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# Knights of Columbus

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# Calendar

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

August 2019			
Fri	2	FIRST FRIDAY	
Sun	4	Council Golf (Westchester Golf Course)11:00 am	
Tue	6	Council Meeting (6:30pm dinner)7:30 pm	
Sun	11	Council Picnic	
Wed	14	4th Degree Officers Meeting8:00 pm	
Thu	15	FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION	
Thu	22	Holding Company Meeting7:00 pm	
Tue	27	Council Officers Meeting7:30 pm	
Wed	28	4th Degree Regular Meeting8:00 pm	
		September 2019	
Sun	1	Council Golf (Westchester Golf Course)11:00 am	
Mon	2	LABOR DAY	
Tue	3	Council Meeting (6:30pm dinner)7:30 pm	
Fri	6	FIRST FRIDAY	
Wed	11	4th Degree Officers Meeting8:00 pm	
Tue	17	1st Degree (Sign in at 6:30pm)8:00 pm	
Fri	20	Triple B Dinner (Burgers, BINGO, and Beer)5:30pm-7:30 pm	
Tue	24	Council Officers Meeting7:30 pm	
Wed	25	4th Degree Regular Meeting8:00 pm	
Thu	26	Holding Company Meeting7:00 pm	

# **Grand Knight Message**

Greetings my Brother Knights, families and friends!

I hope you're all enjoying your summer. Thanks to all who've supported our Council's recent events.

We enjoyed another Westchester 4th of July parade and celebration. I'd like to thank **Chip Mallek** for coordinating with the city to ensure our participation. Thanks also to **John Skidmore**, **Tom Hughes**, and volunteers for getting our car ready and decorating our float. Fantastic job!



On Jul 21 we had a great time at the Westchester Farmer's Market, where Council #3744 had a Classic Car Show. Thank you **Paul Callinan** for all your work!

Please continue to access our Council website for breaking news, upcoming events and other announcements. We hope to see you at the upcoming Council Picnic on Aug 11. Please try to join us as much as you can and let us continue to pray for one another. God bless you all!

# **5-Club Caddyshack Craziness!**

On Sunday July 7 our Annual 5-Club Caddyshack affair was held and well attended! Check out page 6 for the full Golf Report to see scores and highlights. You have to love those outfits! (not everyone in attendance in photo)



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## **Annual Council #3744 Family**



The Annual Council Picnic will be held Sun Aug 11 at Chevron Park, starting at 11:30am with lunch from noon to 1:30pm. Join your Brother Knights and families for a fun filled afternoon of camaraderie, great food and picnic games. Join us for fun in the annual softball game, water balloon toss and other picnic games for adults and kids!

#### Annual Council Picnic Sunday August 11

Activities Begin - 11:30am Lunch Served - Noon to 1:30pm

Chevron Park, El Segundo

All are welcome to this Council hosted event! Invite a new potential member and their family so they can see fist hand our great, family based brotherhood.

If you can help with set up, cooking, games, clean up; or can bring a side dish or dessert for all to enjoy, please call **Tino Carbajal** at 323-864-3091.

Chevron Park is located on the southwest corner of Sepulveda and El Segundo Blvds (behind the Chevron gas station). Traveling south on Sepulveda, turn right on El Segundo and then left into the park.



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## **Decency Report**

#### **Our Blessed Sister in Christ**

We remember the many wise words of Saint "Mother" Teresa of Calcutta, specifically on the subject of human life:

"We must not be surprised when we hear of murders, of killings, of wars of hatred. If a mother can kill her own child, what is left but for us to kill each other."

"A nation that kills its children in the womb has lost its soul."

"I feel that the greatest destroyer of peace today is abortion, because it is a war against the child, a direct killing of the innocent child, murder by the mother herself."





"It is a poverty to decide that a child must die so that you may live as you wish."

"We must remember that life begins at home and we must also remember that the future of humanity passes through the family."

"Once that living love is destroyed by contraception, abortion follows easily... And abortion, which often follows from contraception, brings a people to be spiritually poor, and that is the worst poverty and the most difficult to overcome."

