

# THE DEGREE



Father Maguire Council # 3851 - Newsletter

Covina/West Covina



Division #5 - District #101

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February 2018

## Grand Knight's Letter

This month we were visited by Bishop David O'Connell at the Sunday Mass for the Disabled. What an honor and a distinct privilege it was to have The Most Reverend David O'Connell, the Episcopal Vicar for the San Gabriel Region of the L.A. Archdiocese preside over the liturgy at the Knights of Columbus Co. 3851. The mass is a true blessing for those who want to hear the gospel and are needed the accessibility. Our Council does a great job at housing as well as provide a safe environment each Sunday on a regular basis.

On Fri Jan 12 it was an honor to attend the San Gabriel Chapter Meeting. Usually I'm cooking steaks for our monthly Steak Fry. However, we decided to have our last Steak Fry in December to prepare for Fish Fry Friday's during Lent, which gave me time to attend the meeting. While in the meeting I was sitting there listening to all their ideas and upcoming events; it made me realize that there is so much more that we, as Knights and as a Council, can do. Let us please get together and get more involved, let us plan ahead and make this year a fun and successful new year in 2018.

Saturday Jan 13th, Western Exterminator Co. in the Chino office celebrated their annual Office Party here. They had a Casino themed party with company by the name of Casino Knights providing dealers and table games to play the whole night. There was also a DJ that got the people dancing. It was a very special night that many will not forget. I want to thank the Knights for being so welcoming to the Western Exterminator Co. Not only have they brought us great times, they also brought us some new members to our Council. A special thanks goes out to PGK Brother Jim and DGK Brother Jacob for taking care of our guests and keeping them safe.

Thursday Night Bingo is still going serious. It is so nice to see everyone having a great time. We are still in need of more volunteers every Thursday. Thank you to my Brother Knights that are where every Thursday to keep bingo rolling.

Next month is our Annual Big Game Day Party. The Super Bowl will be on, good food will be served throughout the day, 50/50 raffle tickets, silent auctions, door prizes, and Super Bowl Donation Pools. Doors will open at 1pm. Come one down and enjoy the fun. Bring the family and friends. We hope to see you there.

To all my Brothers and Sisters and their Families, we appreciate everything you do because this is what we do.

God Bless All of You  
Grand Knight

Ed Van Olphen

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# Happy VALENTINE'S DAY

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## The New Degree!

We are starting 2018 with the new revised edition of the Degree newsletter for the Father Maguire Council!

I will continue to work on improving our newsletter and any contributions or submission would be appreciated.

Thanks!

Victor Varela

Editor

# KNIGHT OF THE MONTH

Harvey Simpson - Knight of the Month



This month's Knight of the Month, goes out to a Brother Knight who is also a Past Grand Knight of this Council. He has been a part of this Council for many years. Much of that time he spends it fixing up whatever needs fixing around here at the Council. Not only does he put his blood, sweat, and time into this building, but volunteers whenever he can. If not for him, our Fish Fry Fridays would not be as smooth sailing, our picnics would not be as interesting, and our lives without wisdom. This Brother Knight and PGK always has some input at our meetings. He participates often, and always lets us know if his help will be available; usually it is, unless he is hunting or fishing. He is honest, handy, and without a doubt, very much needed at our Council.

This month's Knight of the Month is PGK Harvey Simpson.

Grand Knight,

Edward Van Olphen



What a Distinct Privilege it was to have the Most Reverend David O'Connell, the Episcopal Vicar for the San Gabriel Region of the L.A. Archdiocese preside over the liturgy at the Knights of Columbus Hall!

This Mass is truly a wonderfully special celebrating each Sunday. A special blessing to our brothers that attended and regularly do!

***"A humble soul does not trust itself, but places all its confidence in God."***

***- St. Faustina***

# Program Director's Report

Brothers and Sisters in faith, we appreciate your attendance and help at many of the events that we host. Please continue to show your support and faces at each and every event. Volunteers will always be needed, wanted, and accepted. Whatever you can give, we will take. Here is a list of this month's events:

"EVERY SUNDAY"- Mass @ St Christopher & Sacred Heart. Mass for Persons with Disabilities held at the Council in the lounge.

"THURSDAY NIGHT BINGO" - Held here at Council 3851 every Thursday night of EVERY MONTH, Come on down and enjoy the fun with others, Volunteers needed!

