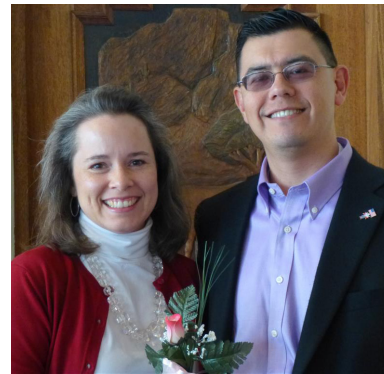




**Knight of the Month
 October 2015**

Fred Falgiano

Fred has served as our Council PWID chairman and Arizona Special Olympics coordinator for many years. Through his tireless efforts, positive spirit and ability to draw people to his projects, he is able to involve large numbers of volunteers from the Parish and Council which has drawn the admiration of other Councils and the administration at the Arizona Special Olympics. Each year has been more successful than the preceding year earning thousands of dollars and huge numbers of hours to benefit these activities. He is truly awe inspiring. In his way, he walks the talk as a Knight of Columbus and a special Catholic gentleman. He is well deserving of this award.



**Family of the Month
 October 2015**

Al & Anne Velosa

Al and Anne Velosa epitomize what a Catholic family should be. Even though Al's work takes him away from home for long periods of time all over the world, he and Anne find time for quality time as a family insuring the religious, educational and spiritual awareness of their children. They are very involved in the Knights of Columbus and Parish activities insuring a better community for all. They always include their children making it truly a family endeavor providing help where needed. Their united joy as a family as they provide for the betterment of those less fortunate is there for all to see. They are truly deserving.

Meeting / Event	Date	Time	Location
Council Breakfast	1st Wednesday of every month	9:15 AM after morning Mass	Happy Rooster, 1114 S Sarnoff Dr, Tucson, AZ 85710
1st Degree or Degree Team Practice (Candidates report at 7:00 P.M.)	1st Thursday of every month	7:30 P.M.	Hopi Hall - St Pius
Business Meeting	2nd Thursday of every month	7:30 P.M.	Hopi Hall - St Pius
Officer Meeting Business Meeting	4th Thursday of every month	6:30 P.M. 7:30 P.M.	Kino Room - St Pius Hopi Hall - St Pius
Council Family Potluck Social	5th Thursday of the month	6:00 P.M. 9:00 P.M.	Tanque Verde Room - St Pius



Only Having Insurance “Through Work” Doesn’t Work

Do you know anyone whose life or career has drastically changed during these years of economic downturn? It’s very likely that someone in your immediate or extended family or group of friends is facing financial uncertainty. Maybe there’s a possibility that you (or your spouse) could lose your job or change employers.

Too many people have often relied on group term life insurance as their only safety net. Often, this insurance is an employee benefit provided at low or no cost. The existence of this coverage might convince someone that personally-owned life insurance is not necessary.


But only having “through work” insurance can leave you and your family vulnerable. Most group life insurance policies are limited in amount, which may be tied to salary or some other benchmark. These numbers are often capped, and this cap may be dangerously low when compared to your family’s actual needs. In fact, a detailed needs analysis that evaluates your specific situation, will likely show that any employer-provided coverage falls short.

In addition, the amount of group insurance offered is almost always reduced, sometimes dramatically, when you retire. You could one day find yourself without coverage, and if your health has changed (which it will as you age), you might also find yourself unable to secure individual protection. At the very least, it will definitely be more expensive.

While group life insurance can help, it does not replace the need for individually owned life insurance. I’ll be happy to meet with you and provide a no-cost needs analysis, so you’ll know exactly where you stand.

