



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Bishop William R. Johnson Council
#9487

Santiago de Compostela Catholic Church
Lake Forest CA 92630



NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER 2023

Grand Knight's Report



Dave & Martie Atkins

Brothers,

October is packed with events from our Orange Chapter and State Council, and a few events that we have scheduled. But first, I want to review September activities. We had our 2nd Car Wash on September 16th – what a success!! Not only did we collect over \$1200, but we had so many Knights and youth participants that it seemed “easy”. Okay, it's hard work, but the washing and drying stations had plenty of help, making it so much smoother than our 1st attempt earlier in the year. GREAT TURNOUT! Then, on September 24th, we had the Pancake Breakfast – another hugely successful event, collecting over \$1000!! I want to thank Mike Ulibarri and the “Fossils” for cooking all the food that morning. If you remember, we ended our food service by making pancakes for all the St. Anne's children who performed at the 8:30am mass. We also recognized Brother Mark Angel as the recipient of the 2022-23 Knight of the Year Award. Very well-deserved. Lastly, a 4th Degree Ceremony was held on Saturday, September 30th at Christ Cathedral. Receiving their 4th Degree were SK Deacon Manuel Espitia, SK Than Duong, SK German Greco, SK James McCarty, SK Bryan Martin, SK Ryan Moussavi, SK Danny Reyes, SK Domingo Roldan, and SK Kiet Wu. CONGRATULATIONS!!

The list of October activities is long, so let me get to each one.

- **Orange Walk of Life (OW4L) – Saturday, October 7th**
 - We've been asked to help with set-up and ushering on Saturday morning. I will need (8) Knights wearing Council shirts and badges. We need to be at the Diocese at 7:30am and will carpool.
- **Burger Bash/Ice Cream Social – Saturday, October 7th**
 - This has been postponed until we can find a more suitable date for it
- **Degree Exemplification – Monday, October 9th**
 - 6 candidates, need sideliners, held at St. Kilian's Catholic Church
- **Fraternal Benefit Webinar – Aligning Financial Decisions with Catholic Values - Tuesday, October 17th**
 - Room F is reserved in the hall, start time is 5:30pm (we will have pizza!)
- **Campus Clean-Up Project – Saturday, October 21st (after 8am Mass)**
 - Several small projects around campus will get addressed before the Festival
 - Lunch to be provided at noon
- **Eucharistic Congress – Saturday, October 21st**
 - Look for information in the church bulletin, buses are being provided
- **Annual All-Hallows Festival – Saturday/Sunday, October 28-29th**
 - Knights are running the All-American Food Booth, and Beer Garden
 - Look for sign-up sheets to help cover shifts
 - Also look for opportunities to donate candy, beer, wine, food, etc. for our booths

I get TIRED just looking at this list of activities. But look on the bright side - we get to hang out with other brother Knights, have tons of fun, and accomplish a lot of stuff!!

See you Wednesday, October 4th for our General Meeting.

SEPTEMBER - CALENDAR OF EVENTS

OCT 2023



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
01	02 Recycle Lake Forest Park 7:30 AM	03	04 General Mtg Room A 7:20pm Rosary 7:30pm meeting	05	06	07
08	09 Recycle Lake Forest Park 7:30 AM	10	11	12	13	14
15	16 Recycle Lake Forest Park 7:30 AM	17	18 Officers Meeting 7pm – Location OLP Room	19	20	21 Campus Clean Up Project After 8am Mass
22	23 Recycle Lake Forest Park 7:30 AM	24	25	26	27	28 Festival
29 Festival	30 Recycle Lake Forest Park 7:30 AM	31				

SEPTEMBER GALLERY



Council 9487 Receiving a Community Award from the City of Lake Forest



Chancellor Angel Garcia receiving the Knight of the Month Award



Kiet Wu receiving a Shining Armor Award



Another successful parish breakfast by Council 9487



Father Thomas addresses Council 9487 at the September Business Meeting



Church Plaza bookshelves by Angel Garcia

MARK ANGEL - 2023 KNIGHT OF THE YEAR

by: John Teeter PGK

Mark was born in the suburbs of Toledo, Ohio and raised as a Cradle Catholic. He attended Catholic Schools until he graduated from St. Francis DeSales. He then attended Miami University where he majored in Business Management. While there he met his wife Eileen. She also was raised Catholic in the Irish tradition.



