Kof C Newsletter

Council 10762 St Pius X

GK Landry

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Brothers,
Happy Easter!

Our Faith is strengthened with the knowledge that Lord has risen and our life Renew with the comfort of knowing that He has Risen.

Now what are we going to do with this gift? As a Knight it is time to make a new commitment to ourselves to use this new life to show others our faith. This council needs to renew its vision and purpose.

I ask that you work with us to make this Parish better. Let's start by helping make this year's Easter Fiesta a joyous event.

Join with Parish Activities Committee and St PiTeens and support the event if not with physical endeavors then spend some time serving, greeting and promoting this event to your fiends and family of St. Pius X.

Vivat Jesus

GK Brian Landry

Call to Service

Brother Knights I ask you to step up and become an Officer in this Council in 2010-2011. Please contact Ron Blanchard, Ed Marsh or Dick Goddard. We need a Warden, Guards, Treasurer, Deputy Grand Knight and others. For Officer position descriptions check our website at **www.kofctucson.com/officerduties.htm**. Those without internet can read Job Descriptions filed in the Parish Office cabinet under KofC.

| Meeting / Event | Date | Time | Location |
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| 1st Degree or Degree Team Practice (Candidates report at 7:00 P.M.) | 1st Thursday of every month | 7:30 P.M. | Hopi Room - St Pius |
| Chapter Meeting (delegates) | 2nd Monday | 7:30 PM | Regina Cleri Council Hall |
| Officer's Meeting | 2nd Thursday of every month (before Business Meeting) | 6:30 P.M. | Hopi Room - St Pius |
| Business Meeting | 2nd Thursday of every month | 7:30 P.M. | Hopi Room - St Pius |
| 4th Degree Meeting | 3rd Thursday of every month | 7:30 P.M. | Hopi Room - St Pius |
| Social Meeting | 4th Thursday of every month | 7:30 P.M. | Hopi Room - St Pius |

"Make a difference! Spend 12 hours out of the years 8760 Hrs. at a business meeting."

GK Brian Landry





Knight of the Month Ed McGillvray

Ed is honored with this award for his exemplary dedication to support our yearly events and activities. He makes himself available for the council and parish activities working side by side with our junior Knights showing them "the ropes' so to speak. Ed makes it a point to be at almost every Council meeting and is one of our backup Council officers when need. Ed is a shining example of what we all should strive to be.

Vivat Jesus Ed.

Family of the Month Dean & Tabetha Dickherber and Ben & Larissa Janston

This month's award is to our young K of C Brothers and their wives. It is with great appreciation that I award both of these Families for their outstanding compassion and service to the Parish of St Pius X. They planned, coordinated and managed the Six Lenten Fish Fry for 2010 overcoming obstacles such as the local distributor of the fish fillets using another supplier whose product was not up to quality. Dean whipped up his own batter and with the help of the parishioners feedback and staff refined this recipe into a wondrous tasty treat. The council applaud these courageous families and ask God to Bless them all the years to come. Thank you for your Service.

DONUT SALES



Contact Chuck Chap at 886-0870 to volunteer one Sunday per month to man a donut table after each Mass. Last donut sales date is April 25th.

2010 Knights of Columbus State Vacation Raffle

Our goal this year is \$8,000. More information appears in the Parish Community News. Remember we get back 50% of all proceeds to be used for our donation to St Pius X and Wheelchair Funds.

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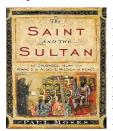
Birthdays in April

| Frank X Watson | 04-03 |
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| Anthony P Marino | |
| J Douglas Goyette | 04-08 |
| Gerald M Hennelly | 04-08 |
| Paul Annese | |
| Vince M Redhouse | 04-14 |
| Robert T Brandt | 04-15 |
| John Winger | 04-18 |
| Norbert D Dobrolecki | 04-26 |
| Henry R Knoepfle | 04-26 |
| Don G Nelson | |
| Ronald E Gall | 04-27 |
| Thomas L Anton | |

Readers Review

by Dave Conca

There are a lot of books out there about St. Francis of Assisi – I've mostly read biographies, which differ little in facts about this Saint's life. This book, focuses more on one of the most challenging aspects of his life – his unwavering commitment to seeking peace. He believed that violence should not be met with violence, and peace can be achieved through goodness.



Moses tells the little known story of St. Francis of Assisi's peace mission in 1219 to the Muslim court of the Egyptian sultan Malik al-Kamil. The saint sought to bring peace between Christianity and Islam and he hoped to convert the sultan to Christianity. He made this journey, across enemy lines, as the Fifth Crusade was being fought.

When Francis returned home, he proposed that his Order of the Friars Minor live in peace among the followers of Islam, which was a revolutionary idea at that time, which caused this part of St. Francis' life to be largely buried, when biographers were writing his story, due to political pressure.

Paul Moses is a professor of journalism at Brooklyn College. He formerly was the city editor and senior religion writer for Newsday. He writes this book in a reader friendly style, which made it something of a page turner, complete with loyalty and betrayal, thrilling Crusade narrative and adventure.

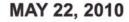




ARIZONA STATE COUNCIL Knights Of Columbus

ANNUAL DRAWING FOR CHARITABLE PROJECTS







1st PRIZE: VIENNA and the DANUBE

6-nights Hotel in Vienna and surrounding area. Breakfast daily. Boat trip to neighboring villages along the Danube River. Ground transfers and airfare for 2.



