



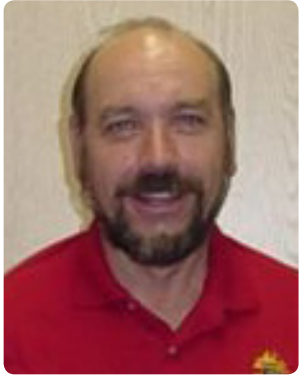
GK Landry

# K of C Newsletter

Council 10762  
St. Pius X

August 2009, Issue 13

## A Message From Our Grand Knight



GK Brian Landry

Brothers,

This year we have a call from our Pope Benedict XVI to promote vocations of our parish priest. As members of St Pius X Parish we see how important our priests are to this community. Just recently we lost one of our most cherished reverends, Fr. Thomas Moore. As knights we are called to make a year commitment of prayer and support for Pastor Harry and our parish priests. Let us all join in comradeship and hold an opening prayer at all of our meetings to honor our priests and seminarians present and future. I will be distributing prayer cards to all brothers and parish members who want one. Let's remember in all we do for the parish and community that it is the spiritual leadership of our priest, bishop, cardinal and Pope that they are the stewards of our Catholic faith.

Vivat Jesus,  
GK Brian A. Landry

## Meetings & Events for August

Meeting / Event	Date	Location	Time
2009 Supreme Council Convention	Saturday, <b>August 1</b>	Volunteers meet at St. Pius	6:30am
1st Degree Exemplification or Degree Team Practice Candidates report	Thursday, <b>August 6</b>	Hopi Room (St Pius) Hopi Room	7:30pm 7:00pm
Guadalupe Festival	Saturday, <b>August 8</b>	Jobing.com Arena, Glendale, AZ	2:00pm
Officers Meeting	Thursday, <b>August 13</b>	Hopi Room	6:30pm
Business Meeting	Thursday, <b>August 13</b>	Hopi Room	7:30pm
Past Grand Knight Dinner	To be announced		
2nd and 3rd Degree Exemplification Ceremony	Saturday, <b>August 15</b>	St. Elizabeth Ann Seton	8:00am
Fourth Degree Meeting	Thursday, <b>August 20</b>	Hopi Room	7:30pm
Social Meeting	Thursday, <b>August 27</b>	Hopi Room	7:30pm
Arizona Right to Life Annual Pro-Life Conference	Friday, Saturday <b>August 28, 29</b>	Chaparral Suites, Scottsdale, AZ More information at <a href="http://www.azrtl.org">www.azrtl.org</a>	

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# What's Coming Up?



## August 1 – 6

**2009 Supreme Council Convention  
Saturday Marriott Desert Ridge Resort, Phoenix, AZ**

Volunteers are needed all week for those who would like to experience a once in a life time experience so close to home. Fourth Degree Honor Guards are required for Sunday, Monday and Tuesday masses. Contact Peter Karculias 975-7362 to get meeting times and location.

## August 6 – 8

**1st International Marian Congress  
JW Marriott Desert Ridge Hotel and  
Resort Grand Canyon Ballroom, Phoenix, AZ**

Registration for these events must be made on-line.



## August 8

**Guadalupe Festival  
Jobing.com Arena in Glendale, AZ**

Tickets for the First Annual Guadalupe Festival are FREE. They must be ordered online. To order go to [www.guadalupefestival.org](http://www.guadalupefestival.org).

**Schedule: 2pm** Doors Open • **3pm** Concert • **4pm** Main Program

## August 14

**Past Grand Knight Dinner  
Location TBD**

\$15 per person ticket to be purchased at Business Meeting August 13th or call GK Brian Landry.

Past Grand Knights meal is covered by Council.

## August 28 & 29

**Arizona Right to Life Annual Pro-Life Conference  
Scottsdale Chaparral Suites, Scottsdale, AZ**

Admission for both days is \$165 and for Saturday general admission is \$65 dollars. More information at [www.azrtl.org](http://www.azrtl.org).

## September 6

**First Pancake Breakfast of the Year, 8 – 11am  
Donut Sales begin after Sunday morning Masses  
Red Cross Blood Drive**

# Defend Yourself!

In the August 13th business meeting, we will discuss offering self defense classes. This is a way of getting our council more involved in attracting the youth of St. Pius to become more involved in church activities.

While aimed at youth, the classes will be made available to everyone. Initial response to these class offerings indicates that we may see families participating together.



It is hoped that the classes may provide an opportunity to attract young fathers to be members of our council.

# 40th Anniversary

St. Pius will be celebrating its 40th Anniversary on October 17th and 18th. Council 10762 will be supporting St Pius PAC and Pi Teen Youth in the

preparation and support of this event. The events for this celebration will be a Reception Buffet after Saturday nights

5 PM Mass followed by a dance beginning at 7:30. On Sunday there will be a parking lot festival.

At Thursday's business meeting Aug 13th, GK Brian Landry will present a proposal of how we can assist in making this a memorable event.





