

St Pius X Council 10762
Newsletter



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Brothers,

If you have cable, there are a whole lot of things that are available for us to watch. Much of it may not be worth watching, and there are a few things that only a few of us might enjoy. One of the things that has captured my fancy is "How the Universe Works". It is a series that gives a lot of information about stars, galaxies, super nova's, pulsars, etc.

In describing these various things, reference is made to the tremendous amount of energy that is contained in our universe as well as the tremendous number of stars and systems that are out there. I sit in awe as I listen to all the information we know about our universe.

While I am impressed what we have learned so much, what really has me in awe is that God is the source of all this. We seem to accept it when we hear that God is all knowing, and all powerful. When I learn about the universe, that omnipotence and omniscience is so much more

evident. We are learning more and more about what is taking place in our universe, but we may never learn why it is taking place.

I guess we don't need to know what God's plan is. We just need to accept that God has a plan, and accept that we are part of that plan. We might be only a little part of a huge universe, but all parts are important to God.

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Meeting / Event	Date	Time	Location
1st Degree or Degree Team Practice (Candidates report at 7:00 P.M.)	1st Thursday of every month	7:30 P.M.	Hopi Room - St Pius
Officer Meeting Business Meeting	2nd Thursday of every month	6:30 P.M. 7:30 P.M.	Kino Room - St Pius Hopi Room - St Pius
Officer Meeting Business Meeting	4th Thursday of every month	6:30 P.M. 7:30 P.M.	Kino Room - St Pius Hopi Room - St Pius



105th Arizona State Convention - Right Around the Corner!

IMPORTANT NOTICE

All of you should know that our Council is hosting the 2012 State Knights of Columbus Convention on May 18 & 19 at the Doubletree Hotel.

But do you know that everyone is invited to join in the activities? The committee has gone through a great effort to plan social events. You need not be a representative to the convention in order to enjoy some of the programs available.

Please go to our web site (www.kofctucson.com) and review how you can become involved.

The Ladies Luncheon, and The Ladies Tour, are two events your lady will enjoy. We need you to sign her up today.

Our Country Store will have items of interest for all Knights and Ladies alike. At certain times during the convention there are a number of Hospitality Rooms open offering free refreshments for Knights and their Ladies.

Enjoy one of the few times the State Convention is held in Tucson!

Birthdays in May



- John T Farrell..... 0503
- Renato V Miravite 0503
- Christopher J Ortiz..... 0504
- Emmanuel Steenbakker..... 0508
- Lawrence J Hannappel..... 0509
- Ronald L Krueger 0509
- Raymond F Skoda 0510
- Jose M Garcia 0512
- George R Pollock..... 0515
- Donald G Mccomb 0519
- Wesley W Gallop 0522
- Joseph R Flocco 0527
- Anthony J Mastrangelo 0529
- Stephen T Spicker 0529

For the month of May the Knights below are recognized for the number of years of service to our organization.

Forty Years

Harold Brocoletti Jr

A Special **“Thank You”** to all Mothers on this special day set aside to honor the important role you carry. Your love and support is the brick and mortar in our families and paramount in all our successes.

Happy Mothers Day!



Prayer INTENTIONS

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
whatever You do,
You do for the love of us.
Amen.

Peter Anelli	Tony Marino
Angela Aultman	Josephine Morales
Nancy Blanchard	Jim Moriset
Alice De Noguean	Chris Mrazik
Carmen Donnelly	Chad Mullenberg
Ginny Dugan	Gary Nelson
Linda Grell	Jack Perry
Sam Grorud	Steve Pieper
Jerry Hennelly	Carl Seymour
Joe Kerns	Mike Vilas
Rick Madden	

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

Brothers, please review the names on the prayer list. If you wish to be removed or add your loved one, please let me know. Thank you.

Brother Bob Messenger

The VANTAGE Annuity Advantage

With the instability in the stock market in recent years, you might be concerned about funding a comfortable, worry-free retirement. The Knights of Columbus can help. We offer a traditional Flexible Premium Annuity and a VANTAGE Single Premium Deferred Annuity. One of these products may be part of the answer for you.

With a single deposit of \$25,000 or more, the VANTAGE allows you to lock-in a guaranteed interest rate for five years. In addition, there are several attractive renewal options once the five-year period has expired, including keeping the funds in another VANTAGE Annuity, placing them in a more traditional flexible premium annuity where the interest rate can be changed on a quarterly or more frequent basis or – in the 30-day period prior to the fifth and tenth policy anniversaries – withdrawing the funds without a surrender charge.

The VANTAGE Annuity, along with our Flexible Premium Annuity, both provide the guarantees that Knights of Columbus members have come to expect – guaranteed interest rates along with absolute safety of principal. In addition, we can easily accommodate rollovers and transfers free of charge (the other company may have a transfer charge, however).

I will be happy to meet with you at your convenience – in your home – to discuss with you in detail how the Knights of Columbus can help you to secure the comfortable, worry-free retirement you want and deserve.

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May 5 - Religious Appreciation Dinner

RELIGIOUS APPRECIATION Celebration Saturday, May 5th in the Arizona Room from 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM

6:00-7:00 PM - Happy Hour - Refreshments
7:00-8:00 PM - Dinner and Dessert served
Entertainment 8:00-9:00 PM

Celebrate our priests, sisters and St. Pius Staff for all they do for us! \$13 per person or \$25 a couple.
Tickets available in the office.

May 6 - Community Breakfast and Blood Drive

May 12 - St. Pius X hosts Second and Third Degrees

May 13 - Mothers Day

May 17 - Ascension Thursday - Holy Day of Obligation

Ascension Day is one of the earliest Christian festivals dating back to the year 68 CE. According to the New Testament in the Bible, Jesus Christ met several times with his disciples during the 40 days after his resurrection to instruct them on how to carry out his teachings. It is believed that on the 40th day he took them to the Mount of Olives, where they watched as he ascended to heaven.

May 18 thru 20 - State Convention

We will soon be hosting our second State Convention at the Doubletree Hotel on Alvernon. All current Knights are welcome to attend. Check out our website, www.kofctucson.com for information and submit your registration form.

May 27 - Pentecost Sunday

June 8 - Night at The Ball Park

\$10 tickets for \$8. Contact Ron Blanchard at 296-4331

June 14 - Election of Officer's

This is a very important Business Meeting and it is hoped every member will attend. The election process is outlined by Supreme and State. The Trustees will present the slate of officers for the second time. If there is more than one person running for the same office there is a run off written ballot. Nominations for any office may be made from the floor. Please take this election seriously. Those elected will represent the St. Pius X Knights; the future of our Council is in your hands.

June 17 - Fathers Day





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Be sure to visit
www.kofctucson.com
for up-to-date information,
pictures, contacts and
calendar of upcoming events!

MAY 17 - ASCENSION THURSDAY



VISIT OUR WEBSITE!!

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Karate Classes

For more information please

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