

# The Navigator

Knights of Columbus - Fourth Degree

**Junipero Serra Assembly 0044** 

**August 2016** 

Siempre Adalento (Always Forward) Fr Serra's Motto

#### CALENDAR

August's Dinner Meeting 15 Aug September's Officer's Mtg. 06 Sep Blue Mass 19 Sep

# AUGUST'S DINNER MEETING

On Monday August 15<sup>™</sup>, (Feast of Assumption of Mary), we will have our August Dinner Meeting beginning with a "social hour" at 6:30 PM and dinner served a little after 7:00 PM.

## AUGUST'S DINNER MEETING AGENDA

- 1. BLUE MASS plans for 19 Sep
- 2. Officer Installation report
- 3. Bishop Barron meeting on 8/6/16
- 4. Mentoring of seminarian at St Johns
- 5. Color Corps report
- 6. Election precinct payments and future.

#### **BIRTHDAYS FOR AUGUST**

For The following Sir Knights will celebrate birthday during the months of August.

Daniel J. Engler 6 August
Robert P Richards Jr. 13 August
Ugo Arnoldi 16 August
Ed Barrier 28 August
Dcn Stephen J Montross
Richard Scholl 29 August

### FATHFUL NAVIGATOR COMMENTS

Brother Sir Knights,

Thank you for electing me Faithful Navigator for the new Columbian year, 2016-2017. I will try fervently to justify your faith and confidence. The new officers were installed at a dual ceremony with the Ventura Assembly on July 24 at Mission San Buenaventura by District Master Giuseppe Caldarero, an inspiring experience for your new officers. The first Assembly meeting I presided over was July 18 at St Raphael Hall, with a wonderful meal cooked by Brother Sir Knights Carlos Valenzuela and Jose Meza. In the business section we covered a busy schedule of Knights business, including plans for the installation, plans for the Blue Mass, plans for our election precincts, mentoring our seminarian with our donation and other items. To hear what was discussed and voted on come to the next meeting on August 18 and hear the minutes presented by our worthy Scribe, as well as enjoying another wonderful dinner. I entreat each of you to attend every possible meeting so that you can participate in the governance of YOUR assembly. At the July meeting we had only 12 members present, representing our entire assembly of 101 members! Do you know who is spending your money? Frank Donohoe, Faithful Navigator

### **COLOR GUARD CALL OUTS**

Installation of Father Marin-Leon as Pastor of Holy Cross 28 August at 9A Mass.

Blue Mass

19 SEPTEMBER at 6P Mass

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# BLUE MASS AND DINNER TO HONOR POLICE, FIREFIGHTERS, AND MILITARY

The Blue Mass and Dinner will be held on **19TH SEPTEMBER** to honor and give thanks to all those who serve our Country and Community, asking for God's grace and strength upon them. We welcome all Police, Firefighters, Sherriff's, Forestry, Coast Guard and all branches of the Military.

As an expression of our appreciation to our local police, firefighters, and military, we encourage all Knights and their families to join in the annual "BLUE MASS" at 6:00 PM with Msgr Jon Majarucon as celebrant. Following at 7:00 PM in St. Raphael Parish Hall, there will be a "SOCIAL HOUR" with entertainment, a no host cocktail bar and complimentary hors d'oeuvers. Then at 7:30 PM dinner will be served.

Dress Code Men – Formal or Business Attire Ladies- Appropriate Attire Tickets are \$20 and may be purchased at the rectory 967-5641 or by contacting FN Frank Donohoe 967-4224, SK Jim Garland 569-5516 or SK Bill Fuhrer at 683-4236. Please RSVP BY FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9<sup>TH</sup>. If paying by check, please make payable to KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS – JUNIPERO SERRA ASSEMBLY.

Our guests from the service sectors in uniform with their spouses will receive a free meal.

