



Knights of Columbus

St. Victor Council 4112 - November 2021 Newsletter

A Multiple-Star Council

San Jose, CA

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The Knights of Columbus Council 4112 Mission:

Our mission is to provide members and their families with volunteer opportunities in service to St. Victor's Church, our communities' families, and youth.

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Letter from the Knights Council 4112 Newsletter Editor-In-Chief

Welcome to the November 2021 monthly newsletter. This month's newsletter begins with the **Grand Knight's Corner** followed by the recognition of **Birthday's and Service Anniversaries**. Congratulations and Happy Birthday to all Brothers achieving your respective milestone!

Also included in this month's newsletter is an article titled **Veterans Day 2021**, as we honor the men and women who sacrificed and served in the military. If you know of a veteran, take the time to thank them for their service. And yet, we have another election on November 2nd, please refer to the article titled, **November 2, 2021 Special Election**. And lastly, the **Speaker Series Program** which is a lineup of monthly speaker's and topic's to be conducted as part of the Good of the Order section of our council meeting. There are openings and opportunities, so if you are interested in speaking, please contact me.

The month of November will be busy with Knights activities and holiday events; please refer to the **November Calendar of Upcoming Events** and mark your calendars. As you know if there's a need you can count on a Brother Knight to be involved.

Don't forget to turn your clocks back one hour as we resume Daylight Standard Time on Sunday, November 7th at 2 a.m.

Enjoy the newsletter and may your journey in life be filled with health, happiness and prosperity!

Best,

SK David Ojeda

Editor-In-Chief and Publisher

Grand Knight's Corner:

Brothers, November is now here; don't forget to set your clocks back 1 hour on November 7 (the end of Daylight Savings Time). This past month we held and participated in several activities, to include support for St. Victor 60th Anniversary events. We've also ramped up planning for future months.

We're slowly increasing the number of activities we host and participate in; our pace is limited somewhat as we need to proceed in accordance with pandemic guidelines from the county and Supreme.

Following is a re-cap of the month, and updates on planning.

PGK Dinner:



PGK Ted Hosted the PGK Dinner honoring PGK Wayne Shull on the 3rd. Thanks to all who participated and attended. Special thanks to PGK Ted for hosting the event, SK Wayne C for helping to organize and emcee the event, SK Jim for manning the grill, those who brought salad and dessert items, and all those who helped set up/break down the tables and chairs.



Council Meeting:

The BBQ grill was put to use at our October meeting on the 7th. SK Jim grilled up burgers for our pre-meeting social. Thank you to SK Jim and PGK Ted for the logistics and grilling. Thank you to those who also helped clean, setup, and put away the equipment. DW Tom Pearson presented our council with the Father McGivney award for Membership.

Sports Social / Recruiting Drive:



We held a Sports Social / Recruiting event at the Parish Hall on October 10th. We watched the SF 49ers take on the Arizona Cardinals. Although the final score wasn't the one hoped for, a good time was had by the families that attended. The beverages and food were appreciated by the 60+ in attendance (including wives and

children). We received information on 5 prospects during the event, which should translate into additional candidates for membership. Thank you to Brothers Basil, Ace, and Jay for putting the event together. Thank you to all who attended and helped with the event. Donations helped us put this event on without any cost to the council



St. Victor 60th Anniversary Mass / Reception:



Sunday October 24th a 60th Anniversary mass was held at 10:00 a.m. followed by a reception in the parish hall. Thank you to all the brother knights who helped setup/break down the hall and serve food/beverages. The impressive cake was baked/prepared by SK Wayne C and his wife Susan.



Food Pantry:



Photo Courtesy of: Michael Cruz

Thank you to those who helped out at St. Victor’s Food Pantry this past month.

Food Pantry Distribution and Volunteer Summary:

	October 12	October 23	October 26 (Canceled)
Type	Mobile Distribution	Drive In	Mobile Distribution
Families Served	173	375	
Volunteers (Knights)	7	23	
Volunteer (Others)	2	17	

Keep up the good work and don’t forget to log your volunteer hours on our council website.

PWID:

Father Mark has agreed to a second collection for the weekend of December 18/19. Brothers Dave Bunger and Mike O’Connell have contributed material for a write-up that will appear in the Church bulleting in December. Stay tuned for further details as we get closer to the event.

By-Laws:

The By-Laws committee has been formed (GK, DGK, Advocate, Trustees) and have met twice this month, making significant progress in reviewing the existing by-laws (from 2013) and coming up with recommended changes. The committee has been tasked with providing an updated version for council voting by the 12/31/2021. We are on track to meet this date.

