



Knight Light Newsletter

GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

Hello Brother
Knights;

On the road to Emmaus, Jesus had been walking and talking with the two disciples all along, but they did not recognize him until he broke bread with them. Do we recognize Jesus in our midst - in the Eucharist, in Scripture among the poor and those in need, in the face of every person? So we help others, particularly our friends and family to do the same?

Challenge by Supreme Chaplain Archbishop William E. Lori:

This month remind yourselves and others particularly your family and those closest to you that Christ is present by speaking about your faith in everyday conversation (perhaps simply by thanking God for some blessing he has bestowed.

Questions for Reflection:

Do you sometimes lose sight of God or become distracted with other things? Are there times in your life when God's presence is easy to recognize? What are some specific things that you can do to more regularly remember God?

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
26 4th Sun- day of Easter	1	2 Council Meeting 7:00pm St. Athanasius	3 St. Philip & James Apostles	4	5 5 de Mayo	6
7 5th Sun- day of Easter	8	9	10 Feliz Dia de Las Madres	11	12	13
14 Mother's Day 6th Sunday of Easter	15 Saint Isi- dore	16	17	18 St. John I Pope and Martyr	19	20
21 The Ascen- sion of The Lord	22	23	24	25	26 St. Philip Neri	27
28 Pentecost	29 The Blessed Virgin Mary	30	31 The Visita- tion of Blessed Vir- gin Mary	1 St. Justin Martyr	2	3

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Members' Birthdays

John Malloy
5/5
Norman Andrews 5/9
Richard
Goeken 5/10
Donald
Dedini 5/11
Ruben
Sanchez
5/12
Erik
Jimenez
5/13
Jesus Perez
5/14
Roy Gordon
5/15
Owen
Kummerle
5/16
Alberto Valencia 5/16

Francisco Payanes
5/18
David Contreras 5/19
Joe Furtado
5/19
John
Marsella
5/21
Miguel Villalobos 5/21
Jimi Netniss
5/22
Jeff Fultz
5/24
Gary Davidson 5/25
Rod Smith
5/27
Gerald Moon
5/29
Hugo
Fausto
5/31

Wives' Birthdays

Lucy Muñoz
5/1
Lisa Lucas
5/8
Jackie Spengler
5/11
Janice Keating
5/12
Lita Selover
5/17
Beverly Sousa
5/28

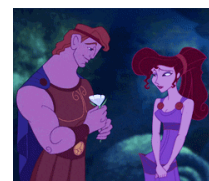
Barbara Brady
5/19
Marti Reed
5/20
Angelina Ramirez
5/29
Tamara Butera
5/30



Anniversaries

Eddie & Rachel
Marmol 5/1
Gary & Helen
Moya 5/1
Jessy & Maria
Cristerna 5/6
Robert & Carol
Luna 5/6
Alfred & Darla
Sierras 5/8
Octavio &
Shaundra
Lopez 5/10
Alex & Jennifer
Richmond 5/10
Bryan & Donna
Healey 5/10
Brian Kristin
Archuleta 5/12
Don & Janet
Baker 5/15
Wayne & Beverly
Sousa 5/16

Timothy &
Susie Dickert
5/17
Roger & Insa
Duke 5/18
Michael & Lisa
Ringer 5/22
Ronald &
Elaine Varnell
5/22
Chris & Dawn
Powers 5/26
Robert & Jackie
Spengler 5/27
Douglas &
Elaine Beau-
mont 5/29
Daniel & Sandy
Fitzgerald 5/31



COUNCIL #10644 JOKES



1. A mother said to her son, "Look at that kid over there; he's not misbehaving." The son replied, "Maybe he has good parents then!"

2.

Daughter: Mum, what's it like to have the greatest daughter in the world?

Mum: I don't know dear, you'd have to ask Grandma.

3.

To Mum: I'm hungry, I'm tired, I'm cold, I'm hot, Can I have..., Where are you?

To Dad: Where's Mum?

4.

Bought my Mum a mug which says, "Happy Mother's day from the World's Worst Son".

I forgot to mail it but I think she knows.

5.

Mothers with teenagers know why animals eat their young.

6.

A woman gets on a bus with her baby. The bus driver says, "That's the ugliest baby that I've ever seen. Ugh!" The woman goes to the rear of the bus and sits down, fuming. She says to a man next to her, "The driver just insulted me!" The man says, "You go right up there and tell him off - go ahead, I'll hold your monkey for you."

7.

A: I have the perfect son.

B: Does he smoke?

A: No, he doesn't.

B: Does he drink whiskey?

A: No, he doesn't.

B: Does he ever come home late?

A: No, he doesn't.

B: I guess you really do have the perfect son. How old is he?

A: He will be six months old next Wednesday.



9.

A kid asks his dad, "What's a man?" The dad says, "A man is someone who is responsible and cares for their family." The kid says, "I hope one day I can be a man just like mom!"