- Thomas Ullman, Pro-Life Chair



## **Prayer Intercessions**

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

#### **Brother Knights**

John Neil PDW Richard Dawson Greg Neumann Jim Piry Thomas Houlihan Michael Walsh Matthew Ceballos Vincent Migliazzo PGK



#### 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) Lisa Leoni (wife of Tony) Bernie Roberts (friend of Council) Beverly Migliazzo (wife of Vince)

# 1st Degree - September 17

Do you know someone that would make a great 1st Degree Knight? Now is the time to help them start their journey to full Knighthood by bringing them to our very own Council Hall on September 17! Sign in at 6:30pm; starts at 8:00pm.

Please contact Membership Director **Chris Lopez PGK** and help us continue growing this wonderful, Catholic men's organization!





# **Golf Report**

As seen on the smiling faces and in the colorful garb (photo p2), our players in the annual 5-Club CaddyShack July Golf Tournament enjoyed a great time! This is always a fun-filled way to get ready for our 2019 KC Golf Club Championship in August, when we will be able to add up to 9 more clubs to our bag.

**Randy Billups**, following a nice tee shot, scored a birdie on hole #3 and **Brad Migneault** grabbed a fine birdie on #18, also earning him a skin. Other skins were collected by **Steve Cressman**, **Bob Degnan**, **Erick Neblina** and **Mike Rachford**.

<u>Our Aug 4 tournament will be our 2019 K of C Golf Club Championship</u>. This is a Low Net tournament, with all K of C Members having a chance of winning. In addition to a personal trophy, the Champion will have his name engraved on the perpetual Club trophy on display in the KC Hall. A trophy will also be awarded to our Guest low net champion. Tee off time will be about 11:15 A.M. at the Westchester Golf Course and all Knights and guests are welcome. Hope to see you there!

LOW GROSS		LOW PUTT	S			
Flight A Brad Migneault - 75		Flight A	Brad Migneault - 30			
Flight B	Flight B Erick Neblina - 89		Richard Wagner - 33			
LOW NET		LONG DR	IVE (Hole #15)			
Flight A	Steve Cressman - 65	Flight A	Tom Hood			
Flight B	Richard Wagner - 61	Flight B	Richard Wagner			
FLAG HOLES (Closest to the Pin)						
#3 - Randy Bi	llups #8 - Ste	ve Cressman	#14 - Mike Rachford			
#4 - Mi <u>ke Eng</u>	gler #13 - To	om Hood				
Next Tournament: Sun Aug 4Westchester Golf CourseFirst tee time - 11:15am (Arrive and check in by 11:00am)All Knights and guests are welcome!						
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## Westchester July 4th Parade

Once again Council #3744 was happy to march in the Westchester July 4th Parade! Our float featured proud military veteran and first responder Brother Knights, along with other Brother Knights, family members, and friends. Thank you to everyone that came out to celebrate our nation's independence with us and the rest of the community!



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# The Knights in Los Angeles

<u>Celebrating More Than a Century</u> of Historic Columbian Growth in the Golden State

The Knights of Columbus enjoys a robust 117-year history in CA with the fraternity's 2nd ever state council made in Los Angeles Jan 26, 1902. That was the day Council #621 followed San Francisco's #615, chartered 1 week earlier, and became the 1st officially sanctioned chapter in what was then the Diocese of Monterey-Los Angeles. It was a cause for celebration according to the Los Angeles Herald, which reported that 621's 45 charter members joined nearly 50 other Knights from around the nation with Bishop George Montgomery at the Angelus Hotel, located at 4th and Spring streets, for a festive banquet at which "wit and eloquence" flowed in abundance.

The Brothers who reveled at the downtown hotel on the evening of Jan 27, "made merry" while offering toasts to 91-year-old Pope Leo XIII and US President Theodore Roosevelt, as well as to the Clergy and Fraternity. The Angelus was the preferred ceremonial venue for Council 621 members during their earliest years. Meetings were held at a temporary hall located on First and Spring streets, prior to the building of a permanent club house at 612 South Flower Street in 1914. The ranks of CA's Knights continued growing during the order's first 2 years in the state, and after degrees were conferred in LA on May 24, 1903, a sufficient number of members was met to legalize organization of a state council.