## THIRD DEGREE EXEMPLIFICATION

On 27 August, Council 1684 will sponsor a Third Degree Exemplification. The Exemplification will take place at Serra Hall 2210 Garden. Sign in 10:45A – 11:30A. Ceremony Noon – 2:00P. Cost \$6. For more info contact GK Jack Turney at 967-9473

# **KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS**

Bradley Stephens, son-in-law of Jack Turney who has with a Stage IV melanoma cancer, Mell Hueston, Pauline Brokaski, wife of SK Fred Brokaski, Bro. Don Sweet, SK Robert J. Gauthier, Bro. Teo Nungaray, SK Ray Centeno's father, SK Garvan Kuskey, SK James Delarvin, Lee Alfano widow of SK Sam Alfano, SK Brian Klinge, Terry Pugh, wife of SK Earl Pugh; SK Larry Torres, SK Bill McNamara, SK Felix Sanchez, Bro. Fritz Cahill and his son Tom Cahill, SK Joseph Connolly (Council 1684 & Color Guard), SK Al Meckelborg, Camille Moynihan, widow of SK John Moynihan, Carol McLafferty, widow of SK Bill McLafferty, Denise Swiacki wife of SK Walter Swiacki, Donna Abels wife of SK Jim Abels, Anita Pullens sisters-in-law to SK Felix Sanchez, Sr. Teresa Meza, Sister of SK José Meza, Joe Vampola, brother of SK Mark Vampola, Nancy Herrera, widow of SK Pablo Herrera, SK Roy Schrader, and David, son of SK Roy Schrader, SK Joe & Ruth Duwel, Daughter of PFN Jim Garland, Christian Franzen, nephew of SK Dn Wayne, Bro Dan Engler (Council 1684), Eileen Pando, widow of SK Joe Pando, Frances Diani, wife of Bro. Frank Diani, Helen Owen, wife of SK Dr. Charles Owen, Father Lucio Juarez's mother, Rosa, Randy Ganske, Fr. Dennis, Collins, Fr. Bruce, who is having some medical issues, Fr. James, who is having some medical issues, Fr. David Velasquez of St Joseph who is dealing with many medical issues, Fr. Frank Colburn, and Fr. Tom Ellis, SK Dn Mike Betliskey.

Pray for Pope Francis, our bishops, priests and deacons who are our spiritual leaders in our spiritual community.



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# JUBILEE YEAR OF MERCY

Pope Francis' August Reflection on Mercy

Mercy is more than just forgiving people; it is about considering the needs of others and responding to them in a loving and compassionate manner. It is a call to look beyond ourselves to the way in which we interact with the world as Christians. Pope Francis encourages us to "return to the basics and to bear the weaknesses and struggles of our brothers and sisters. Mercy is the force that reawakens us to new life and instills in us the courage to look to the future with hope" ("Misericordiae Vultus" ("The Face of Mercy"), no. 10). We have hope in our salvation by our faith in Christ. However, not everyone shares in this hope, so we need to spread this hope by becoming "merciful like the Father" (MV, no. 13).

- I. Sometimes, having hope can be challenging when we are faced with difficulties in life. This month, pray for someone who is going through a difficult time that they might find hope and peace in God.
- 2. Back to school time! Though it is nice to have new clothes and new supplies each year, consider reusing what you already have. Instead of buying new things for yourself, use that money to buy school supplies for those who are in need. See if your local community already has a drive for school supplies to donate to, and if not, consider starting one.



# INTERCESSION TO APOSTLE OF CALIFORNIA PADRE JUNIPERO SERRA

O Lord Jesus Christ, reward the apostolic zeal of Your servant, Padre Junipero Serra, who departing his native Spain, labored for the salvation of souls in Mexico and California. Graciously deign by evident signs and prodigies to glorify him, so that for the exaltation of Your Most Holy Name, he may be elevated to the honors of the altar. Through Padre's intercession kindly grant the special favor, I request.

Our Father, Hail Mary, Glory be to the Father

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