

GK Dutch Steenbakker

September 2015

My worthy brother Knights,

With the installation of our 2015-2016 Council Officers on Saturday, September 5, 2015, we mark the 24th year of our Council as a chartered institution and start preparing for our 25th anniversary celebration in December 2016.

What were our charter members thinking when they met to form Council 10762? Were they preparing to form a Knight of Columbus Council

with its anticipated good works for a decade, themselves, future generations? What were they looking for in this Council's future and its responsibility to our Faith, our Parish, and our community? Would they celebrate the numerous accomplishments achieved so far from the fruits of their work, this Council?

I think, they would say, "Celebrate not what we have done, but what you are about to do. Continue to build upon what we have done for those who come after you. Carry the torch of your faith into the future and hold the banner of your dedication to the high heavens. Welcome all catholic men as your brothers into our fraternity.

Our future, inspired by the vision of our fore fathers, depends on all of us. Service to our Faith, Church, Parish,



Community and Country should be an honor we are privileged to carry, not a burden. Our future begins with our members. It is incumbent on all of us and especially our officers to insure the Council is a comfortable, peaceful, respectful and inspiring place for all. By creating a positive environment through productive, viable programs, social activities desired by our members and giving each member the tools to reach his religious, ethical and humanitarian goals. So my worthy brothers, participate, to the best of your ability in your Council activities and support your officers, don't

just give lip service or be a silent non participant. Remember "WE ARE OUR FUTURE". I thank you all for our past and look to all of you for our future.

Vivat Jesus.

Your Fraternal Brother,

Emmanuel M. "Dutch" Steenbakker Grand Knight

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



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We Stand Strong On Ethical Ground

Some people believe that ethics in business is a contradiction in terms. They think that in order to be profitable, a company and its leaders must abandon morality and embrace the dark, greedy side that they see so often in the news and in movies.. At the Knights of Columbus, we know this isn't true. A business can be both ethical and successful. We are.

As a Catholic organization, we understand the value and importance of our core beliefs and the original mission of Venerable Father Michael J. McGivney. In fact, much of the strength and financial security we provide to members and their families can be attributed to our ethical, moral standards. More than 96 percent of Knights who buy our life insurance keep it, year in and year out. The Order takes this commitment to our members very seriously. This means carefully planning when it comes time to invest. Our professional staff researches all transactions to insure that they fall in line with Catholic values. If a transaction makes them uncomfortable, they don't make it.

"We exclude any company engaged in activity that conflicts with Catholic moral teaching: companies directly involved in abortion, contraception, human cloning, embryonic stem cell research, for-profit health care that pays for any of these, or pornography," said Supreme Knight Carl Anderson. "There are many companies in the pharmaceutical and communications industries that would undoubtedly provide excellent returns for us, but which are not in our portfolio because they engage in research and development or programming in ways that violate the sanctity or dignity of human life."

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Birthdays

Justin D Mazzarella	
Francisco Galindo	
John V Caccitolo	
Wayne C Mikolajewski	
Steven H Pieper	
Joseph N Daniszewski	
Herbert E Dunham	
Chad A Mullenberg	
Thomas C Doubrava	
Margarito J Ochoa	
Martin Ward	
Kent D Maas	
Edward J Drabicki	
Peter Anelli	
Rev James J Coleman	
Thomas J Frederick	
Harold Broccoletti Jr	

In the end, the Knights of Columbus investment strategy is motivated by morality, not money. Yet, each year we remain profitable, increase our assets and stay dedicated to this vision that will keep the Order financially sound for generations to come.

But don't just take our word for it. In 2014, the Knights of Columbus was named a "World's Most Ethical Company" by the Ethisphere Institute. We were one of only two life insurance companies to earn the honor.

"Faithful Catholics have choices when buying life insurance," said the Supreme Knight. "But they know that at the Knights of Columbus their policy is supplied by an insurer that shares their moral and ethical values and is guided in all of its investment and sales practices by those values." Contact me today to learn more about our products.

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Poker Anyone?

Anyone interested in playing in a friendly poker game please contact Ron Gludt rgludt39@gmail.com or 495-0031. There is nothing set up at this point as far

as time, night, or place (probably will rotate homes of players).



Donut Sales Begin October 4th

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11 - TEAM 2	2
18 - TEAM	3
25 - TEAM 4	í

Team 1

*Dan Pinda (.....298-6706

Team 2 * Phil Mc Elfresh571-8943

Team 3 * Al Velosa296-9635

Team 4

There is a need to fill team member positions for donut sales. Contact Brian Landry at 520-733-1101 or badlandbri@aol.com to volunteer.

