



Knights of Columbus

Council 1684 • Santa Barbara, California

JULY - AUGUST 2015



Special Dates and Activities

July 2 11:00 PM
Hour of Adoration
of the Blessed
Sacrament, Chapel
of the Poor Clares.

July 12 3:00 PM
Prayer Vigil to
End Abortion, in
front of the Planned
Parenthood office,
518 Garden Street

July 24 5:30 PM
Prepare Meal at
Transition House

August 6 11:00 PM
Hour of Adoration
of the Blessed
Sacrament, Chapel of
the Poor Clares.

August 9 3:00 PM
Prayer Vigil to End
Abortion, In Front of
the Planned Parenthood
office, 518 Garden St.

August 28 5:30 PM
Prepare Meal at
Transition House

July 8 6:30 PM **Officers Meeting**
7:30 PM **General Council Meeting**
Location: Serra Hall, 2210 Garden Street

August 5 - 8
K of C Booths at Old Spanish Days
Location: As a fund raiser during Old Spanish Days
our Brother Knights will staff two booths (souvenirs
and soft drinks) at Mackenzie Park (Mercado del
Norte) - corner of State Street and Las Positas Road.
WE NEED VOLUNTEERS TO STAFF BOOTHS
FOR FOUR-HOUR SLOTS: 11 AM—3 PM,
3 PM—7 PM, 7 PM—11 PM.

August 12 6:30 PM **Officers Meeting**
7:30 PM **General Council Meeting**
Location: Serra Hall, 2210 Garden Street

Financial Secretary Notes

During May 14-17 your Financial Secretary and our Grand Knight attended California Knights of Columbus 113th Annual State Convention in San Diego held at the Town & Country Convention Center. There were numerous activities to attend such as State Officers Installation, viewing K of C California Museum, listening to Carl Andersen Supreme Knights' address, and if time was available entering State Convention Golf Tournament. It is amazing to hear 2,000 men praying the Our Father following by speaking the Pledge of Allegiance to our Nation's flag.

On Wednesday May 27 we had the pleasure of again awarding scholarships at our Annual Scholarship Dinner. Our Dinner was a huge success with 106 attendees. Brother Bruce García was praised for his outstanding organization and preparation. I thank all who helped and attended. On Saturday June 20 we again celebrated the installation of officers with a Latin Mass followed the installation ceremony held at the Serra Chapel Old Mission Santa Barbara. We thank Fr. Charles for his part as well as the taking the time to celebrate the Latin Mass. We also welcome our new Grand Knight Deacon Nick Curran. His message as our new Grand Knight can be found on Page 2 of our bulletin.

Our Council will again be doing a fund drive during the Old Spanish Days Fiesta. To raise funds for scholarships, our council has agreed to operate both the Pepsi booth and the souvenir stand at Mercado Del Norte (Mackenzie Park). The Mercado will be opened from 11:00 AM to 11:00 PM, Wednesday, August 5 through Saturday, August 8. We will need staff for the soft drink operation with teams of two people per shift (a third person will serve as "manager" making sure that the booth remains well-stocked with what it needs). The souvenir booth

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K of C Council 1684
Grand Knight
Deacon Nick Curran

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Deacon
Nick Curran

GRAND KNIGHTS REPORT

Thanks from the bottom of my heart to the Brother Knights who elected me Grand Knight for the Columbian Year beginning July 1. It is an honor and privilege to be entrusted with this responsibility. I will do my very best. Thanks to Past Grand Knight Steve Romofsky, who built the Council tirelessly over the past three years and left it in such good shape. Thanks to Past Grand Knights Ray Charpentier, Mark Wietstock, and Leo Stark, especially, who taught me earlier how the job should be done.

When I took the First Degree Exemplification in my hometown of Norwood, MA in 1964 with Council 252, I was asked why I

wanted to be a Knight of Columbus. All I could think of was to be closer to God. And since then, I have seen God in the faces of so many great Catholics. All of the activities of Council 1684 lead us to answering the call to service of others. We are all foot soldiers in God's army, bringing us closer to God.

