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Calendar

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July 2016				
Fri	1	FIRST FRIDAY		
Sun	3	Council Golf (Westchester Golf Course)11:00 am		
Sun	3	Parade Float Prep (see article on p)4:00 pm		
Mon	4	INDEPENDENCE DAY		
Mon	4	Westchester July 4th Parade11:00 am		
Tue	5	Council Meeting(Dinner at 6:30 pm)7:30 pm		
Sun	10	Visitation Coffee & Donuts		
Wed	13	4th Degree Officer Meeting7:30 pm		
Tue	19	2nd Degree (Sign in at 6:30pm)8:00 pm		
Tue	26	Council Officer Meeting7:30 pm		
Wed	27	4th Degree Regular Meeting8:00 pm		
Thu	28	Holding Company Meeting7:30 pm		
		August 2016		
Tue	2	Council Meeting(Dinner at 6:30 pm)7:30 pm		
Fri	5	FIRST FRIDAY		
Sun	7	Council Golf (Westchester Golf Course)11:00 am		
Sun	14	Visitation Coffee & Donuts		
Tue	16	Council Officer InstallationTBD		
Tue	23	Council Officer Meeting7:30 pm		
Wed	24	4th Degree Regular Meeting8:00 pm		
Sun	28	Counil Picnic (Chevron Park)12:00 noon		

New Grand Knight Elected

After completing three terms as Grand Knight, **Paul Condran** has achieved the much sought after title of Past Grand Knight. Paul will join the Hall's prestigious photo gallery of all our Past Grand Knights and assume the role of 3-Year Trustee.

At the Jun 14 Council meeting, elections were held with **Alex Flores** chosen as Grand Knight for the 2016-17 Columbian year. We wish Alex all the best in his new role and look forward to where he will take Council 3744 next! Come welcome Alex at his first meeting as Grand Knight on Tue July 5.

In addition to the election of Alex-Flores, two other Brother Knights were elected to new 2016-17 officer positions: **Mervin Hughes** (Deputy Grand Knight) and **Brian Lockwood** (Chancellor).

We thank all the other re-elected officers for agreeing to continue to serve in their current roles.

Council 3744 continues to be one of the largest and most active in the state, largely due to the continued hard work and commitment of our Brothers who choose to serve.



Officers for 2016-2017 Term

Grand Knight	Alex Flores
Dep Grand Knight	Mervin Hughes
Chancellor	Brian Lockwood
Warden	Tino Carbajal
Recorder	Gabriel Faustinos
Treasurer	Ed Stokx PGK
Advocate	Tom Zvanovec
Lecturer	Paul Callinan
Inside Guard	
Outside Guard	John Skidmore
Outside Guard	Joey Howie
3-Year Trustee	Paul Condran PGK
2-Year Trustee	Ken Lockwood
1-Year Trustee	Mike Engler PGK

Welcome 3 New Brother Knights



On Tue June 21 Council 3744 held the final 1st Degree of the Columbian year, and welcomed 3 new Brother Knights:

- Louie Saenz (St Anastasia)
- Bill Ballerinin (St Anastasia)
- Tochukwu Okafor (St Jerome)

Please welcome these new Brothers to Council 3744!

2016 Scholarship Recipients

On Sunday June 12, Council 3744 culminated the Columbian Year of fundraising efforts with the awarding of 10 scholarships of \$1,000 each to winners of the annual Scholarship Program application/essay contest.

The judging was closer than ever with a very talented pool of applicants vying for the awards. Shown below are the winning scholars flanked by Scholarship Program Director **Tony Leoni** (left) and Grand Knight **Paul Condran** (right)



<u>Scholar</u>	Current School	<u>Next School</u>
Sofia Biren	St Jerome	St Bernard
Alexis Bowers	Visitation	Notre Dame High
Natalie Denis	Visitation	Bishop Montgomery
Dominick Divine*	Loyola High	LMU
Everett Fisher	Palisades Charter HS	UC-Berkeley
Erik Godlewski	Loyola High	Univ of Portland
Sean Korey	St Anastasia	Notre Dame High
Cynthia Reznik	Marymount High	UC-Berkeley
Brendon Salerno	Visitation	Loyola High
Laurel Wholihan**	Marymount High	Northwestern
* Grand Knight S	Scholar ** Thompson Family	Scholar

Special thanks to Scholarship Program Director Tony Leoni, applicant judges, the cooks and crew for the awards breakfast and the families of all our winning scholars! As always, it was a very special morning for our Council to be able to recognize the faithful Catholic students in our community for their academic, social, and religious activities. All the best on the next step our your academic journey!