Awards Showcase:

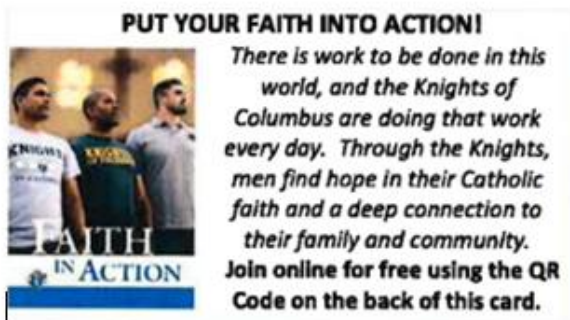
We have received approval from Fr. Mark on a place in the Parish Hall that we can display our council’s charter and awards. Stay tuned for further details.

Membership & Recruiting:

We currently have five prospects for membership. Keep up the excellent recruiting efforts. Our goal for new members this year is +7. This is one of the requirements to be considered for star council.

Prospects (October 2021)

<u>First Name</u>	<u>Last Name</u>
Alberto	Placido
Hong	Nguyen
Hector	Amores
Perfecto	Cachola
Aris	Bolsay



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Good through December 31, 2021

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www.kofc4112.org

Exemplification Team:

The result of our recruiting efforts feeds into our exemplifications. Our council exemplification team has been formed and will be meeting in the upcoming month for two practice sessions with an Exemplification scheduled for December 19 @ 1:00 p.m.

Seminarian / Refund Support Vocations Program (RSVP):

SK Mark has identified a diocesan seminarian whom we voted to support as part of the RSVP program; and is working on scheduling a zoom meeting to introduce him to the council.

Last but not least...

Keep up all the good work you are doing for our Council, Parish, and Community.

In Brotherhood and Service.

Patrick

Council 4112 Officer's and contact information for Columbian Year 2021 – 2022
(July 1, 2021 – June 30, 2022)

Chaplain	Fr. John Offor	510-731-8176
Grand Knight	Patrick Deely	408-702-5219
Deputy GK	Alex Agustin	408-810-2539
Chancellor	Jay Sagad	408-708-8573
Financial Sect.	Joe Murphy	719-238-1987
Warden	Ace Agustin	408-306-0647
Recorder/Coms	Mark Doyle	408-310-2194
Treasurer	Wesley Mintu	206-390-4170
Advocate	Allan Shih	408-674-0857
1st Yr Trustee	Wayne Cunningham	408-219-5358
2 nd Yr Trustee	Ted Galvin	408-590-1616
3 rd Yr Trustee	Wayne Shull	408-262-8399
Lecturer	David Ojeda	408-204-3129
Inside Guard	Ely Ardiente	408-823-5721
Outside Guard	Basil Cordero	669-207-9332

***For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink, I was
a stranger and you welcomed me...
Matthew 25:35***



Birthday's and Anniversaries



Congratulations to all for reaching your milestone! May our Dear Lord continue to bless each and every one of you for years to come!

Birthdays:

<u>First Name</u>	<u>Last Name</u>	<u>Birth Date</u>
Allyn Ace	Agustin	11/2
Wesley	Mintu	11/2
Joseph	Soliven	11/2
Carl	Bugarin	11/4
Tom	Pearson	11/7
Lemuel	Costibolo	11/10
Orlando	Lacro	11/12
Stephan	Perata	11/12
Abner	Aranza	11/12
Mark	Doyle	11/15
Francis	Smith	11/15
Paul	Pashby	11/19
David	Bunger	11/20
Romeo	Galeos	11/23

Service Anniversaries

<u>First Name</u>	<u>Last Name</u>	<u>KofC Anniv</u>	<u>Yrs Svc</u>
Robert	Mirola	11/16	22
Victor	Tinio	11/6	11
Bill	Dublin	11/18	5
Lac	Nguyen	11/18	5
Huy	Vo	11/1	5
Jacob	Ignacio	11/8	4
Raymond	Raymundo	11/25	4
Ray	Lopretto	11/14	3
Stanley	Olivar	11/14	3
Domingo	Abucejo	11/6	2
Porferio	Agbuya	11/6	2
Amador	Bangalan	11/6	2
Maximilian	Bautista	11/6	2
Mel	Flores	11/6	2
William	Hertez	11/16	2
Michael	Javier	11/6	2
Anthony	Quiroz	11/6	2
Jessie	Tafoya	11/6	2
Luis	Alvarado	11/16	1
Alan	Macadangdang	11/16	1
Wesley	Mintu	11/18	1
James	Santos	11/3	1
Allan	Shih	11/16	1

Veterans Day 2021



Veterans Day is a time for all Americans to pay our respect to those who have served our country defending democracy, life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. For one day, we stand united in respect to you, our veterans for your sacrifices.

This holiday started as a day to reflect upon the heroism of those who died in our country's service and was originally called Armistice Day. It fell on Nov. 11 because that is the anniversary of the signing of the Armistice that ended World War I. However, in 1954, the holiday was changed to "Veterans Day" in order to account for all veterans in all wars.

