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Father Maguire Council # 3851 - Newsletter

Covina/West Covina, California

September 2018

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Grand Knight's Letter

Brothers and Sister in faith,

The Lord blesses us each and every day whenever we help others. Our compassion and our selfless acts go above and beyond the call of duty as children of God. Our Brother Knights throughout the month of August have worked endlessly to assist one another and our communities. We will continue to do so without complaint. After all, charity is one of the founding principles of the Knights of Columbus.

Our mission to always help others is one of my top priorities for our Council. With your help, we can provide that as needed. Whether it's recruiting, donating, or volunteering, we will continually do our best to support our communities, our churches, and one another.

Please continue to recruit new members, as we will always take in new applicants, young and old, new or returning. Members are what grow the order and what solidifies the support for the Catholic religion.

Lastly, I want to thank all the Brother Knights who helped out at our weekly Thursday Night Bingos: Cal Matranga, Richard Ruelas, Richard Delgado, Jon Correa, Tony Landry, Terry Kehrberg, Jay Gonzalez, Joe Serrano, Edward Van Olphen, Lawrence Calimlim, James Hathaway, Brother Manny, Vincent Glass, Harvey Simpson, Larry Dietz, our monthly Steak Fry: Joe Serrano, James Hathaway, Richard Delgado, Edward Van Olphen, the Bingo at the Long Beach VA: Edward Van Olphen, Larry Dietz, driving the priests to and from wherever they need, and for your continued presence at both our parishes. I am honored to call you Brother.

And as always the Ladies who support our Council at every event: Lady Angel Marie Luna, Lady Tina Dietz, Lady Eleana Loft, Lady Barbara Simpson, and Lady Renee Hays Flores thank you for all your support.

Grand Knight, Jacob van Olphen

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Past Grand Knights

MICHAEL BURTON *	1954-1955
HENRY RYNICKI *	1955-1956
ALAN FITZGERALD *	1956-1957
H. "MIKE" JENKINS *	1957-1958
HANK GENDRON *	1958-1959
JOSEPH VISOSKY *	1959-1960
"BOGIE" BROUCKAERT *	1960-1961
WILLIAM WEIDERHOLT *	1961-1962
JOSEPH WALSH *	1962-1963
JEAN POULIN *	1963-1964
JAMES HOULIHAN *	1964-1965
WILLIAM WITZLSTEINER *	1965-1966
E. R. "ERNIE" NEAULT *	1966-1968
WILLIAM "BILL" SHRIVER *	1968-1969
JOHN "JACK" ALTIERI *	1969-1970
ROBERT KENNERKNECHT*	1970-1971
WILLIAM WITZISTEINER *	1971-1972
EARL CAMERON *	1972-1973
HARVEY SIMPSON	1973-1974
MARTIN ROSSNEY *	1974-1975
JACK BERTINI *	1975-1976
ANDREW CARPENTER *	1976-1977
ALBERT "AL" PINCIN *	1977-1978
JACK BEAUCHAMP	1978-1979
L. J. "LOU" LA CROIX *	1979-1980
RALPH MONACO*	1980-1981
JACK BERTINI *	1981-1982
JOHN LEWIS *	1982-1983
CHARLES "CHUCK" GOVER	1983-1984
JOHN HAYES *	1984-1985
DAN RIDDLE *	1985-1986
VINCENT "VINCE" LICORNI *	1986-1987
DARRELL SCHOLL	1987-1988
ROBERT "BOB" BOHANON	1988-1990
VINCENT "VINCE" LICORNI *	1990-1991
F. DONALD "DON" GACEVICH	1991-1992
ALBERT J. "AL" YERKISH *	1992-1993
ARLAN J. GOETZ*	1993-1994
RALPH A. CASTRO, SR. *	1994-1995

GILBERT GONZALES, SR.	1995-1996
R. EUGENE HAYS, SR.	1996-1997
GEORGE H. PRESLEY	1997-1998
JAMES A. MUNOZ	1998-1999
ADAM R. TREVINO	1999-2000
ROBERT GERARDO *	2000-2001
RICHARD I. DELGADO	2001-2002
KARL E. FREY	2002-2003
MARK J. CONCIALDI	2003-2004
ANTHONY M. LANDRY	2004-2005
STEPHEN M. JOHNSON	2005-2006
ANDREW M. RUIZ	2006-2007
ERNEST A. CLARK III	2007-2008
RAFAEL EVANGELISTA	2008-2009
MANUEL JARAMILLO	2009-2010
LOUIS PEÑA	2010-2011
ROBERT NELSON	2011-2012
LARRY DIETZ	2012-2013
TOM MASTERSON	2013-2014
OSCAR SUQUETT	2014-2015
GENE HAYS JR.,	2015-2016
JAMES HATHAWAY	2016-2017
ED VAN OLPHEN	2017-2018



* Deceased

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The Degree!