2ND PRIZE: AMSTERDAM and PARIS

Sight seeing tours, 3-nights in Amsterdam, 3-nights in Paris



Airfare and accommodation for 2 with some meals included.



3RD PRIZE:

OAHU and MAUI FOR 2

3-Nights Hotel in Honolulu, 4-nights

Condo in Maui Airfare between islands, 2-sightseeing excursions on Oahu, including Pearl Harbor, and an all day tour around the island. Rental car on Maui to see it all. Airfare & accommodations included. (No meals included)



<u>4TH PRIZE -</u> \$2,500 <u>8TH PRIZE -</u> \$1,000

<u>5TH PRIZE -</u> \$1,500 <u>9TH PRIZE -</u> \$500

6TH PRIZE - \$1,500 10TH PRIZE - \$500

7TH PRIZE - \$1,000 Winner need not be present to win

DONATION: \$2.00 PER TICKET OR 6 TICKETS FOR \$10.00



We Need Your Help!

Brothers,

We need your help to reduce costs and effectively get you up-to-date information. Part of our way to provide



you with this information is through our Newsletter. You can help us reduce costs by providing us with your email address to receive the newsletter electronically instead of by US mail.

If you are already receiving the newsletter via email please be sure to keep us informed of any changes to your

email address so that delivery is not interrupted. If you have an email address but are receiving the newsletter via US mail, please provide us with your email address and we will begin to send you the newsletter electronically next month.

We thank you in advance for your help in reducing costs and allowing us to use the money more effectively towards our parish activites.



March 31 thru April 7th Holy Week

During this week all thoughts and energy will be directed for us to prepare for the Joyous revelation of our Lord's Resurrection. There will be no 1st Degree Exemplification, Donuts Sales or Pancake Breakfast.

April 8 - Selection of Council Officers

The Nominating Committee, consisting of the Council Trustees PDG Ed Marsh, PGK Ron Blanchard, and PGK Dick Goddard will present the

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Prayer intentions



A Prayer for Healing...

Dear God,
we place our worries
in Your hands.
We place our sick in Your care
and humbly ask that You restore Your servants to health again.
Above all, grant us the grace to acknowledge Your holy will and know that whatever You do,
You do for the love of us.
Amen.



Peter Anelli John Amend Angela Aultman Nancy Blanchard Helen Critchley Claude Crowe Carmen Donnelly Ginny Dugan Jerry Hennelly Ed Marsh Chad Mullenberg Jack Perry Steve Pieper Gayle Schlagel Linda Grell

To add or remove someone from this list, contact
Deacon Dennis Ranke, 885-8145 or Bob Messenger, 290-8671 or email:
bmessenger@kofctucson.com

Self Defense Classes

Self defense classes are held in the Tanque Verde Room every Wednesday at 7 PM and will continue to meet until June of this year.

For more information please contact: Frank Saavedra, kofckarate@yahoo.com



MONTHLY Planner Continued

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slate of officer's for your consideration (1st Reading). Anyone interested it taking a position as an officer of our Council should contact one of them. Elections will be held at the May 13th Business Meeting.

April 8 - A Special 1st Degree

A special 1st degree will be held at 6:30 PM followed by our Business Meeting at 7:30.

April 11 - Easter Fiesta

The Knights have been asked for their help in the

following areas:

SETUP & TEARDOWN: 10 able bodied Knights to setup at 6:30 AM for at least 1 and 1/2 Hours. Again at Noon another 10 Knights to assist in the teardown process and clean up. The *more volunteers* that show up the faster the jobs will be completed. Sign up at the April 8th Business Meeting for both or one of the shifts. Or contact DK Falgiano, 885-9590. VIVAT JESUS, GK Brian Landry

April 18 - Organ Donor Day

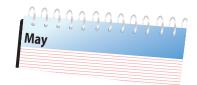
More information will be coming from our Deputy Grand Knight at a later time.

Special Recognition for A JOB Well Done!

On 26 March our Fish Fry Committee put the finishing touches to a very successful Lenten Friday Night function. Brother's Dean Dickherber and his wife Tabatha and Ben Jantson and his wife Larissa headed a group of men and women from ticket sellers. cooks, coffee makers, servers, and kitchen helpers.

Thanks to all of you for a great job!





May 2 - Blood Drive

With the increased need by the Red Cross for Blood the Council will continue our support with a Blood Drive on May 2d. If you never given Blood before and wish to do so in May please contact DGK Fred Falgiano. All others know the routine and should be contacted by the Red Cross direct. The Arizona Room will be used but remember no Pancake Breakfast until next Fall.

May 13 - Election of Officer's.

This is a very important Business Meeting and it is hoped that every member will attend. The election process is outlined by Supreme and State. The Trustees will present the slate of officers for the second time. If there are more than one person running for the same office there is a run off written ballot. You should take this election very seriously. Those elected will represent the St Pius X Knights. The future of our Council is in your hands.

Plans are being made to honor our Religious in May. Details will be available in the Parish Community News and the Council May Newsletter.





Be sure to visit www.kofctucson.com for up-to-date information, pictures, contacts and highlights of upcoming events!