**Mark Angel with his wife Eileen,
his daughter Jessica, and his son Ryan**

The two were married in 1985 and were transferred to Northern California the same year. After a few years in Dublin Ca, they were transferred to Southern California and settled in Portola Hills in 1988. They joined our Parish in 1990. There they raised their two children Jessica and Ryan, whom they are quite proud of for having completed all their sacraments of initiation at Santiago de Compostela.

Mark initially joined the council in 1995, but due to other obligations he suspended his membership until he could commit more time to the Knights. After taking the advice from his Grand Knight, he rejoined our Council in 2020. He attributed the return to his choice to follow the example of his parents who were very engaged in their parish in Sylvania Ohio, and his prayers for directions from the lord as to the direction he should take.

Since returning to the Council, Mark has been a difference maker! Below are listed a few of the many things Mark has done as an active Knight:

- Sunday 8:30 AM Altar Server
- Weddings, Funerals and Special Events Altar Server
- Food Drive Collection and Sorting for South County Outreach
- Pre Mass Sacristan
- Blood Drive Registrar
- Exemplification Team Member – Principal of Unity Speaker
- Member - Helping Hands Ministry
- Eucharistic Minister
- Contributing Writer to the Newsletter
- Welcome Committee / Retreat
- And He has been our Advocate for past 3 years.

Mark thanked the Officers for being selected as Knight of the Year, and thanks the council to allow him to “Live his Faith”. He also used a quote from brother Dave Stokes.

“Iron Sharpens iron, men sharpen men”

Mark stated that his experience with the Knights has been like that:

“Men of faith supporting and lifting up other men of faith. Working together to accomplish things individually are not possible, but as a Brotherhood we exemplify our principles of Charity, Unity, Fraternity & Patriotism”



**PGK John Teeter pre-
sented Mark Angel the
Knight of the Year
Award**

KNIGHT OF THE MONTH - JAMES GILBERT

By: Ricardo Teano, Retention Committee

It is my pleasure to introduce to you our unanimously selected Knight of the Month - James Gilbert.



James Gilbert with his daughter Rachel and grandson Charlie

First of all, let's congratulate James. It is a pleasure working with James as he actively responds to the call of the ways of a Knight of Columbus. I was hesitant at first, but not anymore. Congratulations to be counted in the honorable roster of Knights of the Month.

James is a recent knight and active only since June of this year. He met some Knights during the June Men's Renewal Retreat and something stirred inside him when he saw the Retreat Team Formation to be mostly knights. Ricardo, who has been nudging him to sign up for at least the last two years, finally got the yes answer! Since then he has been involved with the early morning recycling every Monday, he helped with the Camino Walk and showing up for some of the events and charity opportunities. He especially enjoyed the church carwash fundraising event. He will be attending the Exemplification for Charity, Unity and Fraternity degrees in October to be an official Council 9487 member.

Though James is a cradle Catholic, he turned away from the church after adolescence. He has been back for 10 years now, having attended Mass here and there over the years with his mother before she passed away. He is divorced but has a good relationship with his son Jordan who is 35 and works and lives in Lake Forest. James works in the furniture industry and was a wild land firefighter. He also has a daughter Rachel, who is 33, and lives with her husband

Curtis and son Charlie in South Lake Tahoe in Northern California. They both work for Toyota.

James has been going to Mass at Santiago de Compostela for 10 years. Over time he has been experiencing a reconnection with the faith he turned away from and has been increasing his involvement. He participates in the lector ministry, annual Camino Walk, the Men's Renewal and has increased his participation in Mass and the many other opportunities at the church to serve and engage with others in Christ. He hopes that God can also work through him so he can be more helpful to his family and friends. He is employed at TQ Systems Inc. working swing shift for last ten years. The company delivers machine components for Aerospace and Defense Department subcontractors. He also provides support and project work for a sports gym in Laguna Beach. James favorite activities include running, fitness training, swimming, reading and Christian theological study. He has a BA degree in Religious Studies. He graduated in 1985 at CSU Chico.

At the moment, James is so proud to be a knight and promises to be more engaged than he is now.

Congratulations again James!

