

November, 2002

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



Regular Business Meeting:	2 nd Thursday			
Business/Social Meeting:	4 th Thursday			
Fourth Degree Meeting:	3 rd Thursday			
Location:	Hopi Room			
Time:	7:30 PM			
Chapter Meeting (delegates)	2 nd Monday			
Location Regina	a Cleri Council			
Time:	7:30 PM			
COUNCIL OFFICERS 2002-2003				
Chaplain: Fr. Jerry Miriani	885-3573			
Grand Knight: Joe Keaney	298-8088			
Dep. Grand Knight: Pete Karculias	722-7093			
Chancellor: Peter Anelli	749-9601			
Recorder: Nick Romano	749-5786			
Treasurer: Lloyd Aultman	760-5060			
Fin. Secretary: Dick Goddard	298-8267			
Advocate: Eugene Stoll	751-4716			
Warden: Carl Seymour	722-1569			
Lecturer: Len Rother	296-5947			
Inside Guard: Bill Hollick	885-6122			
Outside Guard: Carl Christianson	885-0835			
Trustee (3 year): Will Everett	886-0680			
Trustee (2 year): Ed Marsh	751-0838			
Trustee (1 year): Bob Palomino	885-1106			
DIRECTORS/PROGRAM CH				
Membership: Ron Schlagel Newsletter/PR: Pete Karculias	886-5583			
	722-7093			
Photos/Scrapbook: Tom Egan	751-2560			
Public Relations: Pete Karculias	722-7093			
Vocations: Carl Christianson	885-0835			
Program Director: Pete Karculias	722-7093			

Church Activity: Len Rother

Council Activity: Joe Gulotta

District Deputy: Art Dugan

Field Agent: Art Cordova

Family Activity: Lloyd Aultman

Youth Activity: Thomas Cormier

Chapter President: Hector Tellez

Community Activity: Richard Madden

Calenc	Calendar of Events		
November 2002			
5	Election Day – Please Vote!		
6	Apache Gold Trip. Joe Gulotta 296-7086.		
7	NO Degree Team Practice tonight.		
9	4 th Degree Exemplification at Four Corners		
11	Veteran's Day. Chapter Meeting.		
14	Business Meeting		
21	4 th Degree Meeting		
24-30	National Family Week		
24	Family Corporate Communion & Brunch.		
	Dennis Ranke 885-8145, Joe Gulotta 296-		
	7086		
28	Thanksgiving (No Meeting)		
27	Newsletter articles due (petek01@cox.net)		
December 2002			
1	Pancake Breakfast – Joe Keaney 298-8088		
5	Degree team practice 7:15 Hopi Room.		
6	Ladies Night out at Gaslight Theatre		
8	B Breakfast with Santa Children's Christmas		
	Party. Arizonr room. Tom Eagan 751-2560.		
12	Regular Business Meeting		
19	4 th Degree Meeting		
20	Christmas Open House – Tom Eagan 751- 2560		
26	Business/Social Meeting		
28	Newsletter articles due (petek01@cox.net)		
31	New Year's Eve Party, AZ room. Carl		
31	Seymour 722-1569, Tony Marino 296-8359.		
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296-5947

885-3390

296-7086

760-5060

885-3190

760-2707

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743-1035

PRAYER INTENTIONS

Avala, Angel Beeson, Kim Brockman, JoAnn Colona, Benny Grell, Linda Hennelly, Evelyn Hiller, George Hinderer. Lori Hollick. Bill Jimenez, Frank Jokerst. Carl Klaum, Susan Loftus, George McFarren, Sylvester McGillivray, Mary McIntee, Lucille Nuffer, Bob Peipfer, Steve Perret. Gerri Reynolds, Jack Seder, Mary Salenas, Patricia Somerville, Fr. Walt Spreuhan, Becky Zimmerman Family

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.

NOTE

If you are unable to attend a meeting and are in need of prayer for yourself or a loved one, just let me or any officer know and we will update the list. Pete Karculias DGK <u>petek01@cox.net</u>

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Congratulations to these brothers who celebrate birthdays this month.

William Bailey Adolph DeNolf Francis Donnelly, Jr. James Downey Frank Fieldhouse Joe Gulotta Rex Redhouse John Riesgo Jerry Wentz James Yanchek

GRAND KNIGHT'S CORNER

The topic of "volunteering" relates directly to being a Knight of Columbus. The definition of volunteer is *a person who offers to enter into any service of his own free will.* Our council has been a great example of volunteerism throughout this year. Our recent effort in the MR Drive helped to make that very worthy cause a great success. I congratulate all those who spent many hours helping to count the money gathered by those diligent and aggressive workers who stood at the doorways of Safeway, Fry's, and Walmart.

In the coming months we will have many opportunities to show our willingness to volunteer. St Pius X will provide shelter for homeless men during December and January. The Homeless Program Coordinator always needs cooks and overnight hosts. Our expanded Donut Sales program requires a few more helpers to man the donut tables. Our first Sunday of the month Pancake Breakfasts will begin again in December. If you can help with any of our projects, please contact me or one of the chairmen. Many of our Brother Knights spend numerous hours volunteering in a variety of services at St Pius and in the Tucson community. There is a form in this newsletter that will give each of you the opportunity to show how much time you spend serving those in need, or helping in any capacity, at St. Pius, and in the community. Please provide the requested information and forward it to Pete Karculias.

