# **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**



# FR. GERLICH COUNCIL



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### Grand Knight's Report December 2019

#### Brothers

I'd like to say thank you for all you've done so far and thank you in advance for all you continue to do for our council and our parish!

### Shout outs!!

- Romon Carrasquillo: Knight of the month for December!
- Bryan & Shellie Hearne: Family of the month for December!

Next big events: 12.13.19 Christmas party, (Time 6:30 PM in Parish Hall).

12.14.19 Pastor Installation of Rev. Benjamin Hembrom, TOR (Time 4:00PM in main church). Please read the church bullentin, flock's notes and email for this month is a very busy month and a lot of going on with Christmas parties, etc. and the need for Knights of Columbus to help out at this various activies. Wish all my brother Kinights and their families a Merry Christmas.

This year's focus:

Growth within:

- Your relationship with GOD
- Faith
- Your personal journey
- Yourself
- Engagement with:
- Family
- Church
- Community

If you "grow" within yourself you'll have a higher desire to "engage" others and share GOD's Love and Spirit! LK 11:1-13

#Brotherhood #Fellowship #Service #Family #Faith #Support

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# Family of the Month December

Congratulations to Bryan and Shellie Hearne.

### Knight of the Month December

Congratulations to Ramon Carrasquillo as Knight of the month, he was born and raised in Pureto. He went to school in Pureto. He moved to Oklahoma City OK where he met his wife then moved to Ft. Worth, TX in 2003, Ramon has been a member of St. Thomas the Apostle parish since 2005. He become a knight in 2005 and was recruited by Charlie Parr. Ramon is a 4<sup>th</sup> degree knight. Ramon has held the office of Chancellor. Ramon is still working as a dispatcher for Fed-EX. His duties are ursher. protection, helped out with our fish frys, amoung other things and pancake breakfasts in earlier years. His wife is on the CCD team and helps out when he can. His hobbies is riding his motorcycle.

#### **December Happy Birthday**



Name	Day
Timothy Malay	1
Kyle Kocke	5
John Roman	9
Bruce Hearne	12
Stephen Wood	15
Brandon R Mendoza	16
Louis Tackett	18
Christopher Touraine	21
Ramon Carrasquill	25
Richard Bolliger	30

#### <u>Volunteers for works of</u> <u>Charity:</u>

#### **Presbyterian Night Shelter**

Sandwich making is always the 2nd Tuesday every 3 months, 3:30 PM Start time.

#### Samaritan House

It takes place every 3 months so December 10, 2019 and in 2020, March 10, June 9, September 8, December 8.

Poem from Samaitan House by Charles McKinstry **"Awful Me**"

Awful, awful, awful me

Took candies from the Christmas tree

Got chocolate on my hands and face

Drives me crazy from the way it tates

Got string popcorn all around on the floor

Stood in a chair so that I could reach more

My parents upset but not mad at me

But I'm OK I do believe

O,,, awful, awful, awful me

As I sat snacking on the Christmas tree

The lights go on and they catch me

Eating everything on the Christmas tree

O,,, awful, awful, awful me

Ate too much candy and popcorn

From the Christmas tree

And now I'm sick, sick as can be

But when I'm better

I'll finish that Christmas tree...

#### <u>Pray for those who are sick</u> in spirit, mind or body:

Jennifer Keffer Grimes (fighting cancer), John Grimes' daughter-in-law, Marion Bason (Joe Bason's wife), Jerry Carver (surgery 1-16-20), Mary Beth (John Roman's wife), Betty Krenik, Monte Nichols, John Francis, Jan Nowicki, Joseph Cantu, Josh Gonzales and his family (a good Catholic friend of John Grimes), Jan Nowicki, Jason Talbert , Felix Cruz, Cindy Seger and Mellissa Byrd, Gary Dupre, Al Martinez, Donna Helgeson, Joyce Helgeson, Ethel Goodwin

#### For the repose of the Soul of:

Marion Bason, Marty McCoy Sr, CJ Dowling, Charles Knupp, Charlie Parr, Jack Titus, Nancy Bierma (John Jenista's wife) Phil Talbert , Jim McNeal, Bernie Vaughn, Betty Walsh, Louise Wolfe, Ron Robertson, Angel Palacios, Andrea Espinoza, Jerry Strife

#### Please pray also for:

**Our seminarians**...Joe Moreno, Reed Proctor , Blake Thompson, and Michael Marince, our military, our Missionaries, and victims of fires, tornados and floods.

