



# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Bishop William R. Johnson Council  
**#9487**

Santiago de Compostela Catholic Church  
Lake Forest CA 92630



**NEWSLETTER**  
**APRIL 2025**

*Month of  
The Holy Eucharist*

# Grand Knight's Report



Tom Sixsmith

First of all, I would like to thank and acknowledge the great article in the newsletter regarding Knights of Columbus, protocol, procedures and decorum that is expected by the Knights at meetings and assemblies. For new members coming in, many of our meeting rituals may seem odd and often there is no explanation provided as to why we do a vertical hand wave or a horizontal cross wave, how do we ask a question, how do we address a fellow Knight, etc. This was an attempt to provide a summary of those honored traditions. For new Knights, please read this article and if you have additional questions, please send me a note. Thank you Mark!

The parish ministry fair was held this month and while the Knight of Columbus is not a church ministry, we are a significant contributor to various functions at SDC, and therefore were given a booth to help recruit new members. As expected, our number one recruiter, Ricardo, was actively roaming the aisles looking for possible candidates. It turned out that 4-5 new members may follow up and join our ranks. With the number of possible new candidates, Ricardo was able to schedule an Exemplification on March 31<sup>st</sup>. I'll report the outcome at the April general meeting. Thank you, as always, Brother Ricardo for your hard work and inspiration.

Unfortunately, a couple of March activities were either cancelled (St. Patrick's Day Dinner) or postponed (campus cleanup). The cleanup has been rescheduled for April 12, just before Easter.

Let's try to get as many Knights involved in our Lenten dinners this month. Mike Ulibarri has scheduled two, the first is April 4 and second is April 18<sup>th</sup>. Please contact Mike if you'd like to help in the kitchen or clean up after either dinner. Otherwise, please try to bring your family in for a modest Lenten Friday dinner.

Other great activities you can get involved with will be the Breakfast Burritos on April 6<sup>th</sup>. In addition to the morning crew that gets things started at 6:30 for breakfast burritos, we are really in need of a second shift to support lunch burritos after the 10:15 AND the 12:00 Masses. We've not done a 12:00 Mass before but we'd like to see what the response will be since we have everything in place. However, a second shift is needed to support this. PLEASE look at your schedule and see if you can help - especially new members who are looking for ways to get involved. If we don't get the help, we can't do the other Masses.

Another great opportunity to get involved will be our first 2025 carwash which will be just before Easter on April 19<sup>th</sup>. Looking to have nice clean wheels for the Easter weekend and raise a few dollars along the way. This is a great event that you can bring in your kids and family members to help out, have some fun and get rewarded with a burger or hot dog bar-b-que.

I had an opportunity to meet with Chapter officers this past month to address a number of questions we had regarding the destination of funds raised through our ID drive. I will report out at the next general meeting the outcome, but it looks like we will channel our funds to the Donnor Advised Fund (DAF) instead of the Columbian Foundation. This will yield an additional 7% of the monies going to charities instead of overhead.

Lots of things are going on in April and there are many opportunities to get involved and represent the Knight of Columbus at Santiago de Compostela.

We hope to see you there!

WGK Tom

# APR 2025



| SUN                         | MON   | TUE   | WED  | THU                 | FRI  | SAT                            |
|-----------------------------|---|---|--|---------------------|--|--------------------------------|
|                             |   | 01  | 02<br>General Mtg<br>Room A<br>7:20pm Start          | 03                  | 04<br>First Friday<br>Adoration<br>Lenten Dinner | 05                             |
| 06<br>Breakfast<br>Burritos | 07<br>Recycle<br>Lake Forest<br>Park 7:30 AM            | 08<br>In Person<br>Fraternal<br>benefits<br>Seminar | 09   | 10                  | 11   | 12<br>Campus<br>Cleanup        |
| 13<br>Palm Sunday           | 14<br>Recycle<br>Lake Forest<br>Park 7:30 AM<br>Tax Day | 15  | 16<br>Officers Meeting<br>7pm – Location<br>OLP Room | 17<br>Holy Thursday | 18<br>Good Friday<br>Lenten Dinner               | 19<br>Easter Vigil<br>Car Wash |
| 20<br>Easter                | 21<br>Recycle<br>Lake Forest<br>Park 7:30 AM            | 22  | 23   | 24                  | 25   | 26<br>Day of Sharing           |
| 27                          | 28<br>Recycle<br>Lake Forest<br>Park 7:30 AM            | 29  | 30   |                     |  |                                |

