

St. Denis Knights of Columbus

ST. DENIS COUNCIL 11260

April 2009

GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

“Nothing is as strong as the heart of a volunteer”....LTC Jimmy Doolittle, WWII

Greetings, Brothers. What a special time of year! I hope this newsletter finds you, your family and friends in good health as we await the crucifixion and resurrection of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Once again, our Parish has provided several opportunities for worship. Fortunately, all of these programs are listed in our Parish Bulletin.

**SAVE THE DATES! SAVE THE DATES!!
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There are two significant events that will occur two weeks apart from each other. On Saturday, May 2nd, we will have our 3rd Annual Mass and Luncheon. You will soon receive a postcard to “Save the Date” for this celebration. This is one day of the year where Monsignor Jim will celebrate Mass for our Council. During the past year, Monsignor Jim has provided spiritual leadership for our members and we greatly appreciate his involvement with us. Our Speaker will be Dr. Ray Warriner, PHD, who is our State Warden. This event is for our members and their families and any prospect members. There is no charge for this luncheon; however, donations will gladly be accepted. Our Master Chef, Raul Galindo promises a “gourmet delight.” Brothers, this is a very special event for our Council. Please try to be a part of this celebration. Remember, this is a family celebration.

Once again, our Council will take part in the City of Diamond Bar's 20th Birthday Celebration on Saturday April 18th at Pantera Park. This is our biggest fundraiser of the year and we will need many Brothers to help. We will be selling breakfast burritos, steak sandwiches, Bratwurst dogs, and all the trimmings. We will also provide supervision for one of the carnival rides after which the City will donate about \$300.00 to our Council.

Needless to say, we will need several Brother Knights to help us with staffing this event. I will be sending email messages with work assignment schedules. For those of you without email service, please call me if you can donate a few hours. My contact numbers are: Home 909 861 7651 or cell 310 918 5814.

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DEGREE CEREMONIES

First Degree

April 15 at 7 pm at Monsignor Corr

April 28 at 7pm at Father Maguire

Second Degree

May 28 at 7 pm at Father Maguire

Third Degree

June 7 at 1 pm at Father Maguire

I would like to congratulate Adolfo Mijares and his son Adam Mijares as well as Frank Lujan, who completed their 3rd Degree on Sunday, March 29th. Adolfo and Adam made their 2nd Degree on the previous Wednesday. Any Brother who would like to make their next Degree, please call me and I will gladly take you to the Degree ceremony wherever it may be. OK, if it's in Maui, I probably won't take you!

I would like to thank the following individuals who helped make the "Feeding the Homeless" program at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton on March 6th a success. Those who helped include Jess and Rosemarie Carbajal, John and Maggie Carlson, John Guillory, Joel Ignacio, Alton and Gloria Martin, Archie Miller, Jason Neag, Dan and Kathy Nolan, Cecil Perez, Al Rodriguez, Emilio and Lydia Romero and Bill Wiggins. Don and Lucille Daymon helped feed the homeless at the Pomona Armory the same evening.

I would also like to thank John Guillory, Adolfo Mijares and Emilio Romero for helping me put up lots of tents and chairs for the St. Joseph Table event on March 15th.

On Friday, March 27th, our Council hosted "Lenten Soup" night. Thanks to Jess Carbajal, John Guillory, John Carlson, Ron Cox, Don Daymon, Raul Galindo, and Paul Moreno for their participation. Special thanks to Raul Galindo who made the very tasty vegetable soup that evening.

As I have said before, if I failed to recognize a Brother who helped at either of these events, I humbly apologize. In addition, when help is needed, there are those who come to the forefront due to strength of character, and a powerful sense of dedication and commitment; and it is these men they call Knights that I am compelled to commend for their continual assistance. Thanks to all who helped!

Art Herrera,
Grand Knight

HAPPY BIRTHDAY BROTHER KNIGHTS

March:	Richard Zubiato	13 th
	Al Rodriguez	17 th
	Greg Salvato	24 th
	Hugo Reynaga	27 th
	John Beke	28 th
April:	Paul Benefiel	1 st
	Michael Dorn	2 nd
	John Guillory	7 th
	Bill Wiggins	9 th
	Julio Alvarado	11 th
	Ed Pechy	15 th
	Jim Branchick	25 th
	Diego Calvera	27 th
	Patrick Olivier	28 th
Joe Betance	29 th	

UPCOMING EVENTS

April 5th – Passion Sunday

April 7th – Reconciliation, St. Lorenzo – 7:30 pm

April 8th – Reconciliation, St. Denis – 7:30 pm

April 12th – Easter Sunday

April 15th – Assembly at St. John Vianney, 7:30 pm 4th degree only

April 16th – Business Meeting at Potthoff Hall, 7:30 pm. All are welcome!

April 18th – City Birthday Party at Pantera Park 8:00 am – 8:00 pm

May 2nd – Annual Mass and Luncheon, 10:30 am

THE BIBLE ACCORDING TO CHILDREN

These statements were written by actual students and as far as I know are genuine, authentic and not re-touched or corrected:

In the first book of the Bible, Guinnessis, God got tired of creating the world, so he took the Sabbath off.

Noah's wife was called Joan of Ark.

The Egyptians were all drowned in the dessert. Afterwards, Moses went up on Mount Cyanide to get the ten ammendments.

The seventh commandment is thou shalt not admit adultery.

Moses died before he ever reached Canada.

Then Joshua led the Hebrews in the battle of Geritol.

David was a Hebrew king skilled at playing the liar. He fought with the Finklesteins, a race of people who lived in Biblical times.

When the three wise guys from the east side arrived, they found Jesus in the manager.

The people who followed the Lord were called the 12 decibels.

The epistles were the wives of the apostles.

A Christian should have only one spouse. This is called monotony.

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