



The Knights of Columbus
Msgr. James T. Weber Assembly 2152
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Friends to Each Other in Christ

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Regular Business Meeting:	3rd Thursday
Location:	Hybrid In-Person and Webex
Time:	7:00 PM
Chapter Meeting	2nd Monday
Location	Hybrid In-Person and Webex
Time:	7:00 PM

Event Calendar

Jnuary	
1	Mary, Mother of God
1	New Year's Day
15	Mass & Dinner with the Bishop
17	Martin Luther King Day
20	Regular Business Meeting
22	Tucson March For Life
27	Vietnam Cease Fire - 1973
February	
6	Four Chaplains Sunday
12	Online Exemplification
14	Valentine's Day
17	Regular Business Meeting
21	President's Day
24	Start of Desert Storm 1991
22	Priest Appreciation Dinner
28	End of Desert Storm 1991

**WE ARE NOW HOLDING MEETINGS.
 IN PERSON**

For These We Pray

- Booken, William
- Caccitolo, John V
- Buino, Terrence
- Curry, James
- Crawford, Norm & Ann Marie
- Fierro, Norm
- Flores, Sandra
- Gardner, Rusty (Falgiano)

- Gill, Art and Jean
- Herrera, Frank Sr.
- Krueger, Ron
- Leclair, Claude
- Lorenz, Tiger
- Lorenz, Vince (RIP)**
- Marsh, Chela
- Marsh, Pat & Tina
- Ortiz, Lisa
- Ortiz, Robert
- Peed, Richard (RIP)**
- Reedy, James
- Ross, Kevin
- Silva, Sue
- Steenbakker, Emmanuel (Dutch)**
- Terlisner, Tom
- Velosa, Al

To add or remove a name from this list, send email to prayers@weberassembly.com.

You can also make prayer requests on our [web site](#).

Prayer for a Sick Person



Father of mercies and God of all comfort, our only help in time of need, visit and relieve your sick servants. Look upon them with a sense of goodness, preserve them from temptations, and give them patience to accept the suffering they must endure.

God of heavenly power, by the might of Your command, You drive away from our bodies all sickness and all infirmity. Be present in Your goodness with these, Your servants, so that their weakness may be banished and their strength restored. Relieve their pain, guard them from all danger, and restore them to full confidence in



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Your loving care. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN.

Our departed Sir Knights are memorialized on our [web site](#) :*Sir Knights in Memoriam*.

Dan Pinda

Faithful Navigator
 520-298-6706
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Faithful Navigator's Corner



Dear Sir Knights,

I pray everyone is staying safe and healthy and that you all had a wonderful Christmas and are

enjoying our New Year.

P.S. As always, if anyone knows of a brother in need, please contact me. (520-298-6706 / drpinda@q.com).

In Memoriam



We mourn the passing of Sir Knight Richard Peed on November 30, 2021 at the early age of 65

Funeral services and a Chalice Ceremony were held on December 14th at Corpus Christi Catholic Church.

Please pray for the repose of his soul and that God will comfort his wife Edda and the Peed family in their sorrow.

Wow, it is hard to believe that we started 2022 already. 2021 had provided struggles for many of us and we lost many knights and friends. I wish I had profound words of wisdom to share with you all, but I am still searching for answers to the simple questions "Who am I?" and "Why am I here?".

I am grateful that we have a loving and caring God. When I get overwhelmed, stressed out or confused I pray to God and Jesus for help. Slowing down and taking time out for an extra prayer helps make the day go a little better for me.

Thank you to all of you who helped with the Wreaths Across America effort and the VA New Year party bags. A special thanks to the Honor Guard members for the many callouts they have supported. May God bless you and your family and may you all have a Happy, Safe and Healthy New Year!

You may read his obituary at <https://bringfuneralhome.com/tribute/details/231113/Richard-Peed/obituary.html>.



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Flag Retirement Ceremony

Our Assembly will be leading our first Flag Retirement Ceremony to be held at St. Joseph School, 215 S. Craycroft Rd., Tucson, AZ on 2/10/22 at 8:00AM. Assemble time is 07:30AM. There will be an Honor Guard for this, but many more sir knights are needed to make this event happen. Contact our Faithful Color Corps Commander SK Tino Martinez (tinomartinez@msn.com) if you can help. Even if you can't help, please try to attend the ceremony.

Resolution to Amend Bylaws

We will consider a resolution to amend our assembly bylaws to change the number needed for a quorum. Currently we require 12 members to have a quorum for routine business and 15 members to vote on a change in the bylaws.

The proposed amendment would change the quorum number to 8 for both cases. This is the minimum number required by Supreme. [Councils do not have a different number for bylaws changes].

The text of the proposed resolution will be posted in the Members Only area of our web site.

We plan to have a first reading at the January meeting and vote on a motion to adopt the resolution at the February meeting. We will need at least 15 members present to vote on this resolution.

Dues Reminer

Second Notices will go out about January 15. Please help us avoid the costs of additional mailings by paying promptly.

Please make checks payable to "Weber Assembly" and mail them to the Faithful Comptroller. We will provide a return envelope for those receiving notices by mail.

Dues may be paid online using a credit card in the Members Only section of our web site at <https://www.weberassembly.com>.



Congratulations to these Sir Knights celebrating birthdays this month.

