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Calendar

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March 2017			
Wed	1	ASH WEDNESDAY	
Fri	3	FIRST FRIDAY	
Fri	3	Fish Fry Dinner (Bingo Moved to 3/10!)5:30pm-7:30 pm	
Fri - Sun	3 - 5	KofC Annual Retreat (Mater Dolorosa, Sierra Madre)	
Sun	5	Council Golf (Westchester Golf Course)11:00 am	
Tue	7	Civic Election (Poll at Council Hall) Council Mtg Moved to Mar 14	
Wed	8	4th Degree Officer Meeting8:00 pm	
Fri	10	Fish Fry Dinner and Bingo5:30pm-7:30 pm	
Tue	14	Council Meeting(Dinner at 6:30 pm)7:30 pm	
Fri	17	ST PATRICK'S DAY	
Mon	20	ST JOSEPH'S DAY	
Tue	21	First Degree(Sign-in at 6:30 pm)7:30 pm	
Wed	22	4th Degree Regular Meeting8:00 pm	
Thu	23	Holding Company Meeting7:00 pm	
Fri	24	Fish Fry Dinner5:30pm-7:30 pm	
Tue	28	Council Officer Meeting7:30 pm	
Wed	29	FOUNDER'S DAY	
		April 2017	
Sun	2	Council Golf (Westchester Golf Course)11:00 am	
Tue	4	Council Meeting(Dinner at 6:30 pm)7:30 pm	
Fri	7	Fish Fry Dinner and Bingo (Last of Lent)5:30pm-7:30 pm	
Fri	7	FIRST FRIDAY	
Sun	9	PALM SUNDAY	
Wed	12	4th Degree Officer Meeting8:00 pm	
Thu	13	HOLY THURSDAY	
Fri	14	GOOD FRIDAY	
Sun	16	EASTER	
Tue	18	Second Degree(Sign-in at 6:30 pm)7:30 pm	
Fri	21	Italian Dinner5:30pm-7:30 pm	
Tue	25	Council Officer Meeting7:30 pm	
Wed	26	4th Degree Regular Meeting8:00 pm	
Sun	30	Past Faithful Navigators' Dinner (TBA)	

Grand Knight Message

The season of Lent is here! By the time you receive and read this message we will have started the Lenten season.

For us Catholics this is a very important, reflective and faithful time of year.

Tues Feb 28 also known as "Phat Tuesday," we hosted our Religious Appreciation Dinner. Thank you to Brother Mark Brosmer and his team for putting together another great event.



Mon March 20, starting at 6pm, our Council is hosting the Church of the Visitation parish Lent dinner of the season. Please come out to help set up and enjoy this Lent season Monday dinner. We will need help with the soup dinner preparation; serving and the clean-up...please let me or Paul Condran PGK know if you can help.

This time of year we need to get ready for our annual ticket sales to benefit the Rancho San Antonio "Boys Home of the West." Brother Mike Engler PGK has your book of tickets in the mail out to you! Please make an effort to sell and/or purchase these tickets so we can top last year's results. This program provides a home for atrisk young men and is 100% supported by your donations...let's do our best! If you need more tickets, please reach out to Brother Mike Engler PGK...let's have a strong showing of Council CHARITY!

Please remember to check the council website periodically to see the various events happening in our parishes and how we can make a difference... Remember to wear your badges!

Invite a Catholic gentleman and their family to a Fish Fry, and invite him to join the Knights of Columbus as a "Knight Before Easter" on Tue March 21.

God Bless. Vivat Jesus

Grand Knight, Alex Flores

Rancho San Antonio Kick-Off

Council 3744 has kicked off our annual fundraising efforts for Rancho San Antonio, the Knights of Columbus supported "Boys Home of the West". Learn more about this great organization at their website (www:ranchosanantonio.org).



Rancho rehabilitates confused, neglected or abused adolescent boys and helps them from ending up as another negative statistic. Rancho is often the first real chance for these boys to succeed, and they do with 90% success rate!

Open House on May 7...celebrating 83 years of service!

Los Angeles area Knights of Columbus councils have supported this cause for many years, primarily with raffle ticket sales fundraisers. Last year, Council 3744 sold nearly \$6,500 of raffle tickets and this year's goal is to exceed that total!

You can help us achieve this goal two different ways

1. Buy tickets yourself or sell them to friends and neighbors

By now all Brother Knights should have received a book of 10 tickets (requested donation of \$2 a ticket, \$20 for the book). Please purchase as many tickets as you can and return the donation and the ticket stubs by April 25. Please call or email me (as indicated below), if you need more tickets or did not receive tickets.

