



# K of C Newsletter

## Council 10762

### St. Pius X



### Calendar of Events

<b>Nov 3 – 5</b>	– People With Intellectual Disability (PWID) Fund Drive
<b>Nov 5</b>	– Communion Breakfast/Blood Drive
<b>Nov 9</b>	– Business Meeting
<b>Nov 11</b>	– Veterans Benefit Dinner (St. Josephs Healy Hall)
<b>Nov 19</b>	– Golf Tournament
<b>Nov 23</b>	– Thanksgiving – No Meeting
<b>Nov 30</b>	– Seminar on Long Term Care

### Knight Meeting Times

Regular Business Meeting:	2 <sup>nd</sup> Thursday
Social Meeting & 1 <sup>st</sup> Degree (if necessary):	4 <sup>th</sup> Thursday
Fourth Degree Meeting:	3 <sup>rd</sup> Thursday
<i>Location:</i>	Hopi Room
<i>Time:</i>	7:30 PM
Chapter Meeting (delegates)	2 <sup>nd</sup> Monday
<i>Location</i>	Regina Cleri Council Hall
<i>Time:</i>	7:30 PM
“Come to the meetings, I guarantee that they will only be one hour long!”	
GK Joe Gulotta	

### Three things in life that is most valuable –

1. Love
2. Family & Friends
3. Kindness

### Three things in life that is never certain-

1. Fortune
2. Success
3. Dreams

### Three things that make a person –

1. Commitment
2. Sincerity
3. Hard Work

### Three things that is truly constant –

**FATHER- SON- HOLY SPIRIT**

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### MEMBERSHIP BLITZ

I want to thank all the Brothers who helped make our first Membership Blitz a good learning vehicle. We got support from the Mass Greeters and Father Harry. The lessons learned will surely help us improve during our next membership drive in February 2007.

But remember Membership is every ones job ! Our efforts continue every day and not only during official drives. So get a form 100 from Bob Brandt, Membership Director and ask someone to join. Your approach is simple; “My name is \_\_\_\_\_ and I’m a Knight of Columbus. Please complete the top part of this form. We will contact you with information about the Knights of Columbus so that you can make an informed decision if the Knights of Columbus is for you.”

Don’t be shy! All they can say is “No.” Be a salesman step up with confidence and you’ll make a sale.

**BROTHERS WE NEED YOUR HELP!**

Joe Gulotta, Grand Knight



## Prayer Intentions



Anelli, Peter  
Anton, Ronnieann  
Aultman, Angela  
Donnelly, Frank  
Dugan, Ginnie  
Dugan, Art  
Gdovin, Gloria  
Grell, Bob  
Henrich, Larry  
Hennelly, Jerry  
Klaum, Susan

Madden, Rick  
Maurice, Terry  
Pieper, Harold  
Schlagel, Gayle  
Schlagel, Ron

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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 whatsoever You do, You do for the love of us. Amen.

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## **Awards**

### **"Congratulations" To**

**Joe Parente : Knight of the Month for October 2006**

**"For his support and time given to St Pius X Church Activities and Ministries"**

**Jim and Helen Critchley : Family of the Month for October 2006**

**"For their involvement with the Bereavement Ministry and other church activities"**

**First Degree: Vince Redhouse, Cole Smith, Patrick Saelens, Darryl Spengler**

***Presentations to be made at our 9 November Meeting.....join us.***



Potluck under the stars on October 1<sup>st</sup> was a great time as evidenced by the smiles on everyone's faces. Watch for this event next year! Tom Eagan did a wonderful job of putting this all together and we thank him for his efforts.

Family night at the movies brought out around 100 people to view the

Shaggy Dog. There was plenty of popcorn, fellowship and a great movie to keep everyone amused during this fun filled evening. Be on the lookout for more movies in the future. Tom, thanks again for a job well done!