"General Council Meeting" - February 6th at 7:30 p.m. All Brothers are welcomed to attend. Participate in our monthly meeting to hear of all of our upcoming events. Rosary will be held at 7:00 p.m.

"Super Bowl Party" - February 4th at our Council in the Hall. Doors open at 1:00 PM and the Game begins at 3:30pm. Come on down to our Council to watch the BIG game on not one, not two, but FOUR TVs! Food will be BBQ Admission tickets are on presale now. See flyer for more details. Call any Brother Knight for Ticket Presale.

"Officer's Meeting and Columbus Club Meeting" - February 20th at 7:30 p.m. Columbus Club meeting promptly following the Officers Meeting. All officers and club members are required to attend. All other members are encouraged to attend and listen in.

"Bunco" - February 25th 2pm - 5pm in the Lounge at our Council. Admission is \$15, this includes admission and a luncheon. Prizes for the biggest winners and losers. All other Buncos will be the 3rd Sunday of every month.

"Fish Fry Friday" - Every Friday of Lent, starting February 16 - March 30, In the Lounge at 6:00 PM. Come join us at the Council for a delicious meal provided by our Brother Knights. Meals consist of choice of fish and sides. Drinks are sold at the bar, and desserts and condiments are provided for free in the dining area. We will need Brother Knights to participate in the set up, cooking, and cleaning for every Friday. Sign ups will be posted at the Council meetings or contact Grand Knight, Ed Van Olphen, for sign up. All hands on deck!

"Bingo at the Long Beach VA" - March 3rd 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM. Any and all Brother Knights are needed to help make a Bindo day possible for these veterans. Snack and drink donations are greatly appreciated and very much needed. Sugar free snacks and drinks are a big requests from the veterans.

Let us all show our support for our Council 3851 - The Knights of Columbus, and our Churches. Be a part of our family, be one of us! Thank you to ALL of you who make us who we are today!!!

God our Savior, bring us back to you and fill our minds with your wisdom. May we be enriched by our observance of Lent. Amen

Deputy Grand Knight,  
Jacob Van Olphen

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



UNITE IN PRAYING  
THE ROSARY BEFORE  
EVERY MONTHLY MEETING

FR. MAGUIRE LOUNGE

7 PM SHARP

LADIES OF COLUMBUS

**MAGUIRE HALL**

MASS FOR PERSONS WITH  
PHYSICAL AND INTELLECTUAL  
DISABILITIES, THEIR FAMILIES,  
CAREGIVERS AND ALL  
KNIGHTS & LADIES

## February Birthdays Brother Knights

01 Deacon Ron Butler	20 Peter Koury
02 Fr. Gerardo DeTomasi	21 Roger Luna, Sr.
06 Richard Salvatore	23 Gabriel Garcia
07 Manuel Jaramillo	26 Mark Zeman
08 James Salazar	28 Jesse Calvillo
08 Stephen Workman	29 Gene Hays, Sr.
10 Alfonso Soto	
14 Vince Cordova	
14 Fr. Paul Ewers	
15 Thomas Rose	
16 David Granillo	

## February Birthdays Ladies of the Snow

01 Barbara Simpson	28 Susan Francisco
05 Dorinda Aguila	28 Marisela Gutierrez
10 Adriana Munoz	28 Michele Martz
13 Nancy Chua	
14 Maria Cruz	
14 Lulu Santiago	
15 Roseanna Skalsky	
17 Cecilia Navarro	
19 Edna McKenna	
25 Marcela Luna	
26 Danalynn Hays	
26 Helen Maietta	

## February Anniversaries

Feb 04 Abner & Rita Haydel
Feb 05 Richard & Adriana Munoz
Feb 07 Gilbert & Elisa Gonzales
Feb 07 Gene & Danalynn Hays
Feb 14 Noel & Lyn Wychico
Feb 15 Jay & Anne Gonzalez
Feb 17 Harvey & Barbara Simpson
Feb 19 Sergio & Laura Aguila
Feb 25 Roger & Marcie Luna
Mar 03 Giancarlo & Josephine Massarotto
Mar 05 Rick & Maria Gonzalez
Mar 11 Mark & Mary Zeman
Mar 16 Richard & Christina Ruelas
Mar 21 Albert & Mary Sparks
Mar 23 Stephen & Laura Caropino
Mar 27 Alan & Debbie Douglas



