



KNIGHTLY NEWS

Saint Maximilian Kolbe Council No. 8762 Pismo Beach, CA
District 52 Division 111

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Grand Knight's Message

Worthy Brothers,

We had to delay the Installation of New Council Officer from last month's potluck social to this month's social on September 12th and will be led by our Worthy District Deputy Jeff Lambert.

This past month, we held our annual parish picnic where we awarded seven scholarships to our parish family for a total of \$4000. We could not have done this without your direct support. Thank you very much. (see below)

This month we will be having our Cioppino/Seafood dinner at the Parish Hall on September 8th. Tickets (\$40) are available from Worthy Brothers Gary Benevedo, Dan Anderson (kofcskdan@gmail.com) and Bob Perrault (robertjerrault51@gmail.com).

Our primary fundraisers throughout the year are the Cioppino/Seafood Dinner in September, the Spaghetti Dinner in November, Crab Feed in March and Spring Dinner and Auction in May. These four fundraisers help the council support Saint Paul the Apostle Parish and other various ministries. I look forward to seeing all of you at these events. Please volunteer for all or any.

A special event will be occurring September 22nd. Our Council will be hosting the Installation of our Worthy Chapter President Daniel Anderson. There will be many State Officers and Local Council members. It is a great way to support our Council Brother on his new position. Mass will be at 4:00 p.m. I hope you are able to attend.

Please keep our departed brothers in your prayers and remember to pray the Most Holy Rosary. I hope each and every one of you and your families have a Holy and Blessed month.

Vivat Jesu – Grand Knight, Thomas Anderson (805) 888-9866 anderona@gmail.com

District Deputy Message

Brother Knights,

This month I would like to discuss the topic of retention. I want you to think back to when you joined the Knights of Columbus. It may have been 3 months or 40 plus years ago; you may have been 18 or 65 years old. But we all joined the Knights for a purpose or to be of service to our faith and community.

Now think about what it is like to be a new member in your council. Think about what they feel like as new members. We were all in that same boat, lost and eager to jump in.

We have invited them into the council and order, now we need to get them involved in the council. When you start a new job, your boss did not just show you your desk and then leave. You were given a task or project to work on. You officers are doing a great job and are dedicated, but you must look to the new members to help. Give them a project or task. They are looking at engaging in the council and express their faith through their works.

So . . . over the next couple of months, I want you to look towards those new members for assistance. Simply call them up and say, "Your council needs your help with..."

Vivat Jesus! Jeff Lambert, District 58 Deputy



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stpaulspis-mobeach.com/knights

"Never be afraid of loving the Blessed Virgin too much. You can never love her more than Jesus did." *Saint Maximilian Kolbe*



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.

Please pray for Frank Rocha Viz, wife and son, Frank Mackie, Ed Dionne, Fr. Alphonse, Fr. Eric Swearengin, Fr. Allen, Joe Hidalgo, Gary Benvenedo, Mel Ormonde, Paul and Mona Adam and Wayne Toscas.

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.**

THE CORPORAL WORKS OF MERCY

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THE SPIRITUAL WORKS OF MERCY

SPECIAL EVENT

NATIONAL DAY OF REMEMBRANCE for ABORTED CHILDREN
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 8th: 11:30 a.m.
SAN LUIS CEMETERY MEMORIAL MONUMENT for UNBORN CHILDREN
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CALENDAR SEPTEMBER 2018

SEPTEMBER	
8	Knights of Columbus Seafood Dinner
12	Potluck: 6:00-8:00 p.m. INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS (See schedule below)
16	Corporate Mass (3 rd Sunday): 10:30 a.m.
16	Conventual Franciscan Dinner/Auction (See below)
19	Council Meetings: Officers 6:00 p.m., Rosary 6:45 p.m., General 7:00 p.m.
21	Movie Knight: CANCELLED
26	40 Days for Life (until November 4 th)
<i>Please plan to attend and/or help with the various activities!</i>	

MONTHLY SOCIAL/POTLUCK – September 12th

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.
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If your birthday is in the month of:

Please bring an/a:

January	May	September	APPETIZER
February	June	October	APPETITE
March	July	November	ENTRÉE
April	August	December	DESSERT