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Birthdays

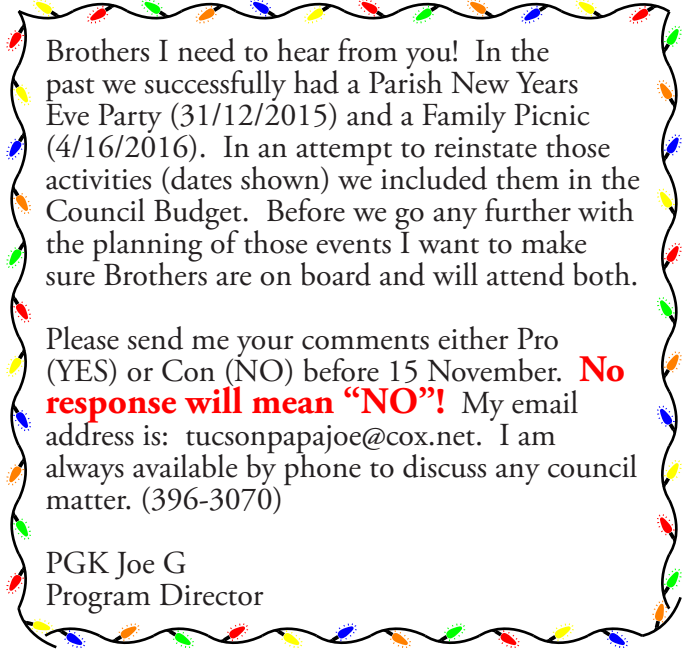


John A Caccitolo	1101
Charles C Nwankwo.....	1102
William C Stapleton	1102
Martin G Sheridan.....	1104
Joseph Gulotta	1108
John S Reiff.....	1109
Richard A Corral.....	1111
Daniel R Pinda	1116
Frank H Fieldhouse	1119
Carlos F Palomares.....	1123

Service Anniversaries

5 Year

**Ronaldo Dela Cruz
Thomas Fetsko
Efreim John Morales
Ralph De Noguean**



Brothers I need to hear from you! In the past we successfully had a Parish New Years Eve Party (31/12/2015) and a Family Picnic (4/16/2016). In an attempt to reinstate those activities (dates shown) we included them in the Council Budget. Before we go any further with the planning of those events I want to make sure Brothers are on board and will attend both.

Please send me your comments either Pro (YES) or Con (NO) before 15 November. **No response will mean “NO”!** My email address is: tucsonpapajoe@cox.net. I am always available by phone to discuss any council matter. (396-3070)

PGK Joe G
Program Director



DUTCH STEENBAKKER AND PETE KARCU LIAS RECEIVING AWARDS FOR ATTAINING STAR COUNCIL



CHRISTOPHER CARNEY RECEIVES HIS 2ND AND 3RD DEGREE FROM GK DUTCH STEENBAKKER



CHI JAKE NWACHUKWU (CJ) RECEIVES HIS 1ST DEGREE FROM GK DUTCH STEENBAKKER



Ladies from our Ladies Auxiliary presented a \$500 check to the St. Pius Samaritans.

The ladies in the picture are, from left to right, Jeri Bowne, Vice President; Donna Sweet; Teri Olaje, Parish Office; Nora Mrazik, President.

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GK Dutch Steenbakker

November 2015



Mustang Raffle

Congratulations to PGK Joe Gulotta for his endless efforts in selling

ticket for the Mustang Raffle. The generosity of our parishioners is unbounding!

At last count over \$12,200 worth of tickets have been sold in support of Habitat for Humanity and the chance at a new Ford Mustang! Great job Joe!

Ladies Auxiliary

Joe Gulotta spoke at our October meeting and gave us the Knights scheduled events for the next few months. We would like to thank Joe for his time.

The first event will be the Christmas Card sales which the Auxiliary will be covering again this year beginning November 8th. We hope to get the volunteers needed to cover all the Masses on Sundays. Vicky Steenbakker has agreed to coordinate the schedule.

The Auxiliary also put together a Spa Basket for auction at the Women's Outreach gathering held October 23rd. We will also be making a \$500 donation to the Samaritan group here at St Pius that will help to those who need financial help with necessities such as utilities, etc. The fund came from our May Tea proceeds.