I welcome input from all Brother Knights and wives on what I could do to make the Council better. I encourage all Brother Knights to be as active as possible. Maybe it is attending the monthly business meeting a bit more often. Maybe it is attending the monthly social dinners as often as possible. Maybe it is helping out during Fiesta Week August 5-9 by asking PGK Mark Wietstock if he needs an extra person. Maybe it is recruiting new members from your group of

friends and acquaintances. God gives us so many different talents. An hour or two a month of service means so much.

Pope Francis is coming to Philadelphia for the World Meeting of Families from September 22-27. If you go to kofc.org you will find details of this great event. Maybe you would like to volunteer to serve there and be close to the Holy Father. It is a remarkable feeling. I had the chance to distribute the Eucharist with other deacons and priests at Dodger Stadium in Los Angeles when Pope John Paul II visited in 1987. It is a once in a lifetime experience.

Respectfully submitted,

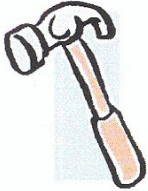

Deacon Nick Curran

Grand Knight

Financial Secretary's Notes...

requires two people on each shift to sell mementos. For each booth and on each day, there will be three four-hour shifts: 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM, 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM and 7:00 - 11:00 PM. We will be calling on council members to volunteer for one of these 12 shifts. Wives and teenagers of council members are welcomed to help. If you are interested in volunteering, contact Mark Wietstock at 899-2729.

Ray Charpentier

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Deacon's Corner:

MASS WHILE ON THE ROAD

I certainly hope we are all enjoying the summertime and all the activities that come along with our beachside community and all the events that come with the time of year.

My family always enjoys the time in Santa Barbara, but we also enjoy getting away from work and our responsibilities for a week or more each year. This usually entails travel to another town; and one of our favorite events is visiting the local Parish, wherever we may be.

I encourage all travelers to not forget to attend Mass on the weekends where ever your travels may take you. Be advised; although Catholic services are all the same, in the matter that we all read the same readings, use the same prayer options, and generally sing similar hymns that we are usually familiar with, the services are not always the exact same. The people may stand and kneel at slightly different times, lectors and ministers may have different functions, the sign of peace may or may not be a social encounter, and of course you never know the route of the Communion procession. My advice is not to sit in front pew, nor be the first to respond to a prayer or stand up during the Eucharistic Prayer; you're

bound to draw some friendly but questionable gazes, when you realize they stand after the Amen. None of this is wrong or incorrect, just different. Each Bishop has some rights to alter the Liturgy as he feels may be necessary for his particular diocese.

Just always remember, the true Christian isn't concerned about getting all the prayers perfect or standing up in orchestrated unison, or being concerned if we sing all 5 verses or just 2 of the entrance song. We come to the Mass to give thanks and praise to Jesus and our Heavenly Father. We come to Mass to experience the Holy Spirit working within us and the Christian community joined in worship, and to partake in the Sacrament of the Eucharist.

I hope we always take time to get away from the daily grinds of our jobs and responsibilities to enjoy some personal time and relaxation, which should always include the relaxation and re-energizing time of attending weekly Mass, where ever our travels may take us.

Deacon Randy

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NOTICE

**The Council will be
publishing its Membership
Directory for 2015-2016.**

**If you have changes that
need to be made as to your
name, address, phone and/
or e-mail address, contact:**

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**GENERAL MEETING OF COUNCIL 1684
WEDNESDAY, MAY 13, 2015**

Sixteen members were present when Grand Knight Steve Romofsky called the Council meeting for May to order at 7:33 p.m. Upon closing the meeting doors, Warden James Bauer verified membership cards, and the Grand Knight led the opening prayer and Pledge of Allegiance.

The Minutes of the April meeting were approved as read.

The Worthy Grand Knight reported on the following items:

- The Third Degree Exemplification on April 26 was a huge success and the Grand Knight thanked all who were involved.
- The April dinner was superb. Our thanks and congratulations go out to Brothers José Naranjo, Walter De Jesus, Jr., and Bruce García, and their able assistants. The scholarship winners were as cute as they could be and represented their schools and catholic education well.
- Our annual Officers' Installation Gala will be held June 20 at the Old Mission Santa Barbara. The Latin Mass will be held in the Serra Chapel at 9:00 followed by the installation of officers at 10:00. All Officers on the slate must make arrangements to be there or have another Knight take their place. A pancake breakfast will follow the installation in Serra Hall at 11:00.
- Worthy Grand Knight Steve Romofsky and Worthy Financial Secretary Ray Charpentier will be attending the state convention in San Diego Starting May 15.
- The May 27 Scholarship Dinner will feature barbequed tri-tip, chili beans, bread and salad. This social represents the grand culmination of our Columbian year by demonstrating our support for catholic education. Please attend and support this demonstration of our commitment.

