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Pictured: New Knight Ed Leicht after receiving his First Degree. Photo by Stephen Schlesselmann

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The Natural Choice is Life

COUNCIL REPORT By Ed Barrier, Chancellor

Since our Grand Knight is ill and in the absence of the Program Director's report, I will try to summarize the highlights of what was discussed at the last business meeting of the council.

Remote Caller Bingo: GK Bill

McLafferty has initiated the paperwork to enroll our council to participate in the Remote Caller Bingo program. So far, fifteen councils have filed papers. March 2010 seems like a possible target date to start the bingo program. A committee has been formed to put together a bingo plan. FS Chris Arnoult is leading the committee. Anyone interested in participating can contact Chris.

Donation to St. Raphael's Church:

A motion was made by Brother Sam Alfano to give money, \$6,000, to St. Raphael's Church to make up the difference in contribution to the Archdiocese of Los Angeles "Together In Mission" fund. The motion was discussed, voted on and approved.

Other donations: A motion was made by Advocate Tim Hogan to donate Boy Scout Christmas Trees to Catholic Charities (\$200.00). The motion was discussed, voted on and approved.

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Pray for Peace







<u>January, 2010</u>

01/01/10	Friday	New Year's Day.
01/04/10	Monday	Officers' Meeting at Conference Room 8:00 PM.
01/10/10	Sunday	K of C Parish Breakfast from 7:30 AM until 11 AM.
01/11/10	Monday	K of C 5300 Business Meeting, 7:30 PM at Parish Hall.
01/27/10	Wednesday	Clergy Appreciation Dinner (tentative)

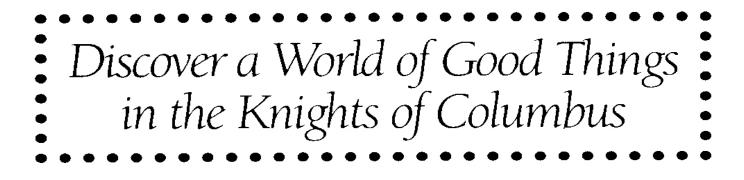
February, 2010

02/01/10	Monday	Officers' Meeting at Conference Room 8:00 PM.
02/08/10	Monday	K of C 5300 Business Meeting, 7:30 PM at Parish Hall.
02/17/10	Wednesday	Ash Wednesday
02/19/10	Friday	Lenten Fish Fry 6:00 PM Parish Hall
02/26/10	Friday	Lenten Fish Fry 6:00 PM Parish Hall

March, 2010

03/01/10	Monday	Officers' Meeting at Conference Room 8:00 PM.
03/08/10	Monday	K of C 5300 Business Meeting, 7:30 PM at Parish Hall.
03/12/10	Friday	Lenten Fish Fry 6:00 PM Parish Hall
03/14/10	Sunday	K of C Parish Breakfast from 7:30 AM until 11 AM.
		Blood Drive from 8:00 AM until 12 PM
03/19/10	Friday	Lenten Fish Fry 6:00 PM Parish Hall
03/26/10	Friday	Lenten Fish Fry 6:00 PM Parish Hall
03/12/10 03/14/10 03/19/10	Friday Sunday Friday	Lenten Fish Fry 6:00 PM Parish Hall K of C Parish Breakfast from 7:30 AM until 11 AM. Blood Drive from 8:00 AM until 12 PM Lenten Fish Fry 6:00 PM Parish Hall

For Schedules for Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in the Santa Barbara Pastoral Region, please see the Announcements section.





<u>**Report of the 4th Degree**</u> SK Jack Turney, Faithful Navigator

SK Jesse Garcia passed over to Eternal Peace on November 24th. Jesse was active with the Knights of Columbus until he suffered a stroke seven years ago. He was also active in many other organizations, most notably, The Native Sons of the Golden West. His Memorial Mass was held on December 14th at St. Raphael's Church. There were also many attendees from all over California to pay their last respects.

