

# GK Frank Saavedra

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time, and as such many cannot help when they might want to. I believe that time will be given

So, if you would like to have

someone thankful to God for

can this coming fraternal year.

you, give of your time when you

when it can be.

#### Brothers,

In looking through this newsletter, you will find a long list of activities and events that our council participated in this last fraternal year. To get that all that done took a lot of brother's time, talent and effort.

We have several of our brothers who consistently give of themselves. There have been several times when I've been bothered by the fact that we have so many members in our council, yet we have a relatively small number who do the work.

It finally occurred to me that I can continue to be bothered, or I can be thankful for those who do participate. I chose to be thankful. I find myself thanking God for those who can help. I realize that our lives have a lot of things that will fill our



God Bless!

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Meeting / Event	Date	Time	Location
1st Degree or Degree	1st Thursday of every	7:30 P.M.	Hopi Room - St Pius
Team Practice (Candi-	month		
dates report at 7:00 P.M.)			
Officer Meeting	2nd Thursday of every	6:30 P.M.	Kino Room - St Pius
<b>Business Meeting</b>	month	7:30 P.M.	Hopi Room - St Pius
Officer Meeting	4th Thursday of every	6:30 P.M.	Kino Room - St Pius
Business Meeting	month	7:30 P.M.	Hopi Room - St Pius

We raised \$8165 for the State Charities Raffle which will provide \$4,082.50 to Reachout. Many thanks to Joe Gulotta, Jim Liesse, Dale Engelken and Christian Escalante for their help. Jim and Joe sold over \$3,000 each worth of tickets themselves! And thanks to all of you that helped by either purchasing the tickets sent to you and/or selling whatever you could to help us in our support effort for Reachout.



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### **105th Arizona State Convention**

Reports are in! The convention was a great success! We received many comments from the participants expressing their compliments on the conduct and organization of the convention this year.

Our gratitude to the following Knights and their Ladies that were responsible:

Ron and Nancy Blanchard Bill Bowne Bob Brandt Dean Dickherber Dale Engelken Fred Falgiano Dick Goddard Joe Gulotta Pete Karculias Joe Keaney Brian Landry Jim Liesse Bob and Tonya Messenger Phil McElfresh Jo and Nora Mrazik Bob Palomino Grant Pieper George Pollock Frank and Connie Saavadra Carl and Maria Seymour Dutch and Vicky Steenbakker Lloyd and Donna Sweet

# **Birthdays in June**

Virgil E Maurice Louis C Seymour Cole Smith Heath D Norris	0610
Dave E Conca	
Ralph G De Nogean	
Peter N Karculias	
Benjamin L Jantson	

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For the month of June the Knight below is recognized for the number of years of service to our organization.

# **Forty-Five Years**

Augustine Gustilo Jr

#### A FORTNIGHT FOR FREEDOM

In the May edition of <u>Columbia</u>, "Our First, Most Cherished Liberty," a request for prayer between from June 21 - 4 July for a new birth of freedom in our beloved country...

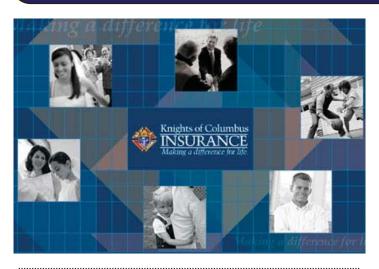
ALMIGHTY GOD, Father of all nations, For freedom you have set us free in Christ Jesus (Gal 5:1). We praise and bless you for the gift of religious liberty, the foundation of human rights, justice and the common good. Grant to our leaders the wisdom to protect and promote our liberties; By your grace may we have the courage to defend them, for ourselves and for all those who live in this blessed land. We ask this through the intercession of Mary Immaculate, our patroness, and in the name of your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, with whom you live and reign, one God, forever and ever. Amen.





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### Cover two people with one policy

In this month's article, I want to discuss a type of life insurance product with which you might not be familiar. This product offers a way for you to help your heirs meet estate settlement costs without subtracting from the total value of your estate. After all, you've worked hard to accumulate wealth or build a business over the years and you want to pass along that value to your family, charity or church in its entirety.

To this end, the Knights of Columbus designed a Survivorship Universal Life (SUL) product. SUL is a second to die, or survivorship, life insurance program that covers two people, (usually husband and wife) and the death benefit is paid upon the death of the surviving second person which is normally when an estate would be taxed. This can be an important part of an estate plan.

Keep in mind, an SUL policy is one policy that covers two people. This has advantages, including a lower cost than two individual life insurance policies. It is a great option for a married couple with children. It can provide funds for the legal guardians chosen to care for children in the event both parents die, which is especially attractive to parents of a special needs child.

If you have a child or children, you need life insurance. If you intend to pass on any property or wealth, you need life insurance. A SUL policy is one option that we can discuss when we meet for an insurance review.

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## A look back at last years accomplishments...

• Proceeds from last years raffle were donated to both the Kim Conca Memorial Foundation at St Joseph Carondelet and the Tucson Reachout Pregnancy Center.