Charity was and continues to be a principal function of the Knights. In 1906, Angelenos contributed thousands of dollars in relief to the people of San Francisco after a great earthquake and fire devastated the city on April 18. When they did, no local entity other than the City of LA itself pledged more to the humanitarian cause than Council 621's general relief committee, which immediately promised to send \$1,500 to their northern neighbors. The Knights did not stop there, however, as what had grown to 16 California councils; including #920 in Santa Monica and #987 in Long Beach, coordinated with other lodges throughout the nation to raise more than \$20,000 for San Franciscans in distress.





# 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	Cressy Lopez
4th Degree Sir Knight	Founder, Cressy's Lopez Ranch
By: Chip & Maria (Vezzetti) Mallek	By: Chris Lopez PGK and Family
In Loving Memory of	In Loving Memory of
Pat Rotolo	Paul E Hood
A True Brother Knight	Past Grand Knight & Charter Member
By: The Rotolo Family	By: Martha Hood
In Loving Memory of	In Loving Memory of
Edwin R Zvanovec	Julius ''Mickey'' Lazok
A True Brother Knight	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	<b>Charles D Spencer</b>
A Dedicated Brother Knight	Past Grand Knight & Charter Member
His Brothers in Council 3744	By: Joyce Spencer
In Loving Memory of	
<b>Anne Gervais Dorn</b>	Tribute Space Available
An Irish Angel 1964 - 2009	Request Details et.
By: Her Husband,	Request Details at: knights3744@gmail.com
Brother Knight Mike Dorn	

## **Rest in Peace**

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

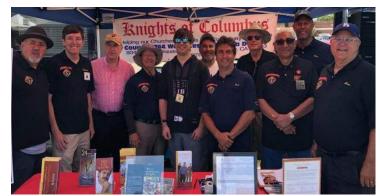


08/02/70	George James	08
08/04/98	C Wayne Hindman	08
08/05/71	Joseph O'Reilly	08
08/07/86	John Hearn	08
08/08/97	Louis Damko	08
08/12/13	Rev William Brelsford	08
08/15/12	Arnulfo Delgado	08
08/15/09	John Dickman	08
08/16/85	Bernard Kavanaugh, PGK	08
08/17/16	John Giesregen	08
08/19/90	Emil Zirbes	08

08/19/17	Vincent William
08/20/00	Joseph Caruso
08/21/75	Richard Carberry
08/21/07	Richard Lensch
08/22/13	John Parsons
08/23/69	William Boyle, Sr
08/26/83	Victor Rivard
08/29/98	John Graveline
08/31/11	Eugene Skulick
08/31/89	Florentino Couce
08/31/74	Lyle Klatt

# **Farmer's Market Fun on July 21**

Thanks to everyone who worked or visited the K of C Council #3744 booth at Sunday's Westchester Farmer's Market on July 21. Kudos to Brothers **Paul Callinan** for organizing, **Tino Carbajal** for arranging the vintage cars, and



**Chip Mallek** whose carnival game was the hit of the day: every child who played received a free lollypop and American flag, while their parents took home our upcoming dinner schedule! Well done, Brothers!



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## **August Knight Birthdays**

- 1 Carlo Avogaro
- 1 Emmanuel Obiora
- 1 Xavier Swamikannu
- 2 David Macfoy
- 3 Robert Andreno
- 3 Robert Caldwell
- 4 Leland Ratleff
- 5 Miguel Padilla
- 7 Jamie De Angelis
- 9 Joseph De Stefano II
- 13 Michael Collins II
- 14 Arthur Lopez
- 15 Phuoc (Van) Nguyen
- 15 Roman Ramos
- 15 Christan Surprenant
- 15 Glenn Wheeler
- 16 Michael Berg

- 20 Raymond Estrada
- 21 Robert Durr
- 22 Carl Pentis
- 26 Dennis Dwyer
- 26 Santos (Tito) Rojas
- 26 Thomas Roze
- 27 Gregory Phelps
- 28 Lynn Gernert
- 29 Joseph Berg
- 30 Stanley Clark