The 4th Degree presented a Chalice to his wife of 55 years, Dora. The Chalice will be engraved with Jesse's name and used by a yet unnamed priest when celebrating Mass.

Our heartfelt condolences go out to his wife and to all his family in this time of loss. May the Perpetual Light shine on him.

Color Corps News

The Color Corps would like to welcome the newest members to the Corps:

SK Patrick Donohoe SK Mel Hueston SK Mark Vampola

The Color Corps is open to any 4th Degree Knight. We have available some of the regalia needed, so if you are interested please call the Color Corps Commander, SK Paul Coyne at 967-7880.

SK Bill McLafferty's Status

SK Bill McLafferty, GK of Council 5300, still remains in Cottage Hospital fighting a staph infection and water retention after having two surgeries an many units of blood. Please pray for his speedy recovery and for his family during this time of stress.

Keep in Your Prayers

SK Bill McLafferty, who is seriously ill, SK Steve

Schlesselmann for his continuing recovery, SK Jim Wasil, SK Val Taylor, Judy Klinge, the wife of SK Brian Klinge, SK, Eddie Corral, who is recovering from surgery to one of his feet, Nancy Herrera, widow of PGK/PFN Pablo Herrera, , Ray and Lupe Villa, Socorro Sieckmann, brother-in-law and sisters-in-law to SK Felix Sanchez, Msgr. Henry Van Son, Jacques Benoit's mother, Bobbie Sanchez, Jim Ossal, and the Fritz Cahill family after the loss of Elizabeth, wife and mother.



Chancellor's Report SK Ed Barrier, Chancellor

Brother Knights,

Here is a spiritual reflection from the St. Pio of Pietrelcina website http://www.padrepiodevotions.org/reflection.asp

"In daily life, the Spirit is speaking in various ways. Christ is present under different disguises. In human tragedy, there is something that the Father wants us to do to bring healing. The contemplative dimension of the Gospel keeps heightening this sensitivity. When one follows the inspiration of the Spirit, results occur that could not possibly have been foreseen. Hence the need to cultivate God's presence and action in situations that seem impossible to do anything about. The mystery of Christ is at work in everything, however humble or humdrum."

In your prayers, continue to remember those Brother Knights and their families in need: GK Bill McLafferty, Mell Hueston, Harley Palmetier, Stephen Schlesselmann, PGK and FDD for continued recovery. Also, please pray for Fr. Thomas McCormick, S.J. (d), Jessie Garcia (d), Chawa Ramirez, wife of Ygnacio Ramirez (d.) PGK, Eleanor Cahill (d.) wife of Fritz Cahill, Sir Knight Bruce Velasco; the family of Thomas Quinn (d.) PGK, Msgr. Henry Van Son, Nancy Herrera, wife of Pablo Herrera PGK, Lupe Villa, Socorro Seickmann, Ralph Schiferl (d) father of Brother Glenn Schiferl and Carmen Rey (d).



<u>Membership Director's Report</u> Sam Alfano, Membership Director

At our regular business meeting on December 14, we were pleased to welcome Knight Edward Leight to our Order. He was sponsored by GK Bill Mc Lafferty. Ed has been a long time member of St. Raphael's Parish. He and his wife, Jacqui, were married at St. Raphael's on September 16, 1989. Ed and Jacqui recently celebrated their 20th anniversary. They have three children: Megan (17), Andrew (16) and Sarah (11).

The family has been very much involved in the Parish. All of the Leight children have been altar servers over the last ten years. Jacqui works as the Finance Manager at St. Raphael's. Ed has been very much involved in Boy Scout Troop 105 for the last eleven years. For the last three years, he has been in charge of the Troop 105 Christmas tree lot at the church. He and other scout parents have also been very active in our annual Parish picnics. He and Knight Glenn Schiferl recently agreed to co-chair this picnic next year. In addition to his busy workload and family responsibilities, Ed has agreed to be a member of the Parish Finance Council.