**Volunteers  
Needed  
Every  
Thursday!**

**SUNDAY**  
**FEBRUARY 4th, 2018**

COME TO SEE THE

**BIG GAME**

**WITH THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

**\$20 Admission**  
**\$10 Kids Under**  
**10 years old**



**Doors Open at**  
**1:00pm**  
**Game starts at**  
**3:30pm**

**All You Can Eat - Hamburgers - Hot Dogs - Chips - Pasta - Nachos - Salads**

**Football Pools, Drink Specials, Raffles, Door Prizes & FUN!**

**Call Andy for more Info: (626) 862-1429**

**4315 VINCENT AVE. COVINA, CA 91722**





**Brothers do you remember the first time you entered our Hall and then our Lounge. How impressed you were with the decor in the Lounge area.**

**I'm sure you have noticed that we are in need of bar stools and a little up dating at the bar. Some of our Brothers have started a fundraiser to purchase and replace the bar stools. This fundraiser serves as a way of giving back to our council and allows the Columbus Club to allocate funds in other areas of need. The funds raised will go to purchase the bar stools, with any remaining funds going to the restoration of the bar.**

**At this time, there is \$350.00 in the fund raised by 4 of our Brothers. We would love to have the support of all our Council Brothers. We are asking for a donation - the amount is up to you.**

**You can send or give your Donation to our Financial Secretary, Brother Steve Lange.**

**Steve Lange - FS # 3851  
5229 N. Barranca Ave., Covina, CA 91722**

**Brothers, thank you in advance for your consideration.**





**DOOR PRIZES - RAFFLE PRIZES**

**SAVE**  
*the* **DATE**



**SUNDAY 25**  
**FEBRUARY**  
**@ 1:00pm**

**BUNCO**

**MONTHLY EVENT DATES TO FOLLOW**

**\$15**

**INCLUDES BUNCO GAME**  
**LUNCH - ITALIAN FOOD**

**EVERYONE LEAVES W/ A GIFT!**  
**CASH PRIZES AND MORE!**

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**LOTS OF FUN FOR EVERYONE**



# Come Join Us For Our Friday Night Dinner

## THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FATHER MAGUIRE COUNCIL 3851

4315 N. Vincent Ave Covina Ca 91722

Every Friday Night During Lent

5:00pm-8:00pm



### MENU

Haddock Fish Dinner \$10

Shrimp Dinner \$10

Haddock/Shrimp Combo  
Dinner \$10

Fish Sandwich Combo \$10

\* All Dinners Includes  
French Fries, Cole Slaw,  
Corn, Bread and Dessert \*

Salmon Dinner \$12

\* Salmon Dinner Includes  
Baked Potato, Cole Slaw,  
Corn, Bread and Dessert \*

Kids Dinner \$5

\*Kids Dinner Includes  
Choice Of Fish Sandwich,  
Fish Or Grilled Chesse  
and Fries \*



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### SIDES

Baked Potato \$3

Clam Chowder \$3

Grilled Chesse \$3

Shrimp \$5

French Fries \$2

Fish Sandwich \$5

### DRINKS

Coffee FREE

Soda \$1

Bottled Water \$1

Beer & Wine  
Availbe For  
Purchase



## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Take Outs Welcomed



# History of Valentine's Day

How did St. Valentine become associated with love and romance? Get the full story behind the holiday.

Every February 14, across the United States and in other places around the world, candy, flowers and gifts are exchanged between loved ones, all in the name of St. Valentine. But who is this mysterious saint, and where did these traditions come from? Find out about the history of this centuries-old holiday, from ancient Roman rituals to the customs of Victorian England.

## The Legend of St. Valentine

The history of Valentine's Day—and the story of its patron saint—is shrouded in mystery. We do know that February has long been celebrated as a month of romance, and that St. Valentine's Day, as we know it today, contains vestiges of both Christian and ancient Roman tradition. But who was Saint Valentine, and how did he become associated with this ancient rite?