## KNIGHT OF THE MONTH - RICARDO CASILLAS SR.

**By: Ricardo Teano, Retention Committee**

Congratulations to a most dedicated person as our chosen Knight of the Month. His name is Ricardo Casillas Sr. He lives in Mission Viejo, CA with his beautiful wife Lorena. They have been married 36 years and have two kids, Ricardo Jr. and Genecie. Lorena serves in the Hospitality, Women's Circle, Women's Renewal, and Divine Mercy Ministries and is active with the Camino in various ways. Their son Ricardo Jr is a J-Serra Catholic school graduate. He graduated from UNLV with a Master's Degree in Business. He is 35 years old. His home is in Las Vegas. He stayed with his parents for a year and became a knight of Columbus, served with Men's Renewal Retreat, Hospitality, Altar Server, Sacristan, and the St Vincent de Paul Ministry. Their daughter Genecie is 29 years old, married with two beautiful girls, Camila, 4 years old and Gianna, 3 weeks old. Genecie is also a J-Serra Catholic school graduate. She graduated from California State University-San Marcos. with a Degree in Criminal Justice.



**Ricardo Teano**

Ricardo Sr. first became a knight when he was 19 years old in Paramount, CA. He went through his First, Second, and Third Degrees the old-fashioned way. In 1994, he moved to Mission Viejo and joined the Knights of Columbus at St Kilian church and served there as a lector. His mother lived two blocks away from Santiago de Compostela and needed to be driven to Mass. For this reason, Santiago became their family parish. They would attend Mass regularly but did not participate in any ministry in Santiago. Lorena and I kept inviting him to a Men's Renewal Retreat. Like Peter, the Apostle, Ricardo Sr said, "I denied them 3 times." Eventually one Sunday morning he said yes.



**Ricardo Sr. Genecie, Lorena & Ricardo Jr.**

That yes changed his life, he said. He was going through a very difficult time and his retreat brothers helped him through it. He pursued it and became a retreat table leader and worked with next retreat formation. He transferred his knight membership to Council 9487. Right away, he saw love and brotherhood. When men go through trash to recycle, sell donuts, burritos, dinners, and build beds among other things, he knew he wanted to be part of it. He began to search and find ways to help. Ricardo Jr was helping with the church silent auction, so he began to help him as well. Ricardo Sr was invited by a brother knight to the Garden of Innocence Burial. Little did he know that God had a different plan for him. On behalf of the Council, he gave a speech for the children and was given the privilege to put one of the little angels to rest "Baby Don". A life-changing experience.

Many more church help from Tocayo, was bringing bales of hay for the All-Hallows Festival decoration and on several occasions helped with the Getting to Know You Sundays. When the Nazarene Jesus came to our parish, he was there to help with the pre-session, a beautiful experience to him. He continued with the Men's Renewal program and became the Formation Leader. He would like to mention that most of the team members are knights who supported him on that awesome Weekend Retreat; so filled with the Holy Spirit. Ricardo is also part of the Parish Pastoral Council, Marriage Enrichment Retreat and became Assistant Coordinators, spent more time with the brother knights during recycling and had the privilege to spend several weekends with our Honorable Grand Knight, that's what he said selling poinsettias and recruiting more men to join the retreat.

"I have been crucified with Christ, it is no longer I who live but Christ who lives in me" Galatians 2:20.

Congratulations again to a most amazing Knight of the Month!!!



# FAMILY OF THE MONTH - BERNADETTE & ROGER HALTER

by: *Mike Byrne - Recorder*

Bernadette Halter is a very visible figure at Santiago de Compostella, and it is a true blessing having such an upbeat and cheerful person so involved in our beloved Parish. Some activities Bernadette is involved in:

- **Wheelies:** Bringing folks from the nursing home next door to Holy Mass on Sunday mornings.
- **Children's liturgy of the Word:** She prepares lesson plans from their resource materials and teaches the children at the 8:30 Mass. It is a common occurrence to see Bernadette take the hand of a scared, reluctant child and give them the courage to join the rest of the group.
- Recycle pick-up at mobile home park.
- Attends **Women's Circle**.
- **Women's Retreat:** She sews covers for pillows used.
- Helped refinish church pews
- Went on **2024 Pilgrimage** with Father Thomas to the Hearts of Mama Mary and Jesus in Portugal, Spain, France and Poland.
- Going through training soon to become a **Eucharistic Minister**.



**Mike Byrne**

## About Bernadette:

She has attended Santiago de Compostela for about 25 years. Bernadette grew up in Buffalo, New York and is a long-suffering Bills fan. She moved to California in the 1980's.

