

St Pius X Council 10762  
**Newsletter**



**KNIGHTS  
 OF COLUMBUS**  
 IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

GK Frank Saavedra

July 2013

Brothers,

Thank you for electing me to be your Grand Knight! I will try to live up to the big shoes of our past Grand Knights. Congratulations to the rest of the elected Brothers that will help and guide us to continue to be a great Council. We have done so many things for our church and community. (Please, see PGK Frank's letter from June; you should be proud of yourselves!)

I need your help. There are a lot of you that I have never met and would be thrilled to get to know you and find out what we can do for you! Please, pray about this and think upon why you became a Knight. I know that we are all busy with life, but email me, call me, text me or even write me (snail mail is OK, too) about anything and everything. Let me know what you would like to have happen or not. Give us your thoughts as to why members don't attend events. I really want to know and I do value your input. There are Brothers that have done so much over the years and they are



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getting older and we need to support them so that this Fraternal Brotherhood can continue to do good works. I joined this group to meet people and to help others. This is your Council too.

So, in conclusion, I look forward to hearing from and seeing you, so we can be the Best Council ever. I thank you and look forward to a year of fun and fellowship doing God's work. My number is 520-449-0949, home address is 10031 E. Rocky Vista Drive Tucson, AZ 85748 and my email address is sliceoflife2@cox.net

In Friendship and Fraternity,

GK D. Tom Eagan

Meeting / Event	Date	Time	Location
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
<b>Officer Meeting</b> Business Meeting	2nd Thursday of every month	<b>6:30 P.M.</b> 7:30 P.M.	<b>Kino Room - St Pius</b> Hopi Room - St Pius
<b>Officer Meeting</b> Business Meeting	4th Thursday of every month	<b>6:30 P.M.</b> 7:30 P.M.	<b>Kino Room - St Pius</b> Hopi Room - St Pius

**Beginning with the 2nd meeting in the month of June, meetings on every 4th Thursday of the month will be a short version. They will not include most of the reports that normally are read. This will continue each month until further notice.**



**Elected Officers for  
 2013-2014 Fraternal Year.**

**GRAND KNIGHT: Tom Eagan**

**DEPUTY GRAND KNIGHT: Dutch Steenbaker**

**CHANCELLOR: Grant Pieper**

**RECORDER: Tony Pennisi**

**TREASURER: Joe Keaney**

**ADVOCATE: Kent Maas**

**WARDEN: Efren Morales**

**INSIDE GUARD: Christian Escalante**

**OUTSIDE GUARD 1: Dan Pinda**

**OUTSIDE GUARD 2: Philip Boris**

**TRUSTEE (3 Year): Fred Falgiano**

**TRUSTEE (2 Year): Dean Dickherber**

**TRUSTEE (1 Year): Brian Landry**

**Birthdays**



Wilfred J Everett .....	0703
Armando Burruel.....	0704
Ryszard W Kupinski .....	0706
Dino N Areostatico.....	0709
Robert L Barr.....	0710
Raymond J Stoesser.....	0711
Douglas P De Salvo .....	0712
Walter G Ewer .....	0712
John S Amend.....	0713
Richard J Hingtgen.....	0719
James L Liesse .....	0722
Michael T Vilas.....	0723
John R Spencer .....	0724
Richard D Reiners .....	0729

**RECOGNIZING YOUR  
 YEARS OF SERVICE**

**No 5 Year Service Awards  
 For July**



Joe Keaney is presented a service award for 15 years of service.



Son-in-law Kent Maas accepts service award for Edwin Wartalski from our new Grand Knight Tom Eagan for 55 years of service.



## Still have just group insurance?

As a Knights of Columbus field agent, I hear about group life insurance every week. If you have it, it's certainly not a bad thing, but it can be a misleading security blanket. Most times, the amount offered is far from what you need, and the only way to determine what you need is with a comprehensive needs analysis. Your group coverage is not based on any analysis. Instead, they apply a formula: you make X amount in salary and the group life is either a flat amount (\$15,000 seems popular) or a multiple of your salary (somewhere between 1.5 and 2.5 is common). Either way, it has nothing to do with the number of children you have, the mortgage balance you carry, or the amount of money your wife would need if you die. It's a completely random number.

It can also disappear at any time. All of us know people - friends, family members, neighbors - who have lost their jobs. When the job is lost, so is the group life insurance coverage. If the company experiences difficulty and budgets need to be cut, group life can be reduced or eliminated. And that decision could be made at the worst possible time for you.

Most group life insurance coverage reduces or disappears when you retire. Many times it can be converted, but at a very expensive premium (remember, you're no kid anymore when you retire, and premiums do rise as you get older). Just because you turn 65 doesn't mean you no longer need life insurance or need less coverage. Actually, the opposite is true.

Do you still own just group life insurance? It must be supplemented with a personally owned portfolio. I can tell you exactly how to blend your group benefit with your K of C life insurance so things can be in your control. Don't let the feeling of security that group life provides distract you from the real issue: taking control of your family's financial future!

