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# Calendar

#### EMAIL READERS - Print Out, Save & Share With Your Family!

November 2018				
Thu	1	ALL SAINTS DAY		
Fri	2	ALL SOULS DAY / FIRST FRIDAY		
Sun	4	Council Golf (Westchester Golf Course)11:00 am		
Tue	6	CIVIC ELECTIONS		
Fri	9	New Orleans Fish Fry5:30 to 8:00 pm		
Sun	11	VETERANS DAY		
Mon	12	VETERANS DAY OBSERVED		
Tue	13	Council Meeting (6:30pm dinner)7:30 pm		
Wed	14	4th Degree Officer Meeting8:00 pm		
Tue	20	Memorial Mass (gathering at 7:00pm)7:30 pm		
Thu	22	THANKSGIVING		
Tue	27	Council Officer Meeting7:30 pm		
Wed	28	4th Degree Meeting8:00 pm		
Thu	29	Holding Company Meeting7:00 pm		
		December 2018		
Sun	2	Council Golf (Westchester Golf Course)11:00 am		
Tue	4	Council Meeting (6:30pm dinner)		
Wed	5	4th Degree Christmas Party5:00 pm		
Fri	7	FIRST FRIDAY		
Fri	7	Triple B Dinner (Bourbon, Burgers, and Beer)5:30 to 8:00 pm		
Sat	8	FEAST OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION		
Wed	12	FEAST OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE		
Sun	16	Quarterly Communion Mass (St Jerome's Church)9:00 am		
Sun	16	Council Christmas Breakfast Party11:00 am		
Tue	18	1st Degree (Sign in at 6:30pm)8:00 pm		
Tue	25	CHRISTMAS DAY		
Thu	27	Holding Company Meeting7:00 pm		
Fri	28	Shrine Mass & Rosary (Holy Cross)2:00 pm		
Mon	31	NEW YEARS EVE		

## **Grand Knight Message**

Greetings my Brother Knights, families and friends!

Thank you to our Brother Knights who supported our first annual Oktoberfest as well as at the Visitation Carnival. Huge success and fun for all!

Please be sure to review our Council website regularly for breaking news, events and volunteering opportunities. Let us continue to support our community.



It's important to promote Council membership and share the benefits of being a part of participating in our great organization. Thank you to all Brother Knights who come out and attend our monthly meetings. This is a great way to stay informed and fraternize.

Some important dates to remember: <u>Nov 6: Election Day; Nov 11: Veterans Day</u>, to honor the brave men and women for their sacrifice in serving in our armed forces; <u>Nov 9: New Orleans Fish Fry</u>, be there!

We continue to offer our prayers and support to each other, especially to the family of our beloved brother John Wilson Sr. God Bless You All!

# New 2nd Degree Knights in October

Congratulations to our Council Brother Knights that completed their 2nd Degree on Oct 16! We are honored to have these men as a part of our group and are looking forward to joining them in the wonderful events and moments to share ahead! Well done Gentlemen!

Pictured from left to right: Michael Dorn, Gregory Phelps, Bill Ballerini, and Michael Rachford PGK. Way to go, Brothers!



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## **Knight's Retreat at Mater Dolorosa**

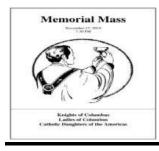
Brother Knights,

This year's K of C Retreat will once again be held at Mater Dolorosa Retreat Center in Sierra Madre on the weekend of March 1-3. The retreat, presented by the Passionist Retreat Team, begins Friday evening with dinner and concludes around noon on Sunday.

The peaceful grounds of Mater Dolorosa make this a perfect spot for a weekend of spiritual enrichment and growth. The retreat team offers inspirational talks on this year's theme "Be Not Anxious! Living in the Peace of Christ", as well as quiet time for prayer, Mass, Confession, and Stations of the Cross. A description of the theme and other information about the retreat center can be found at <a href="https://materdolorosa.org/retreat-theme-2/">https://materdolorosa.org/retreat-theme-2/</a>.