2. Help sell tickets at your local parish

Last year almost \$4,000 of tickets were sold to parishioners at our three local parishes. Only because of Brothers giving their time and effort at the weekend Masses was this total reached. The more people who sell tickets, the greater the results! To help assure success, please volunteer to spend 15 minutes before and after the Mass of your choice selling tickets on your parish's designated weekend:

Visitation-Mar 18 & 19 | St Jerome and St Anastasia - *dates to be announced*

Once again, thank you for your past support and looking forward to another successful campaign for this worthy charity.

Mike Engler PGK, Rancho San Antonio Chairman (310) 258 9482 | mengler729@sbcglobal.net

Decency Report Ultrasound Legislation

Although science has long known that life begins at conception, only in recent years have technological advances allowed parents an easy way to see their child's development before birth through the use of sonogram imaging.



But the detailed pictures are now changing the hearts and minds of expectant mothers and even hardened abortion clinic personnel, saving thousands of lives.

Not surprisingly, the abortion lobby goes all-out to stop any pertinent legislation because of its dramatic effect in reducing abortion rates. The Texas ultrasound informed consent law went into effect in 2012 and Texans saw an immediate 5.7% decrease in abortion numbers, followed by another 6.5% decrease in 2013.

Abortion providers regularly use ultrasounds themselves, but they warn their staff not to show them to the mother. Although 25 states have at least some limited ultrasound laws, most of these have loopholes that allow the abortionist to hide the image or dissuade the mother from seeing the ultrasound of her baby.

Ref. Winter newsletter of the National Pro-Life Alliance



- 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 Thomas Houlihan Sam Infantino Michael Walsh



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 (*Keith Kutler, father-in-law*) Paul Rapp (brother of Faye McCreary) Mary Tarke (daughter of Tom Jones) Cathy Blodgett (daughter of Al Rue) Helen Harris (grandchild of R Harris) Cheryl Wahler (friend of Tom Russell) Katie Brennan (widow of Lyle) Judy Sulatis (mother of Vincent) Lisa Leoni (wife of Tony) Dee Rhoden (bro-in-law, Ken Lockwood) Jenny Krebs (friend of David Klein)

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).

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Golf Report

Our KofC golfers kick-started Super Bowl Sunday with a nice day of golf. The Brosmers (Guylaine, Geremy and Mark) really enjoyed the day winning just about every award. Dad Mark was bursting with pride, outdriving son Geremy on Hole #15 while each won a longest drive award. Germey outbirdied and outskinned everyone with a birdie on Hole #6 and acquisition of 2 skins.



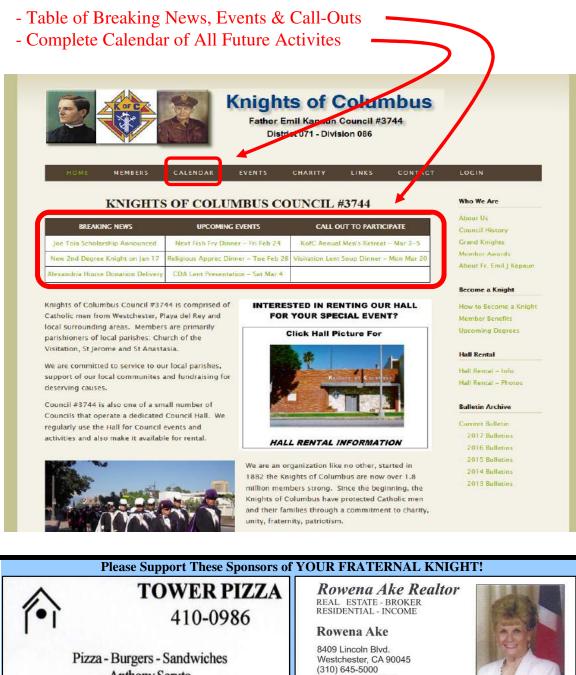
Tom Hood birdied Hole #3 and Chuck Heteniak birdied Hole # 13. Skins were collected by Guylaine Brosmer, Tom Hood, Joe Albrecht, Mike Engler, Chuck Heteniak and Richard Wagner with one each. Hood and Wagner locked in an absolute tie for closest to the pin on Hole #4 with Tom, the gentleman he is, concedeing the golf ball award to your humble reporter.

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Next Tournament: Sun March 5Westchester Golf CourseFirst tee time - 11:15am (Arrive and check in by 11:00am)All Knights and guests are welcome!						
					- Rich	nard Wagner - reporting
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Website Keeps Improving

If you haven't visited the Council Website (www.kofc3744.org) recently you are missing out on a comprehensive source of information on all things KofC 3744!

Check out the home for a simple menu and tools to take you right to what you are looking for. Click on a few of the links highlighted here and take a tour today!



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Lent Fish Fry Schedule Starts March 3rd!

Lent Season Dinners March 3 March 10 (Bingo at 7:30pm) March 24 April 7 (Bingo at 7:30pm) Fr Emil Kapaun Council Hall 5:30pm - 7:30pm

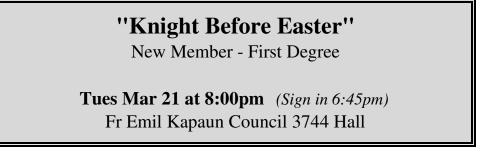
Dine In or Take Out!



