



Knightly News

CHARITY UNITY FRATERNITY PATRIOTISM

August 2023

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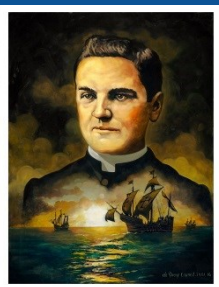
Family Director: John Williams

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Council Operations

It is the Dog Days of Summer and our activity list is fairly light for August. However, September is just around the corner and that is a very busy month for the council. Come and see what's on tap for us.

The meeting starts at **7:00 PM**.
(Rosary at 6:30 PM in the Cry room).

Membership Meeting



RECOGNITION

July

Knight of The Month
John Williams

Family of The Month
John & Sue Williams

Grand Knight Comments

Brother Knights,

First month of being Grand Knight is in the books. I want to thank all the brother knights who helped or participated in three events. First was the Christmas in July Dinner for Friends of St. Anthony, held on July 8th. Second was Officers Installation held on July 22nd. Third was testing the new taco fryers that will be used for Old Settlers Days, held on July 23rd. Just a reminder, it is time to renew your membership.

Vivat Jesus!

Tom Westerman
Grand Knight



Key Dates

August

- 8/1 – Officer Planning Meeting
- 8/21 – Membership Meeting
- 8/25 & 26 – Taco Prep

September

- 9/5 – Officer Planning Meeting
- 9/6-8 – Breakfast Burrito Prep
- 9/7-9 – Old Settlers
- 9/10 – Sunday Donuts
- 9/16 – Street Cleanup
- 9/17 – Sunday Donuts
- 9/18 – Membership Meeting

October

- 10/3 – Officer Planning Meeting
- 10/8 – Boy Scout Breakfast
- 10/15 – Sunday Donuts
- 10/16 – Membership Meeting
- 10/21 – Sausage Sale
- 10/22 – Sunday Donuts

Activity Updates

CHRISTMAS IN JULY

On July 8th, we hosted the annual Christmas in July for the Friends of St. Anthony group. About 70 people showed up to have a meal, play Bingo and have a good time. Thank You to the wonderful crew that helped to provide this great event.



Among the cooking & serving crew were: Tom Westerman, Tom Keegan, Oscar Horn, Trevor Benefield, Jerry Heath, Marty Boos, Matt Mitchell, Alex Montgomery-Soares, Troy Mills, Andy Boehm & John Thielen

Catholic Facts

According to Catholic Canon Law, the Catholic Bible is sometimes referred to as a translation of the Bible. As a literal translation of the canonical texts, the Latin edition of the Catholic Bible is regarded to be the most accurate translation. It is known as the Vulgate, and was translated in the 4th century AD by a group of scholars. The Vulgate was used for all subsequent translations of the Catholic Bible. [1]

Spiritual Quotes

WHEN YOU CANNOT SLEEP AT NIGHT, HAVE YOU EVER THOUGHT MAYBE IT'S GOD SAYING "WE NEED TO TALK AND YOU NOW HAVE TIME."

Activity Updates

OFFICER INSTALLATION

On July 22nd we held the officer installation for our 2023-2024 officers. Joining us were the officers from JPII and St. Paul for the ceremony. District Deputy Doug Svatos conducted the proceedings.



7909 Officers



Doug Svatos



Officers from all three councils.



Activity Updates

SCHOLARSHIP PRESENTATIONS

Also in July, we were able to present the checks to the winners of this year's scholarship contest.



Pictured (but not in order of appearance) are: Anna Ketelle, Jedrick Wilson, Jacob Oberrieder, Mitchell Thompson, and Megan Kuckelman.

SUPPORTING UPLIFT

At a previous meeting the council voted to help the Uplift Organization by purchasing water for them. Bill Schoep took care of that. We were able to purchase 1200 bottles.



Upcoming Activities & Events

TACO PREP

On August 25th & 26th, we will be doing Taco Prep for Old Settlers. Be on the lookout for a Sign Up email. We have a lot of taco's to make.



PRO-LIFE SAUSAGE SALE

We don't have a date yet, but the council plans on holding another Pro-Life Sausage Sale in August. Be on the lookout for an email with all the details.

DUES

Don't forget, your annual dues is due. Remember, you can pay on-line through our web site (kofc7909.org).



MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL *Annual Dues*



4th Degree News

St. Philippine Duchesne Assembly 2260

The next business meeting will be at St. Paul, Monday, August 14th, at 7:00 PM. Come and join us.

A special attendance prize of \$100.00 will be given if at least 12 Sir Knights (excluding officers) attend the meeting.

See the web site for the latest information:
www.kofc2260assemble.org



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MONDAYS | AUGUST 7, 14, 21 + 28 | 6:30-8PM | CONFERENCE ROOM

Please contact facilitator Rolene Croucher (rcroucher@kwc.com) or 913-963-5342 to register on or before July 31 to allow us to properly prepare materials + facilities. There is no cost for this conference.



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Duchesne
Assembly 2260**

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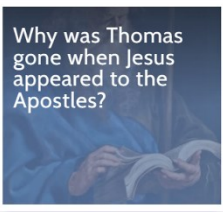
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Mark Your Calendars UPCOMING EVENTS



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1  Officers Planning Meeting	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14  Membership Meeting	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25  Taco Prep	26  Taco Prep
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