Council 4567 is coordinating a group of 25 Knights from our area to attend. If you would like to attend, are considering it, or have questions, send a note to Brother Mike Rotolo of Council 4567 at mmrotolo@gmail.com, or call him at 310.322.5045. He will send you a confirmation if there is space available and instructions on how to register either on line or by phone, and to pay the \$50 deposit. The requested donation for the weekend is \$250 which includes two nights and five awesome meals. No one is turned away because of financial inability to make the donation. We hope you join us!

# **Memorial Mass Coming Nov 20**



Each November, our Council celebrates a Memorial Mass in honor of all our Brother Knights, Catholic Daughters, Ladies of Columbus and spouses of Brother Knights who have passed away in the past 12 months. This year's Mass will be held at the Council Hall on Nov 20. We will gather at 7:00pm with the Mass officially starting at 7:30pm. Plan now on attending this special ceremony.

# New 4th Degree Knights

Two of our Council #3744 Brothers are now 4th Degree Knights, having attended the annual 4th Degree festivities on the October 13th weekend. If you see Brother **Devron Carter** and Brother **John Cornejo** be sure to congratulate them on their advancement through this final step in the journey to becoming a full Knight. They are both new additions to our 4th Degree Father Hawe Assembly. Thank you, Brothers, for your patience, your perseverance, and your prime example of Knighthood in today's world.

## **Decency Report**

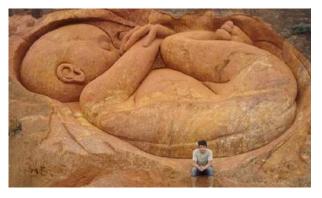
#### Life After Abortion - a Study

Women's adjustment to life after abortion involves numerous factors, and qualitative studies are uniquely suited to enhance our understanding of the breadth and depth of individuals' experiences. In 2013 and 2014, women with a history of abortion were invited to participate in an online survey. Some 987 completed the survey; 85% of the women were white and non-Hispanic, 8% Hispanic, 4% black and 3% of other ethnicities.

Concerning potential risk factors, 58.3% of the women reported

[deciding] to make others happy, 73.8% disagreed that their decision to abort was entirely free from even subtle pressure from others to abort, 28.4% aborted out of fear of losing their partner if they did not abort, 67.5% said the abortion decision was the hardest decisions of their lives and 33.2% felt emotionally connected to the fetus before the abortion. Common negative feelings included having terminated a life, regret, shame, guilt, depression and anxiety, self-appraisals and self-destructive behaviors.

Remarkably lew studies have addressed the extent to which freely available abortion services enhance women's emotional well-being. Women who self-identify as having struggled with their choice to abort are rarely studied. If we value freedom of choice, we have a moral obligation to provide the social structures necessary



make choosing motherhood as easy as choosing abortion. In the US, we have clearly failed in this re-gard.

Ref: Jrnl of American Physicians and Surgeons Volume 22 Number 04 Winter 2017



- Thomas Ullman - Pro-Life Chair, reporting

## **Prayer Intercessions**

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

#### **Brother Knights**

John Neil PDW Ralph Hayne

Greg Neumann Jim Piry

Michael Walsh

Matthew Ceballos



**Prayer List Request** 

To appear on the prayer list, send name by the 25th of the month to knights3744gmail.com or call Brian Lockwood at (310) 210-2206.

#### **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) 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) Bernie Roberts (friend of Council)

# **Brother Tom Ullman PGK Honored**



Congratulations to Tom Ullman PGK for his devout dedication to the preservation of life, specifically shown in his participation efforts with the "40 Days For Life" campaign. Brother Joe Schirripa presented Tom with a special Rosary, thanking him for his amazing service. Congratulations and thank you Worthy Knight Tom Ullman PGK!



## **Golf Report**

Borrowing a quote from Grantland Rice, outlined against a bluegray October sky, a nice turnout of KC golfers enjoyed a great October afternoon at the Westchester Golf course. **Joe Albrecht** led the group with a nice round and **Erick Neblina** discovered a magic golf elixir to score two birdies and the best low net. **Joe**, Tom Hood, and **Mark Brosmer** also scored birdies. The flag holes were nicely distributed among 7 players collecting awards.