FAMILY OF THE MONTH - CARMEN & OSCAR MUGOL

By: Mark Angel

At our monthly business meeting a few months ago District Deputy Dan Hoffman stated that the Supreme State Council is encouraging councils to consider all parish families when selecting a Family of The Month, rather than just families that include a member of the Knights of Columbus.



Oscar and Carmen Mugol

For the month of October our council officers did take into consideration all parish families and I am pleased to announce that Oscar and Carmen Mugol have been selected as the Family of The Month. They have been members of Santiago De Compostela since 1985 when they moved to Lake Forest from the Washington D.C. area.

Oscar had a 20-year career in the Navy and achieved the rank of Chief Petty Officer. He was part of the Naval Concert Band. He was the Conductor of the Ceremonial Band and performed for the President of the United States at the White House. He also performed at many events that honored Dignitaries and various public functions. Carmen worked for 30 years with PBX systems at AT&T.

Approximately 8 years ago, Father Thomas instituted an adult altar server ministry at our parish. Carmen joined this ministry and became an altar server. Later, she became a sacristan and a eucharistic minister. Oscar also became an altar server and was trained by Carmen. Oscar became the Masters of Ceremony directing the youth altar servers at the Sunday 7AM Mass and the Saturday 8AM Mass. Carmen continues to be a sacristan and a eucharistic minister.

Oscar also participates in the music ministry at our parish. He plays the clarinet on Sunday, at the 8:30 AM Mass. Soon he will also be playing at the Sunday 7 AM Mass as well as playing with the Filipino Minstrels.

Another way both Carmen and Oscar contribute to our parish is by taking care of the plants and flowers in the Church Sanctuary and in the Chapel.

Thank you, Oscar and Carmen Mugol, for all that you do to help the parish of Santiago De Compostela flourish. It has not gone unnoticed, and Council 9487 is pleased to name you our October 2023 Family of The Month.



GK Dave Atkins presenting Family of the Month to Carmen and Oscar Mugol at the 8AM Mass with Father Thomas Naval

NINE KNIGHTS COMPLETE THE DEGREE OF PATRIOTISM

by: **Ricardo Teano, Membership**

Let us welcome to our midst the nine brothers who with the symbolic Knights of Columbus sword were knighted to become 4th degree knights of our order. They earned their full knighthood in a most solemn ceremony at the Christ Cathedral on September 30, 2023. The Exemplification at the Cathedral was a first with a total of 127 brothers comprising the Fourth Degree Saint Junipero Serra Province, Southern California District Exemplification Class of Saint Matthew.

The brand new 4th Degree brothers from Council 9487 are:

Worthy Sir Knight Dea Manuel Espitia
Worthy Sir Knight Than Duong
Worthy Sir Knight German Greco
Worthy Sir Knight James McCarty
Worthy Sir knight Bryan Martin
Worthy Sir Knight Ryan Moussavi
Worthy Sir Knight Danny Reyes
Worthy Sir Knight Domingo Roldan
Worthy Sir Knight Kiet Wu.



Chapter President, Brother Vince Vasquez adds, *"It was a great honor and privilege to host one of the largest 4th degree exemplifications in recent years and nearly double the average. Yet again Council 9487 shined like the star we are with the single largest number from a single council. And once again leading the effort was our Worthy Membership Director Brother Ricardo Teano. It was a true pleasure to assist with the Knighting ceremony."*

Vivat Jesus and welcome to our new Sir Knights. (Membership Director)



- Our Nine new Sir Knights -

left to right - Ryan Moussavi, James McCarty, German Greco, Domingo Roldan, Kiet Wu, Than Doung, Danny Reyes, Bryan Martin, and Deacon Manuel Espitia, accompanied by Sir Knight Ricardo Teano (Membership Director)



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Time

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KNIGHT TO KNIGHT

by: Dick Petrash PGK

Dear Brother Knights;

Today I found myself needing a plumber. Do I follow advertisements on TV who proclaim they smell good? Do I call some friends to get recommendations for plumbers who worked for them? Do I look on the internet for help?

Our council has over 300 members. I'm sure there must be a plumber within our ranks. What if I need an electrician, a tutor for my kids or a caretaker for my dad?