Bernadette and her husband, Roger have a son named Ian who made his First Communion and Confirmation at Santiago de Compostella.

She taught school for 38 years, Kindergarten and First grade. Bernadette thought teaching kids was the best job in the world.

Please join me in congratulating Bernadette and the Halter family as our Family of the Month!



**Bernadette Halter**



**Roger & Bernadette Halter**

# OUR NEWEST SHINING ARMOR AWARDEE RICARDO CASILLAS SR.

*by: Ricardo Teano, Retention Committee*

Congratulations Ricardo to a job well done! You are a role model. We look forward to more new knights earning this achievement.

## The Shining Armor Award:

Awarded for service to the Order with distinction during the first year of membership, the Shining Armor Award is given to Ricardo, who exemplifies what a true Knight of Columbus is

- Completed the Exemplification of Charity, the first degree, Unity, the second degree and Fraternity, the third degree
- Participation in at least three council service programs
- Helped sell Poinsettias
- Attended the Garden of Innocence Services at El Toro Cemetery
- Helped at the Church Festival
- Helped prepare food at the Knights dinner event
- Formation Leader of Renewal Men's Retreat Number 7
- Attended at least three Council Meetings on first Wednesdays of the month in the parish hall
- 1/8/2025
- 12/4/2024
- 11/6/2024
- Met Council Insurance Representative, Mark Yubeta.
- Recruited a new member - Sergio Casillas
- Ricardo Casillas Sr. transferred to our Council less than a year ago.



**Ricardo Teano**



**Ricardo Cassilas Sr.**

In Support of those with Special Needs

# 6th Annual "Orange Chapter Knights of Columbus" Charity Poker Tournament



Date: May 3, 2025 Sign in and dinner starts at: 6 PM

First hands dealt at: 7 PM

Santiago de Compostela Church

21682 Lake Forest De Lake Forest, CA 92630

Entry fee Council and Individual Sponsorships:

\$75.00 Per Player (includes dinner)

\$20.00 Per Person (dinner only)

\$20.00 rebuys available to avoid an early departure.

\$300 Table Sponsor (Includes 1 Buy-in)

\$400 Food Sponsor

\$500 Beverage Sponsor

\$250 Second Place Sponsor

\$500 First Place Sponsor

Visit [www.ockc.net](http://www.ockc.net) to sign up and pay.



Benefiting the needs community of the Orange Chapter and The Day of Sharing Carnival which is an annual carnival benefiting those with special needs. The 45th annual carnival will be held April 19th at the Speech and Language Development Center in Buena Park. Help support the Day of Sharing by attending this tournament as a player or as a guest. All proceeds will go directly to help support this wonderful day for Orange County's Special Needs Community.

For more info, please reach out to: Vince Vasquez -  
[vinniethemat@icloud.com](mailto:vinniethemat@icloud.com) Mike Ulibarri - [mgu@earthlink.net](mailto:mgu@earthlink.net)



# GENERAL BUSINESS MEETING PROTOCOL

by: Mark Angel, Advocate

Brothers, thank you to the brothers who attend our monthly business meetings. Your participation helps our council to be a strong and vibrant council. About 15% of our membership regularly attend the monthly business meetings. For those unaware of our schedule, on the first Wednesday of each month, our council has a business meeting in the parish hall starting at 7:20pm with the saying of a decade of the rosary. The meeting usually ends around 8:45 pm.



**Mark Angel**

Our Worthy Grand Knight asked that I dedicate a column to the proper protocols to be followed at a meeting since our council continues to grow and many members may not be aware of our meeting protocols, which are set in place by the Knights of Columbus charter constitution.

Meetings are conducted according to Robert's Rules of Order. When the Grand Knight pounds the gavel 3 times on the podium or table all members are to rise and be silent. The Grand Knight will make an announcement. When the GK pounds the gavel again the attendees may be seated but again remain silent.

When prayers are being said and during the pledge of allegiance all hats are to be taken off.

