

## Good Knews From The Knights of Columbus St. Pius X Council 10762 P.O. Box 17621 Tucson, Arizona 85731-7621



June 2005	
Regular Business Meeting:	2 <sup>nd</sup> Thursday
Business/Social Meeting:	4 <sup>th</sup> Thursday
Fourth Degree Meeting:	3 <sup>rd</sup> Thursday
Location:	Hopi Room
Time:	7:30 PM
<b>Chapter Meeting (delegates</b>	) 2 <sup>nd</sup> Monday
Location	<b>Regina Cleri Council</b>
Time:	7:30 PM

#### Council Officers 2004-2005

885-3573
722-7093
296-7086
722-1569
885-0820
296-1346
298-8267
759-9601
885-3390
749-5786
885-6122
881-7151
298-8088
296-4331
751-0838

#### **DIRECTORS/PROGRAM CHAIRS/OTHERS**

Membership: Mike Fulca	733-0159
Program Director: Joe Gulotta	296-7086
Church Activity: Jim Liesse	722-8556
Community Activity: Jerry Hennelly	733-0995
Council Activity: Joe Keaney	298-8088
Family Activity: Gene Dunham	751-9855
Youth Activity: Ray Wicus	749-7498
Vocations: Dennis Ranke	885-8145
McGivney Guild: Joe Kerns	721-4991
Newsletter/PR: Pete Karculias	722-7093
Photos/Scrapbook: Rick Madden	885-3390
District Deputy: Art Dugan	760-2707
Field Agent: Art Cordova	888-2321
Field Agent: Jim McCabe	795-9708
Chapter President: Jim Butsback	544-6086

	Calendar of Events	
	JUNE 2005	
2	4th Degree Assembly Meeting (moved from	
	June 16 <sup>th</sup> )	
4	Ordination of Alonzo Maurice Garcia, St.	
	Augustine Cathedral 9 AM	
5 Second and Third Degrees – Tucson Co.		
	1200	
9	Business Meeting 7:30 Hopi Room	
OFFICER ELECTIONS!		
11	4 <sup>th</sup> Degree Exemplification – Carefree, AZ	
11	Make Lunches for the Homeless – Tanque	
Verde Room – 11:00 AM		
13	Chapter Meeting (delegates)	
19	Father's Day	
23	Past Grand Knight's Dinner - OK Corral 5:30	
	(NO BUSINESS MEETING)	
25	State Organizational Meeting	
July 2005		
4	Independence Day	
7	Degree Team Practice. 7:15 Hopi Room	
9	Make Lunches for the Homeless – Tanque	
	Verde Room – 11:00 AM	
11	Chapter Meeting (delegates)	
14	Business Meeting 7:30 Hopi Room	
16	Installation of Officers/Awards Banquet	
17	Blood Drive – 7 AM - AZ Room	
28	Business Meeting/Social 7:30 Hopi Room	

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## NOTICE!

No meeting on June 23 as we will have our Past Grand Knight's/Membership stag dinner that night. See the article below for details.

## **Prayer Intentions**

To add or remove someone from this list, contact Chancellor Carl Seymour, 722-1569. <u>seymouraz@cox.net</u>.

Anelli, Peter Aultman, Angela Bullivant, Verna Cale. Tonv Chiaro, Beverly Daugherty, Rev. Bill DeNolf, Adolph Dugan, Ginnie Fugario, Maria Fulca. Joe Gonzales, Andrew Holick. Bill Jokerst. Carl Klaum. Susan Koenig, Mildred Langen, Diana Maurice, Terry Miriani, Rev. Gerald Mrazik, Joe

#### 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.

#### Grand Knight's Corner

Brothers,

It is hard to believe that nearly a year has passed since I had the honor of becoming your Grand Knight. I want to thank all of you for your terrific support. Our pancake breakfast and donut sales are on summer vacation. When we resume in the fall, we need one or two men to take over the responsibility for the donut sales program. Joe Kerns and Pat Maurice have been doing a wonderful job for us for several years now but would like to reretire. Everything is organized for you so it will be easy to step in. The donut sales program is one of our best fund raisers and enables us to fulfill many of the charitable requests made to us. Please consider giving of your time and talent in this way.

We will meet our membership and service program goals this year. At the time I write this, we expect to have three of the four new insurance members needed. So if you are not an insurance member, consider becoming one. You can purchase an annuity for as little as \$300. Call Art Cordova or Jim McCabe today!

Fraternally,

Pete Karculias Grand Knight 722-7093 Email: <u>GK10762@cox.net</u>

Failure is the path of least persistence

#### June Birthdays

Congratulations to these brothers who celebrate birthdays this month.

If your name is listed here, come to the next pancake breakfast (this Fall) and receive one complimentary breakfast in honor of your birthday!

Name	Date
Carl Jokerst	1
Edward Henry	3
Christopher Leverenz	4
Virgil Maurice	10
Carl Seymour	10

Victor Wagner	13
Peter Karculias	22
Charles Hayes	28

#### Knights of Columbus Insurance Products

When our organization began, in order to help each other, our members "passed the hat" to assist families of deceased members. Soon, however, this became impossible, as the number of our members grew.

Out of this simple process, we've evolved into a modern, dynamic insurance organization, and offer a wide variety of products to suit virtually everyone's needs.

- **Permanent Plans** Policy lasts as long as you live, premium stays the same.
- **Term Plans** Policy ends at end of specified term: renewable or convertible.
- **Annuities** Provides an income that is guaranteed for life.
- Long Term Care Provides funds for long-term, out-of-hospital care.

Contact Art Cordova 888-2321 or Jim McCabe 795-9708 today to arrange a consultation.

