christian charity. "If we had no care for the dead," Augustine noted, "we would not be in the habit of praying for them." Yet pre-Christian rites for the deceased retained such a strong hold on the superstitious imagination that a liturgical commemoration was not observed until the early Middle Ages, when monastic communities began to mark an annual day of prayer for the departed members.

In the middle of the 11th century, Saint Odilo, abbot of Cluny, France, decreed that all Cluniac monasteries offer special prayers and sing the Office for the Dead on November 2, the day after the feast of All Saints. The custom spread from Cluny and was finally adopted throughout the Roman Church.

The theological underpinning of the feast is the acknowledgment of human frailty. Since few people achieve perfection in this life but, rather, go to the grave still scarred with traces of sinfulness, some period of purification seems necessary before a soul comes face-to-face with God. The Council of Trent affirmed this purgatory state and insisted that the prayers of the living can speed the process of purification.

St. Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church November 10, 2024



Only two popes have earned the title Great—Gregory I and Leo I. Leo was born in the beginning of the fifth century, probably in Rome. When he was a deacon, other church leaders looked to him for advice and for explanations of the faith. Leo was sent to settle arguments between leaders. He was on such a mission in 440 when he was elected pope. He helped the Church stay united when it was being attacked inside by false teachers and outside by warring tribes.

In 452, the Huns, led by Attila, marched toward Rome to destroy the city. Pope Leo went out to meet Attila and was able to stop him by agreeing to pay tribute to him every year. Three years later, another tribe marched on Rome—the Vandals, led by Genseric. Again Leo went out to meet the enemy, but this time, Leo was only able to stop the tribe from burning the city. For two weeks, the Vandals pillaged and looted Rome while the people sought shelter in the churches. Leo helped rebuild the city after the invaders departed, and he then sent missionaries to Africa to minister to those who had been captured and taken there by the Vandals.

Leo is often remembered for his writings and explanations of the faith, especially during the Council of Chalcedon in 451. His words were so powerful that the 600 bishops gathered there felt they had heard Saint Peter speaking through Leo. Pope Leo the Great died in 461.

St. Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin November 13, 2024



Frances Xavier Cabrini was the first United States citizen to be canonized. Her deep trust in the loving care of her God gave her the strength to be a valiant woman doing the work of Christ.

Refused admission to the religious order which had educated her to be a teacher, she began charitable work at the House of Providence Orphanage in Cadogno, Italy. In September 1877, she made her vows there and took the religious habit. When the bishop closed the orphanage in 1880, he named Frances prioress of the Missionary Sisters of the Sacred Heart. Seven young women from the orphanage joined her.

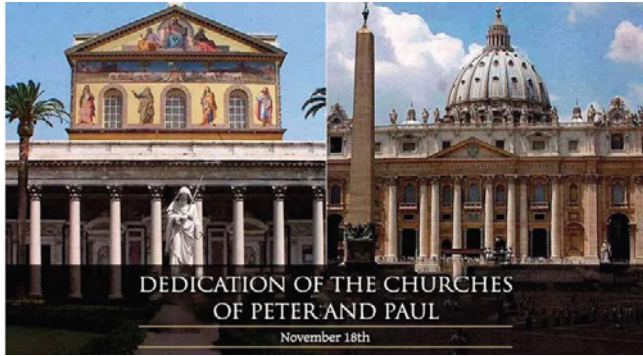
Since her early childhood in Italy, Frances had wanted to be a missionary in China but, at the urging of Pope Leo XIII, Frances went west instead of east. She traveled with six sisters to New York City to work with the thousands of Italian immigrants living there. She found disappointment and difficulties with every step. When she arrived in New York, the house intended to be her first orphanage in the United States was not available. The archbishop advised her to return to Italy. But Frances, truly a valiant woman, departed from the archbishop's residence all the more determined to establish that orphanage. And she did.

In 35 years, Frances Xavier Cabrini founded 67 institutions dedicated to caring for the poor, the abandoned, the uneducated and the sick. Seeing great need among Italian immigrants who were losing their faith, she organized schools and adult education classes.

