



# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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Lake Forest, California

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## GK's Report

# Valentine dinner dance on the horizon

by Pat Walloch, Grand Knight

Dear Brothers:

I hope all of you have plans to be at the Marriage Renewal/ Dinner Dance on Feb. 12.

Its going to be a lot of fun. We will have a delicious three-course dinner and entertainment provided by a five-person band playing music for our dancing pleasure.

We need 100 couples to break even so get the word out to all your friends. Why fight the crowds at Valentine's Day?

I guarantee that your wife will LOVE YA!



I would appreciate it if any Brothers and their wives could help Saturday afternoon with the decorations for the dance. If so, please give me a call.

Do you want a golf tournament? Well, Jim Marchetta needs input and help forming a committee to try and put one together.

Check out the plans for Bunco Night in March. Jim Lamperis is in charge.

Finally as we approach Lent, let's take time to pray more for those less fortunate and to help those around us who are in need.

## Corazon Building Project

# Dreams know no borders, hope has no boundaries

by John Kistner,

*Your Council Corazon Director,  
As provided by Loretta Kirchhoff,  
Santiago Corazon Chair*

What might otherwise be just another ordinary Saturday, could very well turn out to be an extraordinary one instead!

For those Knights and their families who joined us last year in the Corazon house build, most of us could not imagine a better, more fulfilling way to share a

Saturday with friends, both old and new.

This year the Knights will again be part of a Corazon project on Saturday, March 5.

For those of you who would like to join us, we will be participating in a familia repair in the community of Tecate, which is on the outskirts of Tijuana.

We will be building an addition to an existing house this year.

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## Let's play some bunco

by Jim Lamperis, Recorder

Reserve Saturday evening, March 5 on your calendars for some fun with your wife, and friends. If you don't know about Bunco just ask your wife!

We will be doing potluck appetizers, a cash bar, and prizes for winners, and losers.

Most of all were just going to have some fun, and lots of laughs.

Watch for more information in February's church bulletins, or ask Jim and Nancy Lamperis about playing, and the thrill of yelling: BUNCO!

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# Knights are 'extraordinary'



by John Ojeda, Past Grand Knight

I think I may have written this before, but I continue to be reminded that even though the Liturgical Seasons change, the Knights of Bishop Johnson Council are anything but Ordinary.

A crew was asked to remove the Christmas decorations from the Church and Hall. Normally we do this on a Saturday.

This year there were weddings and baptisms scheduled on Saturday. How do we get help on a Friday to do all that is needed to be done?

Your prayers are answered Brothers, come out for a good cause. Between the raindrops, George Nothhelfer, Dan Ramella, Pat and Karen Cardinale, Carol Harrison (John's wife), John and Mary Ojeda, Kay Kenson, Peggy and Steve Grindrod, and Joan Cashman (John's wife) all got everything down and into the proper place in the storage bins.

There was a Funeral at 10 o'clock that morning, so we got started right after morning Mass and had to come back and finish.

Dan even went home to change vehicles so we could have a covered SUV to keep the decorations dry. Pat Cardinale had an accident. If you see him with a brace or cast wish him well.

You are a great group of Men. I am always proud to tell people I am a member of Bishop Johnson Council. They do know who we are.

Perhaps some of you who do not attend meetings regularly the first Wednesday of the month would like to come back and participate in the many Ordinary things these Knights do.

## Knight of the Month: Joe De Rosa

Joe LaRosa has really stepped up this past month.

He helped with the First Annual Family bowling day and put on a very successful Free Throw Contest.

Good luck to all our winners who now move on to District level.  
– Pat Walloch, Grand Knight

## Family of the Month: Cardinales

The church doesn't magically get decorated and undecorated.

It takes a lot of work from a small group of people.

One family who put in that work is the Pat Cardinale family. I understand Pat broke his arm helping take down some of the decorations. I hope he makes it to the next meeting to get his award.

– Pat Walloch, Grand Knight

## MR Drive deadline near

We are approaching the deadline for turning in your personal contribution to this year's MR Drive.

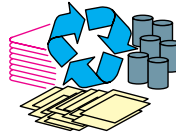
Many of you who have made contributions in past years have not responded this year. If you overlooked it, please get your contribution in now. The children will thank you.