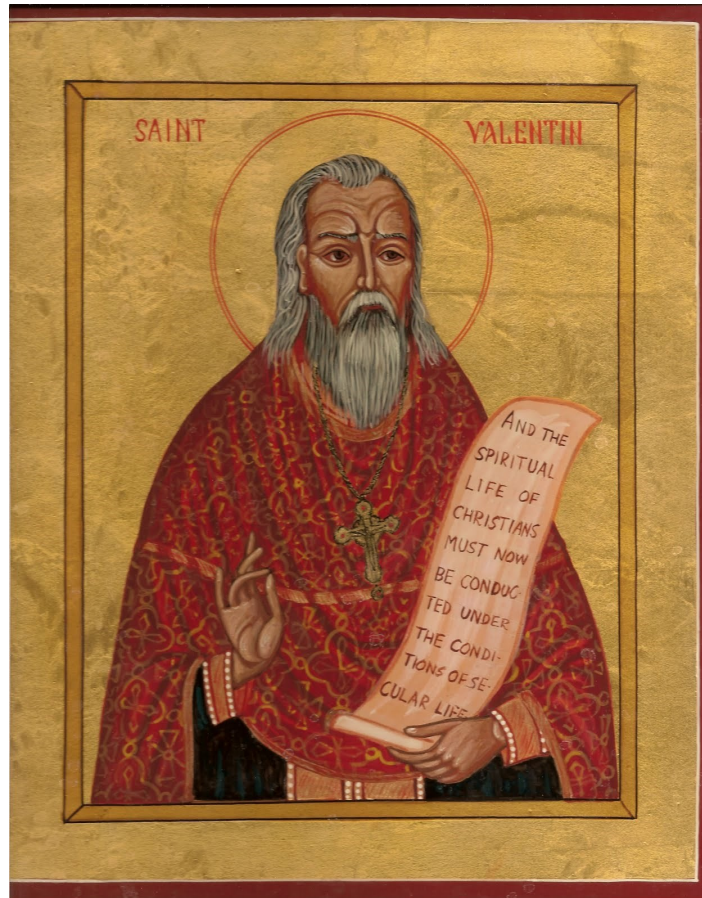
The Catholic Church recognizes at least three different saints named Valentine or Valentinus, all of whom were martyred. One legend contends that Valentine was a priest who served during the third century in Rome. When Emperor Claudius II decided that single men made better soldiers than those with wives and families, he outlawed marriage for young men. Valentine, realizing the injustice of the decree, defied Claudius and continued to perform marriages for young lovers in secret. When Valentine's actions were discovered, Claudius ordered that he be put to death.

Other stories suggest that Valentine may have been killed for attempting to help Christians escape harsh Roman prisons, where they were often beaten and tortured. According to one legend, an imprisoned Valentine actually sent the first "valentine" greeting himself after he fell in love with a young girl—possibly his jailor's daughter—who visited him during his confinement. Before his death, it is alleged that he wrote her a letter signed "From your Valentine," an expression that is still in use today. Although the truth behind the Valentine legends is murky, the stories all emphasize his appeal as a sympathetic, heroic and—most importantly—romantic figure. By the Middle Ages, perhaps thanks to this reputation, Valentine would become one of the most popular saints in England and France.

## Origins of Valentine's Day: A Pagan Festival in February

While some believe that Valentine's Day is celebrated in the middle of February to commemorate the anniversary of Valentine's death or burial—which probably occurred around A.D. 270—others claim that the Christian church may have decided to place St. Valentine's feast day in the middle of February in an effort to "Christianize" the pagan celebration of Lupercalia. Celebrated at the ides of February, or February 15, Lupercalia was a fertility festival dedicated to Faunus, the Roman god of agriculture, as well as to the Roman founders Romulus and Remus.

To begin the festival, members of the Luperci, an order of Roman priests, would gather at a sacred cave where the infants Romulus and Remus, the founders of Rome, were believed to have been cared for by a she-wolf or



lupa. The priests would sacrifice a goat, for fertility, and a dog, for purification. They would then strip the goat's hide into strips, dip them into the sacrificial blood and take to the streets, gently slapping both women and crop fields with the goat hide. Far from being fearful, Roman women welcomed the touch of the hides because it was believed to make them more fertile in the coming year. Later in the day, according to legend, all the young women in the city would place their names in a big urn. The city's bachelors would each choose a name and become paired for the year with his chosen woman. These matches often ended in marriage.