- Community breakfasts and blood drives.
- Donut Sales

• Persons With Intellectual Disabilities (PWID) Drive. Proceeds were given to the principle of Myers/Ganoung Elementary and the Sunnyside Vikings Booster Club, a non-profit organization that provides funds for Special Olympics.

- Áttendance at ARC
- Golf Tournament proceeds used for the St Pius Food Pantry
- Work on trimming St Pius trees, coolers and roof
- Commemoration Celebration
- Benedictine Monastery work throughout the year
- Coats for Kids
- Christmas with Santa
- Keep Christ in Christmas
- Council Free Throw
- UApresents Speakers
- Ladies Appreciation
- Flea Market
- Participated in Tucson March for Life
- Priest Appreciation Dinner
- Hospice Family Care Presentation
- Fish Fry
- St. Patrick's Day Party
- 40 cans for Lent
- Religious Appreciation Dinner
- Hosting a 2nd and 3rd Degree
- 105th Arizona State Convention
- Newsletter publication and website

Thanks to all who make our work successful!

# Raffle Drawing

Although the names have not been released, unfortunately no one from St Pius was drawn as a winner. We will release the names as soon as we know them.





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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 Angela Aultman Nancy Blanchard Alice De Nogean Carmen Donnelly Ginny Dugan Linda Grell Gustavo Garcia Sam Grorud Jerry Hennelly Joe Kerns Rick Madden Tony Marino Josephine Morales Jim Moriset Chris Mrazik Chad Mullenberg Gary Nelson Jack Perry Steve Pieper Carl Seymour Mike Vilas

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

Brothers, please review the names on the prayer list. If you wish to be removed or add your loved one, please let me know. Thank you.

Brother Bob Messenger

## Proposed Nominees for Elected Office 2012 – 2013 Fraternal Year

# **Election on June 14**

GRAND KNIGHT DEPUTY GRAND KNIGHT CHANCELOR RECORDER TREASURER ADVOCATE WARDEN INSIDE GUARD OUTSIDE GUARD 1 OUTSIDE GUARD 2 TRUSTEE (3 YEAR) TRUSTEE (2 YEAR) TRUSTEE (1 YEAR) Frank Saavedra George Pollock Emmanuel Steenbakker Richard Goddard Joe Mrazik Kent Maas Grant Pieper Christian Escalante Phil Boris Dan Pinda Dean Dickherber Brian Landry Joe Keaney

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This is the draft that the trustees developed, however others can still be nominated either by contacting the trustees or nomination at the June meeting.

# REMEMBER THOSE WHO SERVED



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#### June 2 – Ordination of Priests, St. Augustine Cathedral

### June 8 - Night at The Ball Park

\$10 tickets for \$8. Contact Ron Blanchard at 296-4331

#### June 8 - Stand Up for Religious Freedom Rally

The rally will be held at Evo DeConcini Federal Courthouse, 405 West Congress, Tucson, AZ and starts at Noon.

# June 9 - Fourth Degree Exemplification in Phoenix (Grant Pieper is a candidate)

#### June 10 - Help the Seminarians

A dinner to raise money to help seminarians will be hosted by council 1200 (601 S Tucson Blvd). The dinner will be from 5 to 6 PM, and the cost is \$8.00.

#### June 14 - Election of Officer's

This is a very important Business Meeting and it is hoped 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 is more than one person running for the same office there is a run off written ballot. Nominations for any office may be made from the floor. Please take this election seriously. Those elected will represent the St. Pius X Knights; the future of our Council is in your hands.

### June 16 – Ordination of Deacons (Brother David Barfuss will be ordained)

#### June 17 - Fathers Day

June 30 – State Organization Meeting, Sierra Vista

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#### July 1 – Blood Drive 7:30 AM

#### July 4 - Independence Day

Independence Day honors the birthday of the United States of America and the adoption of the Declaration of Independence on July 4, 1776. It's a day of picnics and patriotic parades, a night of concerts and fireworks, and a reason to fly the American flag. God Bless America!

# Tips from the Financial Secretary

#### **PAYMENT REQUESTS**

- Please use the Request for Payment form it helps us keep track of things. You can download one from our web site or find them in the parish office in our file folder or at our meetings.
- Please submit your request before the meeting starts. All payments must be approved by the Trustees or voted on by the council.
- Please attach receipts for expenditures. If you don't have one, explain why on the form.

#### **FUNDS SUBMISSION**

- Place cash and checks in an envelope if there are more than a couple and write your name, the amount and the purpose on the envelope.
- Please turn in money before the meeting starts so I can prepare a receipt for you before you leave.

#### **PAYMENTS TO COUNCIL**

• When writing a check for something, please make the check payable to K of C Council 10762 (or just Knights of Columbus). Please do not make checks payable to an individual. Banks have strict rules from the federal government and will not accept checks for deposit with an incorrect payee. Also remember to date and sign your check.

#### **CREDIT CARDS**

- We offer PayPal for payment of council dues on our web site.
- We also can accept credit card payments using Square (www.squareup.com) . There is a 2.75% transaction fee but we can accept most major credit cards. See me for details.



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#### ADDRESS SERVICE REQUESTED

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

# **Trinity Sunday**



VISIT OUR WEBSITE!!

www.kofctucson.com



Karate Classes

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