If you are unable to do so this year we understand and will pray you are in better shape by next October.

– Bill Breen, MR Drive Chairman

## Recycling

# Rain can't seem to dampen our enthusiasm



by Gene Ganley and George Nothhelfer

As you know, we placed a recycling flyer in the church bulletin on Jan. 2 requesting Santiago parishioners to support our recycling program.

The morning of Jan. 8, threatened to break through with a gully washer of a rainstorm.

We borrowed three canopies from the Santiago Boy Scouts, Troop 604, which gave us some good protection from the elements.

God was watching over us, because it only sprinkled from time-to-time throughout the morning until our "witching hour" of 12 noon when we shut down for another month. So straight up at noon, the heavens opened up and down came the rain.

From a personnel standpoint, we had 18 teens earning service hours to help us, what an unbelievable turnout! And, our Council members responded in great shape.

By way of finances, our program averaged rising \$1,585 a month last year as we blew right past the \$176,000 plateau to the current level of more than \$177,000, Brothers, you should all be very proud of yourselves for supporting the program for over 15 years.

Now it's time to say a big "thank you" to the following:

Michael Beyersdorf, George Nothhelfer, Jim Breen, John Ojeda, Richard Mills, Jeff Carter, Chris Detar, Joe DeProspero, Sal Gonzalez, Andy Kotnik, Tim Champion, Pat Walloch, Jay Donahue, Ruich Quinn, Dan Ramella, Don Leuer, Michael Haubert and Rob Balen.

And, special thanks to the following 18 very special teens: Kevin Purvis, Jordan Baldonado, Aaron Tse, Andrew Ng, Richard Le, Anthony Dennison, James Bonavente, Jacob Liedahl, Erik Seastrom, Jeff McGovern, Shaan Sheth, Paul Soto, Jeff Hutchins, Cheryl Gregory, Sera Akkas and Cody Campagna.



## Thanks to the Monday Morning Crew:

Frank Cipolla, Jim Naumann, Frank O'Brien, George Jeffers, Richard Ciolek, Bob Morgan, Jay Donahue, Barbara Ciolek, Judy Morgan, John Ruelas, Gene Ganley, Dottie Jeffers, Dick Sanders, Bob Short, Thelma Sanders, Hector Guzman, Mike Sofka, Dan Ramella, Lanny Dey

## *Are your KofC dues current?*

The notice for 2005 dues have been sent. If you have not sent your money to the Financial Secretary please do so now.

Your 2004 card is valid until March 1. After that you are delinquent.

If there is a reason that you cannot pay them at this time please contact Bill Breen at 949-770-4939 and we will work something out.

*Fraternally, Bill Breen,  
Financial Secretary*

## **CORAZON BUILDING PROJECT**

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These projects offer more of a challenge than a house build, but I know that we are up to the task!

Familia is the philosophy behind Corazon's work.

People in need do not receive handouts; rather, they participate in programs of assistance that allow people to help themselves.

In the process, they help their neighbors and their community to grow and prosper.

To learn all the details for this adventure in sharing, please attend a mandatory meeting from 10 to 11 a.m. on Saturday, Feb. 12, in the Parish Hall Rehearsal Room.

Incidentally, our Council has again made a significant contribution to this very worthy cause.

Now, hopefully, some of you Brother Knights can contribute your time and talents as well.

This is a great family-oriented event in keeping with our Council's theme of "family."

## February Birthdays



01 Rolland Stokes  
01 Mark Bustamante  
02 Jeff Martinez  
03 Richard Petrash, PGK  
04 Eric Schechter  
05 Amanda Breen  
05 Dennis Miller  
05 Chip Orłowski  
06 Robert Balen  
06 William Leahy  
06 Rita Schulte  
06 Coleen McNally  
07 David Sparks  
08 Olga Rodriguez  
12 James Brockman  
12 Danuta Zakrzewski  
13 Norris Rudon  
13 Russell Cuenca  
14 Etienne Plauche