**Erick**, **Joe**, and **Mark Brosmer** scored 2 skins each, while Tom Hood, **Ken Lockwood**, **Mike Rachford**, and Guylaine Brosmer carried home one each. Our next tournament will be on November 4. Tee off times will be about 11:15 A.M. at the Westchester Golf Course. All Knights and guests are welcome.

LOW GROSS				LOW PUTTS	
Fligh	ht A	79 - Joe Albrech	nt	Flight A	29 - Tom Hood
Fligh	nt B	88 - Mark Brosi	ner	Flight B	34 - Mark Brosmer
LOW	NET			LONG DRIV	/E (Hole #15)
Fligh	ht A	61 - Erick Nebli	ina	Flight A	Joe Albrecht
Fligl	nt B	62 - Mike Engle	er	Flight B	Mark Brosmer
FLAG HOLES (Closest to the Pin)					
#1	Ken	Lockwood	#11	Tom Hood	#16 Erick Neblina
#4	Marl	k Brosmer	#13	Tim Giroux	
#8	Greg	g Phelps	#14	Joe Albrecht	
	Next Tournament: Sun November 4				
	Westchester Golf Course				
	First tee time - 11:15am (Arrive and check in by 11:00am) All Knights and guests are welcome!				

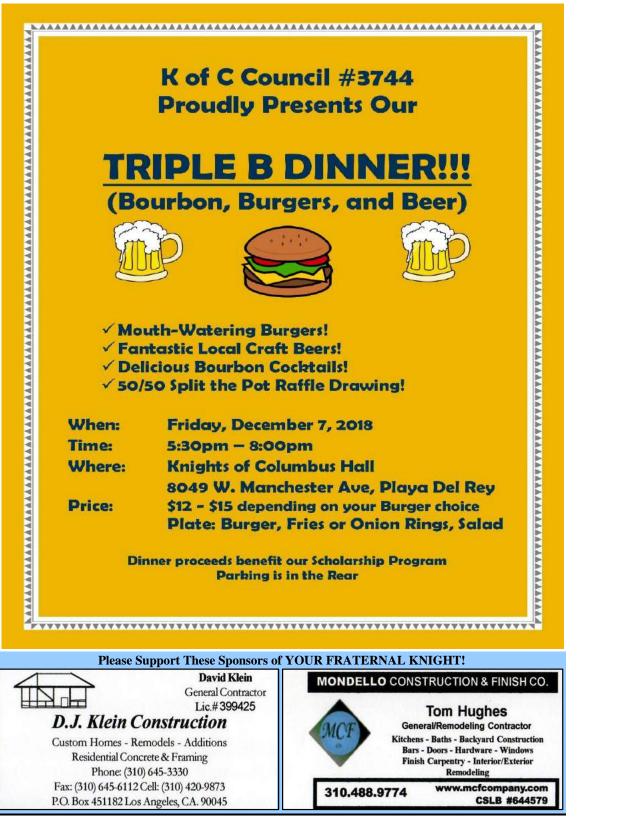
- Richard Wagner - reporting



## **New Orleans Fish Fry on November 9**



## **Another Triple B Dinner on December 7**



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## In Memoriam

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



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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	<b>Cressy Lopez</b> Founder, Cressy's Lopez Ranch	
By: Chip & Maria (Vezzetti) Mallek	By: Chris Lopez PGK and Family	
In Loving Memory of	In Loving Memory of	
<b>Pat Rotolo</b> A True Brother Knight	<b>Paul E Hood</b> Past Grand Knight & Charter Member	
By: The Rotolo Family	By: Martha Hood	
In Loving Memory of	In Loving Memory of	
<b>Edwin R Zvanovec</b> A True Brother Knight	Julius "Mickey" Lazok Past Grand Knight & Charter Member	
By: Irene & Thomas Zvanovec	By: Ed, Kathy & Stephen Dacey	
In Celebration of Eternal Life for	In Loving Memory of	
Joseph Toia A Dedicated Brother Knight	<b>Charles D Spencer</b> Past Grand Knight & Charter Member	
His Brothers in Council 3744	By: Joyce Spencer	
Tribute Space Available	Tribute Space Available	
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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 November