Decency Report

Many Superhero Movies are Not for Kids



Kids love superheroes. Since the year 2000, comic-book superheroes have become truly dominant in the film and pop-culture worlds at large.

But even amid the current vogue for superhero movies attractive to adults, kids still love superheroes.

In general, Marvel has done an excellent job in assuring that its most famous characters are both accessible to and acceptable for a young audience.

By contrast, DC has adopted the opposite approach, devoting itself almost exclusively to adult-themed content. Nearly every project undertaken today under the DC aegis is dark, humorless, grim, and uniformly cast in shades of black or darkest grey.

DC's movies features explicit violence. To take just one example: both the most recent superhero franchise movies, Batman vs. Superman and Captain America: Civil War depict a titanic battle between superheroes on opposite sides of an issue; but the tone of the battles is entirely different. The focus is on the mass devastation caused by what are essentially two super-powered terrorists battling one another, endangering countless innocents and destroying a city in the process.

There is always a market for movies that families can watch together. One can only wonder: why won't DC make superhero movies that are safe for kids?

Ref. Parents Television Council (website)



- Thomas Ullman - Pro-Life Chair, reporting

Prayer Intercessions

Please pray for the intentions of the listed Knights, Family and Friends

Brother Knights

Ed Zvanovec John Neil PDW Ralph Hayne Greg Neumann Jim Piry Jack Craigie Thomas Houlihan Sam Infantino Joe DeStefano Sr



Prayer List Request

To appear on the prayer list, send name by the 25th of the month to kofc3744.editor@gmail.com or call Dan Koskovich at 310-968-0516.

Family & Friends

Lori Caldwell (*wife of Bob*) Jessica Leoni (daughter of Tony) Barbara Clark (*wife of Stan*) Kimberlee Hamilton (wife of David) Helen Cunningham (mother of Joe) Deborah Kanatsky (wife of Bill) Maria Solis (widow of Joe) Jim Parr (father of Jim) Earnie Kracht (father-in -law of Keith Kutler) Paul Rapp (brother of Faye McCreary) Mary Tarke (daughter of Tom Jones) Mauricio Velasquez (son-in-law of Bill LaPonza) Cathy Blodgett (daughter of Al Rue) Helen Harris (grandchild of R Harris) Cheryl Wahler (friend of Tom Russell) Katie Brennan (*wife of Lyle*) Judy Sulatis (mother of Vincent) Lisa Leoni (wife of Tony)

Bulletin Advertising

Ads and Memorial Tributes provide a major source of funds to print and mail this monthly Bulletin. Please consider placing your business card ad (just \$100 for 12 issues) or tribute to a deceased Brother Knight (just \$75 for 12 issues).

Several positions will be available starting with the August issue, so please contact Bulletin Editor **Dan Koskovich** for more details!



Golf Report



Our June "Caddyshack" 5-club event saw a nice turnout of KofC golfers dressed in colorful splendor. The limit of five clubs did not seem to affect play but did provide great excuses for shots gone awry! Tom Hood continued his fine play winning several awards. Birdies were scored by Joe Albrecht (#4), Kyle Kutler (#11) and Mike Engler (#18). A record tying 9 skins were won: Tim Giroux (3), Tom Hood and Joe Albrecht (2 each) and Mike Rachford and Mike Engler (1 each).

LOW GRO	DSS	LOW PUTT	S
Flight A	75 - Tom Hood	Flight A	32 - Joe Albrecht
Flight B	93 - Keith Kutler	Flight B	35 - Guylaine Brosmer
LOW NET		LONG DR	IVE (Hole #15)
Flight A	63 - Mike Engler	Flight A	Joe Albrecht
Flight B	63 - Joe Bernardi	Flight B	Joe Bernardi
	Next Tournan	nent - Sun July 5	
		r Golf Course	
	First tee time - 11:15am (Ar	rive and check in by	y 11:00am)
		guests are welcome!	
		- Ric	hard Wagner - reporting
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Join Us At Westchester July 4th Parade!



Again this year, the Knights of Columbus Council #3744 will be marching in the Westchester 4th of July Parade. Our float will feature our proud military veteran Brother Knights followed by Knights and their families.

We want the most Knight families ever to march with us and show the community just how many of their neighbors are leading the way in faith and charity!