- The June 10 business meeting of the Council will have a First Degree Exemplification prior to the business meeting.

Under the Treasurer's Report, the Treasurer had no report.

The Financial Secretary reported four bills paid. The Council's income was \$270 from 27 guests, \$115 from the bar, and \$120 from the 50-50 raffle. The food expense was \$154.85, resulting in a profit to the Council of \$350.15.

Under Membership, a First Degree Exemplification will be held prior to the June 10 business meeting.

Under Communication, the Council received two pictures from Brother Steve Riffero documenting the Teen Blue Jacket Club's recent charity trip to Tijuana.

Under New Business,

- The slate of officers for the new Columbian Year received the first reading. Grand Knight Nick Curran
Deputy Grand Knight Hank Peterson
Chancellor Marc Russo
Recorder Al Anglin
Treasurer Bruce García
Advocate Richard Rink
Warden José Naranjo
Inside Guard David Chávez
Outside Guard Jim Bauer
One Year Trustee John Green
Two Year Trustee Mark Weitstock
Three Year Trustee Mitch Molitor
Chaplain Father Charles Talley
Lecturer Deacon Chris Sandner
- The 2015-2016 Council budget and calendar were distributed and given the first reading and discussion.
- Supreme passed a Resolution last August that deals with Home Associations. A committee will be appointed to ascertain how this will affect Council 1684 and what changes are required.

There was no Old Business.

Under the District Deputy's report, the Worthy Grand Knight informed the Council that District Deputy Ray Centeno, Jr. has taken the position of District 77 District Deputy. Brother Tim Coe will assume the duties of our new District Deputy after the Officers' Installation.

Under the Field Agent's report, Brother David Nordella is now officially a member of Council 1684. He also used the Columbia magazine to explain how times have changed.

Under the Good of the Order,

- Brother Matt Najera reported that St. Therese Academy will be having a retreat at the Circle Bar B. They are also looking to expand enrollment from 12 to 20 students next year.
- Brother Mark Weitstock told the council that he has been busy with Fiesta preparations such as insurance and forms from the Fiesta Committee. Our new trailer should be ready to go thanks to Brother David Borgatello storing it for us.
- Brother Mark Weitstock spoke briefly about keeping in mind our role as Catholics, who we are and what we are called to do while leaning on the Holy Spirit for guidance.
- Brother Dan Engler noted that Brother Garvin Kuskey gave credit to all the prayers on his behalf for making a difference in the outcome of his cancer, especially a series of novenas.

Under Prayers for the Sick or Distressed,
Prayers for the widow of Dr. O'Brien.

Following a closing prayer by Worthy Grand Knight Steve Romofsky, the Council meeting for May adjourned at 8:11 p.m.

The next Council 1684 business meeting is scheduled for June 10, 2015.

Respectfully submitted,

Al Anglin
Recorder

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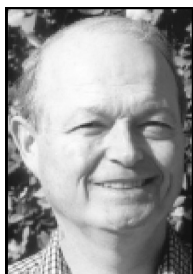
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Pro-Life Report



Mike Engler

Help Stop Diabolical Bill That Would Force Pro-life Clinics to Help Kill Babies

Anyone who doesn't believe in the devil should look at AB 775, a bill now making its way through our state legislature in Sacramento.

Not content with keeping abortions legal and making us taxpayers pay for them, anti-life lawmakers might soon pass AB 775. This bill would force all baby-saving pro-life medical clinics to tell pregnant mothers they can have their unborn babies killed, free of charge, through Medi-Cal.

If the pro-life clinic refused to tell the moms about this deadly option, it'd be fined \$500 for the first "offense" and \$1,000 for every additional "offense." For example, Los Angeles Pregnancy Services (LAPS), which saved 403 babies from the abortionists last year, would've had to pay \$402,500 in fines!

