



February 2016

GRAND KNIGHT

DOMINIC GLASS

As we prepare for the Lenten season, much partying will be had. Ground Hog Day, Super Bowl Sunday and Fat Tuesday all lead up to the fasting of Lent. Also called Shrove Tuesday, Mardi Gras is the time of celebration and feast. New Orleans and Rio are best known for the Carnivals associated with the celebration that started on the Epiphany (Feast of the Three Kings). In 1000A.D., this celebration time was thought to originate when an English Abbot, Ælfric of Eynsham, wrote "In the week immediately before Lent everyone shall go to his confessor and confess his deeds and the confessor shall so shrive him as he then may hear by his deeds what he is to do [in the way of penance]"

Feast and party, enjoy the time. Ecclesiastes 3, A Time for Everything... We were not made for fast and work alone. Come to the Super Bowl party, Del Roco Sweetheart Dance, or even the General Business Meeting dinner on the 11th. Break Bread with friends and strangers, and be glad in the blessings and joys He Brings.

Prayers for the Deceased:

Tony Perez, Theresa Milligan,
Harold Edward McGrath, Ambrose Lesniak
and Joan Marie McElligott



**Again, this year the council's Annual
Superbowl Party
will be held in the Knights' Lounge.
The game starts
at about 3:25 PM, but the doors
open at 1 PM. Come and spend
some joyous and pleasurable time
with families and friends.
For more info, please call
John Rozzi, at (909) 862-6662.**

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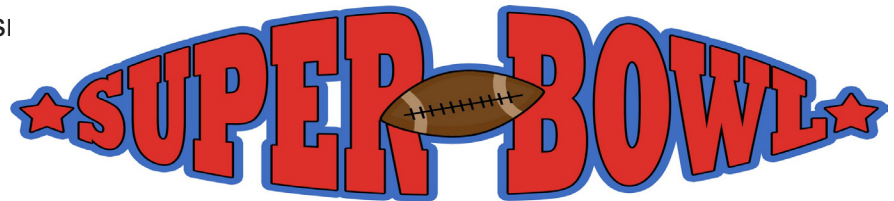
KofC News

Joan Marie McElligott, 72, of Highland, CA passed away on Saturday, Jan. 16, 2016. Joan is the sister of Brother Jack McElligott of our council. Funeral arrangements are pending as of this notice.

Party at Jerry L. Pettis Memorial Veterans Hospital

Brother Knights,
The Knights of Columbus will be hosting a Super Bowl Party at the Jerry L. Pettis Memorial Veterans hospital in Loma Linda Super Bowl Sunday 7 February. Set up begins at 2 pm. The party will take place in the first floor Community Living Center dining room located on the south side of the Loma Linda VA hospital (dining room can be seen from Barton road). The Recreational therapist who coordinates these types of events at the VA has confirmed the knights of Columbus can host the Super Bowl party this year. The game starts at 330 pm. Food and drinks will be served until about 5 pm. If anyone one wants to help coordinate this event please email me. This will be the third year the Knights of Columbus have done this for our veterans. Last year members from Assembly 0055, Loma Linda council 9037 and Loma Linda Squire Circle 5721 were there. Any council members, assembly members, family members, squires are welcome to help out and or bring something. Last year there were hot wings, meat balls, nachos and cheese, chips, chili, cookies, other good food, snacks, drinks paper plates, paper bowls, napkins, forks, spoons, cups. If you would like to donate food, drinks or other items please do. About 40 to 50 attended last year including patients, their family and employees who many are veterans Those that attended really enjoyed this event.

Charity, Unity, Fraternity, Patriotism
Russell Almendarez



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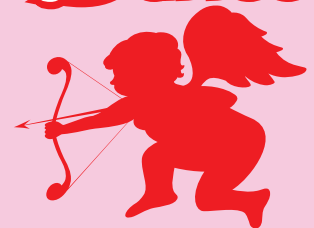
COLUMBIAN FOUNDATION TO ASSIST PEOPLE WITH INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES

The result of this project in which we solicited the public for funds and passed out Tootsie Rolls was that we were able to give \$1,767.00 to both the Center For Individual Development (CID) and the Association For Retarded Citizens (ARC). Again, thanks to everyone who participated.

