June 2020 Faithful Navigator Newsletter

San Juan Diego Assembly #2857

**Sir Knights,**

With my term as Faithful Navigator ending on June 30, 2020, this is my last monthly FN Newsletter. Although things have not gone as planned, I am thankful for the privilege to be your Faithful Navigator for the past fraternal year. I want to congratulate my successor, SK Dick Norgaard and the other newly elected officers

Fifteen San Juan Diego Assembly members attended the May Business Meeting using Zoom Web Conference. The slate of officers presented by the Trustees were unanimously elected by acclamation with no other nominations made. The formal installation of officers for FY2020/2021 which is typically held in June, has been postponed (tentatively August) due to the continued restrictions. The term for these new positions is 7/1/2020 to 6/30/2021.

Faithful Navigator SK Richard Norgaard

Faithful Comptroller SK Ejikeme Alozie-Nwagboso

Faithful Captain SK Rafael Villareal

Faithful Pilot SK James Sorlie

Faithful Scribe SK Patrick Jeffrey

Faithful Purser SK David Tyrone

Inner Sentinel SK Michael Rhodes

Outer Sentinel SK Michael Jones

Faithful Admiral SK Ted Giles

3-Year Trustee SK John Bergs PFN

2-Year Trustee SK Dan Porter PFN

1-Year Trustee SK Ron Weldon PFN

Form 186 – “Report of Assembly Officers Elected” has been submitted to the District and Supreme.

Supreme has mandated that the color corps will use matching masks to be worn if required by the clergy for their church. The District has a source to provide black only face masks and all masks must be ordered through this supplier. No other is acceptable to be worn with the uniform. The District Master ordered masks for each of the 38 assemblies in the District based on a limit of two per color corps member. I requested a total of 14 masks based on our current seven color corps members at $3 each. This $42 expense will be applied under the Budget item FN’s Emergency Fund.

The Biennial District Meeting was held as a Web Conference on Sunday, May 17. The 82 delegates were asked to vote on two resolutions prior to the meeting and the results were given during the meeting.

1. Add to the name of the district to honor Bishop Joseph Patrick Lynch who was Bishop of Dallas from 1911 until his death in 1954. He remains the longest-serving Catholic Bishop in the United States of America. At that time, the Dallas Diocese included all three of our district dioceses of Dallas, Ft. Worth & Tyler as well as several others. Results: - Passed; 88% For and 12% Against
2. Enable the District Master to continue having fundraisers to cover expenses of the district. It had been pointed out that even though we have had the Exemplification raffle tickets for years, it was not included in the District By-laws.

Results: - Passed; 94% For and 6% Against

SK Pat Conway is completing his term as District Master of the Third Texas District. To fill this position, the District has submitted three nominations for the Office of District Master and Supreme makes the final selection. The nominees are SK Kenneth Franch, PFN; SK Richard McCaffrey, PFN; and SK Patrick Fletcher, PFN.

The month of June is dedicated to [The Sacred Heart of Jesus](https://www.catholicculture.org/culture/liturgicalyear/overviews/months/06_1.cfm). This month falls within the liturgical season of [Ordinary Time](https://www.catholicculture.org/culture/library/view.cfm?recnum=12022), which is represented by the liturgical color green. This symbol of hope is the color of the sprouting seed and arouses in the faithful the hope of reaping the eternal harvest of heaven, especially the hope of a glorious resurrection.

The Business Meeting scheduled for Wednesday June 10th will again be a Web Conference using the Zoom App at 6:30PM. You will need to first download the Zoom App on your smart phone or computer. It would be best to do it in advance of the conference. If you use your computer, you will need both a camera and microphone on your computer to see, listen and speak.

Topic: San Juan Diego Assembly Meeting

Time: June 10, 2020 6:30 PM Central Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting:

Meeting ID: 688 657 1234

Password: 5B6DpT

Follow any prompts and you should be in. Make sure the volume on your phone is up.

This meeting is important because the Budget for FY2020/2021 which was presented in May will be voted on during the June meeting.

St. Michael Catholic Church typically has a Feast Day celebration on the last Saturday of September. It has been decided not to have a Feast Day this year. There may be a smaller celebration, but the Assembly will not have our annual ice cream sales at St. Michael as we have the past several years.

Sir Knights who will be celebrating a birthday during the month of June:

Patrick Mangan – 6/01

Robert Donahoo – 6/02

Francis Formoso – 6/04

John Mischnick – 6/05

Richard Norgaard – 6/07

Robert Propp – 6/07

Nicholas Stevens – 6/09

Deacon Perfecto Santiago – 6/10

Ysrael Pena Ramos – 6/12

Thomas P Jones – 6/16

Ricardo Martinez – 6/16

Ronald Weldon – 6/18

Ronald Kaminski – 6/19

Russell Heuer – 6/20

Fr. Mariya James - 6/29

Dean Mc Math - 6/27

Richard Radwan – 6/28

Gerald Samonek - 6/29

**June Wedding Anniversaries**

Dotty and William Vanicek – 6/7/1964

Theresa and Richard Radwan – 6/10

Sharon and Randy Hargiss – 6/11

Ruth and Jorge Romero – 6/12

Connie and Ramon Medlenka – 6/14

Cathy and Carl Carlsen – 6/16/1962

Cathy and Robert Eifling – 6/17

Debbie and Jackie Sheffield – 6/17

Michele and Michael Scoma – 6/18/1994

Rita and Ronald Weldon – 6/18/1980

Debbie and Todd Werts – 6/18/1994

Debbie and Robert Meyer – 6/20

Maxine and Robert Propp – 6/22/1988

**For Those Who Have Gone to Meet the Lord**

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

For the repose of the soul of Mack Standard

For the repose of the soul of SK, PFN, FDD Andy Bahl

For the repose of the soul of SK, PGK, FDD Burnie Vaughn

For the repose of the soul of Rev. Richard Eldredge, TOR,

For the repose of the soul of SK Robert Nelson

For the repose of the soul of Richard Matthews

For the repose of the soul of SK Joseph McGookin

For the repose of the soul of Elmer Spear

For the repose of the soul of Mack Standard

For those that have died from the Coronavirus Pandemic

**For God's Healing Blessing**

O God, this is for our friends and family who are ill, whom we now commend to Your compassionate embrace. Comfort them and ease their suffering. We beg for deliverance and submit that no healing is too hard for the Lord if it is His will. We therefore pray that You bless our friends and family with Your loving care, renew their vigor and heal what ails them in Your loving name.

Thank You, Lord. Amen”

For the health of Lady Andrea and SK Michael Broom

For the health of Lady Laura, the wife of SK Rene Carrales

For the health of Lady Eileen Ewell, wife of SK Les Ewell

For the health of SK Michael Jones

For the Health of Lady Judy, wife of SK Archie Pinto

For the health of SK Michael Rhodes

For the health of SK Luis Rivera

For the health of Lady Maria and SK Rafael Villareal

For those that are ill or greatly impacted by the Coronavirus Pandemic

For the pandemic front-line workers

For the Military in the Middle East

For the U.S. Military – Stateside and Overseas

***God bless our Church, our Country, and our Assembly.***

**SK Ted Giles
Faithful Navigator**

