

Our Lady of Manaoag  
Council 15343



# The Knights Review



2018 - 2019 Fraternal Year, [www.kofc15343.org](http://www.kofc15343.org)

December 2018

## Grand Knight's Message



Your's in service to the Lord and church,

SK Chris Anders  
Worthy Grand Knight  
Council 15343



**San Antonio Mid-Year Meeting**  
Saturday, January 5, 2019 , starting at 8am, at  
St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church, 4201  
DeZavala Rd, San Antonio, TX 78249.  
for ALL Council officers, including Program  
and Membership Directors.

Wives are invited as there will be a Ladies  
Event, (Separate from the men) hosted by  
Veronica Rabey...featuring foods from the  
Philippines



# Pray Everyday

## Our Financial Secretary Corner



Brother Knights:

*Dues notices (2019) have been sent out. Please pay your annual \$25 dues, with either*

*by personal check made out to K of C Council 15343, and mailed to Rosalio Sanchez, Jr, 2543 Amity Rd, San Antonio, Texas 78210, or at our website:*

*[www.kofc15343.org](http://www.kofc15343.org), and click on button 'Pay Dues'.*

**Remember, demonstrate your Faith In Action, be being a man of faith with the Knights of Columbus....working together, supporting our parish community, and charitable causes that we support, standing tall as an example to all. ....a Knight. Don't lose this by not paying your annual dues (\$25). God bless you, and your family. Have a blessed Christmas!**

Lio Sanchez,  
210-284-3826  
rsanchez6886@yahoo.com

## December Meeting Dates

### Assembly 1855, Bishop Bernard F Popp Fourth Degree Meeting

Santo Niño Parish Hall  
5655 Rigsby Ave, San Antonio, TX  
Thursday, December 13, 2018, 7pm, meal is included.

### San Antonio Archdiocese Chapter Meeting

Schertz Council 6358, Makulski Hall, 509 Schertz Parkway, Schertz, TX, Wednesday, December 19, 2018, 7PM...Open meeting, wife's invited, meal is included.

### Our Council 15343 Meeting

Santo Niño Parish Hall 5655 Rigsby Ave  
San Antonio, TX Thursday, January 24, 2019, 7pm Meal is included



## Knights of Columbus INSURANCE



George E. Martinez, FIC, FICF  
Field Agent  
830-279-8411, [www.geornez@kofc.org](http://www.geornez@kofc.org)

### ADVENT: A Season Of Renewal

Reenacting the Christmas story. Collecting clothes and food. Providing entertainment for orphans. Simply praying and lighting a candle with the family. These activities are ways members of the Knights of Columbus promote Advent and the Keep Christ in Christmas program. Keeping Christ in Christmas is an opportunity of shifting peoples' preoccupation with materialism during a commercialized holiday to spreading the light of Christ and the spirit of giving within the family, council, parish and community. Knights have emphasized this since its founding to the current Advent season. Many councils annually collect clothing and food and sponsor toy drives, all for neighbors in need. Others solemnly light and bless Christmas trees at their parishes or an approved location.



Throughout His ministry, Jesus preached that secret, unrequited giving is an obligation. We must "*Share with him who has none.*" Since its founding, Knights around the world have exemplified these teachings, especially around Christmas. Such giving reveals the underlying truth: that faith with works is alive. It is innate in every Knight to apply their faith, to put it into action, because every man, woman and child is a brother and sister of God. Have a wonderful Advent. (Andrew Fowler, KofC)

# Important Upcoming Events

**Major Degree (2nd & 3rd )  
Saturday, January 19, 2019, from 7am to 1pm  
Hosted by St. Brigid Council 11596  
Located at St. Brigid Catholic Church  
6907 Kitchner Rd, San Antonio, TX 78240**



Visit our Chapter website at:  
<http://www.kofcknights.org/ChapterSite/?D=4>

## December Birthdays

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

- Sirlance Nolasco.....4th
- Deacon Jun Reyes.....5th
- Jimmy Tello.....10th
- Ricardo Maldonado.....14th

## Our Prayers Offered

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

Rodrigo (Rod) O Tapawa

## In Memoriam - Our Fallen Knights

- Eddie G Cantu.....1944 - 2011
- Frank A Gonzalez..... 1971 - 2015
- SK Gerald D Langloss, Sr.....1933 - 2017
- Segundino (Ding) Ucab.....1948 - 2018
- Rochester (Roy) Whitaker..... 1948 - 2017



## Fourth Degree Corner

**Fourth Degree Exemplification  
Date & location pending**

**Upcoming Events:**

For Assembly turnout information: call SK Paul  
Gurley, Worthy Faithful Navigator, Assembly 1855, at  
210-213-1570



The Fourth Degree uniform  
website is ready to take  
orders.

