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Knight Light Newsletter

GRAND KNIGHT'S **MESSAGE**

Hello Brother Knights: I want to thank all of vou that took time and came to help out during the five weeks of Fish Fry Dinners. Without your help things would have not worked out so well. Because of your help most nights we were able to get out at 8:30pm!

Next up is the Blessing Breakfast and our Parish asked for our help to cook. And also coming up we were asked by Catholic Charities to help at one of their events. We will have more information for you soon with the dates and times.

On May 25,2023 we ready to nominate are hosting the Father Giles Assembly 4th Degree meeting. We are thinking about serving ribs again so save the date. If you are not a great weather and 4th Degree Sir Knight (why not) you can come to enjoy the dinner at a guests if you would however only Sir Knights are allowed for the meeting. Invitation will be emailed with more accurate information.

Also, the time for new Officers Elections is coming up in June 2023 and in July the new Officers should be installed for Columbian Year 2023-2024. If you know of someone that will be a great asset get

him, or if you are ready to step up let me know.

Finally Brothers I look forward to more events where we can come together and collaborate.

cost of \$15 and bring Once again Brothers and Family, thank like. After the dinner you for all your help. God bless you and your family.

Grand Knight Taide Zamora

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April 2023								
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat		
26 5th Sun- day of Lent	27	28	29	30	31	1		
2 Palm Sun- day	3	4	5	6 Holy Thursday	7 Good Fri- day	8 Holy Saturday		
9 Easter Resurrec- tion of The Lord	10	11	12	13	14	15		
16 Divine Mer- cy Sunday	17	18	19	20	21	22		
23 Third Sunday of Easter	24	25 Saint Mark The Evangelist	26	21	28	29 Saint Cathe- rine of Siena		
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BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Members' Birthdays	Tom Cabre- ra 4/16	Wives' Birth- days		<u>Anniversaries</u>
Angel Martinez 4/1 David Evans 4/4 Scott Fernandes 4/4 Octavio Lopez 4/6 Tom Lucas 4/12 Robert Spengler 4/13 Steven Junqueiro 4/15 Daniel Ryan 4/15 Pellegrino	Imad El Gada 4/17 Daniel Di Rienzo 4/23 Benny Kottarathil 4/24 Sean Mullins 4/24 James Standart 4/25 Nicholas Giardina 4/27	Carol Ward 4/4 Rita Menezes 4/5 Sharilyn Nelson 4/8 Maria Delgado Braun 4/10 Wendy Bettencourt 4/11 Shaundra Lopez 4/12 Kim McDoal 4/12 Rosano Sanchez 4/13	Martha Fedasz 4/17 Kelly Valencia 4/17 Piedy Callahan 4/18 Deborah Cavagnaro 4/21 Theresa Junqueiro 4/23 Donna Healey 4/25 Sue Gamboa 4/27	Angel & Jill Martinez 4/4 Jesus & Lupe Perez 4/10
Truncali 4/15	TO THE FULLEST	Suny Di Rienzo 4/15	BIRTHDAY	APR



Brian & Lisa Porta 4/11

Charlyn Piper

David &

Michael & Carlene Pardi-

4/18

na 4/19

COUNCIL #10644 JOKES







- 1. What did April Fools' Day say after it won an award? Prank you.
- 2. Who needs April Fools' when your whole life is a joke? April fools.
- 3. Who needs a day for the fools? I'm surrounded by them all year.
- 4. I don't always joke on April Fools' Day. Just kidding, I do.
- 5. Before your significant other goes to sleep, replace their pillow with a bunch of balloons. The key here is to make sure the balloons are positioned properly to throw them off (you can use tape to keep them together). Then, when they go to lay down, their "pillow" will be moving all over the place.
- 6. Before they wake up in the morning, change all the calendars in the house, plus their phone if you can get to it, to make them believe it's a totally different day. And this year, April 1 is on a Saturday, so you can get the kids up early and tell them it's time for school.
- 7. Empty multiple drawers, and then leave the house or pick a good hiding space. They'll be left wondering where all of their clothes, underwear or utensils went, and you won't be around for them to ask. You can also switch up drawers to get them even more confused.
- 8. This prank will levae ouy ??? what my writing saying is. Time 2 waste oury. reading wanted konw what. rankp to hay APRIL FOOLS!!!
- 9. Slip a sign reading "honk and smile" inside the car of your prank target; make sure it's hidden and out of their view (and not blocking their views at all). All commute long, they'll wonder why they're getting beeped at nonstop by drivers who seem more flirty than inconvenienced.
- 10. Yes, the classic baby shower game of melted chocolate inside a diaper works great as a timeless April Fools' Prank, too. If you have a baby in the home, smear a diaper with chocolate candy or peanut butter; then call in a spouse or child to observe with horror as you taste the mess.
- 11. This prank takes the "control" out of remote control: Use a teeny sticker or tape to cover over the sensor on the clicker. No matter how hard they try, they won't be able to make those TV channels budge ... even with new batteries.



APRIL PRAYER MESSAGE



-Pope Francis Prayer Request for

April 2023

-For a culture of peace and non-violence-We pray for the spread of peace and nonviolence, by decreasing the use of weapons by States and citizens.