## **Know Your Officers**

### **LECTURER**



**Nick Romano**

Born December 20, 1929 in the Bronx, New York. Joined the USAF at age 18 in 1948. Stationed in Sacramento, California. Spent 14 months in Korea during the Korean War. Married Joan Pastore on May 8, 1954. Have 4 children and 8 grandchildren with number 9 due in January. Worked for IBM for 32 years and retired in 1984 when he became a Knight. Served in many positions including Grand Knight, District Deputy, and now as Lecturer. He is the strong arm behind a successful Recycle Program. He says, "I'm proud to be a Knight."

### **INSIDE GUARD**



**Raymond Scheidel**

Raymond A. Scheidel was born in Grand Rapids MI on January 11<sup>th</sup> 1979. Graduated High School in MI and joined the USAF shortly after in 1998. Is currently a Flight Engineer in the AF. Met wife (Andrea) in 1996 while in high school and were married on September 23<sup>rd</sup> 2005. No children as of yet. Joined Knights of Columbus in 2006 and is serving currently as Inside Guard.

## **RESOLUTION**

**First read at the Business Meeting of September 14, 2006. Amended and approved at Business Meeting October 12, 2006**

Whereas, the Pastor of St Pius X, is raising funds to renovate our church.

Whereas, these funds are to be donated by Parishioners and Parish Fund Raising Activities of St Pius X. Be it resolved, that Council 10762 takes upon itself to review the status of non-committed funds indicated by the Semi Annual Audit of December 31, 2006. A contribution of not less than 50 per cent of those surplus funds shall be donated to the St Pius X Renovation Fund for calendar year 2006. A line item will indicate this in the Yearly Budget for Calendar Year 2007.

Be it further resolved, that a committee consisting of the Grand Knight, Trustees, and Financial Secretary will review all accounts to determine which shall be included in said contribution.

Be it further resolved, that this resolution will be reviewed for acceptance in calendar year 2008.

Prepared by Joe Gulotta, GK, 10762 on October 12, 2006.



### ***Fraternal Year Activities***

**December**

- 3 Breakfast with Santa
- 14 Business Meeting
- 22 Council Christmas Pot Luck
- 28 Social Meeting/1<sup>st</sup> Degree
- 31 New Years Eve Dance

**January**

- 7 Pancake Breakfast/Blood Drive
- 11 Business Meeting
- 20 Tucson March for Life
- 25 Social Meeting
- 31 Council Free Throw Contest

**February**

- 8 Business Meeting
- 11 Membership Drive
- 11 Valentine Ladies Appreciation Dinner
- 20 Clergy Appreciation Dinner (Sponsor Council 1200)
- 22 Youth Appreciation Pizza Party/Social Meeting



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### **Thanks be to God**

As our nation gives thanks to God for our bountiful blessings, I am especially thankful for my family, my faith and the Knights of Columbus. Please, remember in your prayers those that do not share the same joys in their lives, especially those that struggle with loneliness and

depression during the coming holidays.

While we can't invite them all to our table, perhaps you're considering a charitable gift as the year comes to a close. There are several ways to benefit your favorite charity, yourself and the Knights of Columbus. The methods are not complex.

Remember we have a Long-term Care Seminar hosted by Council 10762 November 30. Provided by our Agency Department, this is an opportunity to understand the impact that living longer has on our Catholic Families. Three professional perspectives are provided, including an eldercare attorney, an industry expert and I. This seminar is filling up fast, to be assured of a seat please contact me soon.

- When: November 30, 2006 at 6:30 PM
- Where: Saint Pius X Parish, 1800 N Camino Pio Decimo
- Who may attend: Tucson Area Knights, family members and their guests
- RSVP: Limited Seating, please call me for reservations

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**WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT  
CHECK OUT WHAT IS COMING UP!!**

**November**

**BLOOD DRIVE** – The American Red Cross and SK Tom Anton and wife Ronnie Ann will again extend an invitation to all you Blood Donors to GIVE. Since this is also the day for the Memorial Communion Breakfast, 5 November, free pancake breakfast tickets for donors can not be used. However, you should treat yourself to a great breakfast on that morning..... Please buy a ticket.