No pro-life clinic could pay such massive fines. The goal of AB 775, obviously, is to force every pro-life clinic in the state to close its doors, so the abortionists can kill untold thousands more babies and rake in millions more dollars. How Satan must be cackling at the prospect of forcing pro-life Christians to take part in baby-murder or go out of business!


The State Assembly has already voted in favor of this monstrosity, and the State Senate was scheduled to vote on it by the time you read this. If the Senate voted "yes," then the bill would go to Gov. Brown to be signed into law.

We Knights and our families must take a stand NOW against the evil of AB 775.

Please take just a couple of minutes to call Gov. Jerry Brown's office and ask him to veto AB 775 if it comes to his desk. His phone number is (916) 445-2841 and his fax is (916) 558-3160. Be sure to say your family is a Knights of Columbus family.

God bless you for taking action!

Mike Engler
Pro-Life Chairman




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AGENCY DEPARTMENT
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

**GENERAL MEETING OF COUNCIL 1684
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10 2015**

Fifteen members were present when Grand Knight Steve Romofsky called the Council meeting for June to order at 7:35 p.m. Upon closing the meeting doors, Warden James Bauer verified membership cards, and the Grand Knight led the opening prayer and Pledge of Allegiance.

The Minutes of the May meeting were approved as read.

The Worthy Grand Knight reported on the following items:

- This is the second year in which Brothers Steve Romofsky and Ray Charpentier have attended the Knights State Convention. He urged all fellow Knights to attend if they have the opportunity because the speakers and friendships make it an uplifting experience.
- Our annual Officers' Installation Gala will still be held June 20 at the Old Mission Santa Barbara. The Latin Mass will be held in the Serra Chapel at 9:00 followed by the installation of officers at 10:00 after some discussion regarding Council 5300's participation. All Officers on the slate must make arrangements to be there or have another Knight take their place. A pancake breakfast will follow the installation in Serra Hall at 11:00.
- The May 27 Scholarship Dinner was a huge success with 106 attendees. Brother Bruce García was lauded greatly for his outstanding organization and preparation. Many thanks to all who helped and attended.

Under the Treasurer's Report, the Treasurer had an excused absence.

The Financial Secretary reported eleven bills paid. The Council's income was \$710: \$415 from the scholarship dinner, \$140 from the bar, and \$155 from the 50-50 raffle. The food expense was \$594.16, resulting in a profit to the Council of \$115.85.

Under Membership, there was nothing to report.

Under Communication, there was no new communication.

Under Old Business,

- The slate of officers for the new Columbian Year received the first reading after a couple changes.
Grand Knight Nick Curran
Deputy Grand Knight Hank Peterson

Chancellor Marc Russo
Recorder Al Anglin
Treasurer Bruce García
Advocate Richard Rink
Warden José Naranjo
Inside Guard Luis Pelayo
Outside Guard David Chávez
One Year Trustee John Green
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Three Year Trustee Mark Weitstock
Chaplain Father Charles Talley Lecturer
Deacon Chris Sandner

- The 2015-2016 Council Budget was amended following discussion and prior to the second reading. A motion was made and discussed to increase the St. Vincent de Paul Summer Camp amount from \$850 to \$1275 to reflect the true cost of providing this experience to three youngsters. The motion was discussed and passed unanimously. The Amended budget was then given the first reading.
- Brother Ray Charpentier asked if all of the calling Committee Captains wanted to continue calling. No one wished to be excused.

Under New Business,

- Brother Mark Weitstock left the sign-up sheet for participation in our 2015 Fiesta fundraiser at McKenzie Park. This year's booth will be open from August 5 through August 8. Brother Mark completed all of the paperwork and our new trailer is ready to go. All Knights are welcomed to participate. Please contact Grand Knight Steve Romofsky or Brother Mark Weitstock for more information.
- A resolution was proposed for the purpose of donating \$3000 to the Knights Ultrasound project to protect babies in utero. There was then a motion to amend the resolution to the effect that the Council should use any surplus funds from the Council's budget for the 2014-2015 Columbian year be applied to this purpose and then treat the remaining amount needed as a loan. This motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