## **August Spouse's Birthdays**



- 2 Laura Duhe
- 3 Violeta Sinavsky
- 4 Marie Phelps

- 13 Magna Bahm
- 14 Mary Hunter
- 17 Elizabeth Kozlowski
- 17 Mary Wagner
- 21 Laura Lockwood
- 21 Joan Rohe
- 21 Debbie Saenz
- 24 Lisa Flores
- 28 Bridget Agu
- 28 Lana Hughes
- 28 Sharlene Stokx
- 31 Kelly Zimmerman

#### Anniversaries

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

08/02/80		Alan & Terri Engler	
08/04/73		Randall & Mirella Billups	
08/08/87		William & Tamara La Ponza Jr	
08/08/09	10 Years!	Michael & Melanie Thomas	
08/08/92		Clyde & Guandilyn Wikkeling	
08/11/51		Richard & Margaret Harris	
08/11/84	35 Years!	Patrick & Connie Hindman	
08/12/93		Michael & Marilyn Campanelli	
08/13/66		Arnold & Juanita Tena	
08/15/80		Ikenna (Ike) & Anne Nwanoneny	i
08/17/89	30 Years!	Arthur & Tina Lopez	
08/20/88		Lawrence & Fiona Engler	
08/21/58		Albert & Mary Lou Ward	
08/24/85		James & Nancy Taylor	
08/24/02		Bernard & Gloria Valenzuela	
08/25/01		Jeff & Adela Rogers	
08/29/59	60 Years!	William & Audrey La Ponza	

# **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).

For more information, please send an email to knights3744@gmail.com.



# The Knights in Los Angeles (continued)

<u>Celebrating More Than a Century</u> of Historic Columbian Growth in the Golden State

Before then, on October 12, 1903, and in accordance with a custom established throughout the east, Council 621 commemorated what was then called Discovery Day by honoring their order's patron Christopher Columbus through a solemn mass held at the Cathedral of St. Vibiana. The religious service became a yearly tradition of the Knights of Columbus in Los Angeles, and through the fraternity's dedicated lobbying of Congress and President Franklin Roosevelt, Columbus Day was established as a national holiday in the United States beginning in 1937.

More than a half century after their fraternal seeds were sown in California's fertile soil, a new council of Knights sprouted at the Westchester Women's Club on October 20, 1953, and according to the book Seventy Years of Service: History of the Knights of Columbus in California 1902-1972: "The Council was formed in response to increase in population and need for a Columbian unit in the area." After the Westchester Knights conducted their 2nd and 3rd Degree initiations at Council 621's hall on November 17, 1953, they were officially granted status as Father Emil Kapaun Council No. 3744. Council 3744's birth took place during the Columbian year of 1953-54, when 14 new chapters were added to California's honor roll. By the end of 1954, there were 158 councils in California, with 31,481 total members. Today, 65 years later, there are more than 700 Knights of Columbus councils in the Golden State, with more than 78,000 fraternal members. The rest of the story... so to speak... is history.

## 2019-2020 Dinner Season BINGO!

We have been hearing a growing outcry for more BINGO during our Dinner Season so this year there will be <u>BINGO at 7:30pm every dinner!</u> If you are interested in being a part of our BINGO team, or any part of our dinner crew, please let us know! With your support, this will be another truly blessed year for our Scholarship Program, as well as our stomachs!



#### Knights of Columbus - Father Emil Kapaun Council Council #3744 - District 086 - Division 5

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	. Gabriel Faustinos	
	Bill Thompson PGK 3	
•	Ed Stokx PGK	
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Outside Guard	Chuck Mondello9	951-202-1321
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St Ar	nastasia	310-670-2243			
Sat	5:00pm				
Sun	7:30am,	9:00am, 10:30am, 12:00, 7:30pm			
St Je	rome	310-348-8212			
Sat	5:30pm				

Sun 7:30am, 9:00am, 11:00am, 5:30pm

# Visitation 310-216-1145 Sat 5:00pm

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Remember our deceased Brothers in your prayers.