**MEMORIAL COMMUNION BREAKFAST** – Located in the Arizona Room. This outstanding breakfast will be catered. All details are on the next page! We ask you and your families to attend. Tickets are on sale at the Parish Office and the Donut Sales Table

**PERSONS WITH INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES (PWID)** – **Brothers: Your help is needed** to make our 2006 “Tootsie Roll Drive” a success. This year I would like to invite all who are able to participate. You can do this by signing up to donate 2 hours of your time (or more) to help us help others. We need volunteers for Wal-Mart, Fry’s and Safeway stores on FRIDAY, SATURDAY and SUNDAY; November, 03, 04, 05 – 8 AM to 5 PM. **CONTACT** DGK Joe Mrazik, at 885-1106 and add your name to the roster of helpers.

**GOLF TOURNAMENT AND BANQUET** - Sunday, November 19. Remember none of us can play golf like Tiger Woods but all of us can enjoy a day out on the links for a good cause. You should be able to give one of your Sundays to this fun golf outing for charity. Your rewards will be in knowing you helped those who are in need. **ALL FUNDS** from the Tournament and Banquet are given to **BENEFIT** needy students. **FOR A FUN AFTERNOON, A DELICIOUS MEAL AT HILTON EAST AND A CHANCE TO WIN GREAT PRIZES** contact SK Ron Blanchard at 296-4331 and join us!

**December**

**BREAKFAST WITH SANTA** – December 3d is a Family Must! Don’t miss it. Check for details in the Community News, Power Point and here!

**2D and 3D DEGREE - December 10<sup>th</sup> at Council 1200** – This is a chance for you First Degree Knights to elevate to the 3D Degree right here in Tucson. Contact Fin/Sec Dick Goddard for more information.

**COUNCIL CHRISTMAS POT LUCK** - Event put on by that master of fun and eats...Brother Tom Eagan. Date set for December 22. More information later!

**NEW YEARS EVE DINNER DANCE** – The date is 31 December. Guess who the Chairman is...right Tom Eagan! The price is right; details to come later.

Don’t forget to visit our web site at <http://members.cox.net/kofctucson>

## *Veterans Benefit Dinner Plans*

**Date:** November 11  
**Time:** 5:30 PM Social Cocktail  
6:30 PM Dinner  
**Place:** Healy Hall  
St. Joseph Church



**Mark your calendars and make your plans now to attend our annual Richard J. Venegas Memorial Veterans Benefit Dinner.**

This year we are fortunate that we can have the dinner on Veteran's Day, November 11. We have reserved Healy Hall at St. Joseph Church (same place as last year) for this event. Cocktail social begins at 5:30 PM and dinner is at 6:30 PM. Council 8813 members will prepare the meal and host the bar this year.

SK Dick Goddard has arranged for Lt. Col. Ron Furtak, USAF (Ret) to be our guest speaker. Col. Furtak is a former A1 "Sandy" fighter pilot and speaks occasionally at the Pima Air and Space Museum.

As before, veterans are asked to wear their uniforms and all are asked to bring military or war memorabilia to put on display. If you bring display items, please try to arrive a bit early so we can get it set up.

Our Color Corps will post the colors and perform the flag-folding ceremony and POW/MIA ceremony.

### **We will also conduct a 50-50 ca\$h raffle!**

Tickets are \$18 for adults and \$12 for children 12 and under. Bring the whole family and support this, our biggest annual event. For tickets and Information contact Dick Goddard on 298-8267. Tickets will also be available in the Parish Office.

Proceeds will go to the Southern VA Hospital for the benefit of hospitalized veterans. The money is used to provide personal and sundry items the VA does not pay for so please be generous.

Happy Thanksgiving!

"BE THANKFUL FOR OUR BLESSINGS"



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