The resulting Resolution reads as follows:
*WHEREAS the Council has determined that it wants to support the efforts of PDD Mike Ohler to secure funding for mobile ultrasound pregnancy services in the Southern California region within the 2014-2015 Columbian year; and
WHEREAS the Council's efforts to raise a total of \$3,000 for this purpose are*

proceeding more slowly than hoped, IT IS THEREFORE RESOLVED that: 1) any surplus funds remaining in the Council's budget for the 2014-2015 Columbian year be dedicated to this purpose, and 2) any remaining funds needed to meet the Council's total commitment of \$3,000 be transferred from the Council's Building and Equipment Fund, to be treated as a "loan" from the same Fund, and subsequently reimbursed from continued fundraising in the 2015-2016 Columbian year; until all funds advanced from the Building and Equipment Fund for this purpose are reimbursed in full.

The Resolution was given the first reading.

Under the District Deputy's report, Ray Centeno, Jr. spoke highly of Council 1684 at this last business meeting under his guidance. He introduced the incoming District Deputy Tim Coe and gave him the opportunity to give the Council an insight into his background. Brother Ray also requested that Knights think about attending the World Series of Special Olympics this summer. There will be a Chapter meeting on June 23 that our Grand Knight and Deputy Grand Knight should attend. District Deputy Ray will officiate at our Officers' Installation festivities.

Under the Field Agent's report, Brother David Nordella was unable to attend.

Under the Good of the Order,

- Outgoing, but not yet gone, Worthy Grand Knight Steve Romofsky requested a standing ovation for Brothers Ray Charpentier, Bruce García, John Green, and Mark Weitstock for their outstanding service to the Council.

Following a closing prayer by Worthy Grand Knight Steve Romofsky, the Council meeting for June adjourned at 8:03 p.m.

The meeting re-opened at 8:03 p.m.

Under Old Business,

- The slate of officers was given the second reading. A motion was made, seconded and carried that this slate be adopted.

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Field Agent's Memo



**David
Nordella**

LONG-TERM CARE PLANS OFFER PEACE OF MIND

Since its addition to the Order's product portfolio in 2000, long-term care (LTC) insurance has provided the Knights of Columbus with an excellent opportunity to further serve members and their families. And, for our long-term care policy holders in the United States, there's an added bonus.

It's called "Provider Pathway," a program offering access to a network of long-term care providers at discounted rates. The network includes discounts on products, such as hearing aids, diabetic supplies, personal emergency response systems, and durable medical equipment, as well as skilled nursing facilities, assisted living, and adult day care.

Eligibility for participation in this program is open to Knights of Columbus long-term care insurance policyholders, their spouses, dependent children, parents and parents-in-law. All providers are fully credentialed and meet state licensing requirements.

If you haven't yet spoken with me about long-term care insurance, you owe it to yourself to do so. There are a few decisions to make in choosing a "plan" — a comprehensive plan that covers care whether you're at home or in a facility, or one that covers facility only; daily benefit amounts and benefit durations (how much and how long it will last); and the length of the elimination period (waiting period) before benefits kick-in.

Having a professionally trained agent — and a brother Knight you can trust — to help guide you through the process is yet another valuable benefit that comes with your membership. Take advantage of it; contact me today.

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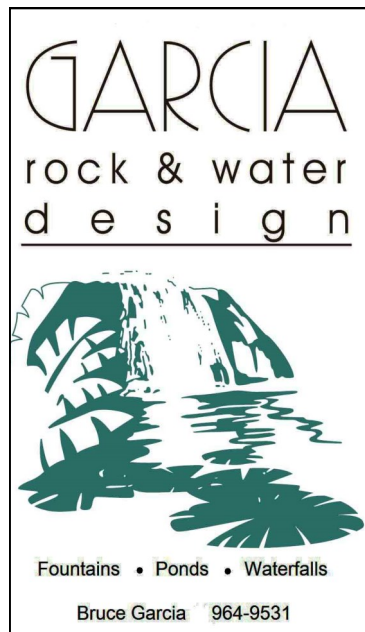
For July and August Happy Birthday to Brother Knights

July Birthdays

2 Dale Olmstead
7 Rev. Maurice O. Mahoney
11 Mitch Molitor
12 Miguel Rodríguez
14 Augie Morelos
25 Luis Pelayo
29 Peter da Ros
31 Rev. John A. Rawden

August Birthdays

1 George Herold
2 Rev. Ludo DeClippel
6 Dan Engler
6 John Petrini
15 Mathew Najera
16 Peter Arnoldi
16 Sean Connolly
24 Dr. Garvan Kusky
27 Brian Regan
29 Alex Castellanos
29 Timothy McGillen



Minutes June 10...

