Our Lady of Manaoag Council 15343



# The Knights Review



## 2018 - 2019 Fraternal Year, www.kofc15343.org

## February 2019

## **Grand Knight's Message**





Happy Halenstine Day Make special time with your wifes, and

family this month. Bring candy, flowers, or a special meal out. Also bring them to our St. Patrick's Dinner & Dance, March 16th. Fun for the entire family, plus you're supporting our charitable goals, and parish by doing so.

This month Reminders: Pay your dues (\$25) Attend a Council meeting..show you can act on your faith.

Your's in service to the Lord and church,

SK Chris Anders Worthy Grand Knight Council 15343



## **Pray Everyday**

Note from Brother Victor Figueroa, IG

## Daily Tips for Working with God to Uplift Your Spirit

I. Pray and meditate

- 2. Make a mental or written list of your blessings in life
- 3. Participate in hobbies, volunteer
- work or fun activities with others/ Socialize the upbeat people
- 4. Read positive materials/ listen to uplifting music/view positve shows..and spend less time with

negative ones

- 5. Incorporate healthier foods and physical activity into your life
- 6. Practice deep breathing and being
- mindful of the the present

7. Enjoy nature

All of these suggestions can help you to replace negative thoughts and feelings with more positve ones, and allow more of God's inspiration, peace and joy into your mind and your life

## Knights of Columbus

Our Lady of Manaoag Council 15343 Bishop Bernard F Popp Assembly 1855 Senyo Santo Nito de Cobu Catholic Church 5655 US Hwy 87 E. San Antonio. Texas 78222 Invites you, and your family; Saturday, March 16, 2019 at 7:30PM Saint Patrick Dinner/Dance



St. Patrick Enslaved as a young teen by pagans and Druids, He turned to

God while in captivity. Escaping at age 20, He returned to his

and began studying for the priesthood. He preached throughout Ireland converting many for 40 years.

Patrick used the shamrock to explain the Trinity. He worked many miracles and wrote of his love of God in Confessions. After

years of poverty, traveling and enduring much suffering he died March 17, 461

Adult Tickets: \$20 Child (ages 5 to 10 ): \$10 Child below age of 5: Free

Sponsorship tables (reserved seating 8) available: \$300 For more information: 210-699-6537

Get your tickets early! Seating is limited. Tickets available from any Knight (Council 15343, or Assembly 1855), or by calling 210-699-6537

> Choice of either grilled pork loin or grilled marinated chicken breast, as the main course

as the main course of your meal, together with all the trimings. Tea or lemonaide

included. Have a fun time dancing til 11:30PM www.kofc15343.org

## **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 our to <u>K of C Council</u> <u>15343</u>, and mailed to Rosalio Sanchez, Jr, 2543 Amity Rd, San Antonio, Texas 78210, or at our website:

<u>www.kofc15343.org</u>, 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 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



## **February Meeting Dates**

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

Santo Niño Parish Hall 5655 Rigsby Ave, San Antonio, TX Wednesday, February 13, 2019, 7pm, meal is included.

## San Antonio Archdiocese Chapter Meeting

Assumption Seminary Council 13523, 2600 W. Woodlawn, San Antonio, TX Wednesday, February 20th, 7PM., meal is included.

> Our Council 15343 Meeting Santo Niño Parish Hall 5655 Rigsby Ave San Antonio, TX Thursday, February 28, 2019, 7pm Meal is included





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Prayer from Brother Victor Figueroa, IG

Dear God.

Uplift my spirit, please show me the way to grow closer to You, and find peace in each day. If I'm discouraged, please help me to know Your spirit is within me, wherever I go. Help me to remember that Your light within can clear doubtful thoughts, and change frowns to grins. As I now focus on what's well and dear,



on positive moments, that make You feel near...On pleasant music, the soft, subtle breeze, the help from a stranger, the flowers and trees...Uplift my spirit so I daily do see Your goodness and Grace are all around me!

Thank You God for Your Love! In You There is Always Hope! Amen

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## Important Upcoming Events

Major Degree (2nd & 3rd ) Saturday, March 30, 2019, from 7am to 1pm Hosted by Holy Trinity Catholic Council 9967 Located at Holy Trinity Catholic Church, 20523 Huebner Rd, San Antonio, TX 78258

Brothers....Our Council 15343 have our annual ST Patrick's Dinner/Dance scheduled on Saturday March 16th, and 7:30pm. We need your help and participation with this fun event. To do so, please call 210-699-6537.



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



## Fourth Degree Corner

Fourth Degree Exemplification Date & location pending

Jpcoming 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,

as per SK Herman Poothong, District Master.

## February Birthdays

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

Russell Cantu	2nd
Rodrigo Tapawan	4th
Dr. Leoniso Lim	5th
Raymond Jeeves	7th
Brian Stahl	7th
Dr. Felix Lao	13th
Alejandro Gamboa	15th
Norman Jacobson	16th
Mario Sevilla	22nd
William (Bill) Wolff	27th

#### 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 Cantu1944 - 2011	
Frank A Gonzalez 1971 - 2015	
SK Gerald D Langloss, Sr1933 - 2017	
Segundino (Ding) Ucab1948 - 2018	
Rochester (Rov) Whitaker 1948 - 2017	



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## Pro Life - Activities within San Antonio Area

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



## **District Deputy Corner**

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

#### **Greetings My Brothers**

The Knights of Columbus Audit is due February 15, 2019. This is for the time period of July – December 2018.

Just a reminder to pay your dues for Fraternal Year 2019. Financial Secretaries work very hard in getting membership their invoices to pay their dues. Please help your council and submit as soon as you can. If you are experiencing a hardship, please call your Financial Secretary or Grand Knight and explain the situation you are experiencing. I am sure the council will be very understanding of your situation, and I bet will be more than willing to work with you.

Those who do not pay their dues, will be sent a Knights Alert letter and will begin the process of being suspended from the Knights of Columbus. If you are no longer interested in being in the Knights of Columbus, we do understand that it is not for everyone. Please be courteous and call the Financial Secretary or the Grand Knight of your intentions. We strive to make this painless as possible with very little effort on your part.

The Lenten Season is coming upon us. This is a time of fasting, abstinence, and alms giving as we recommit to our faith.

Our Faith in Action program gives us the opportunity to be leaders in this re-commitment with these actions:

40 Days of Lent - Consider having a canned food drive to restock your food pantries within your parish.

Stations of the Cross - Consider hosting the Stations of the Cross

Marian Icon - Consider hosting Our Lady and to pray for those who are persecuted

There are many other programs that can be added to this list. Get inputs and feedback from your brother Knights on a program they would like to see accomplished, and execute on that plan. This will go a long way to enhance the Knights of Columbus reputation as an evangelical and prayerful group that may help in gaining congregational support, and possibly further your recruitment initiatives.

**God Bless You and Yours** 

#### **God Bless America!**



SK Paul Gurley, DD54 Navigator, Assembly 1855 210-213-1570