### Past Grand Knights Stag Dinner

Our council will honor our past grand knights and entertain new member prospects with a stag night and appreciation dinner on June 23, 2005. The dinner will be held at the OK Corral, 7710 E. Wrightstown Road. We will start with a social hour at 5:30 and have dinner about 6:30 PM. (We will not have a regular meeting on June 23).

The menu includes your choice of:

- Mesquite Grilled Salmon
- Rib Eye Steak

- Prime Rib
- 1/2 BBQ Chicken
- BBQ Pork Ribs

All entrees include:

- Dinner salad with choice of Ranch or Italian dressing
- Ranch Beans or Baked Potato
- Assorted Breads
- Coffee or tea
- Vienetta Ice Cream dessert

A cash bar will be available for beverage orders (cash only for bar orders please).

Cost is \$20 which includes your meal, tax and gratuity.

You may invite a prospective member to attend as our guest. This is a great way to kick off our recruiting for next year.

Please make your reservations now by calling or emailing Grand Knight Pete Karculias, 722-7093, <u>GK10762@cox.net</u>. Let me know how if you are bringing a guest or are a Past Grand Knight.

#### State Council Elections

The Arizona State Convention concluded Sunday May 29. The results of the State Officer elections are:

State Deputy	Mike Kingman
State Secretary	Stan Schroeder
State Treasurer	Gary Boscardin
State Advocate	Herb Maddock
State Warden	Pat Schuler

The only contested office was State Warden where Pat Schuler won over Donatus Kelch.

### **Officer Elections June 9**

We will have our annual election of officers at our meeting on June 9. Please plan to attend this important meeting. The nominating committee has prepared a slate of officers for the 2005-2006 Fraternal Year.

Additional nominations are welcomed and may be made at the June 9 meeting.

The nominating committee slate is as follows:

Grand Knight	Pete Karculias
Deputy Grand Knight	Joe Gulotta
Chancellor	Robert Grell
Recorder	<b>Richard Madden</b>
Treasurer	Don Kuchynka
Advocate	Ray Wicus
Warden	Jack Winger
Inside Guard	Bill Holick
Outside Guard	Tony Cale
Three Year Trustee	Joe Keaney
Two Year Trustee	Ron Blanchard
One Year Trustee	Ed Marsh

All the trustees are listed because they are each candidates to add an additional year to their term of office. The Chaplain, Financial Secretary and Lecturer are all appointed positions.

#### Honorary Members

At the April 28<sup>th</sup> meeting, we conferred Honorary membership on Tony Marino and Ron Blanchard and Honorary Life membership on Robert Grell. The ceremony was performed during the regular business meeting as an open session so that family members could be present.

We thank these men and their families for their long and faithful service to the Knights of Columbus.

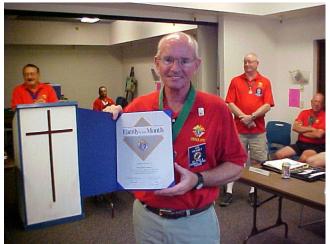


(I-r) Tony Marino (H), Ron Blanchard(H) and Robert Grell (HL).

**Congratulations!** 



Knight of the Month – May, Jerry Hennelly



Family of the Month – May, Joe & Joan Keaney

#### June 2005

**Council Wins Fund Raising Award** I am pleased to tell you our council won an award for being the 3<sup>rd</sup> place top fund raiser in the 2004-2005 Mental Retardation Program fund raising drive. Together we raised \$7,112.40. Let me thank everyone who helped with this effort and let me give special thanks to Rick and Kathy Madden, our MR chairman.

#### Pete Karculias Grand Knight

#### Program Director's Corner Church Activities (Jim Liesse)

Continuing to set up for Mass every Thursday at Fellowship Square

Hosted a reception for Confirmation class with the Bishop after Mass on May 14.

#### **Community (Jerry Hennelly)**

Held blood drive May 1.

We continue to support the lunches for the homeless program every four weeks.

Out aluminum can recycling just keeps rolling thanks to the dedication of PGK Nick Romano.

#### Council Activities (Joe Keaney)

Joe Gulotta organized a successful trip to Apache Gold on May 17.

#### Youth (Ray Wicus)

Ray attended the work weekend at St. Joseph Youth Camp. He had a wonderful, rewarding experience and plans to make it an annual event.

### Family (Gene Dunham)

Gaslight Theater night on May 28<sup>th</sup>. Many Knights and families attended this family outing organized by Tony Marino.

Joe Gulotta Program Director 296-7086 <u>tucsonjoe@cox.net</u>

## Update Your Contact Information.

If you have moved, changed phone numbers or e-mail addresses, please contact our Financial Secretary, Dick Goddard 298-8267 or email to FS10762@cox.net.

#### Knights On Line

Here are some links to Knights of Columbus web sites:

Arizona State Council http://www.azknightsofcolumbus.com. Here you can read the KOCOA, the Arizona State News Letter

Arizona Master's Information Page -<u>http://www.arizonaknights.org/</u>. Here you will find what's up in the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree.

# Kids need something to do this summer?

How about checking out St. Joseph's Youth Camp: Serving Arizona's Youth for 56 years!

St. Joseph's Youth Camp is a non-profit summer program sponsored by the Arizona Knights of Columbus. This outdoor educational summer camp is for kids between the age of 8 and 14. It is a memorable and rewarding week in the beautiful Ponderosa Pine setting at Mormon Lake, AZ.

For information on the camp, visit the web site at <u>www.saintjosephyouthcamp.com</u> or call the camp office at 480-449-8345