## **The following is from the Knights of Columbus manual:**

*When a member wishes to speak, he does so by rising from his seat, addressing the chair by saying "Worthy Grand Knight" or "Worthy Faithful Navigator" and rendering the salute. (Representing the tree of the Cross, the member makes a vertical motion, with his arm and vertically opened hand, from top to bottom). The presiding officer recognizes the speaker by announcing his name and rendering the salute in return. (Representing the arms of the Cross, the presiding officer makes a horizontal motion, with his arm and horizontally open hand, from left to right). The presiding officer should, at all times, refer to and address the officers by their proper title. He is thus setting a good example for all members to follow. All members who are not officers should be recognized by name as "Brother . . . . . ." or "Sir Knight . . . . . ." All questions or comments must be directed to the chair (the presiding officer), for example: "Worthy Grand Knight or Worthy Faithful Navigator may I ask the previous speaker to explain. . . ." The presiding officer always speaks in the third person such as "The chair rules that . . . ." or "Your Grand Knight or Faithful Navigator reports that . . . ." Members should speak of the chair in the third person: "Worthy Grand Knight or Worthy Faithful Navigator will the chair please explain the effect of the pending motion?"*

## **When a dignitary attends a meeting the charter states:**

*"When priests, state officers, vice supreme masters, district masters, district deputies, general agents, field agents or special guests are present at a meeting they should be treated as dignitaries accorded due recognition for the office or position they hold. They should always be seated in a place of honor. If a dignitary should arrive while a meeting is in progress; the presiding officer raps the gavel three times for all to stand and instructs the warden to escort the guest to the station of the presiding officer. The presiding officer then offers a seat of honor to the guest. With the exception of a priest, a dignitary present at his home council or assembly, need not be specifically recognized unless he has been invited to attend in his official capacity or requests to be so recognized. This will allow the officer to engage in the regular business of his home council or assembly without involving the position he holds. When a general agent or field agent is present at a meeting, he should be treated as a guest. He should be seated and introduced with the dignitaries".*

These are the basic protocols for business meetings. The full charter protocols can be found at this link :

<https://www.kofc.org/en/resources/for-members/11620-protocol-meetings-and-ceremonials.pdf>

Vivat Jesus!



# MARCH 2025 GENERAL BUSINESS MEETING MINUTES

Ash Wednesday, 3/5/2025

By: Mike Byrne – Recorder

Before the start of the meeting, Father Thomas led us in a decade of the rosary, recited some Lenten prayers, and then gave all brother Knights their ashes

## Worthy Grand Knight report:

We'll be having an abbreviated meeting today due to it being Ash Wednesday, no Family or Knight of the Month and no raffles.

**Black Box** this week will help fund Religious Education.

February Minutes published and discussed, a motion to approve the Minutes was raised and approved. Thank you to Nick Thomo, who has stepped up to become our Chancellor.

Build a Bed was the highlight of the month and we had a lot of positive feedback. We may help them start another San Diego chapter.

ID Drive is winding down.

Blood Drive last month, thank you to Jose Lopez.

We did food bags, 300, distributed through Isaiah House.

We had our retreat last week.

Ministry Fair is coming up next weekend to recruit more Knights.

**Financial Secretary's Report:** Bro. John Blaney reporting.

Receipts: \$4,163.55

Vouchers: \$2,942.31

**Outside Communications.** None.

**Treasurer's Report:** Bro. Stewart Imagawa reporting.

Bank Account balances:

Checking Account \$10,652.95

Savings \$20,517.78

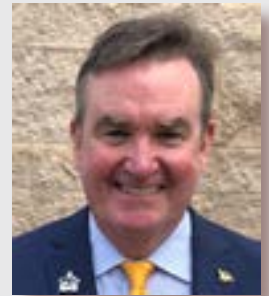
Draw Down Savings \$23,993.93

**TOTAL WORKING CASH \$55,164.66**

Ken's Scholarship Fund \$41,992.03

**Membership Director:** Ricardo Teano. Welcome Gerald Ozota, he signed up after the Men's Retreat. He is currently a student.

**Program Director.** Danny Reyes proceeded with the Report of Committees:



Mike Byrne  
Recorder

## **MARCH GENERAL BUSINESS MEETING MINUTES (Continued)**

**Recycling**, Bro. George N reporting, we had an excellent month. We do need someone to join us that has a truck. Monday mornings we can always use help.

**Lenten Books**: Bro George reporting. Sold well.

**Lenten Dinners**: Bro. John Ojeda reporting. We are doing dinners on 4/4 (fish fry) and 4/18 (spaghetti)

**First Friday** is 3/7. (Bro. John Ojeda)

**Campus Cleanup**: Bro. John Teeter reporting the cleanup will be 3/22. 8:00am Mass, 9:00am Cleanup.

**Corporate Communion**: 3/30 at the 8:30 Mass.

**Membership**: Bro. John Teeter reporting that we have 260 unpaid as of 2/20/2025. Postcards are going out; we will be moving these people to the Affiliates Program.