January

Fr, Christopher Orndorff 1/2



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James D Biiggers	1/6
Dean A Dickherber	1/8
Jesse R Cornia	1/17
John W Davis	1/17
Robert T Garcia	1/17
Rafael D Montano	1/20
Msgr. Michael O Ekpenyong	1/21
Ralph V Garcia	1/22
Robert T Messenger	1/24
Gary M Mc Carthy	1/28
William H Bookken	1/29
David B Davis	1/31

Service Recognition

Congratulations to these Sir Knight as they celebrate service milestones.

Ten Years

- Thomas M Bayham
- Terrence M Buino
- David B Davis
- Ralph D Denogean
- Douglas S Hanna
- Scott R Kohmann
- John L Lingrel
- Robert Ortiz
- Stuart R Sepulvida
- Thomas Linn Terlisner

Five Years

- David J Broder
- Rev. Abram Dono
- Msgr. Michael O Ekpenyong
- Benton L Spicer
- Henry K Zipf

Veterans New Year Party

Due to COVID concerns, we were not able to host an in-person New Year

celebration at the Arizona Veterans home. But we did deliver nearly 100 gift bags with treats and noisemakers to the home. We were met by the Chaplain who expressed his deep gratitude to us.



SK Brian, Chaplain, Bob & Tonya Messenger

Tucson March For Life

The Tucson March for Life will take place on January 22. We begin with Mass at [St. Augustine Cathedral, 192 S. Stone Ave.](#) After Mass we will walk 4.2 miles to [Holy Hope cemetery](#) and observe a ceremony at Noon at the Memorial to the Unborn.



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We will march, rain or shine! Dress appropriately. K of C gear is recommended. An Honor Guard is requested. Councils and assemblies should bring their banners.

Those unable to march can meet the marchers at the cemetery and provide rides back to the Cathedral for some of the marchers.

This is a family friendly event, not political. A police escort will be provided to control traffic.

About the AZ Veterans Home

Often, the Arizona Veterans Home is mistakenly thought to be part of the US Veterans Administration because it is located on the grounds of the VA hospital in Tucson. But the Arizona Veterans Home is operated by the [Arizona Department of Veteran's Services](#). There are four homes one in Flagstaff, Phoenix, Tucson and Yuma.

The Tucson home is a 120 bed skilled nursing facility offering many amenities such as all private rooms, full baths, and selective dining in a home-like environment.

Mission Statement

“The mission of the Arizona State Veterans homes is to provide skilled nursing and rehabilitative care for the geriatric and chronically ill veteran and dependent/surviving spouses throughout the state of Arizona. Our goal is for each veteran to attain or maintain his or her highest prectiable physical, mental and psychological well-being.”

Mass and Dinner with the Bishop

Due to COVID concerns, Bishop Wiesenburger has cancelled the Mass and Dinner with the Bishop event for now. It may be possible to reschedule it later. If you already made reservations or donations see the instructions at <https://uknight.org/CouncilSite/?CNO=10441>.

Priest Appreccion Dinner Postponed

The Chapter Priest Appreciation Dinner for 2022 has also been postponed indefinitely. Bishop Weisenburger had already canceled the Mass and Dinner with the Biship [see above] and the Chapter followed suit. We may be able to hold it later in the year.

The Chapter is soliciting donations to be accumulated and presented to the Bishop at a later date. See the Chapter web site for more information (<https://www.tucsonchapter.org>).



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Exemplification Scheduled

There will be a virtual, online only exemplification of the Fourth Degree on February 12, 2022. All candidates should log on between 10:00 AM and 10:30 AM. The exemplification will begin at 10:45 with the District Master's briefing and should conclude by 12:15 PM.

Please recruit candidates NOW! All candidates *must* have a completed and approved Form 4 processed by the assembly. This means the Form 4 is signed by the candidate and his council financial secretary, then submitted to the assembly to be voted on and approved and signed by the Faithful Navigator and Faithful Comptroller.

Candidates will also need to register online which can be done at <https://kofc-az.org/patriotic-degree>.

Sir Knight observers may also register online at the above link.

If there are any questions, please contact the Faithful Comptroller at skpeter@cox.net or 520-975-7362.

50-50 And Capsule Drawing



We conducted the 50-50 and Capsule drawings at our December meeting. The 50-50 pot was \$16 and SK Pete Karculias won and donated \$8 to the Chalice Fund. For the Capsule drawing, the name of John Islas was drawn but he was not present. The prize will be \$70 in January.

Assembly Officers 2021-2022

Friar	Rev. Christopher Orndorff
Navigator	Dan Pinda
Captain	Brian Landry
Admiral	Christopher Rod
Pilot	Gary Matthews
Comptroller	Pete Karculias
Purser	Dan Santa Maria
Scribe	Matt Angiulo
Inner Sentinel	Ron Blanchard
Outer Sentinel	Ted Burgos-Destephanis
3 Y Trustee	Tino Martinez
2 Y Trustee	Emmanuel Steenbakker
1 Y Trustee	David Meidinger
Color Corps	Tino Martinez
Field Agent	Jay Eisele
Field Agent	Tony LoMonaco
Field Agent	Mark Koeppen
District Master	Drew Mansager
Marshal	Gilbert Larrinaga