Float decorating will be at the home of Brother **Chip Mallek** (6414 W 87th Pl) on July 3 at 4pm...come out and have some fun with your Brother Knights...and Chip's special spicy dogs! That's right, even with a cast on his leg, Chip will see to it that the crew is well fed!! Contact **Chip Mallek** (310-702-0152) for more info.



Birthday Mass for Jessica Leoni - Jul 16

Jessica Leoni is turning 19 in July and the Leoni Family is celebrating her Birthday with a Mass at Church of the Visitation on July 16 at 1pm.

All are cordially invited to join the Leoni family in this celebration.



Birthday treats will be shared afterward in the Parish Center. The family asks for no gifts, please. If you wish to honor Jessica on her birthday, please make a contribution to the Visitation Parish "Renew Visitation" campaign.

If you plan on attending please RSVP by email to: aleoni@pacbell.net, subject line: Birthday Mass, so the family can have an approximate head count. Please join the Leoni family for this very special birthday!

Summer 2nd Degree - July 19

We have had several large classes of new 1st Degree Knights in the past year and now is the time to commit to making the next step on the journey to full Knighthood. If you are a current 1st Degree Knight, please join us on July 19 at the Council Hall to make your 2nd Degree.

If you need any information about the process, please feel free to contact Membership Director Brother **Chris Lopez PGK** at 310-305-4028.

Summer 2nd Degree - Tue July 19 Council 3744 Hall Ceremony at 8:00pm (*Arrive and check in by 6:30pm*) All current 1st Degree Knights are welcome!





In Memoriam

May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.



In Loving Memory of

John Thompson & Helen Thompson

By: Bill Thompson PGK and Family

In Loving Memory of Sam Toia (1922-2011) / 25 Year Member On behalf of your Brother Knights By: John & Mary Ann Wilson

In Celebration of Eternal Life for

Pat Rotolo A True Brother Knight

By: The Rotolo Family In Loving Memory of

Charles J "Chuck" Pavlich (1921-2011) / PGK / 63 Year Member

On behalf of your Brother Knights By: John & Mary Ann Wilson

In Loving Memory of

Walter Walsh, Jr Council 3744 Life Member

By: The Gills and Shanker Families

In Loving Memory of

Joseph Vezzetti 4th Degree Sir Knight

By: Chip & Maria (Vezzetti) Mallek

In Loving Memory of

Bill Drenick PGK & Marie Drenick

By: Mary Drenick In Loving Memory of

Cressy Lopez Founder, Cressy's Lopez Ranch

By: Chris Lopez PGK and Family

In Loving Memory of

Paul E Hood Past Grand Knight & Charter Member

By: Martha Hood

Tribute Space Available

Contact Dan Koskovich kofc3744.editor@gmail.com

In Loving Memory of

Julius ''Mickey'' Lazok Past Grand Knight & Charter Member

By: Ed, Kathy & Stephen Dacey

In Loving Memory of

Raul Mondragon Past Grand Knight

By: Mercedes Nunes

Rest in Peace

Remember in your prayers all our departed Brothers, especially all those who have died in the month of July



07/01/98	David Supple	07/14/96	Joseph Mescher
07/01/14	Larry Lovett	07/17/13	Francis Novy
07/02/00	Paul Gingras	07/19/93	John Beauclair, PGK
07/02/08	Alipio King	07/20/93	Thad Behm
07/03/92	Edward Glaser	07/21/07	Jose Garcia
07/06/87	Ivan Metkovich	07/22/15	Joseph Vezzetti
07/10/11	Ronald Boltz	07/28/97	Rudy Wittal, PGK
07/10/14	Joseph DeLuca	07/31/61	Joseph Tempske
07/11/04	Leonard Arguelles	07/31/11	Timothy Ricks
07/14/69	Walter West		

Christy Hughes Kairos Fund



With the third anniversary of the passing of Christy Hughes to ovarian cancer on July 19, Council 3744 is asking all Brothers to consider honoring her memory with a donation to the Kairos Fund at St Monica High.

The fund offers scholarships for students who cannot afford the cost of the annual Kairos retreat. Christy was an active participant and leader of the Kairos experience and the scholarships are a tangible reminder of her love for these retreats.

Visit the www.kofc3744.org website Links page for more information on how to donate.