Thank you for giving of your Time, Talent, and Treasure to make our church and community a better place.

Fraternally, Joe Keaney Grand Knight 520-288-8088

Email: mailto:jkeaney@mindspring.com



Knight of the Month for September – Joe Keaney Family of the Month for September– Augi & Gertrude Gustilo

NOMINATIONS SOUGHT

If you know of someone you think should receive the Knight of the Month or Family of the Month award, submit the name(s) to the Deputy Grand Knight or Family Activities Director. We welcome nominations from any member.

FRATERNAL ACTIVITY SURVEY

It is time to conduct our annual survey of fraternal activity. Many of you may not realize this, but this information is *vital* to

collect. Since the Knights of Columbus is a non-profit organization, we do not pay tax on the revenues from insurance. However, the government imposes an obligation that we donate in cash or services an amount equal to one half what the tax would have been. The reports of the hours spent go directly toward that credit. Last year we only had a 40% response. **Please!** Be sure to complete and send in the activity survey. A copy of the 2002 survey form is attached to this bulletin. Please respond today!

COMMUNI ON BRUNCH

In last month's Good Knews we talked about the National Knights of Columbus Family Week Brunch reservations to be made by contacting Dennis at 885-8145 or Joe at 296-7086. See the enclosed flier which will give you more information. Looking forward to seeing all of you and your families.

CHRISTMAS EVENTS PLANNED

Attention Brothers! Our Annual Children's Party (Breakfast with Santa) will be on December 8, 2002. It will be after the 10:00 Family Mass (11:00 AM). It will last approximately 2 1/2 hrs. We will set up at 8:00 AM that morning. I am going to need a lot of brothers to help set up, work the pancake breakfast and help with clean-up. There will be more details in the next newsletter. If you have any questions or want to volunteer to help please call me Tom Eagan at 751-2560 or email me at <u>sliceoflife2@cox.net</u>.

I also need some of your wives to help with the crafts in Santa's workshop.

Also Brothers, Our annual Christmas Social Potluck will be on December 20, 2002 at 6:30 PM in the Teen Center. The Council will pay for the meat and beverages and I ask all of you to bring one of your "special" recipe" side dishes for us to enjoy. More details will follow plus a reservation form in the December newsletter.

So don't forget to mark your calendars for these 2 important dates in December.

CHOOSE LI FE



You can save lives by helping to prevent an abortion. Each month we have printed several suggestions that YOU can do to help. Do at least one of them today. These are the final three in the series. Next month: Something new!

54) For more ideas, see the books "Closed: 99 Ways to Stop Abortion" (available through the Pro-Life Action League, 6160 N. Cicero, Suite 600, Chicago, IL 60646, 312-777-2900), <u>www.prolifeaction.org</u> or "52 Simple Things You Can Do To BE Pro-Life", by Anne Pierson and Carol Risser (order from Life Cycle Books, 1-800-214-5849).

55) Start your own Pro-Life website.

56) Obtain the free Biblical sticker from Michigan Christians for Life. http://infoteam.com/nonprofit/mcfl/free.htm This information was obtained from Priests For Life (<u>www.priestsforlife.org</u>).

Don't look for miracles. You are a miracle.

PREGNANCY HOTLINES

Any woman who is pregnant and in need can turn for help to the pro-life movement. She never has to feel that abortion is the only option. Help is available from anywhere in the country, any time of the day or night:

Nurturing Network 800-TNN-4MOM Pregnancy Hotline 800-848-LOVE *Bethany Christian Services 800-238-4269* Several Sources Foundation 800-NO-ABORT *America's Crisis Pregnancy Helpline 800-67-BABY-6*

Birthright 800-550-4900 Good Counsel Homes 800-723-8331

Update Your Contact Information.

If you have moved or changed phone numbers, please clip the form below and mail it to the Council address at the top of this bulletin. You can also use this form to change your preference for receiving the bulletin by e-mail. Thank you.

Name:	
New Address:	
Street:	
City:	
State:ZIP	
Phone: ()	
e-mail	
Send Bulletin via e-mail (Y/N):	
Form Preferred: MS Word	
PDF	

2002 ANNUAL SURVEY OF FRATERNAL ACTIVITY INDIVIDUAL MEMBER WORKSHEET

Last year, the Knights of Columbus donated more than \$110.6 million to charitable and benevolent causes and 55 million hours of volunteer service to aid the less fortunate. **To help prepare our Fraternal Survey for the Supreme Council office, please complete the information requested below and return it at our next meeting.** This information will assist us in determining the total number of hours of community service volunteered by our members **during 2002.**

 Number of visits you made during 2002 to: Sick – caring for the sick/nursing homes/hospitals Bereaved – visits of condolence
2. Number of times you served as a blood donor during 2002:
 Estimated hours of community volunteer service during 2002: Church Activities – service in all Church related activities

 Number of hours of fraternal service during 2002: Sick/disabled members and their families – household chores, transportation, tutoring, counseling, etc.