These teams only work one Sunday a month - please consider volunteering your time to help.



St Pius X Council 10762 Deputy Grand Knight Grantley Pieper, Pro-Life Director Brian Landry and Council State Raffle Chairman Ronald Blanchard presented Rosemary Leon Executive Director of Reachout Women's Center with check as one of the Council's charitable recipients of the 2015 Arizona State Raffle proceeds.





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\$25 a ticket or 5 - \$100!

Come look me over - I will be in front of the church on Sunday October 11th and 25th between the hours of 8 AM and Noon.

Bring your check book and return address labels. Make checks payable to St Pius X.

Remember 100% of all raffle ticket sales goes towards the building of a home with Habitat for Humanity.

See a Knight in Red to make your purchase.



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.

> Joe Gulotta - Sep 15 - TMC John Caccitolo

Installation of Officers

Installation will be after the 5 PM Mass on Saturday, September 5th. For those that responded and made a reservation, a catered meal will follow the Installation.

The menu will consist of Hors D'oeuveres; mesquite grilled tri-tip, misquite grilled chicken; roasted potatoes w/ roasted vegetables; salad, rolls; desserts and coffee or soft drinks. Beer and wine will be available for a donation.

Dress code is Coat and Tie for officers; red shirts or Arizona casual for all others.

Diaper Drive

Diaper and Supplies (Clothing) for Reachout Women's Center are needed to prepare New Born gift packages for baby's mother.

We will have Collection Boxes at South Exit of Church during the whole month of September.



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September

Sep 2 - Council Fraternal Breakfast

Remember that the location has changed. We will be meeting after the 8:30 morning Mass at the Happy Rooster, 114 S Sarnoff Dr, Tucson, AZ 85710

Sep 5 - Installation of Officers

Mass 5:00 PM, Installation of Officers after Mass Dinner in Tanque Verde Room after the Installation

Sep 6 - Community Breakfast and Blood Drive

Set up for breakfast is at 6 AM in the Arizona Room. We need your help to make this first breakfast a success. New members come and help your Brothers - Wear your Red Shirts!

Sep 25 - Sept 27 - PWID Drive

Contact Al Velosa at 503-318-2622 or alvelosa@cox.net. Or you can sign up in front of the church after Masses on Sunday morning.

SAVE THE DATE FOR THE ARIZONA ROSARY CELEBRATION

The 40th annual Arizona Rosary Celebration -- marking 5 years in Tucson -- will be held Saturday, October 24, 2015 honoring Mary under her title of Our Lady of Perpetual Help. The location for the celebration is Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church; located at 8650 North Shannon Road, Tucson, AZ 85742. The celebration begins at 10:00 a.m. and ends 12:15 p.m. The Most Rev. Gerald F. Kicanas will preside.

The guest speaker for this year's event is the Rev. Dennis Billy, C.Ss.R., Professor of Theology, St .Charles Borromeo Seminary in Pennsylvania.

Celebrate the 5th year of Arizona's Rosary Celebration tradition in Tucson. Support the event through advertising. Donation and Advertising forms can be found on the website: http://www.azrosary.com/rosary_sunday_ advertising.htm. The advertising deadline is September 4, 2015. For more information, call Al Tucker (520) 825-1248, e-mail azrosary@yahoo.com, or become a friend on Facebook http://www.facebook.com/arizona. rosary.celebration.

October

Oct 4 - Community Breakfast

****Donut Sales begin October 4th****

Oct 7 - Council Fraternal Breakfast

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Oct 12 - Columbus Day

Oct 17 - 18 - Membership Drive

We will have a speaker at every mass to help promote our Council and the Knights of Columbus. Please wear you Red Shirt and have a Form 100 handy should you be asked by a parishioner about the Knights.

Oct 29 - Special Olympics

The Southern Arizona Special Olympics 3rd Annual Breakfast With Champions will be held on Thursday, October 29, 2015, at the Westin La Paloma Resort & Spa (3800 East Sunrise Drive, Tucson). The event will start at 7:30 AM and runs until 9:00 AM, with registration starting at 6:45.

Contact Fred Falgiano at 885-9590 or falgiano04@q. com as soon as you can as there will be reserved tables and the event chairman needs a headcount.

Oct 29 - Family Social Pot Luck Dinner

This quarter's pot luck dinner will be a Halloween theme, costumes and the like. The dinner will be held in the Tanque Verde Room from 6 PM to 9 PM. Details will follow in the October Newsletter.



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www.kofctucson.org



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ADDRESS SERVICE REQUESTED

Be sure to visit www.kofctucson.org for up-to-date information, pictures, contacts and highlights of upcoming events!