# Prayer Intentions

*A Prayer for Healing...*



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|------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>Peter Anelli</b>    | <b>Bob Grell</b>         | <b>Gayle Schlagel</b> |
| <b>Angela Aultman</b>  | <b>Jerry Hennelly</b>    | <b>Ed Marsh</b>       |
| <b>Nancy Blanchard</b> | <b>Joe Mrazik</b>        | <b>Tom Eagan</b>      |
| <b>Art Dugan</b>       | <b>Sarah Beth Norris</b> |                       |
| <b>Ginny Dugan</b>     | <b>Steve Pieper</b>      |                       |

*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.*

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

## 2009 - 2010 Council Officers

<b>Appointed Officers</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Contact Phone</b>
Grand Knight.....	Landry, Brian A .....	733-1101
Financial Secretary .....	Keaney, Joseph J .....	298-8088
Deputy Grand Knight .....	Falgiano, Fred C.....	885-9590
Chancellor .....	Jantson, Benjamin L .....	751-1196
Recorder .....	Dickherber, Dean A .....	440-7272
Treasurer .....	Everett, Wilfred J.....	886-0680
Advocate .....	Garcia, Jose M .....	790-3471
Warden .....	Seymour, Louis C.....	722-1569
Inside Guard .....	Gall, Ronald E.....	290-1230
Outside Guard .....	Maas, Kent D.....	749-0837
One Year Trustee .....	Marsh, Edward W .....	751-0838
Two Year Trustee .....	Blanchard, Ronald T .....	296-4331
Three Year Trustee .....	Goddard, Richard H .....	298-8267
Chaplain .....	Pastor Harry Ledwith	
Rep.....	Deacon Dennis Ranke.....	885-8145
Lecturer .....	Romano, Nick.....	749-5786



## Birthdays in August

- Patrick R Palomino ..... August 1
- Lloyd S Sweet ..... August 8
- Alejandro Valdez Jr ..... August 11
- Darrell L Jacobson ..... August 12
- Dennis M Fiene Sr ..... August 16
- Dennis M Fiene Jr ..... August 19
- Abraham Marcor ..... August 20
- Lester J Smith ..... August 22
- Herb E Clark ..... August 23
- James A Lehman ..... August 23
- Joseph Parente ..... August 24
- Hector M Solis ..... August 24
- Robert A Hart ..... August 28
- William Cirrito ..... August 30
- Anthony J D Auria ..... August 30

## How do I get Involved?

There are numerous opportunities to play an active roll in the community. Take a look at the available chair positions on **page 4** and seriously consider taking on a new and exciting challenge to help make this the most effective Council in Arizona.

*The target date for filling these positions is August 31st.*



### Just Do It

Make a difference! Spend 12 hours out of the 8,760 hours this year - at a business meeting.

— GK Brian Landry



# Council Service Program Activities *Where do YOU fit in?*

## **CHURCH** Activities Director **Bill Cirrito**

Communion Breakfast.....Peter Karculias  
 Parish Round Table.....Peter Karculias  
 Donut Sales.....Chuck Chap  
 Raul Navarette Fund.....Joe Keaney  
 Father Michael J. McGivney Guild.....Joe Kerns  
 Religious Appreciation Reception-Concert..... **Vacant**  
 Fellowship Square Mass Set-Up.....Tony Marino  
 Retreats..... **Vacant**  
 Keep Christ in Christmas..... **Vacant**  
 Rosary Sunday.....Dennis Ranke  
 Mass Cards.....Dennis Ranke  
 RSVP (Vocations).....Dennis Ranke  
 Pancake Breakfast.....Carl Seymour  
 Angel Tree.....Frank Saarvedra

## **COUNCIL** Activities Director **Frank Fieldhouse**

Council Directory.....Joe Keaney  
 Officer Installation.....Brian Landry  
 Council Newsletter.....Brian Deevers  
 PGK Appreciation Dinner.....Brian Landry  
 Good of The Order.....Nick Romano  
 Pre-Christmas Social.....Tom Eagan  
 Host 2d & 3d Degree.....Dick Goddard  
 Public Relations - Guest Speakers..... **Vacant**  
 Knight of Month/Year.....Brian Landry  
 Relief Funds.....Joe Keaney / Will Everett  
 Meeting 50/50.....Carl Seymour  
 State Council Ads.....Bob Messenger  
 Member Services  
 (Awards, Badges, Caps, Shirts, Jackets).....Jose Garcia  
 Council Web Site.....Bob Messenger  
 Vocations.....Deacon Ranke

## **FAMILY** Activities Director **Greg Jaeger**

Annual "Family Open House"..... **Vacant**  
 Family of Month/Year.....Brian Landry  
 Cards & Flowers (Sick Members & Family)..Jerry Hennelly  
 Gaslight Theater..... **Vacant**  
 Christmas Breakfast with Santa.....Tom Eagan  
 Ladies Appreciation Luncheon..... **Vacant**  
 Concert Under the Stars.....Tom Eagan  
 Night at Ball Park.....Ron Blanchard