We will start our nomination of Officers beginning Nov. thru Dec., with elections to be held at our meeting on January 20, 2016.

Our goal for the next few months is to increase our membership. We will begin by sending a letter of invitation to all the wives of current Knights. It would be wonderful to meet more of these ladies.

Nora Mrazik, President



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.

Rick Madden

RICK MADDEN
01/04/1938 - 10/12/2015



Commemoration Mass

**November 7
5 PM Mass**

Bring pictures of
your loved ones
to place by the
altar.



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Nov 1 - All Saints Day

Nov 1 - Community Breakfast and Blood Drive

Nov 2 - All Souls Day

Nov 4 - Council Fraternal Breakfast

Nov 7 - Commemoration Mass

On November 7 at 5 PM at St Pius we will have our annual Commemoration Mass to remember our Brothers and other family members who are enjoying their heavenly reward. All Knights are asked to wear their Red shirts. Benches will be provided for Parishioners to place a picture of their deceased loved ones.

The Knights will come down the two isles on either side of the altar to process in with a candle memorializing each departed Brother. Candles will be at each entrance. Knights and their families will pick up a candle and process in placing it on the tables behind the Altar and then be seated in the reserved area. PGK Joe Gulotta and PGK Joe Keaney will give the "high sign" when it is time to start the procession.

Following Mass, Knights and families will gather candles from the table and follow Msgr Michael to the Memorial Garden.

Veterans Benefit Dinner

The benefit dinner will be held at St. Joseph Parish Healy Hall.

The keynote speaker this year will be Robert M. Hardaway III, MS, FACS, Brig. Gen. US Army (Ret). He is a survivor of the Pearl Harbor attack on December 7, 1941. He is 100 years old. On December 7, then Lt. Hardaway treated the first casualties to arrive at the hospital serving Scofield Barracks.

Tickets are \$25 for adults, \$15 for children 8-12 (under 8 free). Contact Ted Fleck 520-488-8636 or Pete Karculias 520-261-0762. You can also order tickets on line and pay with your credit card at www.weberassembl.com.

Nov 11 - Veterans Day

Nov 14-15 Ladies Christmas Boutique Sale

Knights are needed to help the Ladies Boutique in the Cafe on Saturday, Nov. 14 from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. and on Sunday, Nov. 15 from 7 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Volunteers are needed to serve, cook, and clean up.

For more information or to sign up contact Joe or Joan

Keaney - 360-2759 or 298-8088.

Volunteers are needed to serve, cook, and clean up. Thanks for all you do to help the ladies at their Christmas Boutique!

Nov 21 - CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE TUCSON

The Catholic Men's Conference in Tucson will be held at Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish, 9AM to 4PM. Contact Dick Goddard 520-298-8267 for more information. The theme this year is "MEN ON A MISSION FOR GOD".

Nov 26 - Thanksgiving Day (No Meeting!)

Nov 29 - 1st Day of Advent

December

Dec 2 - Council Fraternal Breakfast

Dec 5 - Breakfast With Santa Setup

Contact PGK Gulotta at 396-3070 for details. Arizona Room will be decorated (Saturday) at 11 AM.

Dec 6 - Breakfast With Santa

The kids love this! Once again this year Santa will be visiting St Pius and listening to what the kids would like under the tree or in their stocking. Come join in the fun and lend a hand helping with whatever is needed.

Dec 18 - Council Christmas Social

Come join in the fun with your Brothers and their wives as we play games, socialize and have some good food.

Dec 24 - Christmas Eve (No Meeting!)

Dec 25 - Christmas

Dec 31 - New Year's Eve Dance

The New Year's Eve Dance from 7:30 PM to Mid-Night, December 31 in the Arizona Room.

Music, drinks, favors, and food plus great company at a reasonable price for all. Details will follow in the December newsletter.



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