- The Resolution providing for a \$3000 donation to the Knight's Ultra-sound project was given the second reading. A motion was made, seconded and carried that the Resolution be adopted.
- The Amended Budget for 2015-2016 was given the second reading. A motion was made, seconded and carried that the Amended Budget be adopted.

Under Good of the Order, Brother Mark referred to the *Columbia* magazine's article from Supreme Chaplain Archbishop Lori, "Families Evangelizing Families" and the untended consequences of same-sex marriage becoming the law of the land.

Under Prayers for the Sick or Distressed, Brother Ray Charpentier requested prayers for Brother Garvin Kuskey who is battling cancer.

Following a closing prayer by Worthy Grand Knight Steve Romofsky, the Council meeting for June adjourned at 8:32 p.m.

The next Council 1684 business meeting is scheduled for July 8, 2015.

Respectfully submitted,

Al Anglin

Recorder

SHE WANTS TO BE A MISSIONARY DOCTOR!

By Deacon Nick Curran

Seventeen special students from four local Catholic schools received scholarships from Council 1684 at Serra Hall during the annual awards dinner on May 27. All were very impressive.

Then there's Ann Bentajado!

Ann, a sophomore at Bishop Garcia Diego High School, has a phenomenal 4.809 GPA (Grade Point Average.) And when asked about her career goal, she said she wants to combine religion, which is very important to her, and medicine. She hopes to become a missionary doctor. The large crowd showered her with applause.

And Tracie Simolon, vice principal at Our Lady of Mount Carmel School, was quick to hug and congratulate the alumna of Mount Carmel. Tracie remembers Ann's great talent and promise.

Now, Ann has earned head of school every semester since enrolling at Bishop. She's a lector and altar server at church. She plays varsity basketball, volleyball and track for the Cardinals. She still finds time to cook as a volunteer at Transition House. She is a joy to her parents, Rina and Alvin. Ann received a scholarship of \$4,500 from Council 1684 for the 2015-16 school year.

Three Bishop High classmates were also honored.

Kaitlyn Durflinger, who has a passion for art, art internships and art museums, got \$3,500. Andrea Castellanos, an excellent student, athlete and volunteer for charities, was given \$4,000. So was Summer Soto, another strong student with many outside activities. Summer, like Ann Bentajado, has an unusual career goal -- forensic nursing. Dr. Paul Harrington, head of school at Bishop Garcia Diego High, proudly received the check of \$16,000 for the four students.

Earlier in the evening, Tracie Simolon received a check for \$4,500 for five well-deserved students at Our Lady of Mount Carmel School. Anabel Caesar, Errol Sullivan and Riley Peterson each received \$1,000. Julianna Forry and Emma Plant were each awarded \$750.

Then Sr. Judy Flahavan, the dedicated principal at Notre Dame School, received a check for \$4,500 for three students. Pedro Carachure won \$2,000. Vianne Martinez received \$1,500 and Eliana Muniz was awarded \$1,000.

For the first time, Council 1684 awarded scholarships to St. Therese Classical Academy. Matthew Najera, the co-founder and school president, accepted a check for \$4,000 to five students. Matthew Najera won \$1,500. Sofia Van Wyk received \$1,000. And three students Maila Hernandez, Lupita Olivo and Lesie Rios were awarded \$500 each.

The Council wishes to thank brother Knights Marc Russo, Jose Naranjo and Ed Cue for assisting on the Selection Committee.

Photo Section

The following are some photos from the Scholarship Dinner held on mMy 27. The Dinner was a huge success with 106 attendees. An expression of gratitude goes to Deacon Nick and Eileen Curran and the Scholarship Committee for their time in reviewing all of the applications. Also, a special thank you goes to Tom Salgado for taking photographs of all the winners.



Left is Notre Dame School winner. Center is Sr. Judy Flahavan - Principal, and to left of Sr. Judy is one of three winners Pedro Carachure. The two other boys on the left of the photo are Pedro's brothers Juan and Jose, and on the right side of the photo are Pedro's parents.