We are half way through 2018 with the 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

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The Degree



Brother Cal Matranga



The Month of August was filled with many returning Brothers, and continued attendance from our faithful Brothers. It is almost difficult to choose a Brother Knight for this month, however, I know I picked a worthy candidate for Knight of the Month. This Brother I have chosen does not ask for much of our Council, only to be better. He helps out whenever he can, and when he does his duty as a Brother Knight, he does it out without complaint. He is an avid member, and comes to meetings regularly, no matter the circumstances. He recently had knee surgery, and attended our General Council Meeting, which is upstairs. Again, he did not complain. I've only known this Brother Knight for a couple years, but by all means, I see him as family. He returned to us from a hiatus, and has continually volunteered at Bingo, Steak Frys, Fish Frys, Fishing with the Knights, and even attending the Mass for Disabled Persons. I have nothing but good words and to be thankful that we have this Brother Knight as part of our Council.

This month's Knight of the Month goes to Inside Guard, Cal Matranga.

Thank you Brother, for your dedication.

Grand Knight, Jacob Edward van Olphen

Program Director's Report

My Brothers and Sisters,

Our Columbian year is underway and we need any and all of your support for all of the events. Any time you can make available is greatly appreciated. Keep in mind that you can help the Council grow by remembering to recruit new members at all the events you can attend. It's really simple Just ask someone, "Has anyone asked you to join the Knights of Columbus?" Give them some basic information on things we do and have a Form 100 available or get some contact information from them and please provide it to the Grand Knight, Brother Larry Dietz or me. The year is off to a great start so let's keep it up.

September Events -

Mass for Persons with Disabilities at the Council in the lounge. 10:00 am – All are welcome to join in the miraculous liturgy that takes place every Sunday at the Knights of Columbus Hall!

THURSDAY NIGHT BINGO" - At our Council every Thursday night of MONTH Come on down and enjoy the fun with others.

Labor Day Brunch -Monday September 3rd at 11 AM in the Lounge- Pot luck – Relax and enjoy some good food with great people.

Steak Fry Fridays– September 21st starting at 6:00 PM in the Lounge at our Council. Rib eye steak cooked to order, a heaping serving of corn, a dinner roll, salad, and a baked potato. Deserts and coffee will be provided as well. Bring the family to enjoy a nice steak meal with. Hope to see all of you there. Volunteers will be needed for set up, clean up, and cooking.

Bunco – September 23rd at 1:00 PM. The Ladies of Maguire are hosting this event. All the support from them and all of the efforts are greatly appreciated. \$15 will get you food and entry for Bunco. Come on down and join the fun. All are welcome.

St. Christopher Church ID drive/Membership Drive - September 9th, Masses starting at 7am until Noon and then the 6:30 PM evening service. Come to as many masses as you can to help. We need bodies!!! You presence is greatly needed for all masses. This request by the Bishop is a "Special Call Out" to all brothers so let's not let him down. Please come show us your support

Bishop O'Connell Chapter Challenge 1st Degree - Tuesday Sept.18th at 7:00pm, check in at 6:00pm – Please come help to support as a team member or sideliner Admissions will be held Monday the 17th at 7:00 PM – Please let us know if you have anyone that recruit as a new member.

Monday Night Football- Starts Monday, September 10th, then again on the 17th and 24th. Doors open at 5:00 PM - Any Brother Knight whose team is playing on a Monday is welcomed to be the "Host" for the evening, providing a dish of their choosing for all to taste. Anyone can come, and can bring their own chairs for comfort. Snacks will be provided and a no-host bar will be open for business with Knight Prices for members.

General Meeting is the 1st Tuesday of the month September 3rd and the Officers and Columbus Club Meeting is rescheduled to Tuesday September 25 7:30 PM due to the special 1st degree on the 18th.

Please don't hesitate to contact me with any new ideas or modifications to what we are doing. My contact information is below.