I have spoken to our council officers and have permission to start a new program within our council for our members. This program is where members can list their business and the list will be available through a link on our council website. We'll call it Knight to Knight. All you need to do is contact me, Dick Petrash at **dick4276@gmail.com** and furnish your business, your phone number and specialty. The list will look like this:

Plumber:	John Doe,	555-2323
Electrician:	Phil Smith,	949-555-1212
Dentist:	Thomas Charlie,	949-444-5555



PGK Dick Petrash

I encourage you to submit your business or special service to me so I can begin the listing for our website. Any business that does not violate the bylaws of our Order will qualify. (No insurance agents unless you are home and auto only)

Thanks for your help to make this program a reality. What better way to work brother to brother. By the way, I found a plumber and he is a fellow Knight.

QR CODE FOR NEW MEMBER ONLINE SIGNUPS

Use the QR Code shown here to join the Knights of Columbus online...free of charge for the first year.

To sign up online follow the steps outlined below

1. Scan the QR code by using your iphone camera. *You will be taken to the online sign up form.*
2. Use promo code **BLESSEDMCGIVNEY** to join free for one year.
3. Complete your personal information.
4. The answer to the Agent Referral code is **myubeta**.
5. The answer to the Preferred Local Council is **9487**.
6. The answer to the Member Referral Number is **04175085**.
7. For any problem please call Ricardo Teano at 949-632 1961 or email **ricardo8199@att.net**



BROTHERS WE ARE NEEDED AT 1ST FRIDAY ADORATION

By: Mark Angel

In the September State Council newsletter our State Deputy wrote " We also have the mission that was given to us at the beginning of our Order in 1882 by Father McGivney to bring men and their families to a closer relationship with God and to help those in need." In the same newsletter our State Chaplain wrote "May I echo the same invitation to you, worthy brothers, Our indispensable and foremost mission is to foster a personal encounter with God through the Sacraments, particularly the Eucharist. It is necessary that we initially encounter God before we can draw our families, our faith community, and others closer to Him."



Mark Angel

I have cited these two quotes because there is an area that our council must do better. Several years back our council was asked, and accepted the privilege of keeping our Lord company during First Fridays Adoration. On the first Friday of the month, after the 8am mass and until before the Saturday 8am mass Our Lord is exposed in the monstrance for Adoration in our chapel. Our council originally had a team of 2 volunteers and 1 alternate assigned to each hour of Adoration. Over time brothers have moved out of the area, some have passed away, and the pandemic interrupted this practice so now there are several hours where no brothers are present during First Friday Adoration. We need to correct this. Our council has over 300 members and we need a total of 69 Knights to volunteer to stay with Our Lord.

At September's First Friday Adoration the Lord asked me to tell my brothers he desires to spend time with them. My older brother has passed away and my younger brother lives in Ohio so I know the Lord meant my Brother Knights.

Please commit to spending an hour in Adoration on First Fridays. There is a sign in schedule that brother John Ojeda has so you can contact him, myself, or Grand Knight Dave Atkins. You can also simply show up on First Friday and write your name in on the sign in sheet in the chapel. This is one of the most important things we are asked to do as a Knight and I know our council will respond accordingly



FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH

*Overnight
Adoration*

BEGINS AFTER 8:00AM
CHAPEL

HOLY HOUR AT 7:00PM
CHURCH

MATER DOLOROSA SILENT RETREAT

By: Angel Garcia - Chancellor

I was asked by our fellow Knights to speak about my personal experience at the Mater Dolorosa Men's Silent Retreat. I want to start out by saying, this is a retreat that is centered around you and Our Lord Jesus Christ, and no one else. There will be no distractions to get in your way. Being at Mater Dolorosa Passionist Retreat Center feels so tranquil and peaceful. The goal of the retreat center is for you to have a closer relationship with God, not to study God, but to experience God. To quiet all the noise and allow you to reset, recharge, and refocus. I felt a serene and peaceful feeling over me as soon as I passed through the gates of the retreat center. The feeling continued throughout the weekend. I can guarantee that if you attend this experience, it will change your daily life.

When you arrive, on Friday evening, you will be greeted by a wonderful and accommodating staff, and you will meet other men. That will be the extent of any personal interaction. Your weekend is for you and Our Lord. You will be assigned a room to yourself, and you will have the basic essentials and nothing else. I recommend turning off all outside distractions and reading the Bible they provide for you in your room. I also recommend that you take a journal to record your thoughts and feelings as you go through the weekend. You will be given a weekend schedule that includes wake up times, all your mealtimes, conferences, spiritual times, and mass times. During your stay, you will have the opportunity to check out the grounds and all that the retreat center provides. Take advantage of this time and immerse yourself with our Lord.