Right are Our Lady of Mount Carmel School winners. From left to right Julianna Forry, Anna Brasstad, Emma Plant, Mrs. Tracie Simolon, Anabel Caesar, Errol Sullivan and Riley Peterson.



Left are winners from St. Therese Classical Academy. From left to right (front row) Maila Hernandez, Lupita Olivo, Leslie Rios, Sofia Van Wyk, Matthew Najera, and Co-founder and School President Matt Najera.

Right are winners from Bishop Garcia Diego High School. In this photo is Kaitlyn Durflinger, Andrea Castellanos, Ann Bentajado and Serena Soto. On the right of the photo is Dr. Paul Harrington, Head of Bishop Garcia Diego.



ADDED PHOTOS FROM SCHOLARSHIP DINNER -



One of John Green's duties was serving the salad.



Bruce Garcia on the left and David Chávez on the right were two of our chefs for the evening.



Mark Wietstock was our bartender for the evening. No truth to the rumor that he was checking IDs.




This photo shows that Council 1684 had an excellent turnout for the Scholarship Dinner.

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Photo Section

INSTALLATION CEREMONY—SATURDAY, JUNE 20, 2015

On Saturday, June 20 newly elected officers of Council 1684 affirmed their honor to serve as Brother Officers of the Knights of Columbus, Council 1684. Our outgoing District Deputy Ray Centeno, Jr. conducted the ceremony with District Warden Bruce Garcia assisting.

Before the installation, Fr. Charles Talley celebrated a Latin Mass with Deacon Randy Saake assisting in the readings and distributing the Holy Eucharist during communion. Brother Jim Bauer led the congregation in song and responses.

The officers thank all of the brothers, wives and relatives that attended. We also thank Fr. Charles and the Franciscan Friars at Old Mission Santa Barbara for allowing our Council the use of Serra Chapel. Serra Chapel is a most fitting place for our Council to celebrate a Catholic Mass and installation of officers.

Photos by Richard Rink



Fr. Charles and Deacon Randy.



The Chapel—alter and statue of the Blessed Mother with Jesus.



Jim Bauer led us in song and Latin responses.



Ray Centeno on the right with Bruce Garcia on the left.



Knights of Columbus Council 1684 2015-2016 Calendar

Meetings are the Second and Fourth Wednesday, unless noted otherwise.

Officers' Meetings begin at 6:30 p.m.

Business Meetings begin at 7:30 p.m.

Dinner Meetings begin at 6:30 p.m. for Cocktails with Dinner Served at 7:00 p.m.

Business Meeting	July 8, 2015	
Dinner Meeting	None	
Business Meeting	August 12, 2015	
Dinner Meeting	None	
Business Meeting	September 9, 2015	
Dinner Meeting	September 23, 2015	Special Program
Business Meeting	October 14, 2015	
Dinner Meeting	October 28, 2015	A Knight's Night Out
*Villa Majella	October 16 & 17, 2015	Set-up and Prepare Dinner - Date TBD
Dinner Meeting	November 11, 2015	Memorial Mass 6:00 p.m.
Business Meeting	None	
Dinner Meeting	December 9, 2015	Christmas Celebration – Entertainment
Business Meeting	December 16, 2015	
Business Meeting	January 13, 2016	
Dinner Meeting	January 2016	Clergy Appreciation Dinner Host: Council 5300 Date TBD
Catholic Daughters	February 11 & 12, 2016	Tea - Date TBD
Dinner Meeting	February 17, 2016	Valentine's Day Dinner (Ash Wed. 02/10)
Business Meeting	February 24, 2016	
Dinner Meeting	March 9, 2016	St. Patrick's Day Dinner - Irish Music
Business Meeting	March 23, 2016	
Business Meeting	April 13, 2016	
Dinner Meeting	April 27, 2016	Essay Contest Dinner - NDS/OLMCS
Business Meeting	May 11, 2016	
Dinner Meeting	May 25, 2016	Scholarship Dinner - BDHS/STCA/NDS/OLMCS
Business Meeting	June 8, 2016	
Special Meeting	Saturday, June 25, 2016	Latin Mass/Officer Installation/Pancake Breakfast with Councils attending the installation



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