#### Brothers

We are removing names that have been on the prayer list for 3 months or more. Please notify me of any changes or errors or need for extended prayers Thanks <u>Trek27ji@yahoo.com</u> 972 313-5398

#### **Thought for December**

Many Protestants can't understand why Catholics honor Mary so much. And we certainly do honor her. If you need to explain this to someone here's a simple way. The 4th commandment for Catholics is "honor thy father and mother" (It's the 5th commandment for Protestants). Since Marv was truly Jesus' mother, he honors her. He follows His own rules. Since we try to imitate Jesus, we honor Mary too. We also call Mary the Queen of heaven. Why do we do that? In the Old Testament the kings usually had many wives so a wife was not made a queen. Instead the king's mother was the queen. Remember Solomon who had many wives His mother Bathsheba was the queen. Marv is Jesus mother. Jesus is King so it's very reasonable that Mary is queen.

#### **Knights of Columbus Scholarship letter**

Dear Council Brothers:

Our Council #10930 is pleased to offer to all its brothers; the opportunity to be part of the "FIFTEENTH ANNUAL COUNCIL #10930 SCHOLARSHIP EDUCATION TUITION PROGRAM". All KC Council #10930 Brothers, who have paid their 2020 dues by March 31, 2020 are eligible to be part of the scholarship program drawing. Also eligible are Council#10930 Knights: Wives, Children, Stepchildren, Grandchildren and Step Grandchildren. Each applicant must be registered to attend the fall 2020 semester at a USA college, university, junior college or trade school BEFORE JUNE 30, 2020. The Scholarship Program is for Undergraduate Studies Only.

The \$500.00 Scholarship will be paid directly to the scholarship winner's school for the winner's Tuition, Books and Fees. The scholarship cannot be applied to student loans or any and all other student cost.

To be eligible, please fill out and mail or scan and e-mail the completed scholarship application to Jan R. Nowicki, 109 DALTON ST. KELLER, TX. 76248-2157 janrnowicki@aol.com.

I MUST RECEIVE THE APPLICATION NO LATER THAN MAY 10, 2020.

Jan R. Nowicki, Past Grand Knight of Council #10930 janrnowicki@aol.com

817-228-1363

#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #10930 FATHER EMIL GERLICH EDUCATION TUTION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION 2020 FALL SEMESTER

## APPLICANT INFORMATION = **PRINT ALL INFORMATION**:

Name\_\_\_\_\_Street\_\_\_\_\_City, State and Zip \_\_\_\_

Social Security Number \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone\_\_\_\_\_

#### NAME & ADDRESS OF THE USA SCHOOL YOU PLAN TO ATTEND:

#### NAME, ADDRESS & PHONE # OF FINANCIAL AID DEPT.

#### COUNCIL #10930 SUBMITTING KNIGHT

Knight's Name\_\_\_\_\_\_Street, City, State and Zip \_\_\_\_\_\_ Telephone\_\_\_\_\_\_ Church Name & Address \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Applicant

**PRINT** = Signature of Parent

**PRINT** = Signature of KC Knight

Receipt by Jan R. Nowicki Council 10930 = E-MAIL janrnowicki@aol.com

Past Grand Knight Jan R. Nowicki

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◄ Nov 2019			December 2019	)		Jan 2020 ►
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 1st Week of Advent	2		4 Officers Planning Meeting 7:00 PM open to members	5 Meals on Wheels Bible Study 9:30 AM Helen Sieja on Sunday's readings		7
8 2nd Week of Advent	9		11 Council Meeting 7:00, Rosary 6:40 PM	12	13 Awards Dinner 6:30PM	14 Pastor Installation of Rev. Benjamin Hembrom, TOR 4:00PM
15 3rd Week of Advent	16	17 Meals on Wheels	18	19 Meals on Wheels Bible Study 9:30 AM Helen Sieja on Sunday's readings		21
22 4th Week of Advent	23	24 Meals on Wheels	25 Merry Christmas For unto you is born thin day a. Saviour, uhch is Christ the Lord."	26 Meals on Wheels	27	28
29	30	31 Meals on Wheels				

Dec 2019			January 2020	)		Feb 2020 ►
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			1 Happy New Year	2 Meals on Wheels	3	4
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