

THE NAVIGATOR

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

FOURTH DEGREE

MISSION SAN BUENAVENTURA ASSEMBLY 0082

JULY 2024

MISSION SAN BUENAVENTURA ASSEMBLY 82 OFFICERS CY 2024-2025

FAITHFUL NAVIGATOR: SK Steven Loeffler

FAITHFUL CAPTAIN: SK Joe Lee, PFN

FAITHFUL PILOT: SK Rodolfo Giron

FAITHFUL ADMIRAL: SK Joe Hurtado, PFN

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THIRD YEAR TRUSTEE: SK Basilico Yzaguirre, PFN

FAITHFUL FRIAR: SK Fr. Chris Reeve

Assembly Calendar of Events and Holidays

Independence Day, Thursday 07/04, All Day

Flag Sale Event, Ventura Street Fair, Main Street, Saturday 07/04 @ 0800-1500

Assembly Officer's Meeting, Council 750 Hall, Oxnard, Wednesday 07/10 @ 19:00

Assembly Business Meeting, Council 750 Hall, Oxnard, Wednesday 07/24 @ 19:30

Feast of Bl. Michael McGivney, Tuesday 08/13, All Day

Assembly Officer's Meeting, Council 750 Hall, Oxnard, Wednesday 08/14 @ 19:00

Assembly Business Meeting, Council 750 Hall, Oxnard, Wednesday 08/28 @ 19:30



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Patriotic degree of the Order.



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Faithful Navigator's Corner

Greetings worthy Sir Knights, hope you and families are well. It has been my honor to serve as your Faithful Navigator this past year. Many thanks to the officers that served and provided guidance and support to me. I wouldn't have made without you. As you may have noticed above, we elected our new officers for the coming year at our June meeting. With your continued support we have a great year. Thank you again.

Our meetings this month are scheduled for Wednesday July 10th (Officers) beginning at 7PM and Wednesday July 24th (Business) starting at 730PM. Assembly meetings are held at the Oxnard Council 750 Hall Office building at 632 S. D St., Oxnard. Ca.

Father Thomas Elewaut pastor of the Mission Basilica San Buenaventura has requested the Color Corp Honor Guard attendance at the dedication of the Padre Serra statue that was moved from the city hall to the mission garden. The dedication will be held on Sunday August 11 at 6PM. It will coincide with the end of the Padre Serra walk.

Our annual Flag Sale will be at the Ventura Street Fair on July 4th. Fair opens at 9AM, set up is at 8AM. Usually pack up around 3PM. Let me know if you can help for an hour or more.

The Color Corps has six members but could use a few more SKs to join and serve.

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Faithful Friar's Message

Eye Has Not Seen

The glorious light of God shines through Christ's humanity and the sacraments he gave us

By Supreme Chaplain Archbishop William E. Lori 6/1/2024

This past April, a total solar eclipse generated great excitement as it crossed parts of North America. Millions of people looked to the sky that day to see the moon blocking some or all of the sun. But except for a few moments in the "path of totality," an eclipsed sun is dangerous to the eye. We should never look directly at the sun, because its ultraviolet rays can damage the cornea and retina. Special sunglasses are needed to view what otherwise could not be seen.

In the Apostles' and Nicene Creeds, we profess our faith in an invisible God, the creator of all things. Like the sun, which is too bright to be viewed directly, the triune God dwells "in unapproachable light" (1 Tim 6:16). Both the Bible and the liturgy speak of the glory of God that exceeds what any eye can see or any heart can fully apprehend.

A god who merely reveled in his own glory would not have revealed himself to his creatures — that is, if he bothered to create anything or anyone else. But the God who is love has revealed himself to us. Indeed, he has called us out of the darkness of sin and error into his own wonderful light (see 1 Pt 2:9).

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Faithful Navigator's Corner (cont.)

Fulfill your Knights mission by inviting one more man and his family to join the Knights of Columbus family. Give them the opportunity to strengthen their relationship with God and to live out their faith by helping those in need. We must share the blessings that we have received from joining the Order.

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Faithful Friar's Message (cont.)

That is why God raised up the chosen people and gave them the law and prophets. That is why God sent his only Son to assume our humanity and be our savior: to accustom our eyes of faith to the light of his glory, a light too bright for us to gaze upon directly.

God's glory shone brightly in the truth of Jesus' words, in the goodness of his deeds, in his power over sin and death. On Mount Tabor, the glory of God shone with blinding brilliance on Jesus' face, the same glory he would manifest after his resurrection. For the Lord not only revealed God's glory in our human flesh, but, sharing our humanity, he delivered us from sin and death through his cross and resurrection.

And did this revelation of glory simply disappear when Jesus ascended into heaven? Not at all. In the Church, the Lord left us ways and means to see him and to experience his saving love. The sacraments are signs that effect what God in his goodness and glory wants to do for us, and they are the means by which the Lord's will is accomplished.