Prayer Requests:

Brother Alfonso Chavez (RIP), Brother Steve Laura, Susana, per DD Josey Samson Simon, Barbara Ortman, Margaret, & Susan, Brother David's nephew Mauricio Villareal (RIP), Brother Angel's wife Jill, Father Rolly, Recorder Everardo's wife Lolita, Knights Living and Deceased, End to Abortion, Peace on Earth

-Let us Pray-

Thank You Lord for a blessed time of Lent and hopefully we did our best to have that personal encounter with you so our hearts will join with yours. We ask to have mercy and help us with all the injustice going on in the World. Especially with Abortion and the so called Catholics that support this tragedy and vote for those that think they are gods and have the right to take a human life. We ask for the so called families that either two women or two men have the right to adopt a child. Come Lord and put an end to all the evil and chain forever the Devil where he belongs. We ask you for all the Souls in Purgatory especially the forgotten souls that they may go through the Gates of Heaven. We thank you Lord for our Council and thank you for the great members we have and one of the biggest councils in our area. Show us the way and where you need our help so we can continue to help our

Parish and Community. In addition Lord we ask for you to bless and help our prayer group grow to do your will. Amen!

Brothers:

If you need a prayer, or an email sent out for more to join in and pray with you. Please do not hesitate to contact us at prayers@kofc10644.com with your name and your prayer request. Or you may call or text directly to Brother Everardo's cell phone @ (209)303-3380. 24/7 365 Days a Year! Do not hesitate to contact your Knights of Columbus Council #10644 We are here for you

God Bless You Brothers and Family! May you have a Happy and Blessed Easter 2023

Remember Don't hesitate to send me an email if you have an Emergency Prayer request.

Prayer is Powerful!

Vivat Jesus!

God bless YOU always. Vivat Jesus!

Praying for you

Everardo Ramirez, Editor

If you have or know of any updates or other prayer requests, please let me know at <u>prayers@kofc10644.com</u> or Cell @(209)303-3380



APRIL'S LECTURER REPORT



Greetings Brother Knights;

April is here the month of the Holy Eucharist. It is also the month of the Resurrection of our Lord. As Catholics, we all know that the greatest things in life come in threes. The month of April is no different as it is also the month dedicated to the Holy Spirit (third person of the Trinity). We really have a lot to celebrate this April. The month starts out strong with the first Sunday being Palm Sunday followed of course by Holy Week. Then the greatest Solemnity on our Church calendar and the greatest day for hope for us today and for all who have ever lived and for all time.

THE RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD



The promise of hope and a chance for everlasting life for everyone of us. This opportunity is an undeserved gift that Jesus has given us. The church expresses that sentiment on the Sunday that follows Easter as well as Divine Mercy Sunday.

Let us approach these three great celebrations on the Church Calendar with child like wonder and amazement. Let us cry out Hosannas on Palm Sunday as we welcome the King. We quiet our hearts knowing though that it is Palm Sunday of The Passion of The Lord and that dark, quiet and solemn days of The Triduum are to come. We all know that our darkest three days (the days when

our Lord was in the tomb) are followed by our greatest day of light when we celebrate on Easter his return. Joy returns to the world as we sing Alleluia! Alleluia! He is Risen indeed. A spring of Hope Eternal for all the faithful. Even the undeserving (all of us).

The following Sunday we are all reminded of how merciful Jesus is. The Church has called for the Sunday following Easter to be Devine Mercy Sunday. (We can all use as much of His Mercy as we can get, I know I need it).

We can all ask for help, the help that Jesus Himself said He would send us. The Helper, The Paraclete The Third Person of the Trinity. We should all call on Him by His Name with the following prayer.

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FINANCIAL SECRETARY'S APRIL MESSAGE

Hello Brothers;

I want to thank each and everyone of you for all your hard work at our Fish Fry's. I feel proud of being part of our Council and watching how you all step up and take time out of your busy schedule to come help your fellow Brother Knights. 4 weeks we served 550 guest including our Priest and the final week 5 we did not sellout but got more than 400 served. I am especially thankful for you family you brought with you and God willing your sons will be our future Knights. You should feel proud and satisfied of a job well done.

YOU DESERVE IT

We have another event coming up, our Parish Priest have asked for our help once again for the Annual Blessings Breakfast. We will have more information soon and we hope you

can also join us in serving our Parish.

May you and your family have a blessed Easter 2023 God Bless You Brothers and your wonderful family.

Yours in Christ; Financial Secretary Tim Matalone finsec@kofc10644.com (209)484-5509



LECTURER APRIL MESSAGE CONTINUED

PRAYER TO THE HOLY SPIRIT



Act in me, O Holy Spirit, that my thoughts may all be holy.

Act in me, O Holy Spirit, that my work, to maybe holy.

Draw my heart, O Holy Spirit, that I love but what is holy.

Strengthen me, O Holy Spirit, to defend all that is holy.

Guard me, then, O Holy Spirit, that I always may be holy.

Amen! (St. Augustine)

Yours in Christ, Lecturer Ray Tunkel newsletter@kofc10644.com



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