As a child, she was frightened of water, unable to overcome her fear of drowning. Yet, despite this fear, she traveled across the Atlantic Ocean more than 30 times. She died of malaria in her own Columbus Hospital in Chicago.

Feast Days And Important Dates -November 2024

Dedication of the Basilicas of Sts. Peter & Paul November 18, 2024



The Story of the Dedication of the Basilicas of Saints Peter and Paul. St. Peter's is probably the most famous church in Christendom. Massive in scale and a veritable museum of art and architecture, it began on a much humbler scale. Vatican Hill was a simple cemetery where believers gathered at Saint Peter's tomb to pray. In 319, Constantine built a basilica on the site that stood for more than a thousand years until, despite numerous restorations, it threatened to collapse. In 1506, Pope Julius II ordered it razed and reconstructed, but the new basilica was not completed and dedicated for more than two centuries.

St. Paul's Outside-the-Walls stands near the Abazia delle Tre Fontane, where Saint Paul is believed to have been beheaded. The largest church in Rome until St. Peter's was rebuilt, the basilica also rises over the traditional site of its namesake's grave. The most recent edifice was constructed after a fire in 1823. The first basilica was also Constantine's doing.

Constantine's building projects enticed the first of a centuries-long parade of pilgrims to Rome. From the time the basilicas were first built until the empire crumbled under "barbarian" invasions, the two churches, although miles apart, were linked by a roofed colonnade of marble columns.

The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary November 21, 2024



When Mary was asked to be the mother of the Savior, she was completely free to accept or reject the offer. Her response, "Let it be done to me," was a great act of faith. Because she did not understand what was happening, she must have known that there would be difficulties ahead.

She replied yes to the angel's announcement and agreed to become the mother of Jesus, and the Church has declared Mary to be the Mother of God. Because she was the first to say yes to the Messiah, the Church has declared her to be the Mother of the Church.

The feast of the presentation of Mary dates back to the 6th century in the East and the 15th century in the West. It is based on an ancient tradition that says Mary was taken to the temple in Jerusalem when she was 3-years-old and dedicated to God. What we celebrate on this day is the fact that God chose to dwell in Mary in a very special way. In response, Mary placed her whole self at the service of God. Every moment since your Baptism, God invites you to be open to his grace and dedicate yourself to him, as Mary did.

Happy Thanksgiving! November 28, 2024



Thanksgiving, celebrated on the fourth Thursday in November since 1941 due to federal legislation, has been an annual tradition in the United States by presidential proclamation since 1863 and by state legislation since the Founding Fathers of the United States. Traditionally, Thanksgiving has been a celebration of the blessings of the year, including the harvest. What Americans call the "Holiday Season" generally begins with Thanksgiving. Thanksgiving is celebrated both with family and in public places with parades such as Macy's Thanksgiving Parade in New York City, ABC Dunkin' Donuts Thanksgiving Day Parade in Philadelphia, America's Hometown Thanksgiving Parade in Plymouth, Massachusetts, McDonald's Thanksgiving Parade in Chicago, and Bayou Classic Thanksgiving Parade in New Orleans. The first day after Thanksgiving Day "Black Friday" marks the start of the Christmas shopping season.

Thanksgiving is a wonderful holiday for any religion. Thanksgiving gives people a chance to reflect on why they are thankful. A Catholic Thanksgiving Holiday should be filled with thanks and love.

Spend a few minutes today talking with your family about what you are thankful for. Ask them why they are thankful this year. Sharing is an opportunity to learn about each other and worship God.

Give thanks and praise God. Before having Thanksgiving dinner, say grace and give thanks.

Feast Days And Important Dates -November 2024

St. Andrew Dung-Lac & Companions, Martyrs November 24, 2024



Andrew Dung-Lac, a Catholic convert ordained to the priesthood, was one of 117 people martyred in Vietnam between 1820 and 1862. Members of the companions group gave their lives for Christ in the 17th, 18th, and 19th centuries, and received beatification during four different occasions between 1900 and 1951. All were canonized during the papacy of Saint John Paul II.