## **YOUTH** Activities Director **Tom Cormier**

Basketball Free Throw.....Peter Karculias  
 St Joseph Youth Camp..... **Vacant**  
 Golf tournament (Youth Fund)..... **Vacant**  
 Ulster Project Support..... **Vacant**  
 Youth Ministry Appreciation Party..... **Vacant**

## **COMMUNITY** Activities Director **Jose Garcia**

Blood Drive.....Tom Anton  
 Project Hospitality..... **Vacant**  
 Chocolat Festival..... **Vacant**  
 Recycle Program.....Nick Romano  
 People With Intellectual Disabilities (PWID)  
 Tootsie Roll Drive..... **Vacant**  
 St Pius X 40th Anniversary..... **Vacant**  
 Flea Market.....Chuck Chap  
 St Patrick's Party..... **Vacant**  
 Lenten Fish Fries.....Ben Jantson/ Dean Dickherber  
 State Raffle..... **Vacant**  
 Lunch for Homeless.....Nick Romano  
 Transport Elderly..... **Vacant**  
 New Years Eve Party..... **Vacant**  
 Tucson March for Life.....Dennis Ranke  
 Organ Donor Promotion..... **Vacant**  
 Right to Life (project)..... **Vacant**  
 Nogales Orphanage.....Jose Garcia

## **STANDING COMMITTEES**

Membership..... **Vacant**  
 Admission Committee.....Ben Jantson (Chair)  
 .....Joe Keaney (Fin/Sec)  
 .....Brian Landry (GK)  
 Retention Committee..... **Vacant**  
 Ceremonials.....Dick Goddard  
 Council Newsletter Editor.....Brian Deevers  
 Council Web Site Editor.....Bob Messenger  
 Council Historian.....Augi Gustilo  
 Service Program Director.....Fred Falgiano  
 Sick & Welfare (Cards & Flowers).....Jerry Hennelly  
 Memorials/Survivor's Assistance.....Deacon Ranke  
 Chapter Delegates.....Brian Landry  
 .....Fred Falgiano  
 Alternates..... **Open**



## Awards

Presentations to be made at our next business meeting, Thursday, August 13.

### Knight of the Month

#### Ron Blanchard

Ron is honored this month for his work and support for our Council and Parish. He coordinated with the Tucson Toros to arrange for the St Pius X community and K of C to enjoy a wonderful night of fun and relaxation. Thank you and Vivat Jesus to Ron.

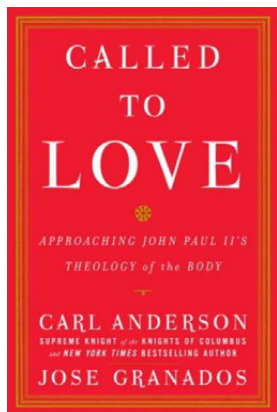
### Family of the Month

#### Tom and Ronnieann Anton

Tom and Ronnieann have been our hosts for the Council Red Cross Blood Drive. Many of our St Pius X parishioners are greeted and treated by this couple. This year Tom and Ronnieann were recognized for their support and service by the Tucson Red Cross office. We thank them for supporting and chairing this Community activity on behalf of the Council.



## Reader's Review *by Dave Conca*



*Called to Love*  
by Carl Anderson and Jose Granados

Over the centuries, there has been plenty of discussion concerning the dichotomy of the body and the soul and how human sexual urges can undermine spirituality. Pope John Paul II very well may have been the first to look at the traditional mind set on this subject when he wrote *Man and Woman, He Created Them: A Theology of the Body*, a series of lectures that evolved into encyclicals, letters, and published exhortations. Through a series of talks that are known as the theology of the body, he explained the divine meaning of human sexuality and why the body provides answers to questions about our lives. Called to Love, Supreme Knight, Carl Anderson, along with

Fr. Jose Granados, the assistant professor of patrology and systematic theology at the Pontifical John Paul II Institute for Studies on Marriage and Family in Rome, collaborate to discuss the philosophical and religious significance of the theology of the body in a deeply spiritual way. They explain how the body speaks of God, revealing His goodness, and also what it means to be called to a vocation of love. This books takes John Paul II's heartfelt teachings and gives readers a new understanding of the Christian way of love and how to embrace it fully in their lives. Called to Love ties in diverse contemplation on this topic, such as, Dante's Inferno to Pope Benedict XVI's interpretation of the human body and how we should fully use this gift, in unity with the soul, to love and serve God. This book is thoughtful and accessible: a fine choice for Catholic couples.



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## Through the next year,

the Knights of Columbus is promoting devotion to Our Lady under her title of Our Lady of Charity.

The program was announced in the September edition of *Columbia Magazine* and in the September 10th issue of the *KnightLine*.

Visit [www.azknightsofcolumbus.com](http://www.azknightsofcolumbus.com) for more information.



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