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July Knight Birthdays

- 2 Damian Curran
- 2 Ben Glesz
- 2 Mario Polito
- 3 Matthew Lebouf
- 6 Joseph De Armas
- 8 Eric Waizenegger
- 9 Rick Daza
- 12 Stephen Picard
- 12 Elwin Stemig
- 13 Joseph Bahm
- 14 Patrick Hindman
- 15 Raymond Chagolla
- 15 Henry Guzman
- 15 Steve Tessier
- 16 Michael Thomas

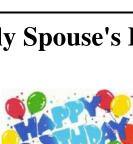
- 18 Eugene Heuschel
- 18 Ned Scaltrito
- 18 Vincent William
- 20 Noel Fletcher
- 20 Michael Rachford
- 21 Bo Corona
- 22 Joseph Sakamaki
- 23 Randall Billups
- 25 Steven Dell'Amico
- 25 William Zimmerman
- 27 Edward Rangel
- 28 Alonso Centeno
- 30 Gary Dell'Amico
- 31 William Thompson

July Spouse's Birthdays

- 1 Lorna Kraus
- 1 Nora Magdlen
- 4 Marta De Armas
- 5 Yvonne Reyes
- 7 Monica Jimenez
- 8 Peggy Le Duff
- 8 Catherine Roze
- 11 Melanie Thomas
- 13 Gladys Tseng
- 14 Juanita Wiemken
- 17 Nicole Mc Sorley

- 22 Mary Lutes
- 23 Cathy Heteniak
- 24 Adela Rogers
- 25 Antoinette Mannix
- 26 Perviz Sawoski
- 27 Jinny Bozzalla
- 28 Tina Lopez
- 30 Katie Brennan
- 30 Stella Padilla
- 31 Tamara La Ponza





Anniversaries

Congratulations to all of our Brother Knights and spouses who are celebrating anniversaries this month.

07/02/49		Vincent & Beverly Migliazzo
07/02/83		Chris & Imeloa Lopez
07/02/95		Juan & Michelle Centeno
07/04/87		Jon & Suzette Sornborger
07/04/98		Fred & Monica Jimenez
07/08/89		David & Catherine Heppell
07/12/75		Mervin & Lana Hughes
07/13/85		Mark & Guylaine Brosmer
07/13/85		Daniel & Deborah Koskovich
07/14/51	65 Years!	Salvador & Grace Nuno
07/14/61	55 Years!	John & Floy Clark
07/14/90		Tony & Lauren Palermo
07/15/58		Henry & Alicia Guzman
07/15/95		Michael & Julie Mc Clean
07/17/59		Joseph & Yoni Sakamaki
07/17/97		James & Nicole Mc Sorley
07/18/53		Frederick & Marjorie Ann Castner
07/18/70		Ralph & Leslie Hayne
07/18/87		Leland & Teresa Ratleff
07/19/58		Edward (Noel) & Connie Fletcher
07/19/80		Thomas & Catherine Roze
07/25/03		John & Kirsten Logsdon
07/27/91	25 Years!	Steve & Tira Tessier
07/29/78		Michael & Pam Engler
07/29/00		John & Juanita Wiemken
07/31/99		Michael & Tina Salvo
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Insurance Field Agent Report

The Value of Membership Referrals

As a professional insurance agent, one of the things I appreciate most is when one of my brother Knight clients or his wife refers another member to me. This is a great endorsement of the service I provide. It tells me that they were so pleased with what I helped them accomplish that they want me to help others achieve the same level of financial safety and security. When I meet with you, please pass along the names of those who might benefit from the analysis that I provide.

Similarly, there is no stronger membership recruiting tool than the referral. How many of us know an eligible Catholic male who is not a member of the Knights of Columbus? Do you have Catholic family or friends, local or not, who have yet to join? Most likely, they've never been asked and don't know enough about the Order to seek out membership on their own.

If you know a potential member, pass them along to me or your Grand Knight. Let us know if we can use your name when we contact the gentlemen in question. It's always more effective to tell a member candidate that he was recommended by a current member, especially someone he knows. Don't worry if a candidate is outside the area I serve or beyond the district of the local councils, we can put these future members in touch with the right people in their communities.

New members are the lifeblood of the Order. All our good deeds are driven by the members. Over the past decade, Knights have given nearly \$1.5 billion to charity and over 673 million hours of service. Our membership has merely scratched the surface in North America...just imagine the potential.

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DON'T LEAVE HOME WITHOUT YOUR ROSARY! Remember to carry your rosary at all times Pray the rosary as often as you can

Remember our deceased Brothers in your prayers.