Christianity came to Vietnam through the Portuguese in 1615. They ministered to Japanese Catholics who had been driven from Japan. Severe persecutions were launched at least three times in the 19th century. During the six decades after 1820, between 100,000 and 300,000 Catholics were killed or subjected to great hardship. Foreign missionaries martyred in the first wave included priests of the Paris Mission Society, and Spanish Dominican priests and tertiaries.

In 1832, Emperor Minh-Mang banned all foreign missionaries, and tried to make all Vietnamese deny their faith by trampling on a crucifix. Like the priest-holes in Ireland during English persecution, many hiding places were offered in homes of the faithful. Persecution broke out again in 1847, when the emperor suspected foreign missionaries and Vietnamese Christians of sympathizing with a rebellion led by one of his sons. In 1862, a treaty with France guaranteed religious freedom to Catholics, but it did not stop all persecution.

By 1954, there were over a million Catholics—about seven percent of the population—in the north. Buddhists represented about 60 percent. Persistent persecution forced some 670,000 Catholics to abandon lands, homes and possessions and flee to the south. In 1964, there were still 833,000 Catholics in the north, and in the south, Catholics were enjoying the first decade of religious freedom in centuries, their numbers swelled by refugees. During the Vietnamese war, Catholics again suffered in the north, and again moved to the south in great numbers. Now reunited, the entire country is under Communist rule.

Our Lord Jesus Christ King of the Universe November 24, 2024



On November 22nd as a Church, we conclude our liturgical year and celebrate the Feast of Christ the King. The Gospel we proclaim shows the great mystery of our faith: In the moment of his crucifixion, Jesus is

shown to be King and Savior of all.

Luke's Gospel has been loaded with surprises: the poor are rich, sinners find salvation, the Kingdom of God is found in our midst. Here we see the greatest surprise of all. We are confronted with the crucified Jesus, whom faith tells us is King and Savior of all. The irony is that the inscription placed on the cross, perhaps in mockery, contains the profoundest of truth. As the leaders jeer, the thief crucified by his side recognizes Jesus as Messiah and King, and finds salvation.

Jesus is King, but not the kind of king we might have imagined or expected. His kingship was hidden from many of his contemporaries, but those who had the eyes of faith were able to see. As modern disciples of Jesus, we, too, struggle at times to recognize Jesus as King. Today's Gospel invites us to make our own judgment. With eyes of faith, we, too, recognize that Jesus, the crucified One, is indeed King and Savior of all.

St. Andrew, Apostle November 30, 2024



St. Andrew was a fisherman who lived in Galilee during the time of Jesus. He often followed John the Baptist and listened to his teachings. One day, John saw Jesus walking along the road. John said to his followers, "Behold the Lamb of God." He told his followers to go and talk to Jesus. He wanted them to know that Jesus was the One for whom they had been waiting. Andrew and another disciple followed Jesus and spent an afternoon with him. Early the next day Andrew found Simon Peter, his older brother, and told him, "We have found the Messiah."

Both men gave up their work as fishermen to become apostles of Jesus. Andrew was one of the first to be called. He seemed to take delight in bringing others to Jesus. Andrew was the one who told Jesus about the little boy who had the loaves of bread and the fish, the beginning of a meal that fed more than five thousand people. It was Andrew and Philip whom the Greeks approached when they wanted to see Jesus. These events indicate that Andrew was a man who was easy to approach, a man you could trust.

Like the other apostles, Andrew became a missionary. He preached about Jesus in the area around the Black Sea. Tradition tells us he preached in northern Greece, Turkey, and Scythia (now the southern part of Russia).

Andrew died as a martyr. Tradition says that in Patras in Greece he was tied to a cross shaped like the letter X. Ever since then, a cross in the shape of an X has been called St. Andrew's cross.

The name "Andrew" is a Greek name meaning "courageous" or "manly." St. Andrew lived up to his name.

