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# Calendar of Events

- **Nov 1** 1<sup>st</sup> Degree or Degree Team Practice
- Nov 2 4 PWID Drive
- Nov 4 Pancake Breakfast/Blood Drive
- Nov 8 Business Meeting
- Nov 10 Assembly Hosted Veteran's Benefit Dinner
- Nov 11 Veteran's Day
- Nov 16 Family Movie Night (Free!)
- Nov 22 Thanksgiving (no meeting)
- Nov 29 Social Meeting

# **Knight Meeting Times**

GK Joe Gulotta

Pay no attention to those who talk behind your back...it simply means you are two steps ahead of them.

Attitude and Perception are everything. Be kinder, more caring and patient than necessary. Everyone you meet is fighting some kind of battle. Life may not be the party we hoped for, but while we're here...we might as well dance.

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Are you a provider or a protector? When it comes down to protecting your family, life insurance is the smart choice.

Life insurance protects against dying too soon or living too long. It also provides mortgage protection; enables your children to get an education; allows you to have money for final expenses and emergencies; or it can be used to help as a retirement fund.

The life insurance you purchase today can supply your family with the money needed to protect their goals and dreams.

Don't just provide for today – protect for tomorrow. Contact me about your options to become an insured member.

Jay Eisele Fraternal Benefits Agent 520-204-4993 520-207-5952

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## **Prayer Intentions**



Anelli, Peter Aultman, Angela Blanchard, Nancy Cisek, Emily Donnelly, Frank Dugan, Ginnie Dugan, Art Henrich, Larry Klaum, Susan Kuchynka, Don Maurice, Terry Mrazik, Chris Mrazik, Tony Robles, Leo Vilas, Mike

To add or remove someone from this list, contact Deacon Dennis Ranke, 885-8145 or Bob Messenger, 290-8671 or email: bmessenger@kofctucson.com.

#### A prayer for healing

Dear God, we place our worries in Your hands. We place our sick in Your care and humbly ask that You restore Your Servants to health again. Above all, grant us the grace to acknowledge Your holy will and know that whatsoever You do, You do for the love of us. Amen.

#### **All Souls Day Prayer**

Merciful Father, hear our prayer and console us. As we renew our faith in Your Son, whom You raised from the dead, strengthen our hope that all our departed brothers and sisters will share in His resurrection, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen

Michael Aicher Angelo G. Ayala Arthur W. Bruggeman William F. Bullivant Leonard H. Cacciacarro Sr. Dominic A. Chiaro Kenneth R. Clark George Clendaniel Richard Donahue

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**All Souls Day** 

Raymond E. Gunter Carl A. Jokerst Patrick Kelly Charles F. Klees Charles Knapp George H. LaFlamme Terrance B. Langen John W. McIntee Adolph De Nolf Robert A. Nuffer Walter L. Olson Harold L. Pieper Rex Redhouse Peter Romano Milton L. Ronda William Vazquez

# <u>Awards</u>

# Phil McElfresh: Knight of the Month for October 2007

Brother Phil is a member of the 2008 State Convention Committee. For his support in Council Activities and willingness to step up when needed.

Rick and Kathy Madden: Family of the Month for October 2007

Both Rick and Kathy are, "Go to People", both for the Council and the Parish. They helped sign up volunteers for the PWID and secured the supplies needed for the start of Donut Sales.

#### Pat Maurice – Career Knight (50 Years)

On November 1, 1957 Pat Maurice became a Knight in Council 3844, South Sioux City, Nebraska. He originally was introduced to the Knights by several of his customers (he was a Conoco Dealer) who also went to St Michaels Church in South Sioux City. When he cam to Tucson he joined Council 1200 in 1963 and transferred to our Council during Nick Romano's tenure as Grand Knight. He has been an active member holding a position as Warden for several years, selling donuts and collecting donations during our Persons with Intellectual Disabilities (PWID) drives each year. His selfless generosity of time and energy to our Council is only dwarfed by his commitment to providing for his family's well-being; in particular his devotion to caring for his son who has down-syndrome.

Congratulations on attaining one half century of service in fulfilling the efforts of the Knights of Columbus!