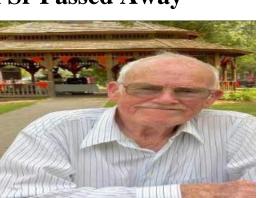
11/01/77	Joseph Harley
11/01/91	Rev Clement Schneider, SJ
11/04/90	Fredrick Nichols
11/07/03	Lawrence Schumaker, PGK
11/08/69	William Schmiedeke
11/08/95	Ruben Lenoue
11/08/10	Dr Emmett Reilly
11/09/15	Msgr Gabriel Gonzales
11/10/98	Leonard Greco
11/11/17	Edwin Zvanovec
11/12/97	Msgr Edmund Maddox
11/12/09	Anthony Mancuso
11/12/16	Lyle T Brennan

11/14/93 Herbert Behm

Louis Quinn 11/15/72 Frank Schroepher 11/15/83 11/15/11 Rev Robert Arenz, SJ 11/15/15 Charles A Gasper 11/15/16 Charles J "Bud" Hayes 11/16/93 Abraham Kay 11/17/08 Frank Capone, PGK 11/19/78 Carl St. Onge Dennis Hoban 11/24/57 11/24/03 **Eric Gittins** Msgr Thomas Mc Nicholas 11/25/66 James Williams, PGK 11/26/02 **Raymond Collins** 11/27/78 Leo Kruer 11/28/97

# **Brother John Wilson Sr Passed Away**

John Wilson Sr has now gone home to Heaven. He was loved and respected by every member of our Council and we will truly miss his presence. John was a great person, smart, witty, and knowlegable, especially of our organization. Our prayers and hearts are with John as he is reunited with his wife, as well as with the entire Wilson family.





## **November Knight Birthdays**

- 1 Herminigildo Suarez
- 2 Mark Rover
- 2 Richard Tuholski
- 2 James Wiles
- 3 Brian Holt
- 3 Thomas Houlihan
- 4 Derek (Tony) Holloway
- 4 Gregory Paquin
- 5 Domingo Flores
- 5 Ernesto Rodriguez
- 5 Bernard Valenzuela
- 6 Sigifredo Aguirre
- 6 Manuel St Martin
- 8 James McSorley
- 9 Johnny Gil
- 12 William Thompson Jr
- 13 Joseph Greenwood III
- 13 Ikenna (Ike) Nwanonenyi
- 17 Frank Noyes

- 17 James Parr Jr
- 20 Charles Heteniak
- 20 Robert Johnson
- 21 Joseph Cunningham
- 21 Paul Delaney
- 22 Rudy Galaviz
- 23 Victor Ewubor
- 23 John Sawoski
- 24 Kenneth Lance
- 26 Rev James McLaughlin
- 27 Paul Callinan
- 27 Msgr Patrick Gallagher
- 27 Agustin Guardino
- 27 Kenneth Lockwood
- 28 Alex Cosare
- 28 Gabriel Faustinos
- 28 Erick Neblina
- 29 Rev Paul Alengattukaran
- 29 Larry Michlovich

## **November Spouse's Birthdays**

- 1 Mary Rouzan
- 5 Geraldine Greenwood
- 9 Susana Ellsperman
- 10 Charlene Clark
- 11 Pam Engler
- 13 Sonia Carbajal
- 14 Sharon Dukesherer
- 14 Teressa Syta
- 14 Tira Tessier

- 16 BJ Cooney
- 21 Maura Reznik
- 22 Leslie Hayne
- 26 Karla Garcia
- 29 GeorgeAnn Callinan
- 30 Maria Elsa Herrera