Knights, Men of Faith Praying the Rosary with Scripture

The 1st Luminous Mystery: Baptism of Our Lord



Pray Our Father

"In those days John the Baptist came, preaching in the desert of Judea and saying "Repent for the kingdom of heaven is at hand."" (Matt. 3:1-2)

Pray Hail Mary

"Then people from Jerusalem, all of Judea, and all the region around the Jordan went out to him. They were baptized by him in the Jordan, confessing their sins." (Matt. 3:5-6)

Pray Hail Mary

"I indeed baptize you with water for repentance." But he who is coming after me is mightier than I, whose sandals I am not worthy to bear." (Matt. 3:11)

Pray Hail Mary

"He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire." (Matt. 3:11)

Pray Hail Mary

"Then Jesus came from Galilee to John, at the Jordan, to be baptized by him." (Matt. 3:13)

Pray Hail Mary

"But John would have hindered him, saying, "I need to be baptized by you, and you come to me?" (Matt. 3:14)

Pray Hail Mary

"But Jesus, answering, said to him, "Allow it now, for this is the fitting way for us to fulfill all righteousness." Then he allowed him." (Matt. 3:15)

Pray Hail Mary

"Jesus, when he was baptized, went up directly from the water: and behold, the heavens were opened to him." (Matt. 3:16)

Pray Hail Mary

"He saw the Spirit of God descending as a dove, and coming on him." (Matt. 3:16)

Pray Hail Mary

"A voice out of the heavens said, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased."" (Matt. 3:17)

Pray Hail Mary

Pray Glory Be

Pray "O my Jesus, forgive us our sins; save us from the fires of Hell; lead all souls to Heaven, especially those in most need of Thy mercy!"

The 2nd Luminous Mystery: Wedding at Cana



Pray Our Father

"They bound Jesus and delivered Him to Pilate. And Pilate asked Him, "Art thou the king of the Jews?" (Mark 15:1-2)

Pray Hail Mary

"There was a marriage in Cana of Galilee. Jesus' mother was there" (John 2:1)

Pray Hail Mary

"Jesus also was invited, with his disciples, to the marriage. When the wine ran out, Jesus' mother said to him, "They have no wine." (John 2:2-3)

Pray Hail Mary

"Jesus said to her, "Woman, what does that have to do with you and me? My hour has not yet come."" (John 2:4)

Pray Hail Mary

"His mother said to the attendants, "Do whatever he tells you."" (John 2:5)

Pray Hail Mary

"Now six stone water-jars were placed there, after the Jewish manner of purification [each holding two or three measures (20-30 gallons)]" (John 2:6)

Pray Hail Mary

"Jesus said to them, "Fill the jars with water." And they filled them to the brim." (John 2:7)

Pray Hail Mary

"And Jesus said to them, "Now draw from it, and carry it to the chief steward of the feast." And they took it to him." (John 2:8)

Pray Hail Mary

Then, when the chief steward had tasted the water made into wine, since he did not know where it was from, for only the servants who had drawn the water knew, the chief steward called the bridegroom. (John 2:9)

Pray Hail Mary

"And He said to him, "Everyone serves the good wine first, and when the guests have drunk freely, then that which is worse. But You have kept the good wine until now!" (John 2:10)

Pray Hail Mary

"This was the beginning of the signs that Jesus accomplished in Cana of Galilee, and it manifested his glory, and his disciples believed in him." (John 2:11)

Pray Hail Mary

Pray Glory Be

Pray "O my Jesus, forgive us our sins; save us from the fires of Hell; lead all souls to Heaven, especially those in most need of Thy mercy!"