Sweethearts Dinner and Dance

Music By
The Flamingo Kid

Feb 13, 2016



Catered Dinner from 5-6:30pm

Dancing & Live Entertainment
7pm to 11pm

Raffle Prizes

Professional
Bartending
Service

Del Rosa Council 4488

\$25 a couple

**Please Welcome our new Field Agent Thomas Cowan.
He has much to share, so please call him today.
909-795-8151 Office 909-647-3463 Cell**



Bible Study

Wednesday from 7 PM to 9 PM
in the council lounge

Bob Herness
Church Director, 4488



Brother Knights and friends,

I am cognizant of the fact that most of you know that we have an extra day in February this year, but Lent is already upon us, earlier than usual as Ash Wednesday is on Wednesday, February 10, 2016. Thus begins the annual liturgical season of penance, prayer and alms giving as disciples of Jesus Christ. After you receive your ashes, come and join us that evening at 7:00 and deepen your spiritual life by joining other brother knights and guests during the Lenten season as we read scripture, discuss the ramifications of Christ's teaching both in scripture and via the teaching authority of the Roman Catholic Church.

You might want to even try at least one day a week, besides Ash Wednesday and Good Friday, the traditional fast. For those who have forgotten, this is how it is done: If you have 3 meals per day, the two lesser meals should not add up to the full meal. Guess what, it helps you lose some weight, also....a nice side benefit for many of us and the money we save can be given to the poor or the Social Justice Project right here in our council.

Our Mother Mary, the Mother of the Church, also, will always help us walk with Jesus during this time as we proceed in the liturgical year from the joy of Christmas because God loved us so much to send us His only begotten Son. Now, we should walk with Him through the desert of sin and temptation, pick up our cross daily, and prepare for the Paschal mysteries which culminate with Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Holy Saturday and the Glory of Easter.

Some modernists claim, Lent, fasting, and the Church Militant is now passe'. If we ever needed a renewal of penitence, it is certainly in our times now. All we have to remind us is what happened in early December just a few miles from our council hall..Guess what, brothers, we need to be knights of prayer and fortitude in the year ahead.

Ad Majorem Dei Gloriam,
SK Bob Herness, Church and Bible, Council 4488

K of C News



Harold Edward McGrath, 90 of Highland, Ca. passed away on Thursday, Jan. 7, 2016 in Highland. He was survived by his son, Michael McGrath of Wa., Preceded in death by his wife, Lorraine in 2006. Also surviving is his granddaughter, Colleen Gilstrap and 4 other grandchildren, 5 great grandchildren, 1 great great granddaughter, sisters, Charlotte and Mary. Mass of Christian burial was 10 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 14, 2016 at St. Adelaide Catholic Church, Highland, CA. with interment to follow at Mt. View Cemetery of San Bernardino. Fr. Romanus Ike celebrating the Mass of Christian burial. Special thanks to the Brother Knights who served as casket bearers and 4th Degree Honor Corp. Page 4



In Memoriam

**Ambrose Lesniak, Born September 12, 1926
Died January 23, 2016.**

**Memorial service is Monday, February 1, 2016 at 3
PM at
Bobbitt Memorial Chapel.**

**Committal service will be Thursday, February 4,
2016 at 10:15 AM at Riverside national cemetery. He
was a treasurer at Council 4488.**



Culture of Life

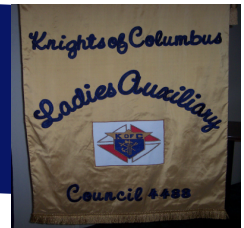
John Rozzi

In spite of the horrendous weather, involving better than 2 feet of snow in some places, the 43rd annual March for Life went on as usual in Washington D. C.