The sacramental signs of bread and wine reveal the true presence of the Lord yet conceal the fullness of his glory, which as yet we cannot see.

Sacramental signs are like those special eclipse sunglasses. They reveal the brightness of God's glory and the warmth of his love — but they do not give us face-to-face vision of God, a vision that “eye has not seen and ear has not heard” (1 Cor 2:9). As St. Paul says elsewhere, “At present we see indistinctly, as in a mirror, but then face to face. At present I know partially; then I shall know fully, as I am fully known.” (1 Cor 13:12). How good God is to accommodate us!

At the heart of the Church's sacramental life is the Eucharist, “the source and summit of the Christian life” (*Catechism of the Catholic Church*, 1324). At the Last Supper, Jesus took bread and wine, and gave it to his disciples, saying, “This is my body. ... This is my blood.” In the Mass, the signs of bread and wine are changed to become Christ truly present, body, blood, soul and divinity. We see bread and wine, but our eyes of faith behold the crucified and risen Savior.

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Continued Supreme Chaplain Archbishop William E. Lori Message 6/1/2024

The sacramental signs of bread and wine reveal the true presence of the Lord yet conceal the fullness of his glory, which as yet we cannot see.

When we are properly disposed and receive our Lord in the Eucharist, and when we contemplate his presence in Eucharistic adoration, our eyes of faith are better able to behold the Lord of Glory crucified for our salvation. And the light that we behold shines in us and through us more brightly, attracting others to the Eucharistic mystery, until that day when we behold the glory of the Lord with unveiled faces.

Color Corps News



Color Corp Commander: SK Brendan Purdy, PFN
SK Basilio Yzaguirre, PFN SK Rodolfo Giron
SK Joe Hurtado SK Steven Loeffler
SK Richard Wibbelmann

Upcoming Color Corp Call Outs:

July 2 600PM Rosary for SK Felix Yzaguirre at Funeraria del Angel Santa Paula. 128 S. 8th St. Santa Paula, Ca.

July 3 930AM Funeral Mass for SK Felix Yzaguirre at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church, 427 N. Oak St. Santa Paula, Ca.

Fourth Degree Uniform may be purchased at the following website: <https://www.kofcuniform.com/>

Color Corps Commander's Comment

Please look at the [4th Degree Manual](#) for details on the actions of a Color Corps, how to properly wear the uniform, how to use the sword correctly, etc.

Being a member of the Color Corps is truly one of the most rewarding activities you can do as a Knight, so please contact me if you are interested in joining.

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Pictures from Procession of the Holy Eucharist at Sacred Heart Church on June 2, 2024



Upcoming Exemplification Ceremonies:

No ceremonies scheduled.

Report of the Third-Degree June 26, 2024:

Oxnard 750: is doing well per SK Tony

Ventura 2498: No report

Santa Paula 3608: No report

Camarillo 5272: Elected new officers, installation planned for July.

Fillmore 8800: Fireworks sale July 4, 8AM-4PM, Francis of Assisi Church, Fillmore

Saticoy 10067: Veneration of the St. Jude Relic, July 9, 2024, 2-10PM, Sacred Heart Church Saticoy.

JULY BIRTHDAYS:

SK Joe Lee 07/01	SK Dcn Andrew Cotton 07/05
SK Frank Aguirre 07/10	SK John Guerrero 07/12
SK Hector Nava 07/14	SK Dr Brendan Purdy 07/14
SK Edgar Mills 07/15	SK Cesar Osorio 07/15
SK Vicente Lopez 07/19	SK Edward Castillo 07/20
SK Andrew Estrada 07/21	SK Stephen Huber 07/22
SK Michael D Angelo 07/27	SK Frank Nava 07/30
SK David Sasek 07/30	

JULY 4TH DEGREE ANNIVERSARIES

SK Percy Avila 07/11/2020

SK Randy Seale 07/11/2020

ASSEMBLY PRAYER LIST

Please keep these brothers and family members in your prayers:

SK Richard Wibbelmann, SK Brian Stachkunas, Richard Stove brother of SK John Radomski, David Loeffler brother of SK Steven Loeffler, SK Dcn. Phil Conforti, SK Roy Filipinas, SK Ben Gonzales, SK Mike LoCollo, SK Joe Lee, Janet Karian wife of SK Albert Karian, Isaiah Hernandez, son of SK Miguel Hernandez, and Carmen Hernandez, wife of PFN Tony Hernandez, SK Victor Orozco, SK Dcn. Charles Wessler, SK Jim Lovato, SK George Cady.

+Pray for the repose souls of SK Henry Rodriguez PFN, SK Felix Yzaguirre, SK Rodolfo Osano, and SK Henri Boisvert.

“With faith and hope in eternal life, let us assist them with our prayers.”