The 3rd Luminous Mystery: Proclamation of the Kingdom of God



Pray Our Father

"Jesus came into Galilee preaching the Gospel of the kingdom of God, and saying "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand. Repent and believe in the Gospel."" (Mark 1:14-15)

Pray Hail Mary

"Unless a man be born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter the kingdom of God." (John 3:5)

Pray Hail Mary

"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the Kingdom of heaven" (Matt 5:3)

Pray Hail Mary

"Blessed are they who suffer persecution for the sake of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven." (Matt 5:10)

Pray Hail Mary

"Unless your righteousness exceeds that of the Scribes and Pharisees, you shall not enter the kingdom of heaven." (Matt 5:20)

Pray Hail Mary

"The Kingdom of Heaven is like a merchant in search of fine pearls. When he finds a single pearl of great price, he goes and sells all that he has and buys it." (Matt 13:45-46)

Pray Hail Mary

"Amen I say to you, unless you turn and become like little children you will not enter into the kingdom of heaven." (Matt 18:3)

Pray Hail Mary

"Children, how hard it is for those that trust in riches to enter the kingdom of God!" (Mark 10:24)

Pray Hail Mary

"I must proclaim the kingdom of God, for this is why I have been sent" (Luke 4:43)

Pray Hail Mary

My kingdom is not of this world." (John 18:36) "

Pray Hail Mary

Pray Glory Be

Pray "O my Jesus, forgive us our sins; save us from the fires of Hell; lead all souls to Heaven, especially those in most need of Thy mercy!"

Knights, Men of Faith Praying the Rosary with Scripture continued

The 4th Luminous Mystery: Transfiguration of the Lord



Pray Our Father

“Jesus took Peter, James and his brother John and led them up a high mountain by themselves and was transfigured before them” (Matt 17:1)

Pray Hail Mary

“And his face shone as the sun and his garments became white as snow.” (Matt 17:2)

Pray Hail Mary

“And behold there appeared to them Moses and Elijah talking together with him.” (Matt 17:3)

Pray Hail Mary

“Now Peter and his companions were heavy with sleep. But when they were fully awake, they saw his glory and the two men who were standing with him.” (Luke 9:32)

Pray Hail Mary

“Then Peter addressed Jesus saying “Lord it is good for us to be here. Let us set up three tents here, one for you, one for Moses and one for Elijah”” (Matt 17:4)

Pray Hail Mary

“As he was still speaking, behold a bright cloud overshadowed them.” (Matt 17:5)

Pray Hail Mary

“And behold a voice out of the cloud said “This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased; hear him.” (Matt 17:5)

Pray Hail Mary

“And on hearing it the disciples fell on their faces and were exceedingly afraid.” (Matt 17:6)

Pray Hail Mary

“And Jesus came near and touched them and said to them, “Arise, and do not be afraid.”” (Matt 17:7)

Pray Hail Mary

“And suddenly looking round, they no longer saw anyone with them but only Jesus.” (Mark 9:8)

Pray Hail Mary

Pray Glory Be

Pray “O my Jesus, forgive us our sins; save us from the fires of Hell; lead all souls to Heaven, especially those in most need of Thy mercy!”

The 5th Luminous Mystery: Introduction of the Eucharist



Pray Our Father

“Jesus said “I am the bread of life.”” (John 6:35)

Pray Hail Mary

“He who comes to me shall not hunger, and he who believes in me shall never thirst.” (John 6:35)

Pray Hail Mary

“He who eats my flesh and drinks my blood has life everlasting and I shall raise him up on the last day.” (John 6:54)

Pray Hail Mary

“For my flesh is food indeed, and my blood is drink indeed” (John 6:56)

Pray Hail Mary

“And while they were at supper, Jesus took bread and blessed and broke it, and gave it to his disciples and said” (Matt 26:26)

Pray Hail Mary

“This is my body which is being given for you; do this in remembrance of me.” (Luke 22:19)

Pray Hail Mary

“And taking a cup, he gave thanks and gave it to them, saying” (Matt 26:27)

Pray Hail Mary

“This is my blood of the new covenant which shall be shed for many.” (Mark 14:24)

Pray Hail Mary

“Do this as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.” (1 Cor 11:25)

Pray Hail Mary

“For as often as you shall eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the death of the Lord, until he comes.” (1 Cor 11:26)

Pray Hail Mary

Pray Glory Be

Pray “O my Jesus, forgive us our sins; save us from the fires of Hell; lead all souls to Heaven, especially those in most need of Thy mercy!”