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## Anniversaries

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

11/02/91		Victor & Maria Alvarez	
11/03/63	55 Years!	Seraphino (Lino) & Maria Rodrigues	
11/06/93	25 Years!	Greg & Patricia Wiacek	
11/08/69		John & Marilyn Craigie II	
11/09/91		Alejandro (Alex) & Lisa Flores	
11/09/63	55 Years!	Lawrence & Kathleen O'Connell	
11/11/89		Anthony & Lisa Leoni	
11/13/04		Erick & Yujana Guillory	
11/14/92		Ed & Sharlene Stokx	
11/17/90		Charles & Brenda Kuznia	
11/21/92		William & Marie Boeck	
11/25/61		Robert & Lori-Dolores Caldwell	
11/27/76		Phuoc (Van) & Kim-Oanh Nguyen	
11/28/87		Martin & Adela Lopez	

## **Young Catholic Professionals Coming to LA**

Young Catholic Professionals (YCP) is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit, founded in 2010, on a mission to challenge, train, and inspire young adults working in various professions to work in witness for Christ. With over a dozen chapters across the U.S., they are now expanding to Los Angeles, and looking for members interested in joining! <u>There will</u> be a fundraiser on Dec 8 from 1pm - 3pm at the UCLA Newman Center to help raise funds for the new chapter. If you are interested in joining than please check out <u>www.youngcatholicprofessionals.org</u> and contact Brian Lockwood at (310) 210-2206 with any questions and inquiries. We are looking forward to hearing from you!



## **First Ever Oktoberfest Dinner Success**

On Oct 12, Council #3744 hosted its first ever Oktoberfest Knight! Fun, delicious food, and a festive spirit were had by all. The beer mug holding contest and Oktoberfest trivia quiz, all complete with beautiful beer glasses for prizes, provided laughs and amazing memories to all!

Our Oktoberfesters were welcomed to "Little Bavaria on Manchester" by **Chris Lopez PGK** and **Paul Condran PGK**. "You know you gotta get trough dose guys" before you get in. Thank you, Brothers!

Preeminent cooks Jeanne Gilbreath, **Paul Condran PGK**, and **Andrew Dawson** & family headed up the kitchen duties, along with the help of Knights **Tino Carbajal**, **John Skidmore**, and **Alan Lanis**. Diners enjoyed beer-boiled bratwursts, roasted potatoes, and sauerkraut reminiscient of the kind mom used to make. Thanks to you all for the amazing work!

Delicious desserts complimented the dinner, as did huge fresh-baked pretzels, donated by local bakery, Rockenwagner. All were displayed and served by our Ladies of Columbus: Joanne Bisho, Michelle Demarco, Irene Mussack, Marlene Kaufman, Petra Castellanos, Mary Grace Charron, Victoria Kearney, and Nina Galanti and family, as well as by the wonderful American Heritage Girls. You are always immensely helpful in making things run smoothly. Thank you so much!

And finally, what Oktoberfest would be complete without beer? Offered was an array of outstanding seasonal delights, donated by local faves, Three Weavers. Our very own **Mike Rachford PGK** and **Jonathan Ricks** tended the taps while **Jon Thompson** and **Kurt Peters** manned the bar. Their selection of German beers helped our even most discerning of connoisseurs were kept busy. Cheers guys!

To everyone who came out to support our first-ever annual Oktoberfest Knight, thank you for joining us. We can't wait to see you next time! Prost!!!

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Sat 5:00pm	Web: www.masstimes.org
Sun 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am, 12:00, 7:30pm	-
<b>St Jerome</b> 310-348-8212	DON'T LEAVE HOME WITHOUT YOUR ROSARY!
Sat 5:30pm	Remember to carry your rosary at all times
Sun 7:30am, 9:00am, 11:00am, 5:30pm	Pray the rosary as often as you can
<b>Visitation</b> 310-216-1145	
Sat 5:00pm	Remember our deceased Brothers in your prayers.
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Sun 8:00am, 9:30am, 11:00am, 4:30pm	