**Renewal Retreat**: Bro Dave Stokes reporting. 1500 man-hours went into this retreat. It was a fantastic, wonderful event. 21 men at this year's Renewal. The next one is in August: 8/30-8/31.

**ID Drive**: Bro. Mike Byrne: We are still at \$19,677.87 raised after expenses. This should be over \$20k, I'll get with Bro. Bob Kupfert to discuss.

Bro. John Ruelas discussed going to see the **relic of Blessed Fr. McGivney** which was recently here in Orange County.

**Financial Advisor Report**: Bro. Mark Yubeta was not in attendance.

**District Deputy Dan Hoffman** was not in attendance.

WGK Tom Sixsmith discussed the **Fourth of July Parade**: We won an award last year, we voted to confirm having our own "float" again this year, but we will request we are adjacent to the Santiago de Compostella Church "float".

**Sick & Distressed List**: Read by Bro. Pat Larkin.

New Chancellor Nick Thomo read the closing prayers.

Bro. Pat Walloch read a Lenten prayer.

**\$265 raised in the Black Box for religious education.**



## GENE GANLEY RECYCLING REPORT



### News Worthy Events:

**February was a good month: \$1,178**



***We want to thank those brothers who have stepped up to help on Monday mornings. We still need an extra truck we can call on when needed...Is that YOU? Please contact Hector Guzman at (949) 301-6686***

***We URGENTLY need walkers and a TRUCK at the Lake Forest Mobile Home Park and sorters at the barn. It only takes about one hour or if you can come for 1/2 hour, we can use you.***

***Anyone who can help us out - please contact Hector Guzman at (949) 301-6686.***

Thanks to all of you who contribute your time to make this program a success. We start at 7AM Monday mornings and finish up around 9AM. Several of the group goes to Woodys or Polly's Pies for breakfast after recycling. Please contact **Hector Guzman (949) 301-6686** to join the fun. You can learn a lot about recycling. ***We also need someone with a truck and can do pick-ups at the Lake Forest Mobile Home Park from 7AM - 8AM on Mondays...*** Please contact **Hector Guzman at (949) 301-6686.**

***The date for our men's retreat this year at Mater Delarosa will be October 10-12. This is one of the most life changing retreats that you can attend. We leave the church around noon on Friday and carpool to Siera Madre and return home around 12 noon on Sunday. This is a retreat you will never forget. I will publish more details as they become available. Please contact Hector (949) 301-6686 or George (949) 500-3187 if you are interested,***

***God bless,  
George Nothhelfer***

***I thank all those who assist us on Monday Morning Recycling. It is greatly appreciated and makes our program a success.***

### ***Monday Morning Recyclers***

***Hector Guzman, George Nothhelfer, Mike McCormack, Domingo Roldan, Ricardo Teano, Tony Gionet-Gonzalez, Tim Tunila, Ed Adams, Bob Morgan, Roy Reyes, John Ojeda, Bud Givenrod, John Ruelas, Ronnie Almero, Bernadette Halter, Stuart Imagawa, German Grepo, George Bull, Cindy Guzman, Pete Kellen, James Gilbert, Steve Williams, Jeremy Throckmorton, Al Gamarra, Mike Byrne, and Stephen Wright.***

# List of Knight and Family of the Month 2022 - 2025

## 2022

### Knight of the Year

January  
February  
March  
April  
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December

### Knight of the Month

#### Stewart Imagawa

Philip Parke  
George Nothhelfer  
Bob Morgan  
Vincent Farro  
Butch Reyes  
Stewart Imagawa  
Jim McCarty  
Paul Tovar  
Arturo Gonzalez  
Richard Ingrassia  
Ruben Logarta  
Bob Shoemaker

### Family of the Month

Sol & Ovidio Najera  
Lilly & Wayne Ellis  
Mary & John Ojeda  
Judy & Jerry Clements  
Supporting Wives  
Knight Alter Servers  
Marti & Dave Atkins  
Teresa & Dave Stokes  
Laura & John Garcia  
France & Stewart Imagawa  
Lindsey & Danny Reyes  
Theresa & Mark Dy-Ragos

## 2023

### Knight of the Year

January  
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#### Mark Angel

Than Duong  
Andrew Zumkehr  
Kiet Wu  
Ryan Moussavi  
Mark Angel  
  
Rafa Villasenor  
Deacon Manuel Espitia  
Angel Garcia  
James Gilbert  
German Grepo  
Mike Sofka/Bob Kupfert

