



KNIGHTLY NEWS

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District 52 Division 111

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The
Season
of
Lent



Grand Knight's Message

Brothers,

The Lenten Season has arrived. This is a great opportunity to reflect on the past year and make positive steps forward in your personal growth. I have fallen short of my goals before; yet, the great thing is our chance to begin again after we stumble or fall. This Lenten season we will have a guest speaker with exhibit on the Shroud of Turin. This has been well received in the past and I look forward to seeing all of you there. We will have dinner at 6:00 p.m. and the formal presentation at 7:00 pm.

We also will be preparing for our **Crab Feed** on March 4th (see flyer on page 4). Brothers Frank RochaVez and Gary Benevido have been hard at work preparing for this meal. This is another great opportunity for fellowship. We have our calendar of upcoming events further down in this very informative newsletter. Thank you for reading it.

Please remember our members who have passed away and don't forget to pray the Rosary. I hope you have the opportunity to attend our dinner social on Wednesday the 8th and our General Assembly Meeting on 15th.

Vivat Jesu, Thomas Anderson

District Deputy Message

Brothers,

May is fast approaching and with it will be the State Convention in San Diego and nominations for officers for the next Columbian Year.

I recommend everyone consider attending the convention. Resolutions will be voted on by your delegates. Please review the resolution package at your council meetings and provide your delegates with the council's position.

The convention will also be the place where our new State Officers are elected for the next Columbian year. There will most likely be several candidates for State Warden. Again, your council should review the candidates and direct your delegates.

Please also consider becoming an officer in your council. Participation by many creates a successful council.

God Bless You
Dan Anderson, DD 61

Opportunity is missed by most people because it is dressed in overalls and looks like work. --Thomas Edison

GOOD OF THE ORDER

As a Knight's first duty is to pray, let us continue to pray for peace and justice in our world and an end to the destructive hate and violence surrounding us each day and for Joe/Mona Adami, Mel Ormonde, Joe Hidalgo, and Jennie Casale (Brother Bob Perrault's mother-in-law), George Mahoney and the continued healing of Fr. Victor.

Please do not forget to include in your prayers those listed
in the Parish Bulletin who are ill.
Please let us know if you have any prayer requests.



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CALENDAR 2017

FEBRUARY	
8	Potluck: 6:00-7:00 p.m.
15	Council Meeting: Officers 6:00 p.m., Rosary 6:45 p.m., General 7:00 p.m.
17	Movie Knight: 6:30 p.m.
<i>The Knights are requesting at least one non-perishable item for those attending Movie Knight. These will be added to the Parish's ongoing collection for the Five Cities' Christian Women's food distribution center. Non-perishable food items also are collected in the hutch in the vestibule of the church. Whether one can or a case, all items are needed and greatly appreciated.</i>	
18-19	Lenten <i>Magnificat</i> booklet sale
19	Corporate Mass (3 rd Sunday): 10:30 a.m.
25-26	Lenten <i>Magnificat</i> booklet sale
<i>Please plan to attend and/or help with the various activities!</i>	

DON'T FORGET: Monthly "Potluck" Social Schedule 6:00 p.m.

THE CORPORAL WORKS OF MERCY

To Feed the Hungry
To Clothe the Naked
To Give Drink to the Thirsty
To Shelter the Homeless
To Visit the Imprisoned
To Visit the Sick
To Bury the Dead with Dignity

THE SPIRITUAL WORKS OF MERCY

To instruct the ignorant
To counsel the doubtful
To admonish sinners
To bear wrongs patiently
To forgive offenses willingly
To comfort the afflicted
To pray for the living and the dead

POTLUCK SCHEDULE Held on the 2nd Wednesday of the month in the Parish Hall. Dates may be changed to accommodate special events when required. Please come a little early to help set up and stay afterwards to help clean up. SALADS APPRECIATED

If your birthday is in the month of:

January
February
March
April

May
June
July
August

September
October
November
December

Please bring a/an

APPETIZER
APPETITE
ENTRÉE
DESSERT

**MARCH 4th: CRAB FEED
SEE FLYER ON PAGE 4**



Tom Anderson
Gary Benevedo
Honorio Cacabelos
Joe Hildalgo

Fernando Lopez
Al Mager
Mike Miller
Gerolamo Salmina



KNIGHTS LAST MONTH

JANUARY was a great way to start the New Year. The Epiphany Dinner was attended by about 35 Knights and family members and enjoyed a delicious meal prepared by Chefs Gary Benevedo and Frank RochaVez. A beautiful and meaningful St. Benedict's medal was provided by Brother Mel and Shar Ormande and blessed by Fr. Alphonse.

Rain kept a lot of folks away from Movie Knight. This was unfortunate as WAR HORSE is a touching film about the love and loyalty of a young man and his horse for each other set against the background of World War I.

KNIGHTS CARE: Since the program began in 2009, the Knights of Columbus have distributed over 300,000 new coats to children in need.

Knights of Columbus: February 12th: World Day of Marriage

PRAYER

Lord, help us to remember when we first met
and the strong love that grew between us.

To work that Love into practical things
so that nothing can divide us.

We ask for words both kind and loving
and hearts always ready to ask for forgiveness
as well as to forgive.

Dear Lord, we put our marriage into Your hands.

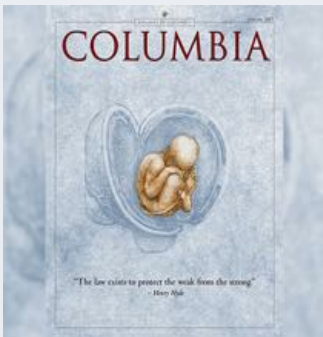
Amen



COLUMBIA MAGAZINE

With President Trump promising to end federal funding for Planned Parenthood and signing an Executive Order stopping funds for International Planned Parenthood, Supreme Knight Carl A. Anderson provides an excellent article on the evolution of abortion since Roe v. Wade.

Supreme Chaplain Archbishop William E. Lori states "Legal efforts to promote doctor-assisted suicide are dangerous and deceptive threats to human dignity." A must-read article!



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FLY THE FLAG February 20th: President's Day



PRO-LIFE

Given the current administrations pro-life stance, the following is not a surprise to Catholics.

"A new poll conducted by the Marist Poll, and sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, has found overwhelming support for the swift nomination of a Supreme Court justice who will apply the Constitution as originally written. Majorities also support interpreting the Constitution as originally intended and quick action to protect religious freedom."

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



SAINT MAXIMILIAN KOLBE
COUNCIL 8762 PISMO BEACH

Saturday, March 4, 2017

5:30 P.M. to 7:30 P.M.

Saint Paul's Parish Hall

800 Bello Street, Pismo Beach, CA

\$40

For Tickets or More
Information contact:
Tom Anderson 805-888-9866
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*Open to the Public
No Host Bar*

*Doors Open At 5:00
Dinner Served from
5:30 P.M.
To
7:30 P.M.*