# **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**



# FR. GERLICH COUNCIL

10930

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### **Grand Knight's Report September 2019**

**Brothers** 

As we round first base of our fiscal year we have a lot to be thankful for. We have movement in a few of our Faith In Action Programs. Steve Gonzales, our Faith Director, lead a great Rosary 101 session and has a few more ideas on other sessions. Our other directors are brewing ideas and are currently planning sessions or activities to help us all grow and engage with each other.

Thank you to all those who share their time in various ministries and activities. I urge everyone to attend, participate, and share your talents with your brothers. See you on Wednesday September 11th at 6:45pm!

https://www.kofc.org/un/en/forms/programs/10590-%20Faith%20in%20Action%20Guidebook.pdf

### This year's focus:

#### Growth within:

- Your relationship with GOD
- Faith
- Your personal journey
- Yourself

### Engagement with:

- Family
- Church
- Community

If you "grow" within yourself you'll have a higher desire to "engage" others and share GOD's Love and Spirit! LK 11:1-13

#Brotherhood #Fellowship #Service #Family #Faith #Support

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# Family of the Month

Congratulations to John and Gleei Luttmer as Family of the month, he was born and raised in Gainville, TX. He went to Gainville high school and North Texas State universary for bachelor degree. He married his wife. Glee in 1985 and have 2 boys and 3 girls. They have 14 grandchildren. Glee was also born and raised in Gainville, TX and they meet in college. They moved to Fort Worth, TX from Gainville, TX in 1990. John become a knight in 2014 and was recruited by Charlie Parr but Frank Losoya did a lot of talking to him about the Knights of Columbus, John worked with his brother-in-law in roofing and insurance adjuster and his wife. Glee is a homemaker. John broke his foot about 3 years ago so this keeps him off the roofs and ladders. They are the landscrape committee here at St. Thomas the Apostle church. John's hobbies consist of boating, member of the Knights of Bikes and also likes helping his wife, Glee with her gardening. Glee also enjoys boating but her main interest is gardening.

# Knight of the Month

Congratulations to Bill Vosberg as Knight of the month, he was born and raised in Hazel Green, WI. His family moved to Fort Worth, TX from Hazel Green, WI when Bill was 14 years old. He went to Bosewell high school and TCC for 2 years of college classes, He has been a member of St. Thomas the Apostle parish for 51 years. He become a knight in 2008 and was recruited by Charlie Parr. Bill is a 4th



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degree, serves as warrant and member of Knights on Bike. Bill is semi-retired as selfemployed with lawn mower repair business. Some of Bill's duties are head usher, mass protection team leader, manages the highway clean up, manages

the parade of lights and volunteer when he can for various fundraising. Bill was married for 43 wonderful years and widower for 3 years. Bill's hobbies are riding his motorcycle and going to the lake.

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



Name	Day
Marcos Mendoza	2
Mark Duncan	4
Steven Woika	7
Bruce Mallory	8
Frank Losoya	12
Jesse Ruiz	13
Andre Zapata	18
John Jenista	19
Victor Filerio	20
Noel Longoria	20
Earnest Clemons	21
Lynn Sperry	21
Linus Henry	22
Hyacinth Odogujeh	23
George Cannata	24
Theodore Snow	24

Continue - Happy September Birthday Wishes To:	
Samuel Estrada	25
Francisco Jose Novoa	26
Michael Oberdorf	27
Gil R Loza	30

# **Volunteers for works of Charity:**

Presbyterian Night Shelter Sandwich making is always the 4th Tuesday of the month, 3:30 PM Start time

#### Samaritan

It takes place every 4 months so August 13, December 10, 2019 and in 2020, April 14, August 13, December 10.

# Pray for those who are sick in spirit, mind or body:

Mary Beth (John Roman's wife), Betty Krenik, Monte Nichols, John Francis, Jan Nowicki, Joseph Cantu, Josh Gonzales and his family (a good Catholic friend of John Grimes), Jan Nowicki, Jason Talbert, Felix Cruz, Cindy Seger and Mellissa Byrd, Gary Dupre, Martin McCoy Sr (Marty McCoy's father)

#### For the repose of the Soul of:

CJ Dowling, Charles Knupp, Charlie Parr, Jack Titus, Nancy Bierma (John Jenista's wife) Phil Talbert, Jim McNeal, Bernie Vaughn, Betty Walsh, Louise Wolfe, Ron Robertson, Angel Palacios, Andrea Espinoza, Jerry Strife

### Please pray also for:

Our seminarians...Joe Moreno, Reed Proctor, Blake Thompson, and Michael Marince, our military, our Missionaries, and victims of fires, tornados and floods.

#### **Brothers**

We are removing names that have been on the prayer list for 3 months or more. Please notify me of any changes or errors or need for extended prayers Thanks

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### **Thought for September**

There are two kinds of Catholics, those that see mass as an obligation and those that see Mass as an opportunity. It all depends on your attitude and the strength of your faith. If it seems to be only an obligation then the Mass is empty for you, Jesus is not in your heart. So you are missing the whole point of the Mass which is that Jesus is truly there ,physically ...body blood soul and divinity. You still benefit from the Eucharist but vou miss the closeness of our Lord

The Catholic who sees the Mass as an opportunity does have strong faith. He knows that Jesus is truly there and it is a source of strength and consolation for him. The Eucharist is the only food for our spirits. Sermons and Bible readings help but they don't compare to the Eucharist. As Jesus said..." Unless you eat my flesh and drink my blood you have no life in you"

Also the 40 days for life campaigns starts Sept. 5 and goes until Nov. 3. If you want to help just Google "40 Days for Life".

<b>September 2019</b> Oct 2019 ▶							
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
1	2	3 Meals on Wheels	4 Planning Meeting 7:00 PM	5 Meals on Wheels starts 40 days for life thru Nov. 3	6	7	
8	9	10 Meals on Wheels	11 Council Meeting 7:00 Rosary 6:40 PM	12 Meals on Wheels	13	14	
15	16	17 Meals on Wheels	18	19 Meals on Wheels	20	21	
22	23	24 Meals on Wheels	25	26 Meals on Wheels Bible Study 9:30 AM Helen Sieja or 7:00 PM John Thome	27	28	
29	30						

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