Council 3744 offers its full service sit down dinner as a delicious way to fulfill your Friday Lenten "no meat obligation"! Come out and support your Council charities, enjoy a delicious meal, tasty \$3 Margaritas and wonderful fellowship!

Easter 1st Degree - Tue Mar 21

Help our Council grow and succeed, invite a friend to join the Knights today!



Contact Chris Lopez PGK for any information or help recruiting a prospect.



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In Memoriam

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



In Loving Memory of	In Loving Memory of
John Thompson	Bill Drenick PGK
& Helen Thompson	& Marie Drenick
By: Bill Thompson PGK and Family	By: Mary Drenick
In Loving Memory of	In Loving Memory of
Joseph Vezzetti 4th Degree Sir Knight	Cressy Lopez Founder, Cressy's Lopez Ranch
By: Chip & Maria (Vezzetti) Mallek	By: Chris Lopez PGK and Family
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Rest in Peace

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



03/02/55	David Junod	03/13/06	Thomas Zee
03/03/14	Howard Phillips	03/15/82	Dean Thie, PGK
03/06/11	Walter Siolek	03/16/00	Philip Vessa, PGK
03/07/93	Joseph Mausser	03/18/03	Stephen Mc Nicholas
03/07/10	Ramon Roges, DDS	03/23/08	Lawrence Gutweiler
03/07/14	Thomas Gabele	03/25/04	John Kelly
03/08/88	Terence Malone	03/26/99	Louis Tallman
03/09/06	Rev Charles Harman	03/26/14	David St Clair Kurt
03/10/01	John Russell	03/27/66	Marion Longhran
03/11/13	Donald Leahy	03/31/14	Michael Huben
03/12/84	Sylvester Schmolder, PGK		



Visit the Council website (www.kofc3744.org) **Member-In Memoriam** page for a digital Memorial Plaque with names of deceased Brother Knights along with links to obituaries for Knights having passed in the last two years.

Remember deceased Brother Knights in your prayers.



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March Knight Birthdays

- 7 Joseph (Earl) Ricks
- 10 Daniel Koskovich
- 11 Raymond Sullivan
- 12 Eric Lopez
- 15 Raymond Delgado
- 15 Fred Jimenez
- 15 David Rossi
- 17 Rick Weir
- 20 John Bozzalla
- 21 Dr Thomas Connare Jr
- 21 Rev Raymond Farre
- 22 Edward Saldibar
- 23 David Diaz
- 23 Samuel Roberts



- 24 Salvatore Cecere
- 24 Richard Dawson
- 24 Chris Lopez
- 29 Norman Bisho
- 31 Steve Cressman
- 31 Stephen Reznik

March Spouse's Birthdays



- 3 Kathy Wiles
- 6 Julie Mc Clean
- 6 Irene Zvanovec
- 13 Rosa Bordenave
- 13 Karen Diaz

- 14 Guylaine Brosmer
- 15 Grace Nuno
- 16 Kathy De Lay
- 17 Feliza Ramos
- 19 Adela Lopez
- 21 Patricia Stemig
- 22 Angela Gayton
- 22 Jane Lanzner
- 25 Janice Dennis Jr
- 26 Dee Gernert
- 27 Mary William

CORRECTIONS REQUESTED - Spot an error? Your big day missing? Please email corrections to <u>kofc3744.editor@gmail.com</u>.

Anniversaries

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

03/19/72	45 Years!	Matthew & Caroline Achilefu
03/26/88		Miguel & Rosa Palomino



Visitation Lent Soup Dinner

Each year, Church of the Visitation hosts a series of Lent Soup Dinners in preparation for the coming of Easter and Council 3744 steps up, as one of many organizations, to assist in supporting one of the dinners.



This year we will support the dinner on March 20. We will be looking for Brother Knights to help with several functions for the event: set-up (to begin at 5pm on the dinner day), shopping for menu items, clean-up and teardown.

Paul Condran PGK is leading this effort and is looking for a large turnout to help our important Council parish. If you need more information or can commit to help, please contact Paul at 310-505-4616.



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Athletic:	
Golf	Richard Wagner 310-670-8158
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Rancho San Antonio]	Mike Engler PGK 310-258-9482
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	Bill Thompson PGK 310-670-2631
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Round Table Coordinate	ors:
St Anastasia	Robert Lutes 310-743-3166
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Memorial Mass	Mike Rachford PGK 310-337-9591
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	Bill Thompson PGK 310-670-2631
	Tom Ullman PGK310-670-0605
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Free Throw Contest	
Scholarships	Tony Leoni
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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.

Sat 5:00pm