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## Ladies Auxiliary

No Meetings in June, July, and August. The next meeting will be September 18th, 2013.

If anything comes up that the Knights will need our help with over the summer, I will e-mail or call you.

Thanks for everyone's help with the projects that we had this year so far.

Hope to see you at Mass during the summer.

Kathy Madden



Fred Falgiano accepts an award for our Council for the outstanding work accomplished for Person's With Intellectual Disabilities (PWID) from Pete Karculias.

Fred's leadership and dedication made PWID a resounding success!



Send your address, phone or e-mail changes to  
[roster@kofctucson.com](mailto:roster@kofctucson.com)



## 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  
Nancy Blanchard  
Court Campion  
Thomas Cormier  
Pat Donahue  
Ginny Dugan  
Walt Ewer  
Bob Grell  
Linda Grell  
Augi Gustilo  
Gertrud Gustilo  
Robert Hart  
Joe Kerns  
Rick Madden

Mary McGillivray  
Ed Marsh  
Jim Moriset  
Rev. Gerry Miriani  
Chris Mrazik  
Matthew Mrazik  
Chad Mullenberg  
Steve Pieper  
Maria Seymour  
Pat Shaughnessy  
Cole Smith  
John Spencer  
Mike Vilas

*On the 7th of July we will be having a blood drive. You all know how important it is, especially in light of all of the hurricanes and natural disasters we seem to have of late.*

*Please consider giving this special gift to someone and help be a giver of life to those in need.*



### Officer Resources

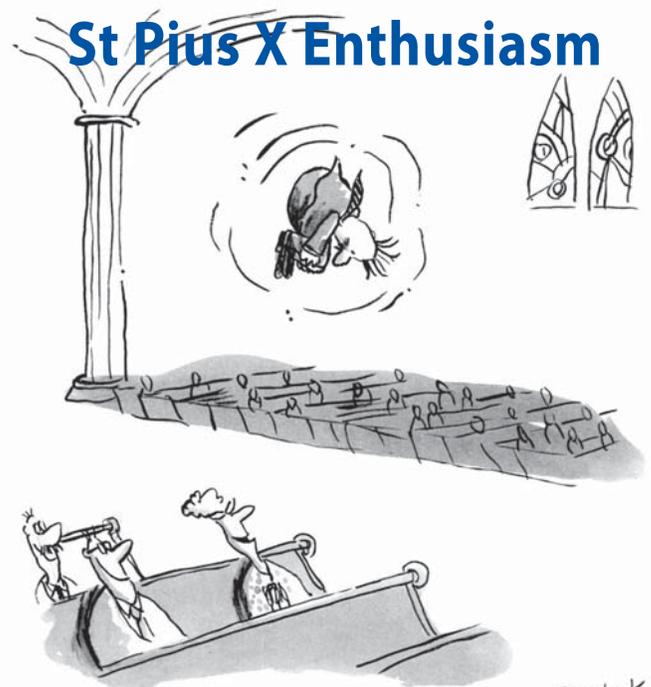
New and experienced council officers may find the resources available on the Supreme Knights of Columbus web site valuable.

They can be found grouped together on one page. Go to <http://www.kofc.org/un/en/officers/handbook/index.html> and get handbooks, videos, forms and even digital items such as Knights of Columbus logos.

## Our Council is Making a Difference!

Food for Families, is a National Knights of Columbus sponsored program. St Pius Knights are reporting \$6400 in cash donations and 1100 pounds of food purchased and given to the St Pius X Food Pantry. A total of \$7500 towards this program so far this year!

Thank you for all your support and help to feed those families in need!



"I just love the way Dexter says 'Hallelujah!'"



**July 4 - Independence Day**

No First Degree on July 4th

**July 7 - Blood Drive**

There will be a Blood Drive in the Desert Hall from 7:30 AM - 12:30 PM. Please consider giving this most precious gift of life.

**August 15 - Assumption of the Blessed Virgin**

**Mary**

Celebrated every year on August 15, the Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary commemorates the death of Mary and her bodily assumption into Heaven, before her body could begin to decay--a foretaste of our own bodily resurrection at the end of time. Because it signifies the Blessed Virgin's passing into eternal life, it is the most important of all Marian feasts and a Holy Day of Obligation.



Father Greg receives Certificate of Appreciation



Father Greg receives gift from Council

**Farewell**

We bid a fond farewell to the Brothers that are leaving our council.

Dale Engelken is moving to Des Moines.  
Tony Marino has transferred to the council in Vale (14230) recently.  
Ken Lanz has transferred to a council in WA state.  
Frank Saavedra has moved to Phoenix.

And last but not least, Father Greg Okafor who will start his new assignment at St. Jude Thaddeus in Cochise County on July 1.

God Bless you all!



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for up-to-date information,  
pictures, contacts and  
highlights of upcoming events!

**HAPPY 4TH OF JULY!**



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