As this was my first time at the retreat center, I had a chance to experience the Stations of the Cross, Sacred Heart Plaza, the Garden of the Seven Sorrows, and the rest of the grounds. I must say that I could feel the presence of our Lord and I had this inner peace and clear mind as I walked the grounds and saw a few deer grazing on the grounds throughout the weekend. If you ever need a weekend for just you and our Lord, this is the retreat you need to attend, you won't regret doing this for yourself.

It is life changing.



SEPTEMBER GENERAL BUSINESS MEETING MINUTES

By: Danny Reyes - Recorder

Decade of the Rosary – Opening Prayers

August Minutes Discussed and Approved. To be transmitted to all members via email and published in the September Newsletter.

Grand Knights Report. Huge thank you and appreciation for the 85 attendees at our annual Charity Golf Tournament Fund Raiser dinner.

Blood Drive – 37 units donated but had 15 no shows. Need to work on sending out more reminders and phone calls.

Spaghetti Dinner had 110 people show and raised \$1,400. Thank you to those who attended or helped volunteer for set up/cooking.

Saturday September 16th – Car Wash. 8:00am Mass followed by the car wash at 8:30am – 12:00pm. BBQ lunch afterwards. Asking for a \$10 donation/car. Volunteers appreciated.

Sunday September 24th – Pancake Breakfast after 7:00am & 8:30am masses. Asking for a donation at \$7/adult, \$3/child or \$20/family.

Sunday September 24th – Santiago will be hosting Sisters from the Orange County Diocese raising support for 4 Catholic Schools in Santa Ana that need our assistance. Please consider sponsoring a student.

Memberships: Last Call if you are interested in becoming a 4th Degree Knight, Exemplification will take place at Christ Cathedral on Saturday September 30th - Please see Ricardo. 8 new Knights introduced and approved.

Financial Report – Vouchers: \$6,286.37 Receipts: \$9,925.37 Checking: \$12,394.92 General Savings: \$20,505.55 Drawdown: \$29,802.29 Ken Allen Scholarship Fund: \$39,582.68

Recycling – \$1,051 in total revenue and we could always use help Monday's from 7:00am-8:30am along with any fellow Knights with trucks. If you can't help out, please bring your recyclables. No cardboard.

Donuts in the Plaza Sunday September 10th, please be sure to stop by after morning Mass to assist.

Intellectual Disability (ID) donation drive to kick-off in October. Please look for a mailing to all Knights. Your generosity is always appreciated.

District Deputy Dan Hoffman Report:

Saturday October 7th – Walk for Life w/ Eucharistic Procession @ Christ Cathedral. Council donation requested to assist in hosted lunch and waters provided.

New Business – Mark Angel looking for more brothers to help in the participation and presence at our Overnight Adoration with the Blessed Sacrament first Friday of every month starting after the 8am mass. Please consider scheduling for 1 hour/month.

Shining Armor Award Recipient – Kiet Wu

The Shining Armor award is given to those men who exemplify a true Knight of Columbus. Kiet is an active member of the Recycling ministry, South County outreach food sorts, church cleanups projects and volunteering in multiple ministries in our church including, the Knights of Columbus, the Weekend Renewal, Hospitality and Altar Server ministries. Congratulations Kiet!



Danny Reyes
Recorder

SEPTEMBER MINUTES (Continued)

Brother Angel Garcia is our Knight of the Month.

Currently serving his fifth term as Chancellor, and he's on the exemplification team as a presenter of our Principle of Charity. He has used his woodworking talents to make many items for our council, including plaques, a wooden flag from the golf tournament auction, picture frames and crosses. Brother Angel helps with recycling and registration table at our blood drives. He is very involved in several parish ministries along with his wife Grace including Worldwide Marriage Encounter, Engaged couples mentorship, Helping hands loving hearts, Stewardship, Men's renewal retreats, Hospitality Usher and he can also be seen decorating the church on major holidays is that enough? Congrats Angel!!!