SAVE THE DATE: Sunday, September 16th

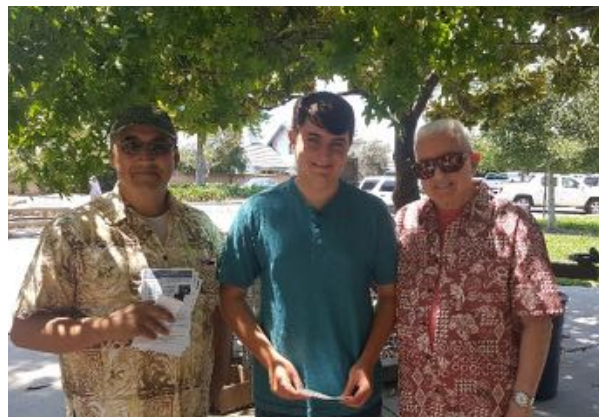
SEPTEMBER 16: The annual Conventual Franciscan Fundraising Dinner at the SLO Country Club is a guaranteed great meal and fellowship. This is a yearly gathering to celebrate our good fortune for all our Friars. Brother Chris Garza who works with/and/for the Franciscans sends a special invitation to us all.

CONGRATULATIONS!

Grand Knight Tom Anderson and our chaplain, Fr. Alphonse presents scholarships to Tom and Susan Davies on behalf of son, Andrew and to Brandon Boulais.



Tom Anderson, Susan Davies, Tom Davies, Fr. Alphonse



Tom Anderson, Brandon Boulais, Fr. Alphonse

READER FORUM

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Thank you!

**Ken Bagwell
Matt Cortez
Cipriano Galvez
John Gomes**

**James Morrissey
Rafael Narvaez
Donald Reichel
Henry Prager**



PLAN AHEAD: OCTOBER 14th: ROSARY RALLY: To prepare for this special event, please say a rosary on the 13th of August, September and October. A rosary a day is an especially powerful prayer. If possible, join us in the Church at 7:30 a.m. to storm Heaven by praying the rosary with other parishioners.



In a time of disturbing and sorrowful news within our beloved Church, we all must be attentive to the news but also pray for truth.

Cardinal Burke called on “all good Catholics” to “insist upon knowing the truth” and added that they “must pray and sacrifice for the Church at this tumultuous time.”

A purification, he said, “Such purification can only take place with the full and uncompromised respect for the truth.”

COLUMBIA MAGAZINE

With its usual strong articles, our magazine features remind us that our continued “success both as a business and a fraternal society is grounded in our Catholic mission.” We are a fraternity devoted to helping each other and our Church and our ethics.

Another inspiring article features a Knight who donated his liver to save the life of a dear friend and priest. Writes Fr. Callon: “...it may feel like we’re hanging from a branch on the side of a cliff. And you hold on for dear life, but you know that your strength is going to wane and fade away. Then, all of a sudden, you hear a simple voice in your heart that says, ‘Let go. I’ll take care of you’”

The Knights’ Insurance: **“Standard & Poor’s ranked us as one of the six most financially strong insurance companies in North America”**



FLY THE FLAG

September 4: Labor Day

September 11: Patriot Day--Traditionally, Patriot Day is viewed as a time of honor and remembrance. Annually, on this day, American flags are flown at **half-staff**. All are requested to observe a moment of silence and prayer at 8:46am (Eastern Daylight Time), the time of the first plane collision into the North Tower of the World Trade Centre.

September 17: Constitution Day (or Citizenship Day)

*a federal observance that recognizes the adoption of the United States Constitution and those who have become U.S. citizens. September 17, 1787 was the day that delegates to the Constitutional Convention signed the document in Philadelphia.



BE INFORMED

Catholic Legislative Network: As Knights, we also serve the larger community beyond our families and parish. Together, our voices will be heard. Join with thousands who are standing up for **life and dignity**. **Receive comprehensive information about legislation important for Catholics at leginfo@cacatholic.org.**

Why Join the Catholic Legislative Network?

- Receive a free weekly e-newsletter, Public Policy Insights - you will be up to date on the key public policy issues happening in California.
- You will receive periodic ACTION ALERTS which make it easy for you to voice your opinion on crucial issues. In less than a minute your letter will be sent to your elected representative!
- You can use the network at any time to easily send e-mails to your elected representatives.
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