

St Pius X Council 10762  
**Newsletter**



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GK Frank Saavedra

June 2013

Brothers,

In the last newsletter I mentioned that my wife and I will be moving to Phoenix. That time is upon us. Before I leave, I think I should let you all know what I hear from our District Deputy, and from a couple of state officers.



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our council gets done, and it seems to be noticed.

I'm passing this along not to make you feel pride, although it should make you a little proud, but to let you know that by being a St. Pius Knight you are making a big difference in the lives of others. That's something you can

feel good about, and something to make you smile.

I have come to find out, or at least I'm told, that our council is one of the most active in the state. Sure we have a lot of busy weekends doing a whole lot of things, but we're not recognized for being busy and active. It's the things that the council gets done that causes that recognition.

May God continue to be with you, and keep on keeping on!

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We helped get an ultrasound for Reachout Pregnancy Center. We hosted the state convention last year. We give a large sum of money to the food pantry to feed the needy. We have regular blood drives. These are some of the many things

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

**See page 5 for Slate of Officers  
 Election is June 13**

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GK Frank Saavedra presented a check for \$1,627.50 to the Santa Rita High School Community Eagles program for special needs children. Mrs. Busher was on hand to accept the check on behalf of the school.

## Birthdays



Grantley H Pieper..... 0602  
Edward M Henry..... 0603  
Michael S Millick III..... 0608  
Virgil E Maurice ..... 0610  
Cole Smith..... 0610  
Dave E Conca..... 0617  
Ralph G De Nogean ..... 0621  
Peter N Karculias ..... 0622  
Benjamin L Jantson ..... 0624  
Reynaldo Gutierrez ..... 0626  
John M Posey..... 0627

## Council Activities 2012 - 2013

Knight at the Ballpark  
Blood Drive and Community Breakfast  
Family Mini Golf Tournament  
Kateri Tekakwitha Concert  
PWID  
Concert under the Stars  
Donut Sales  
Rosary Celebration  
Memorial Mass  
Volunteer for Ladies Boutique Cafe  
Breakfast with Santa  
Christmas Social  
Gaslight Theatre  
Diaper Drive  
Tucson March for Life  
Caribbean Delight Dinner  
Council Free Throw  
District Free Throw  
Ladies Appreciation Luncheon  
Fish Fry  
Flea Market  
Saint Patrick's Day Party  
Saint Pius Fiesta  
Food Pantry Golf Tournament  
Religious Appreciation Dinner  
Knight at the Ball Park

## RECOGNIZING YOUR YEARS OF SERVICE

**55 Years**

**Edwin S. Wartalski**

**10 Years**

**Alejandro Valdez Jr.**

## Charity Drawing

Unfortunately no one from St Pius won any of the raffle prizes this year.

A list of the tentative winners (tentative until all winners have been contacted) can be found on the Arizona State Council Website at:

<http://www.azknightsofcolumbus.org/>



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You don't have to take my word for it. The Order consistently earns the highest ratings for strength and security from AM Best. There is no more highly rated life insurance provider in North America. When you couple this with all the charitable and volunteer work of the Order, it's hard to beat the value of Knights of Columbus Insurance.

I would suggest that a principal reason that we were able to achieve those accolades is because we remain steadfastly committed to the vision of Father Michael J. McGivney by providing life insurance by brother Knights for brother Knights.

That commitment is an essential core value of the Order, and our core values permeate all levels of our organization. These principles for marketing are summed up by our Golden Rule: "In all my professional relationships, I pledge myself to the following rule of conduct: I shall, in light of all conditions surrounding those I serve, render that service which, under the same circumstances, I would apply to myself."

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Anthony.LoMonaco@KofC.org

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roster@kofctucson.com**

## **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



GK Frank Saavedra and wife Connie at their going away party with a large gathering of Knights and their ladies. You will be missed!







## Prayer INTENTIONS

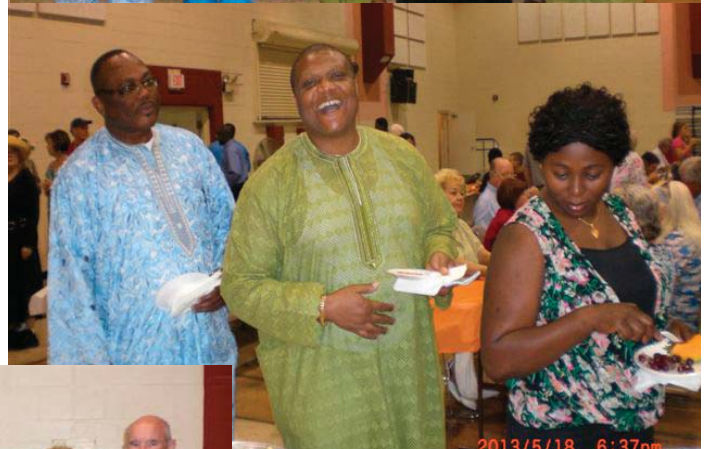
### A Prayer for Healing...

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  
Linda Grell  
Augi Gustilo  
Gertrud Gustilo  
Robert Hart  
Joe Kerns

Rick Madden  
Mary McGillivray  
Jim Moriset  
Rev. Gerry Miriani  
Chris Mrazik  
Matthew Mrazik  
Chad Mullenberg  
Steve Pieper  
Maria Seymour  
Cole Smith  
Mike Vilas

## Father Greg Okafor Jubilee



Father Greg's Jubilee was on May 18th. Those that attend had a great time. Father Greg thanked all of the Knights for their participation and said how much he has enjoyed his relationship with our council during his remarks at our council meeting on May 23rd. Enjoy your new parish Father Greg...you will be missed!

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**June 2 - Corpus Christi Observed**

**June 13 - 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 - Fathers Day**

**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.

**Nominees for Elected Offices for  
2013-2014 Fraternal Year.**

GRAND KNIGHT: Tom Eagan  
DEPUTY GRAND KNIGHT: Dutch Steenbaker  
CHANCELLOR: Grant Pieper  
RECORDER: **Need Nominee**  
TREASURER: Joe Keaney  
ADVOCATE: Kent Maas  
WARDEN: Efren Morales  
INSIDE GUARD: Christian Escalante  
OUTSIDE GUARD 1: Dan Pinda  
TRUSTEE (3 Year): Fred Falgiano  
TRUSTEE (2 Year): Dean Dickherber  
TRUSTEE (1 Year): Brian Landry

Election for Offices will be next Business Meeting  
June 13.

Please consider being part of the Officers if you are  
3rd Degree. Contact Brian Landry or Fred Falgiano  
or Dean Dickherber through our web page contact  
email address by June 10th.

Several of you new Knights had listed interests on  
your membership forms to help our Council achieve  
goals and service projects for this year. Contact any of  
the officers elect and become part of this Active Parish  
Fraternity.



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

## Happy Father's Day!



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