Pray “HAIL HOLY QUEEN, Mother of mercy, Our life, our sweetness, and our hope. To thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve. To thee do we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this valley of tears. Turn then, most gracious advocate, thine eyes of mercy towards us. And after this, our exile, show unto us the blessed fruit of thy womb, Jesus. O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary.”

V. Pray for us oh holy mother of God.

(This line is read by one person when the Hail Holy Queen is being recited in a group setting.)

R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

(This line is the response given by the group.)

Pray “LET US PRAY: O God, whose only begotten Son, by his life, death and resurrection, has purchased for us the rewards of eternal life, grant, we beseech thee, that meditating upon these mysteries of the most holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary, we may imitate what they contain and obtain what they promise, through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.”



Fall Games

November 16 & 17, 2024 in Fountain Valley

Special Olympics Fall Regional Games - at [Fountain Valley Sports Park](#) (Mile Square Park)

Friday, November 15 from 10am to 2pm—Meet in the kitchen of Sports Park Complex
Slice tomatoes and break up lettuce for the weekend

Saturday, November 16 from 8am to 2pm
We will prep, cook, and serve thousands of athletes, coaches, and staff

Sunday, November 17 from 8am to 2pm

Sign up at https://bit.ly/KofC-SpecialOlympics_FallGames or QR Code:

Contact DW Andy Sison at (630) 841-8930 or at LAXinSNA@hotmail.com with questions or concerns.





Knights of Columbus
Cardinal McIntyre Council No. 6332
November, 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					All Saints Day 1	The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls' Day) 2
31st Sunday of Ordinary Time Daylight Savings Time Ends Pancake Breakfast Ticket Sales after 3	St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop St Kilian Mass of Remembrance 4	5	6	Business Meeting 7:00 p.m. 7	Adoration 10:00 p.m. - 6:00 a.m. 8	The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica 9
32nd Sunday of Ordinary Time, St Leo the Great, Pancake Breakfast AM Masses 10	St. Martin of Tours, Bishop Veteran's Day Exemplification- Our Lady of Fatima 7-8:30 pm 11	12	Saint Francis Xavier Cabrini, Virgin 13	4th Degree 7:30 p.m. 14	St. Albert the Great, Bishop & Doctor of the Church 15	Recycling 7:00 a.m. - Noon, Special Olympics St. Margaret of Scotland, St. Gertrude, Virgin 16
33rd Sunday of Ordinary Time, Advent wreath & card sales after Masses, Special Olympics 17	The Dedication of the Basilica of Sts. Peter and Paul, 18	19	20	Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary St. Kilian Golf Tournament 8-4 pm 21	St. Cecilia, Virgin and Martyr 22	St. Clement I, Pope, St. Columbian, Abbot, Advent wreath & card sales after Masses 23
Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe, Advent wreath & card sales after Masses, 24	St. Catherine of Alexandria, Virgin & Martyr 25	26	Saint Vincent de Paul, Priest Connect the Hearts Thanksgiving 27	Thanksgiving Day Connect the Hearts Thanksgiving 28	29	St. Andrew, Apostle, Advent wreath & card sales after Masses 30



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December, 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1st Sunday of Advent 1	2	3	4	Business Meeting 7:00 p.m. 5	Adoration 10:00 p.m. - 6:00 a.m. 6	7
2nd Sunday of Advent, Welcome Ministry and Recruiting after morning masses 8	Immaculate Conception of Virgin Mary 9	10	11	4th degree Meeting 7:30 p.m. 12	13	St John of the Cross, Dr of the Church 14
3rd Sunday of Advent, Donut Ministry after AM masses, Corporate Communion-8:30 Mass 15	16	17	18	19	Christmas Party 6:30 p.m. 20	Recycle 7 a.m. to Noon 21
4th Sunday of Advent, Donut Ministry after AM masses 22	23	24	Christmas: The Nativity of the Lord 25	St Stephen, the First Martyr 26	St John, Apostle & Evangelist 27	28
The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph 29	30	Family Fun Night 6:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. 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 at (949) 367-1427 for further details.