## Presentations to be made at our 29 November Social Meeting......join us.

#### 2008 State Convention Information

As the host council for the 2008 State Convention, we have the pleasure of providing entertainment and hospitality for the 250 plus Knights of Columbus and their families attending from all over Arizona. The undertaking of this magnitude will require a lot of planning. We expect to recoup expenses once registration for the Convention, Tours, and Program Book Ads begin to come in.

With the support of all council members we can make this convention a FIRST CLASS EVENT. If we all work at getting ads for the Program Book our financial rewards can be sizeable. Advertising Application forms can be picked up at our meetings or at our folder in the Parish Office. Please sell, sell, sell space for the Program Book. If you are a business man you might consider placing an ad. We are not too early for this May 2008 Convention. Many businesses budget their annual donations and ad campaigns far in advance.

The only restriction we have is that we can not sell advertising space to insurance companies.

Convention Chairman: DD & Sir Knight (SK) Peter Karculias Financial: Fin/Sec & SK Joe Keaney Hotel: Council Director & SK Carl Seymour Sales and Promotion: GK & SK Joe Gulotta Programming: (Currently Vacant). We can use a good man to be responsible for Masses, Ladies Program, Dinners, and Entertainment. (Dinners have already been pre-arranged with the Doubletree Hotel.)

Do you still have questions? Any of the SK's above can answer them. Start selling today and good luck!

Grand Knight Joe G







Saturday November 10, 2007 5:30 – 8:30 PM St. Joseph Church, Parish Hall 215 S. Craycroft

Adults Children under 12

\$18 \$12

Cocktail social 5:30 PM - Dinner 6:30 PM

# Keynote Speaker

# Joseph P. Kerns

Joe was a gunner on a B-24 Liberator Bomber during WW II, flying out of the Aleutian Islands on missions over Japan. His aircraft was forced to land in Russian territory after suffering battle damage. Joe's experiences thereafter as a detainee make a remarkable story!

# Veterans! Wear your uniforms!

Bring any kind of military memorabilia for display!

Sponsored by Knights of Columbus – 4th Degree Msgr. James T. Weber Assembly 2152

# "Serving Those Who Served"

Proceeds will be donated to assist needy veterans at the Southern Arizona VA Hospital

For tickets contact Dick Goddard 298-8267 Tickets are also available at the Parish Office

# WHAT'S COMING UP!!

# **NOVEMBER**

**2-4 – <u>PWID</u>** continues at different locations. Please sign up with Joe Mrazik (885-0820).

4 – <u>Pancake Breakfast/Blood Drive</u> - Check the St Pius X Community News and the Power Point for details. Breakfast location will be the Arizona Room. Cookie Seymour is planning for a large turn out. We want to see you, your family, and friends attending. Work the PWID drive and enjoy a great breakfast on the Knights.

10<sup>th</sup> – <u>Veterans Benefit Dinner</u> – This event is hosted by the Weber

Assembly. See page four or visit our website (<u>www.kofctucson.com</u>) and go to the Awards and Events page for details.

16<sup>th</sup> – <u>Family Movie Night</u> – Free Movie Night on Friday November 16<sup>th</sup> 2007 in the Arizona Room (gymnasium) Doors open at 6:30pm and movie starts at 7:00pm.
The Knights of Columbus will provide Free Soda and Popcorn.
Everyone is invited to come and have a good time.
We will be showing Charlotte's Web rated G for Everyone.

# **DECEMBER**

2 – <u>Breakfast with Santa</u> – Enjoy seeing the children sitting on Santa's knee, smiles on their faces and the aroma of pancakes and syrup in the air as we once again have our annual Breakfast with Santa.

21 – <u>Council Pot Luck</u> – Bring your favorite dish to share with our Brother Knights and their family and enjoy an evening out at our Council Pot Luck to be held in the Arizona Room. We need a little help to set up and break down so plan on showing early and help us put things away at the end to make this enjoyable

31 – <u>New Year's Eve Dance</u> – Kick up your heels and everyone have a great time at our New Year's Eve Dance!

for all. Check the December Newsletter for complete details.

Be sure to visit <u>www.kofctucson.com</u> for up-to-date information, pictures, contacts and highlights of upcoming events!











# Happy Thankseiving! What are you thankful for?



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