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September Grand Knight Report

I first want to thank all those brother Knights who came to our last council meeting. Please remember our council is only as strong as the Knights who support our efforts. We will have a First Degree at our October meeting, please plan to attend, these ceremonies our much more impressive with a good showing of support from the council and make a lasting impression, with the new knights.

I would ask all brother Knights to support our upcoming major fund raising for our new church,... the casino night. Please help lead the way to make this event a major success.

There are still many opportunities for you to support our council in the upcoming year. Feel free to speak with me at council meeting or come to one of our planning meetings

Please try and come to our next council meeting. We will be talking about our corporate communion as part of the, "building the Domestic Church". I hope to see you all at our next council meeting. God Bless
John Dugan GK

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Events in Sept/Oct

See Calendars

Family of the Month

Al and Guadalupe Martinez

Al has been a Knight for about 12 years. He has been an Inside guard and was recruited by Frank Svacina who was actually trying to recruit Al's neighbor. Al over heard them from his porch and joined. The neighbor went back into his house and never joined. . Their parents worked at the same place but never mentioned their children to each other. Al and Guadalupe just met by chance at a dance. They have been married 42 years and have two children and two grandchildren. They were both born and raised in San Antonio and came to Ft Worth in 1975. He is retired from Lockheed Guadalupe still works as a school teacher. They have been at St Thomas since 1978 He is an usher, does Meals on Wheels and woks in the food pantry. She is in the Woman's club. He is a Cowboys fan and she is a Redskins fan. This of course puts their marriage at great risk.

Knight of the Month

Dennis Helgeson

Dennis became a Knight in 1997 and has been veryactive since for our council. Dennis has been community director, Advocate, Grand Knight, and district deputy. He is on the State membership team for the DFW area. He is Chapter treasurer for the West metroplex, and captain of the major degree team. He is training to be on the marriage tribunal He is a California native. Dennis is

in communications and worked for a contractor with BNSF who transferred him to Ft Worth.. He learned his network communication skills in the Navy. Dennis is thinking about retiring.. He is a lector and Eucharistic minister and teaches 9th grade confirmation classes. He enjoys going to CA to see his family.

<u>Happy September Birthday</u> Wishes To:



MARK ALVERADO 10 RAUL ARRIAGA 05 MARIANO CERDA 13 SAMUEL ESTRADA 29 RALPH GARCIA JESSE GONZALES 30 SHAUN HESSE 28 JOHN JENISTA 19 JAMES 09 KAISER MARK LIMONES 01 NOEL LANGORIA 20 FRANK LOSOYA 01 30 GIL LOZA MALLORY BRUCE 08 SAMUEL MAUER 28 OSTERMANN DUSTIN 12 SPERRY LYNN 2.1 **ANDRE** ZAPATA 18

Brothers, we need items to raffle for Casino night. Please help us.

Remember our Amazon Link on our website (kofc10930.org) that will take youe to Amazon.Com. If you go thought the link, a percentage of every dollar you spend at Amazon.com will be donated back to our Knights Council. This helps fund our charities. Knights canalso pay their dues on our website under the News and Announcements section. Please visit the website for updates and news.

For those who are sick in spirit, mind or body:

Jim Hunderner (Scott Hunderner's brother Walter Talbert (Phil's father) Kevin Kopf Jaime Acosta (Eugenio's niece) Daniel Pate (Phil Talbert's father in law)Ruth Rodriguez (Eugenio Acosta's mother) Richard Roma (Eugenio Acosta's cousin) Dylan Keffer (John Grimes granddaughter) Julie Hankins, Nida Arroyo, Walter Talbert (Phil Talbert's father) Robert Summers (Brian DesCamps father in-law) Michael Owens, Scott & Rachel Benjamin, Lori Royer (John Grimes relatives) Soledad Frausto (Gil' wife)

For the repose of the Soul of:

Louise Wolfe Betty Bolliger Fred Salitore's brother Rita Cooper (Mother in Law of Earnest Clemons) Ron Robertson Ann Kozel Marvin Graithen Renee Randolph (Granddaughter of Clint Randolph) Tom Konnen Alicia Zapata Cathey Ward Beare (Fr Jerry's sister) Albina Molina (Pete Bernadette Ruple (sister Marvin Grathen) Lori Former(sister of Faith Grathen

Please pray also for:

Our seminarians Ricky Diaz, Rijo Philip, and Joe Moreno, Our Military, our Missionaries, and victims of fires, tornados and floods.

Brothers

We are removing names that have been on the prayer list3 months or more. Please notify me of any changes or errors or need for extended prayers Thanks

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Thought for September

People sometimes accuse the Church of being a cold collection of rules and regulation. They get no satisfaction from it so they go to some Protestant church. Such churches usually are friendlier. They have to be friendlier because all they have otherwise is sermons and Bible reading. This friendliness attracts the former Catholic. Why? It's because the former Catholic never knew his faith. It's like he looked at the church building from the outside and saw only dark stained glass windows. If he had come inside the Church he would have seen how beautiful the stained glass windows really were. Or he might be like someone in the dark church at night which seemed gloomy. However, when the lights were turned on he could see the beauty of the building.

It's the same way with our faith, you must get inside it. You must turn on the lights. The only way inside is to learn your faith, to pray and study and go to Communion. Our Church is really a Person...Jesus. You must seek Him. If you make a one dollar effort to seek Him He will generously give you a thousand dollars' worth (so to speak) of grace and peace and strength. But you must seek Him and pay attention to Him. He is true man and true God. As a man He is saddened when you ignore Him. So many people ignore Him yet He loves us all with an awesome Love.

You will have a beautiful close relationship to Jesus when you go to Communion with a loving heart and true belief in His Real presence. You will be many times closer than any Protestant could ever hope to be even with the best sermon and Bible reading. Realize how beautiful the Church is. It is Jesus. Seek Him with all your heart and spirit. It is a joy to be with Him

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4	5	6	7	8	9	10			
11	12	13 Council Meeting Rosary 6;40 Meeting 7:00	14	15	16	17 CASINO NITE 6:30 TO 12:00			
18	19	20	21	22	23	24 Corporate Communion			
25	26	27 Planning Mtg 7 PM Make Sandwiches 4 PM	28	29	30	Notes: Meals on wheels Rt.1 Tuesdays Rt. 5 on Thursdays			

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