David Balen & Family  
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Dianne & Tom Sixsmith  
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Alanna & Vincent Farro  
Denise & Bill Ramires  
Monica & Alfonzo Jimenez  
Rhoda & Darwin Yaneza  
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Carmen & Oscar Mugol  
Kanoë & Bryan Martin  
Erin & Mike Ulibarri

## 2024

### Knight of the Year

January  
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Alex Hernandez  
Michael Byrne  
Ivan Lopez  
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Rene Esparza  
Troy Balmer  
Nick Thomo  
Bob Shoemaker  
Ramiro Ramirez  
Patrick Munoz  
Vince Hewlett

Golda & James Kattapurum  
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Theresa & Dave Gray  
Susan & Bill Stegal  
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Lyanamar & Leopoldo Pena-Medina  
Minh & Kiet Wu  
Rosa & Emiliano Leonides  
Erin & Mike Ulibarri

## 2025

### Knight of the Year

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Joel Sicut  
Chris Hudnall  
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Ricardo Casillas Sr.  
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Ruby & Domingo Roldan  
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## RETIREMENT PREPARATION - DISABILITY/TERM LIFE /LTC

Brothers,

Are you on track to reach your financial goals? Are you unsure how to begin setting those goals?

As your agent, I'm dedicated to helping you find the right insurance solutions, no matter your stage of life. Whether you are in your working years with young kids, living paycheck to paycheck, or knocking on the door of retirement, I'm excited to help you protect what matters most and build financial security with insurance-based solutions tailored to meet your priorities.

The first thing to consider is whether your family would be financially taken care of if something happened to you. Would they struggle to meet the mortgage payments or to pay off other debts?

Term life insurance can be an affordable option to give you protection in case of the unexpected. You'll also have the option to convert to a permanent plan in the future without additional underwriting. Terms and conditions may apply.

Second, start preparing for retirement, no matter how far away it may seem. The Knights of Columbus offers annuity solutions to help provide you with retirement income you can't outlive; guaranteed.

Finally, disability income insurance. For many men, regardless of their phase in life, protecting their income is their greatest financial need. What would you do if you were no longer able to work? Don't overlook how disability income insurance may be able to help you.



I understand that your financial needs are not just unique but change over time. I'm here to help you find the right solutions today and to walk with you as your insurance needs evolve.

If you have any questions, please come chat with me and we can schedule a time to meet.

Thank you!

Mark Yubeta, Financial Advisor, Knights of Columbus Asset Advisors

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## FATHER MICHAEL J. MCGIVNEY GUILD

I AM  
A  
KNIGHT



**W**E ARE Catholic men building a bridge back to faith. There is much work to be done in this world. Good work. Necessary work. And that's what the Knights do. Every day.

Assisting the sick and disabled. Protecting those who can't protect themselves. Whether they are next door or halfway around the world. This is the journey we are on. Our path.

We do it to be better husbands, fathers, sons, neighbors and Catholics. We invest our time, our effort, and our resources into our values: Charity. Unity. Fraternity. Patriotism.

We come from many places. And backgrounds. And stages in our lives. But we are all of one faith. A fraternity of men striving to better ourselves and our world.

It's one thing to say who you are. It's another to live it. To put your values into action. That's what we do at the Knights of Columbus.

That's who we are.

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## 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

## 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***



## NEW ! COUNCIL 9487 KNIGHTS APPAREL WEBSITE



**by: Tom Sixsmith DGK**

We now have an easier way to order your shirts, hats or jackets directly from our local supplier- Monogram Magic. Please see the link above to land on the dedicated page where you can order your personalized gear with your name and council number, pay with a credit card and pick up your order from their shop located just up the street at 20381 Lake Forest Dr, Suit B-6.

Our council polo shirts, long and short sleeve button down shirts or jackets are available in our standard green. We also added the latest grey hat with white or yellow stitching. Of course, you can always order non-personalized Knights gear from the national site as well ([www.knightsgear.com](http://www.knightsgear.com)).

We'll have this link included in your monthly newsletter so it will always be easy to find and order.



**WGK Tom Sixsmith**

***If the above graphic link does not work for you - Copy and paste this url into your browser***

***<https://sdcknights.itemorder.com/shop/sale/>***



## *April Birthdays*

|                         |                           |                        |
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| 01 Lisa Gonzales        | 10 Michael Hamamoto       |                        |
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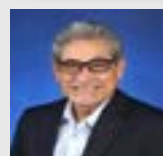


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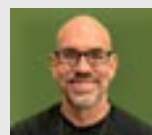
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