COFFEE & DONUTS PROGRAM:

The Knights coordinate and staff Sunday coffee and donuts after the 7:00, 8:30 and 10:30 am Masses. This is a wonderful chance to meet and talk with fellow parishioners. We also find that it is an effective way to recruit new Knights. We start setting up at 6:00 am; we usually finish cleanup at 12:00 pm. In between, we staff the coffee and donuts tables. If you are interested in helping, even in a limited way, we'd appreciate your help. Please contact Brother Benny Jones at benny.jones1@cox.net or Terry Koressel at terrykoressel@gmail.com for further information. **Next dates: November 17th and 24th during the morning Masses.**

NEEDS OF THE COUNCIL:

- Membership Director: Form a team to coordinate recruiting activity at Knight events, ensure processing of Form 100 membership applications and track status of candidates through Exemplification.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST:

Pancake breakfasts are one of our biggest fund raisers for our parish. It is expected that all Knights make an effort to attend and assist with duties they sign up for. **Our next breakfast is on 11/10/2024. Please sign up on line or at the Business Meeting**

BLOOD DRIVE:

Our next Blood Drive will be January 22, 2025. Contact Brother Bob Bochinairz at (949)215-0201 or Nik Raleigh at (949)500-6615 for more information.

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 November 14, 2024 at 7 pm. The December meeting is on December 12, 2024.**

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 November 8, 2024. December's Eucharistic Adoration will be on December, 2024.**

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: December 15th, 2024 during the 8:30 Mass.**

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 sign up. **Next Drive: 11/16/2024, December's Recycle Drive is 12/21/2024.**

NEXT COUNCIL MEETING:

The next Council Business meeting will be on 11/7/2024 at 7:00 p.m. December's meeting will be on 12/5/2024

"Congratulations!"

"St. Kilian Council 6332 Officers 2024-2025"

Name		Position
Jim Messmer		Grand Knight
Michael Urratio		Deputy Grand Knight
Fr. Brandon Lopez		Chaplain
Steven Shekerlian		Financial Secretary
Mario Alegre		Chancellor
Terrance Koressel		Recorder
William G Daly		Treasurer
David Bertrando		Advocate
Thomas Real		Warden
Norm Abbod		Lecturer
George Muro		Inside Guard
Matthew Woods		Outside Guard
Anthony DiBernardo		One Year Trustee
Mike Williams		Two Year Trustee
Jim O'Hearn		Three Year Trustee
Dan Hoffman		District Deputy
Mark Yubeta		Insurance Agent
Ron Cichocki		Life Director
Mike Ensley		Faith Director
Anthony DiBernardo		Community Director
Terry Koressel		Family Director
Vacant		Membership Director
Jim Messmer		Recycle Director

"St. Kilian Council 6332 Monthly Recognition"

For brother knights as follows:

Degree Completions

None

Transfers to our Council

None

Anniversary of Knights of Columbus Service

Alfred Luppi	November 1	30 Years
Leonardo Trebels	November 25	29 Years
Bert Munoz	November 9	19 Years
Father Paul Vu	November 2	14 Years
Michael Vu	November 10	13 Years
Jim Dorsey	November 30	13 Years
Joe Ulans	November 18	10 Years
Arnie Herrera	November 9	7 Years
Matthew Peek	November 20	7 Years

Birthdays in November

Father Sebastian Angelos	November 1
Anthony Vutaggio	November 2
Richard Mc Carthy Jr.	November 2
Gabriel Trebels	November 5
Bill De Luca	November 5
Craig Hall	November 7
Quyen Nguyen	November 7
Michael Phelps	November 7
Leonardo Trebels	November 9
John F. O'Neill, III	November 13
Pat Mansfield	November 14
Gerald Taylor	November 14
Bill Villanueva	November 16
Mike Cusack	November 20
Tony Levatino	November 23
Ben Attard	November 26
Father Chris Drennen	November 27
Dominique Siu	November 30