14 Tom Campion  
14 Tom Canaris  
15 Eileen Reinoehl  
16 Penny Piccolo  
17 Kathleen McCarthy  
17 Leslee Peters  
17 Frank Ury  
18 Christine Goebel  
20 Lia Haubert  
21 Janet Gamache  
22 William Furniss  
22 George Loos  
24 Lorraine Cabrera  
24 Virginia Sotelo  
25 Betty Naumann  
26 Rolando Fernandez  
28 Ann Smith  
28 Osvaldo Masquida  
29 Robert Epperson

## February Anniversaries



01 James & Audrey Machulda  
01 Norris & Margaret Rudon  
02 Donald & Sharon Leuer  
05 Joseph & Amanda LaRosa  
07 Edward J. & Pernille Brown  
07 Jerome & Kathy Delmore  
10 Richard & Patricia Piccuch  
Richard & Patty Farina  
14 William & Pearl Breen  
14 William & Alvina Studley  
15 Mike & Mary Williams  
16 Richard & Jeanne Donovan  
17 John & Mary Ojeda  
19 Richard & Diane Reynolds  
20 James & Denise Brockman  
23 Lawrence & Rita Bishop  
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## January Meeting Highlights

by **Jim Lamperis, Recorder**

**Corazon Build** – On March 5, Corazon will be involved in building an addition to a home in Mexico. More brawn than brains needed? Contact John Kistner, 380-4377.

**Supporting Degrees** – As Brother Knights we all remember our degrees — don't we? Sideliners are an extremely important aspect of the degrees. We need your support at these functions. Help someone be a part of what you experienced.

**The Phone Tree** – This has been a strong issue for some time now. Looks like we're going to go high tech, and automate the process. Make sure John Ojeda has your phone number so important issues can get to us in a faster timeframe.

**ATTENTION ALL WIVES** – Marriage renewal/dinner dance Feb. 12.

**ATTENTION ALL HUSBANDS** – Need I say more?



## Insurance report



# February, and its tax time again

by Dan del Villar FICF, LUTCF

This month, I chose to pass up the opportunity to use the age old cliché about two things we must do ... although the timing should certainly bring it to mind.

This season, in most homes, is financial accounting time. I'd like to wager that, at some point in the process, someone will ask (probably you) "Where did all our money go?"

Surely, all of the money we earn finds a home somewhere ... the grocer, the mortgage, the tax man.

Very little, if any, is left over for a personal bank account or

other investments. Most of us consider ourselves fortunate if we've managed to pay our bills. Folks usually save what's left over, and for most folks, that's nothing.

Whatever the amount earned, chances are good that it is spent providing for and rearing a family. Think about that for a minute. The needs of that family continue; food, shelter, clothing, even if the breadwinner suffers an untimely death.

So what does income tax have to do with insurance? Simply this ... it can serve as a reminder that protection for dependents should include an estimate of the

current needs for money.

While it may be convenient to say "I can't afford it," that's probably not accurate, when you consider that your family will be without any income should you die.

With this in mind, your Order has designed a plan which guarantees to continue income to your family as long as needed.

What's more, this plan will enable you to systematically save some of those dollars so difficult to account for at tax time.

Call me today for an appointment. I want to hear from you.

Fraternal regards, Dan del Villar (949) 589-4955 or dandelvr@cox.net

Here are my primary interests:

- Life Insurance for mortgage payment
- Protecting family's income
- Providing for college expenses
- Providing for retirement
- Permanent Whole Life
- Single Premium Life
- Survivorship Life (Estate planning and Gifting)
- Retirement Annuities and Tax Shelters (IRA, SEP, KEOUGH, Rollovers/ Transfers)
- Children's insurance
- Long Term Care (Tax-Qual., Nontax-Qual.)
- Member / Spouse Fraternal benefit
- New Member Plan
- Scholarships / Fellowships
- Family Needs Analysis (Forecaster profiles)

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# Knights of Columbus No. 9487

February, 2005

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2 General Meeting, 8 p.m. --- Presentation of The Lord	3 Blessing of the Throats	4 First Friday Holy Hour Adoration	5
6	7	8	9 Ash Wednesday	10	11	12 Recycle --- Valentines Dinner Dance
13 Coffee and Doughnuts	14 St. Valentine's Day	15	16 Officers Meeting, Hall	17	18	19
20	21 President's Day	22 Washington's Birthday	23	24	25 Lenten Dinner	26
27 Diapers for Birth Choice	28					

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