ANNUAL BILL BREEN MEMORIAL ID DRIVE APPROACHING

by: Clete Menke

Brothers, we are nearing the beginning of our annual Bill Breen Memorial I.D. Drive. Named for our departed, beloved champion of the I.D. Drive, this is your opportunity to support those in the community with an intellectual disability. Last year, our chapter used I.D. Drive funds to support Orange County's Special Olympics and the Shea Therapeutic Riding Center. Our chapter consistently leads the state with our drive, and we are confident this year will be no different.

You will be receiving a request in the mail in the coming weeks from our I.D. Drive Co-Chairs - Brothers Bennie Niewinski, Clete Menke and Bob Kupfert. If you are able, please be generous. Later, we will work together as a chapter to solicit the parish after a weekend of masses. If you have any questions, please reach out to Brother Clete at cletemenke@me.com.

FATHER MCGIVNEY PRAYER

Father McGivney – may the example of your life
Serve to guide us in our mission
and our individual roles as Knights of Columbus.

May we always be faithful Catholics
and followers of your vision.
In doing so, help us to deepen our roles
as leaders in our parish and in our community.

May we be always supportive of our clergy
and responsible in building our Order.

Help us to be ever effective
in conceiving and carrying out our activities
in the church and in the world.

Blessed Father McGivney, pray for us.

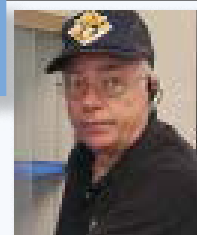
Amen

List of Knight and Family of the Month 2020 - 2023

	Knight of the Month	Family of the Month
2020		
January	Stan Banash	Barbara & Patrick Walloch
February	John Blaney	Sue & Steve Seastrom
March	Norrie Olmo	Ruby & Domingo Roldan
April	-	-
May	George Nothhelfer	-
June	-	-
July	Pat Bole	Cate & Dennis Fung
August	Dante Ramella	-
September	Ben Niewinski	-
October	David Belen	Therese & Roger Sonnenfeld
November	Jerry Clements	Martie & Dave Atkins
December	Dennis de Rosia	
2021		
January	Jaime Terriquez	Barry Lamont
February	Tim Tunila	Diane & Tom Sixsmith
March	Michael Byrne	-
April	Deacon Dan Diesel	Weiwei & Tony Quan
May	Kenneth Baer	Cindy & Hector Guzman
June	Gil Pador	Teresa & Dave Stokes
July	Ruben Logarta	Father Martin Vu
August	-	-
September	-	Elena & John Freeman
October	Mark Angel	Francis & Nourry Olmo
November	Jaime Terriquez	Erin & Mike Ulibarri
December	Domingo Roldan	Cate & Dennis Fung
2022		
January	Philip Parke	Sol & Ovidio Najera
February	George Nothhelfer	Lilly & Wayne Ellis
March	Bob Morgan	Mary & John Ojeda
April	Vincent Farro	Judy & Jerry Clements
May	Butch Reyes	Supporting Wives
June	Stewart Imagawa	Knight Alter Servers
July	Jim McCarty	Marti & Dave Atkins
August	Paul Tovar	Teresa & Dave Stokes
September	Arturo Gonzalez	Laura & John Garcia
October	Richard Ingrassia	France & Stewart Imagawa
November	Ruben Logarta	Lindsey & Danny Reyes
December	Bob Shoemaker	Theresa & Mark Dy-Ragos
2023		
Knight of the Year	Mark Angel	
January	Than Duong	David Balen & Family
February	Andrew Zumkehr	-
March	Kiet Wu	Dianne & Tom Sixsmith
April	Ryan Moussavi	-
May	Mark Angel	Alanna & Vincent Farro
June		Denise & Bill Ramires
July	Rafa Villasenor	Monica & Alfonso Jimenez
August	Deacon Manuel Espitia	Rhoda & Darwin Yaneza
September	Angel Garcia	-
October	James Gilbert	Carmen & Oscar Mugol



GENE GANLEY RECYCLING REPORT



News Worthy Events:

September was an OK month - \$1,094 considering the increased gas and transportation costs. A great job, well done by all for the month.