10.

Two children ordered their mother to stay in bed one Mother's Day morning. As she lay there looking forward to breakfast in bed, the smell of bacon floated up from the kitchen. But after a good long wait she finally went downstairs to investigate. She found them both sitting at the table eating bacon and eggs. "As a surprise for Mother's Day," one explained, "We decided to cook our own breakfast."

11.

Fred is 32 years old and he is still single.

One day a friend asked, "Why aren't you married? Can't you find a woman who will be a good wife?"

Fred replied, "Actually, I've found many women I wanted to marry, but when I bring them home to meet my parents, my mother doesn't like them."

His friend thinks for a moment and says, "I've got the perfect solution, just find a girl who's just like your mother."

A few months later they meet again and his friend says, "Did you find the perfect girl? Did your mother like her?"

With a frown on his face, Fred answers, "Yes, I found the perfect girl. She was just like my mother. You were right, my mother liked her very much."

The friend said, "Then what's the problem?"

Fred replied, "My father doesn't like her."

MAY PRAYER MESSAGE



Pope Francis Prayer Request for

May 2023

--For church movements and groups--

We pray that Church movements and groups may rediscover their mission of evangelization each day, placing their own charisms at the service of needs in the world.

Brothers and Family;

Thank you all of you who attended and especially prayed for our Brother Alfonso Chavez's Soul May He Rest in Peace. Father Sam did a beautiful homily and remembrance of our Brother Alfonzo on the kind of person he was and all he did for our parish, community and council. The church was almost full of all that attended and if many did not have to work that day, I am sure it would have filled up completely. His passing made me reflect on how will my mass and funeral would be. Will many come to say their goodbyes and truly be sad for my passing? What kind of memories and impact have I left in their lives? Will many be saddened and praying for me? Or will only a few remember me and some maybe even happy that I have passed?

Our Brothers passing encourages me to be a better person with everyone I come across with and especially be a better husband, brother and son. I would like to leave great stories and that somehow I have touched peoples hearts in some way. It makes me reflect on everything that I am doing wrong and what things I need to change in my life. After all everything is possible if we ask God for his will to be done.

Truly what an awesome reflection and remembrance from Father Sam that I am sure many of us did not know everything our Brother has done and what a beautiful

wife and family he left behind.

Remember Brothers and Family, we are only here for a while and our true home is Paradise. God willing we will all arrive at our Lord's Mansion and live happy for all eternity singing and praising our Lord Jesus Christ for ever and ever.

SK Everardo Ramirez

Don't forget Brothers if you or a family member have fallen ill in the hospital, a care home, or your own home, we encourage you to contact our Knights Prayer Group and we will gladly visit you to bring comfort, support and prayer. Or if you just need a prayer, or an email "blast". Please, do not hesitate to contact us at prayers@kofc10644.com with your name, phone number and your prayer request. Or you may call Brother Everardo @ (209)303-3380.

If you need any assistance or know of an elderly person needing assistance don't hesitate to let your Officers know by replying to this newsletter or at prayers@kofc10644.com.

Prayer Requests:

Brother Alfonso Chavez (RIP), Father Rolly, Boston, Knights of Columbus, ALL Mothers

Thank you for your prayers Brothers. May you and your family continue to stay safe and healthy.

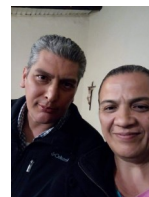
Remember Don't hesitate to send me an email if you have an Emergency Prayer request.

**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 prayers@kofc10644.com or Cell @ (209)303-3380



MAY'S LECTURER REPORT

Greetings Brother Knights;

May is for Mothers!

The church dedicates this month to the Blessed Virgin Mary, our mother, and Mother of our Lord. The secular world has followed our lead and May is the month that we celebrate Mother's Day as well.

As The Knights of Columbus Men's Organization, we must remember our beginnings. Why are we here? What is our purpose? Father McGivney saw his own mother struggle to care for his own mother struggle to care for his brothers and sisters. His father died while he was a seminarian. He had to pause his call to serve the church so he could help his mother and siblings. Father McGivney saw in his own mother a need that was shared by mothers and families throughout the country.

We all are called to take care of each other. Especially those who have no one to help them.

May 14, 2023 is Mother's Day, make sure to thank your mother for all she has done. Thank your wife for being your children's mom, Thank the Blessed Virgin Mary for saying yes to motherhood, for saying yes to life and for her part in bringing salvation to all of us.

Below is a beautiful prayer that honors Mary as the Mother of God and as our very own Mother.



Almighty God, our Father,
you have given us Mary the mother of your Son to be our Mother and Queen.

Grant that supported by her prayers we may come to the kingdom of heaven and to the glory destined for your children.

We ask this through Our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit God forever and ever.

Amen!

Yours in Christ,
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