Related: [Learn about the history of Veterans Day](#)

We celebrate and honor America's veterans, men and women, for their patriotism, love of our country and willingness to serve and sacrifice for the common good.

We have many Brother Knights in our council who are veterans. Please take the time to thank them for their service to our country.



November 2, 2021 Special Election

Provided by: SK David Ojeda

As if we did not have voter burn out from the September 14, 2021 California Gubernatorial Recall Election, we encounter yet another election! This election however, is closer to home as it provide us (registered voters) with the opportunity to either approve or disapprove the renewal of an existing Measure voted and passed back in 2013 and is set to expire on June 30, 2022.

Following is a brief summary of Measure A concerning the BERRYESSA UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT:

To renew, without increasing taxes, expiring local elementary and middle school funding that cannot be taken by the State; maintain core academic programs in science, technology, math, reading and writing; attract and retain quality teachers; provide learning technology; keep school libraries open; shall the Berryessa Union School District measure be adopted renewing its existing \$79 annual parcel tax, providing \$1,800,000 annually for 8 years, with citizen oversight, senior exemptions, no funds for administrator salaries, all funds staying local

Following is the County Information Voter Guide link which provides more information on Measure A and voting options and ballot drop-off locations:

<https://eservices.sccgov.org/rov/docs/voterguide/130/SC-002-ENG-508.pdf>

Make you voice heard and vote!



**2021 - 2022 St. Victor Knights of Columbus
Council 4112 Speaker Series Program (Good of the Order)**

Month	Presenter	Topic
July 2021	David Ojeda	Recording Volunteer Hours
August	Mark Doyle	Youth Activity
September	Deacon Carl Bugarin	Faith Formation
October	Bill Wall	Classic Cars
November	Tim Crews	The 4 th Degree Dress
December	Mark Doyle	Faith
January 2022	Basil Cordero	Program Event Update
February	Wesley Mintu	Ushering – Plans for Lent
March	Open	TBD
April	Open	TBD
May	Open	TBD
June	Open	TBD

Please note other topics of interest for future meetings or if you are interested in speaking please contact me at: davidojeda09@yahoo.com or at 1-408-204-3129

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November 2021 Council Activity/Date's:

Council Brothers: mark your calendars and keep an eye on our Council's website calendar for other upcoming events

Tuesday November 2: *Officer and Directors Meeting 6:30 p.m. via Zoom*

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Thursday November 4: *Council Meeting 7:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall*

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Tuesday November 9: *Mobile Food Pantry Distribution* Volunteers needed

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Saturday November 20: *Drive In Food Pantry Distribution* Volunteers needed

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Tuesday November 23: *Mobile Food Pantry Distribution* Volunteers needed

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Tuesday November 30: *Officer and Directors Meeting via Zoom*

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Brother Knights don't forget to log your volunteer hours on our council website: St. Victor Council #4112 Member Login <http://www.kofc4112.org/>

Your login credentials are membership number (found on your membership card) and birthday.

Final Words and Closing:

My Brother Knight's as you know the number of COVID cases continue to climb. The majority of the cases are the unvaccinated with some breakthrough cases being reported. If you have not been vaccinated or know of someone who is not vaccinated, please for your health's sake and the sake of the general population get vaccinated! The following chart put's things in perspective:

	Cases	Deaths
World-Wide	245,020,819	4,972,469
United States	45,703,978	741,231

Source: NPR.Org

The following table illustrates the inoculation progress for both the United States and the state of California:

How much of the population has been vaccinated?		How efficiently are states administering their doses?			
STATE	% OF POP. WITH AT LEAST ONE DOSE	% OF POP. FULLY VACCINATED	DOSES ADMINISTERED	DOSES DISTRIBUTED	% DOSES USED
United States	66.5%	57.5%	416,154,424	507,637,305	82%
California	74.1%	61.0%	53,503,602	61,979,205	86%

Source: NPR.Org

May we continue to pray for those recently deceased, our brothers and sisters on our prayer list, for the caregivers the unsung heroes who provide comfort for the sick and dying and may we pray for each other during these difficult and challenging times.

Prayer List

Dorothy Baniqued	David Perzinski
Shirley Barnes	Mike O'Connell
Beth Brown	Abbigail Rodriguez
David Bungler	Nelson Sagad
Lemuel Costibolo	Briana Shull
Rufino Eduardo Del Rosario	Wayne Shull
Elsie & Jake Ignacio	Pat Smith
Fr. Candido Lim	Grace Valdez
Gerrie Lum (Wes Akau's Family)	David Vasquez
Mildred Paras	

Provided by SK Alex Agustin

Until next month: stay safe, stay healthy and stay informed.