



# The Knights Review



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November 2017

## Grand Knight's Message



To all Brother Knights and their families,

Happy Thanksgiving and Merry Christmas from our family to yours! It's that time again that we celebrate the Holidays with family and friends. May your holidays be filled with peace, joy and the love of Christ, as well as blessings of good health. Let us remember our loved ones that are sick and recovering, also those that have passed on. Let us thank our military when we see them. Their service and sacrifice makes our holidays safe and secure; remember our freedom isn't free.

I will try to get a spot on the church hall event calender for our Christmas Party and the Award Ceremony. Brothers and families, we would appreciate if you would bring some potluck dish to share with everyone. Nida and I will provide pies, cake and ice cream.

Brother Knights, thank you for all you do, your efforts and participations are highly appreciated, and also extend my appreciation to your beloved spouses and the rest of your families. We are off to a good start this year. Let us keep it up.

I'd like to mention that the Council Meeting for this month of November will be on the 16th, since most of us are able to attend. Thanks for the calls on this meeting schedule.

God bless us all, and God bless America.

Grand Knight Chris and Lady Knight Nida

## Deputy Grand Knight's Report

Brother Knights,

Let us pray for peace during this Thanksgiving and Christmas, and especially for those that have lost their lives, and their families, because of senseless killing, as occurred in a Church this past Sunday at Sutherland Springs. We should continue to be vigilant as husbands, fathers, and Knights to protect our families and loved ones through prayer, and leadership by example. We are in very troubling times now, and we need to bond as Brothers, and work together to strengthen our family, parish and community.

Join us at our meetings, we start with prayer.

Vivat Jesus,

Jim Irwin, Deputy Grand Knight



## Knights of Columbus

5655 US Hwy 87E  
San Antonio, TX 78222

Invites you and your family

Saturday, November 11, 2017  
7:30 - 11:00 PM



Adult tickets: \$20

Child (6-12): \$10

Under 6: Free



**Tickets are limited, so buy your tickets today!**  
**Available from Santo Niño Knights of Columbus.**

Proceeds help support our charities and Parish

# Pray Everyday

## Our Financial Secretary Corner

### Brother Knights:

If you have any questions, or concerns regarding your membership, then please email your FS, Lio Sanchez at [rsanchez6886@yahoo.com](mailto:rsanchez6886@yahoo.com). Also, if you wish to no longer be a Knight, then email Bro. Lio with a brief explanation.

Remember: Annual dues are only \$25 per year, and it can be paid at our website: <http://www.kofc15343.org>. For those Brothers in arrears with annual dues, we offer a reprieve and only ask for the current year's dues of \$25.

We have our monthly meetings at our Santo Niño Parish Hall on the fourth Thursday of each month (lasting approx. 1 1/2 hrs), pray the rosary, eat, and have a brief business meeting. We understand that if this once-a-month meeting date and time may be difficult to attend, and if so, we would like to hear from you. You can email Bro. Lio at the email address above, or call him at 210-284-3826, and let us know what you think. Also, please let he know your correct email address, cellphone number, and when your mailing address changes. Thank you.

If you have some ideas, or suggestions on ways that the Knights of Columbus could better serve our Lord, parish, and community, then email our Grand Knights, SK Chris Anders at [socksproductionsdj@gmail.com](mailto:socksproductionsdj@gmail.com).

## November Meeting Dates

Assembly 1855, Bishop Bernard F Popp  
Fourth Degree Meeting  
Santo Niño Parish Hall  
5655 Rigsby Ave  
San Antonio, TX  
**Thursday, November 9, 2017, 7pm**

San Antonio Archdiocese Chapter Meeting  
St Brigid Council 11596  
6907 Kitchener  
San Antonio, TX  
**Wednesday, November 15, 2017, 7pm**  
Meal is included

## Our Council 15343 Meeting

Santo Niño Parish Hall  
5655 Rigsby Ave  
San Antonio, TX  
**Thursday, November 16, 2017, 7pm**  
Meal is included



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## Knights of Columbus INSURANCE



As a Knights of Columbus Insurance certificate holder, here are two free fraternal benefit programs exclusive to Knights and their families.

**Family Fraternal Benefit Program:** This program from Knights of Columbus makes available to eligible family members five distinct types of assistance. To be eligible, the member must be in good standing with his Council and either he or his wife must be insured under a Knights of Columbus certificated requiring an annual premium of at least

\$150, or providing at least \$5,000 permanent life insurance coverage.

- A. Life Insurance Benefits: The Order's various life insurance plans are available through our representatives for a healthy child. But what about children who are physically challenged or mentally impaired: In these cases, Knights of Columbus offers:
1. A \$5,000 life insurance plan, at standard rates, for a members uninsurable or rated newborn child, provided the application is made before the child is 61 days old.
  2. A \$5,000 life insurance plan, at a rated premium, for a member's uninsurable child between the ages of 60 days and 18 years.
  3. Up to \$5,000 life insurance at standard rates for a mentally impaired child, otherwise in good health, between the ages of 3 years and 18 years.

To be eligible for these three benefits, the child's brothers and sisters, who have not been denied for insurance, must be

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insured under an individual Knights of Columbus certificate.

#### B. Death Benefits

1. A \$1,500 death benefit to the family when a child dies less than 61 days after birth.
2. A \$750 death benefit to the family when a child is stillborn at least 20 weeks after conception. (The Order affirms that life begins at conception. In this instance, the benefit requires a certified death certificate for the stillborn child, hence the 20-week rule.



### November Birthdays

We wish a Happy Birthday to the following Brother Knights in November.

- Christopher M Powao.....3rd
- Michael W Roberson.....7th
- Warren A Knowles.....11th
- Adam L Valenzuela.....27th

### Our Prayers Offered

We pray for the recovery, and needs of the following Brother Knights, and their families

- Rodrigo (Rod) O Tapawan
- Michael Roberson
- Lupita Perez, wife of Brother Rolando Perez

### In Memoriam - Our Fallen Knights

- Eddie G Cantu.....1944 - 2011
- Frank A Gonzalez..... 1971 - 2015
- Rochester (Roy) Whitaker..... 1948 - 2017



### Fourth Degree Corner

#### Upcoming District Fall-Outs November to December 2017

Sunday, December 3, 2017  
 Annual Celebration of Our Lady of Guadalupe  
 Federation Mass  
 St. Mark the Evangelist  
 1602 Thousand Oaks  
 San Antonio, TX 78232  
 Mass: 2pm  
 Showtime: 1:30pm



The new Fourth Degree Uniform is available at [KnightsGear.org](http://KnightsGear.org). There will be a 25% discount if you order before Nov. 30, 2017

### Council 15343 Officers 2017-2018

- Chaplain: Rev. Father Arnold Ibarra
- Grand Knight: SK Chris Anders.....210-387-7848
- Deputy Grand Knight: SK Jim Irwin.....210-508-4653
- Financial Secretary: Lio Sanchez.....210-284-3826
- Treasurer: Eduardo Candelaria
- Chancellor: SK Peter McNamee
- Recorder: Michael Roberson
- Warden: Robert L Mendez
- Advocate: SK Dr. Ubaldo Beato, Jr
- Inside Guard: SK Henry E Mendez
- Outside Guard: Juan M Anaya
- Trustee - 1 year: SK Rene H Ona
- Trustee - 2 year: SK Dr. Teodorico H Jaceldo
- Trustee - 3 year: Sean Flatley