[www.kofcuniform.com](http://www.kofcuniform.com),

as per SK Herman Poothong,  
District Master.

## Council 15343 Officers 2018-2019

- Chaplain: Rev. Father Arnold Ibarra
- Grand Knight: SK Chris Anders.....210-455-5808
- Deputy Grand Knight: Russell Cantu.....210-878-5268
- Financial Secretary: Lio Sanchez.....210-284-3826
- Treasurer: Ed Candelaria
- Chancellor: Robert Mendez
- Recorder: Mike Roberson
- Warden: Juan Anaya
- Advocate: SK Dr. Ubaldo Beato
- Inside Guard: Victor Figueroa
- Outside Guard: Jeremiah Anders
- Trustee - 1 year: Rene Ona
- Trustee - 2 year: SK Henry Mendez
- Trustee - 3 year: SK Dr. Ted Jaceldo





### Pro Life – Activities within San Antonio Area

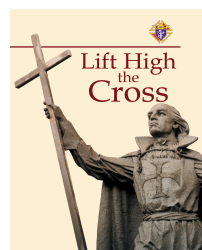
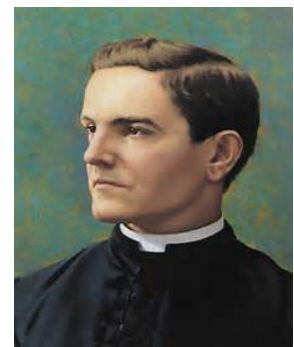
Saturday, January 26, 2019...The 2019 Texas Rally for Life, in Austin.  
12noon: Meet at 17th & N. Congress Ave.  
<http://www.texasrallyforlife.org>



### Special Olympics – Activities within San Antonio area



Please contact SK Henry Gonzales for information on how we can help  
210-849-6616, or [kofcsotx20@gmail.com](mailto:kofcsotx20@gmail.com)



## District Deputy Corner

Fraternal Mission Online Training  
Webinar at Supreme website: <http://www.kofc.org>

Greetings Santo Niño Council 15343!

### ACE WINGS ACTIVITY

During the November 2018 meeting, I brought up the State Council of Texas program called the “Ace” Wings. This is a pro-life initiative by the Texas Knights of Columbus to earn their “Wings” being a Pro Life Warrior. January is a very active Pro Life month upcoming in January, with prayer service and a March for Life both in Washington D.C. and in Austin, Texas. But there are Pro Life activities that are held in the local area, and it’s an opportunity to earn your Wings for Pro Life.

St. Jerome’s Council 4315 and Holy Name Council 8789 have Pro Life weekends every month. St. Jerome’s is the 3rd weekend of the month, and Holy Name is the 4th weekend of the month. I will make sure I have plenty of applications with me as there seemed to be an interest in this program.

### ANNUAL SURVEY OF FRATERNAL ACTIVITY (#1728)

The Annual Survey of Fraternal Activity (#1728) measures each council’s success throughout the calendar year. The combined results of each council’s good works is a powerful testament of the charity that the Order as a whole provides to our parishes and communities. Please help your executive team (Grand Knight, Trustees, and Financial Secretary) by providing feedback on your great work done in the parish and community activities that you have been involved. The Annual Survey of Fraternal Activities are due January 31, 2019.

### SPECIAL OLYMPICS

Each year, we are asked to submit a Special Olympics form 4584 which helps the Texas Knights of Columbus and Supreme count the councils activities towards this program. Taking part in this program and submitting the Partnership Profile Report with Special Olympics (#4584) helps your jurisdiction receive a donation from the Supreme Council for your jurisdiction’s Special Olympics organization.

### FREE THROW CONTEST

The Free Throw Contest is upcoming in February 2019. Get the word out to your community about the Free Throw contest. This is an easy community activity that will show the Council’s active role they play in the lives of our youth. Boys and Girls are both allowed to participate, ages 9 – 14.

And finally, here’s wishing you and yours a glorious Advent season, a Merry Christmas, and a Happy New Year. May the new year bring the happiest of times, and heathiest of times, and prosperous of time.

God Bless You and Yours



SK Paul Gurley, DD54