We need all of you need to drop off your recyclable aluminum cans, #1 and #2 plastics and your glass. We have a lot of members who can participate in this. They can be dropped off any time, day or night, in the drop off area, which is labelled. With **COSTS RISING** we need all the recyclables we can muster. Please spread the word to your friends and neighbors... It is for a charitable cause. With **costs rising** we need all the recyclables you can muster

YOU can be a Valuable part of Recycling if you will take some time to answer the needs below:

We are in need of walkers at the Lake Forest Mobile Home Park and sorters at the barn. There is a lot to sort through and anyone who can come to the barn by 7:30 AM will be greatly appreciated. It only takes about one hour or if you can come for 1/2 hour, we can use you. **Anyone that can help us out please contact Hector Guzman at (949)301-6686.**

Remember: This is the greatest revenue generator for the council and we want to continue it.

Weekly Recycling: "A GREAT THANK YOU"

Without these dedicated people we would not have a program... Thanks to all of you who contribute *(We have a great group of dedicated people who offer their time to those in need)* your time to make this program a success. We start at 7AM Monday mornings and finish up around 9AM. **Any time** you can offer us is appreciated. **We need of walkers for the mobile home park at Lake Forest and sorters at the barn.** Everyone has a great time and and it is great camaraderie. Several of the group goes to Cocos or Woodys for breakfast after recycling. Please contact **Gerry Dubois (949) 500-1064** or **Hector Guzman (949) 301-6686** to join the fun. You can learn a lot about recycling.

Vehicle: We are in need of someone who has a truck and can do pick-ups at the mobile home park from 7AM - 8:30AM on Mondays... Please contact **Hector Guzman at (949) 301-6686.**

God bless,
George Nothhelfer

Monday Morning Crew

Hector Guzman, George Nothhelfer, Mike McCormack, Domingo Roldan, Ricardo Teano, Tony Gionet-Gonzalez, Gerry Dubois, Tim Tunila, Ed Adams, Kiet Wu, Jim McCarty, Bert Dubois, Jay Donahue, Bob Morgan, Roy Reyes, John Ojeda, Bud Givenrod, John Ruelas, David Balen, Ronnie Almero, Dennis Derosia, France Imagawa Bernadette Halter, Stuart Imagawa, Jean-Noel Sonsang, German Grepo, George Bull, Cindy Guzman

October Birthdays



01 Jennifer Hipolito	12 John Marchetta	
02 John Ojeda	12 Ann Olmo	23 Janeen Blackwelder
02 Janet Anderson Sr.	12 Avejane Villar	23 Ricardo Casillas
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October Anniversaries



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LIFE INSURANCE AWARENESS MONTH

Every September a non-profit organization known as Life Happens coordinates the Life Insurance Awareness Month campaign. This campaign is dedicated to informing people about how important life insurance is to protect their families. Life insurance is a cornerstone of a family's future financial security.

Blessed Michael McGivney certainly knew how important life insurance was to a family. But many members don't understand how involved Fr. McGivney was in developing the Order's insurance program. According to Christopher Kauffman, the author of the centennial history of the Order, Faith and Fraternalism, The History of the Knights of Columbus 1882-1982, one of Fr. McGivney's two main reasons for founding the Order was "the need to protect families during sickness and death." (pg. 17) Kauffman goes on to say that Fr. McGivney "spent his energy in promoting the insurance feature." (pg. 35) Originally, when the Order was founded, there was no such thing as an "associate member." Everyone was insured; that was one of those two primary reasons for joining.

While the Order is now well known for its charitable works and strong advocacy for the most vulnerable, strengthening men in their faith and protecting them and their families with life insurance were twin catalysts in forming the Order. While young Catholic men still seek to strengthen their faith, we know families still need protection from untimely death. This mission remains just as important today.

In an attempt to make every member and every eligible Catholic man aware of how important life insurance is, the Order has made a substantial investment. The Order has provided me with a high-tech, state-of-the-art financial needs analysis platform that can help us determine where you stand today. It can help me formulate a strategy for you and your family and offer meaningful insurance and financial solutions...a strategy specific to your family and your situation.

The analysis can be done in the comfort of your home. What can life insurance provide? Peace of mind and security.

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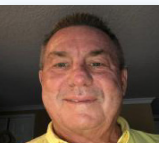


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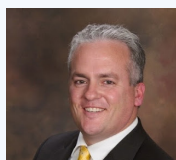
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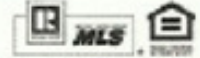


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