### **Valentine's Day: A Day of Romance**

Lupercalia survived the initial rise of Christianity and but was outlawed—as it was deemed “un-Christian”—at the end of the 5th century, when Pope Gelasius declared February 14 St. Valentine's Day. It was not until much later, however, that the day became definitively associated with love. During the Middle Ages, it was commonly believed in France and England that February 14 was the beginning of birds' mating season, which added to the idea that the middle of Valentine's Day should be a day for romance.

Valentine greetings were popular as far back as the Middle Ages, though written Valentine's didn't begin to appear until after 1400. The oldest known valentine still in existence today was a poem written in 1415 by Charles, Duke of Orleans, to his wife while he was imprisoned in the Tower of London following his capture at the Battle of Agincourt. (The greeting is now part of the manuscript collection of the British Library in London, England.) Several years later, it is believed that King Henry V hired a writer named John Lydgate to compose a valentine note to Catherine of Valois.

### **Typical Valentine's Day Greetings**

In addition to the United States, Valentine's Day is celebrated in Canada, Mexico, the United Kingdom, France and Australia. In Great Britain, Valentine's Day began to be popularly celebrated around the 17th century. By the middle of the 18th, it was common for friends and lovers of all social classes to exchange small tokens of affection or handwritten notes, and by 1900 printed cards began to replace written letters due to improvements in printing technology. Ready-made cards were an easy way for people to express their emotions in a time when direct expression of one's feelings was discouraged. Cheaper postage rates also contributed to an increase in the popularity of sending Valentine's Day greetings.

Americans probably began exchanging hand-made valentines in the early 1700s. In the 1840s, Esther A. Howland began selling the first mass-produced valentines in America. Howland, known as the “Mother of the Valentine,” made elaborate creations with real lace, ribbons and colorful pictures known as “scrap.” Today, according to the Greeting Card Association, an estimated 1 billion Valentine's Day cards are sent each year, making Valentine's Day the second largest card-sending holiday of the year. (An estimated 2.6 billion cards are sent for Christmas.) Women purchase approximately 85 percent of all valentines.





**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE  
REPOSE OF THE SOULS  
OF OUR FAITHFUL  
DEPARTED BROTHERS  
AND FOR OUR  
DECEASED FAMILY  
AND FRIENDS**

**Lest We Forget Them...**

**2014 - 2018**

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Rudy Tomeo  
Ted Wiggins  
Dorothea Lear, Wife of  
Brother Jim Lear  
Jesus Casas Ruelas

## Please Pray for Our Sick & Distressed, Special Intensions

Eternal Rest grant unto them O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.

Amen

Fr. Brian Cavagnouh

Mildred De Cuir

Crista Delgado

Anita Lange

Calvin Mantranga

Belen Delgado

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Robin Lee

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Crista Nelson

## Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

A small request from the hearts of worried parents

On behalf of the Delgado Family, we ask that you keep our daughter, Crista Delgado Nelson, in your prayers. She, along with our grandchildren, our going through a very difficult time in their lives. God gave us three beautiful ladies – Crista, Dolores, Jacquie and our son, Richard – who all have families of their own. Life has never been easy, but keeping our faith gives us strength. So please, for a moment, find it in your heart to say a little prayer for our daughter, Crista.



God Bless.

Richard & Belen Delgado

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# FEBRUARY 2018



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	28	29	30	31	1	2
Mass for Persons with Disabilities - Every Sunday 10am at Fr. Maguire Hall				Bingo 		
4 1PM - BIG BOWL GAME Sunday! 	5	6	7	8	9	10
		7pm Rosary 7:30pm General Business Meeting 7:30pm Ladies Meeting		Bingo 		1-5pm Bingo at the VA of Long Beach
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
				Bingo 	6PM - Fish Fry	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
		7:30pm Officers Meeting Columbus Club Meeting		Bingo 	6PM - Fish Fry	
25	26	27	28	1	2	3
2-5PM Bunco			Bingo 		6PM - Fish Fry	
4	5	Notes				

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Mass for Persons with Disabilities - Every Sunday 10am at Fr. Maguire Hall

Fish Fry Friday - Every Friday of Lent, starting February 16 - March 30

02/04/2018 - 1:00pm Big "BOWL" Game Sunday

02/06/2018 - 7:30pm General Business Meeting

02/20/2018 - 7:30pm Officers Meeting, Columbus Club Meeting

02/25/2018 - 2-5pm Bunco at the Father Maguire Hall



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