Nothing has changed. The media gave it very little coverage, even in this year when Planned Parenthood has committed such outrageous acts as selling baby parts. There were also Walks for Life conducted in the city of LA, as well as in San Francisco.

Please keep in mind that we, the prime defenders of the faith must remain pro-active in this constant battle to save the Unborn by praying as often as possible about this, signing petitions, such as the Life at Conception Act, writing to our representatives in congress to de-fund Planned Parenthood (PP). and Above all to seek "personhood" to be declared for the Unborn Child.

Knights Of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary Council 4488



Thank you to all the ladies who helped with the January dinner. Unfortunately, the turnout was very low, but the food was very good. Thank you for your support.

Our next fundraiser will be a Bingo Luncheon on Saturday, February 6 at 12 noon. Doors open at 11:30, and the cost is \$10 for a good lunch and a lot of fun. Please come and support our fundraiser, and have a lot of fun while raising money for our charities.

**Sincerely,
Judy Figueroa
Knights' Ladies President**

KofC News

NOMINATION OF DELEGATES TO THE STATE CONVENTION

At the General Meeting on Thursday, Jan. 14, the following nominations to this year's state convention were made:

**Grand Knight Delegate - Dominic Glass
Alternate to The Grand Knight Delegate - Luis Moreno
Past Grand Knight Delegate - John Rozzi
Alternate to the Past Grand Knight Delegate - Ernie Ott**

Nominations will be reopened at the February General Meeting, followed by the election of the delegates.

Culture of Life

John Rozzi-Culture of Life Director



Two months ago, after the California Assembly and Senate passed Assembly Bill 775 which forces all licensed pregnancy care clinics to either post prominent signs in their lobbies promoting abortion, or to include the information on their websites or clinic literature, Gov. Jerry Brown signed it into law. It is scheduled to go into effect on Jan. 1, 2016.

ICU Mobile, also known as Go Mobile For Life, is a mobile medical pregnancy clinic based in Wildomar, Ca., and has filed a lawsuit against the California State Attorney General and other appropriate authorities, saying the Reproductive Fact Act, with the requirement to promote abortion not only violates its religious freedom, but also its free speech and free assembly rights. Pro-Life supporters have opposed the law, calling it the "Bully Bill" because it compels workers to promote a state-mandated message that violates their personal and corporate religious beliefs. Advocates For Faith And Freedom, through its legal counsel, are seeking a preliminary injunction, which, if granted, will block the law from being implemented while the case is in the court system. Legal services are being provided, pro-bono, and currently the motion for preliminary injunction is scheduled to occur on Dec. 23 in Riverside.

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| |  1 6:15 - 10:00 PM | 2 | 3 CHURCH & BIBLE STUDY 7:00 PM | 4 OFFICER'S MEETING 7:00 PM |  5 6:15 - 10:00 PM | 6 KNIGHT'S LADIES BINGO LUNCHEON 12PM |
| 7 SUPER BOWL PARTY COUNCIL 4488 ATTEND MASS |  8 6:15 - 10:00 PM | 9 | 10 CHURCH & BIBLE STUDY 7:00 PM | 11 GENERAL MEETING 7 PM |  12 6:15 - 10:00 PM | 13 VALENTINES DINNER & DANCE COUNCIL 4488 |
| 14 ATTEND MASS |  15 6:15 - 10:00 PM | 16 | 17 CHURCH & BIBLE STUDY 7:00 PM | 18 BULLETIN ARTICLES DUE DEL ROCO 7:00 PM |  19 6:15 - 10:00 PM | 20 |
| 21 ATTEND MASS |  22 6:15 - 10:00 PM | 23 | 24 BINGO BOARD 7:00 PM CHURCH & BIBLE STUDY 7:00 PM | 25 |  26 6:15 - 10:00 PM | 27 |
| 28 ATTEND MASS |  29 6:15 - 10:00 PM | | | | | |