Pray More think less

God Bless Us All,

Andy M. Ruiz

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September Birthdays Brother Knights

01st Marvin Campos 02nd Robert M. Ebiner 04th Thaddeo A. Abris 04th Terry R. Galzote 06th Arcadio Urquidi Juan A. Aparcana 07th 07th Paul Landry 08th Henry De La Rosa 09th John C. Arlt 09th Andrew Chow Steve Borish 10th 11th Aldo Pozza Brian Cavanagh 12th 13th Alan E. Douglas 13th Maurilio S. Gonzalez 13th Darrell G. Scholl 16th **Gilbert Gonzales** Michael S. Gutshall 18th 18th Victor O. Sotelo Theodore Guerrero 18th 22nd Raymond De Vera 29th Robert W. Kehrberg 30th William E. Peterson John N. Plumley 30th 30th Humberto Yarleque

September Anniversaries

01st Jesse S. & Juanita Calvillo 01st Juan & Margo Mavridis

- 08th Isaias A. & Lulu Santiago
- 11th Romeo L. & Violeta Guerrero
- 14th Joseph & Maria Delgado
- 18th James A. & Roxanne Muñoz
- 21st Mark T. & Cynthia Hyland 21st Walter G. & Terri Siok
- 22nd Robert & Cecilia Navarro



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CONSIDERATION. CURRENT LIST OF DONORS: ERNIE CLARK, STEVE LANGE, RICHARD DELGADO, RICHARMANDO SANTOSARD RUELAS, HARVEY SIMPSON, ROBERT & ROSALINDA GERARDO,				

SEP 21st

Bring the family to enjoy a GREAT steak dinner!



Our Steak Fry Fridays are back! We will have these monthly dinners every 3rd Friday! Enjoy a delicious Rib Eye steak cooked to order, a heaping serving of corn, a dinner roll, salad, and a baked potato. Deserts and coffee will be provided as well. Steak Fry will be in the Lounge at our Council.

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

Lest We Forget Them...

2013 - 2018

Jean Paul Poulin Vincent J. Licorni **Randy Matlock** Maurilio Gonzalez **Ronald Curtis Claude Schnyder** Louis Arevalo **Steve Borish Robert Grueter Simon Martinez Rudy Tomeo Ted Wiggins** Dorothea Lear, Wife of **Brother Jim Lear** Jesus Casas Ruelas Alice Cabeza **Cecillo Trujillo Nick Vultaggio** Saul Varela

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

Sick and Distressed

Barbra Simpson **Barbara Hector** Steve and Althea Lange Mildred Decuir Anita Lange Crista Nelson Theresa Page Sierra Van Ölphen and (Peyton Johanna) Johnny Flores Norma Bernales Belen Delgado Jacob Nelson Gilbert and Ellysa Gonzales Eleana Lofft Cynthia Nieto Delores Nieto Fr. Joseph Dass Calvin Matranga Lawrence Calimlim Andy M. Ruiz John Correra Diana Leyva

All Fire Fighters Parishioners at our Mass for Persons with Disabilities Dean (One of our Special Olympians) All of the members of Father Maguire Council 3851

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



UNITE IN PRAYING THE ROSARY BEFORE EVERY MONTHLY MEETING

FR. MAGUIRE LOUNGE 7 PM SHARP LADIES OF COLUMBUS



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

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SEP 20	TEN 18	BER				SR
Sunday 26	Monday 27	_Tuesday	Wednesday		Friday	Saturday
Mass for Persons with Disabilities - Every Sunday 10am at Fr. Maguire Hall				Bingo		
2	3 Labor Day Brunch 11AM	4 7pm Rosary 7:30pm General Business Meeting	5	6 Bingo	7	
9 St. Christopher Church ID & Membership Drive - Masses starting at 7am	10 Monday Night Football 5PM	11	12	13 Bingo	. 14	15
16	17 Monday Night Football 5PM	18 1st Degree 7pm, (Check in at 6:00pm)	19	20 Bingo	21 6pm Steak Fry Friday	22
23 1pm Bunco	24 Monday Night Football 5PM	25 7:30pm Officers Meeting Columbus Club Meeting	26	27 Bingo	28	29
30 Mass for Persons with Disabilities - Every Sunday 10am at Fr. Maguire Hall	1	Notes				

Mark Your Calendars...

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

09/03/2018 - 7:30pm General Business Meeting

09/25/2018 - 7:30pm Officers Meeting, Columbus Club Meeting

09/23/2018 - 1pm Bunco

Steak Fry Fridays are BACK! 09/21/18 @ 6pm in the Lounge at our Council





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