Ed commutes to work in Ventura daily where his firm is involved with making medical devices. Ed's interest in service to others has already placed him in high esteem in the Parish and we know he will be a very supportive member of the council as he continues on in the Order. The council extends our congratulations to Knight Ed Leight and his family.

I would be remiss if I did not call attention to the fact that we are halfway through the Columbian year and have only two new members towards our goal of 15, which is our quota. Each of us in good conscience has an inherent responsibility to contact potential members, not only for the continued benefit of the Council, but also for the benefit of individual members. We are in uncertain financial times, but this is when we can pull together as Knights to help others in need. During these times our social activities pull together friends and families helping them to overcome difficulties. It was for this purpose that our founder Fr. Michael McGivney sought to ease burdens by the establishment of an outstanding insurance program to help members and their families.

Some of us are shy in our attempt to contact potential members and some of us have been turned down a number of times by friends when we've asked them to join our Order. However, all of us need to strive harder in the next six months to bring the benefits of our Council to potential members.

We are aware that Council 1684 will have a 1st degree exemplification on Wednesday, January 13 at Serra Hall. The time is 7:00 pm. Please call me if you have any candidates.



Insurance Agent's Report David Farebrother, Field Agent

Insurance check-up for 2010

Can you believe that it is already 2010? I hope that 2009 was a healthy, prosperous year for you and your family. It's said that time flies, and the older we get the more that statement seems true. As we review the past year and welcome a new year, we wonder where the time goes.

If you're like most people, you've made some resolutions for 2010. If I may, I'd like to make two suggestions regarding your resolutions. First, write them down. A resolution is really a goal for the year and until you commit a goal to writing, it's nothing more than a wish. Writing a resolution down is the first step towards achieving it. Whether your goal is to lose weight, contribute more time and money to charity, read more or watch less television, you're more likely to accomplish it if your write it down.

Second, schedule some time to visit with me, your professional Knights of Columbus insurance

agent. The "insurance check-up" that I'll provide (free of charge, by the way!) will quickly identify any gaps in your family's life insurance program. And you'll want to fill those gaps now, not later. This is because, unlike many other products, you need more than money to obtain life insurance. You also need good health, and no one will ring a bell warning you when your health is about to change.

Knights of Columbus life insurance offers something precious few other financial products can – guarantees. As long as you pay your premiums, the policy proceeds will be there for your beneficiaries should something happen to you. We call that peace of mind, and that is priceless.

To contact me with regards to any of your K of C insurance needs, please email me at <u>dlfarebrother@aol.com</u> or call me at either of the numbers listed below. I look forward to hearing from you.

Fraternally

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January Birthdays

Knight	B'day
Jesus R. Hernandez	01-Jan
Jim Neary	01-Jan
Msgr. Henry A. Van Son	01-Jan
Dr. Anthony N. Mendesh	02-Jan
Jose J. Meza	02-Jan
Ryan T. Wingco	02-Jan
Rev. Jeffrey D. Newell	03-Jan
Jerry J. Nespor	06-Jan
Dwight A. Morey	09-Jan
Alan D. Keyser	11-Jan
Robert J. Gauthier	12-Jan
Kenneth R. Benn	13-Jan
Solomon G. Sanchez	13-Jan
Donald R. Aubrey	14-Jan
Francis P. Diani	16-Jan
Leonardo Curti	18-Jan

Michael H. Hannen	18-Jan
Rev. Edward C. Nowak	19-Jan
Joseph P. Pando	19-Jan
Jose Salcedo Jr	22-Jan
James A. Wasil	24-Jan
James E. Mc Cann	25-Jan
Renato Moiso	28-Jan
John A. Meagher	29-Jan
Ralph V. Modugno	30-Jan



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (Times and locations):

There will be a Memorial Mass at Our Lady of Sorrows for Fr. Thomas McCormick. For more information, call the Rectory: 963-1734.

Mon, Tues, Wed: Bishop High Chapel, 8:00 AM-8:00 PM.
Wed: Our Lady of Sorrows: 12:45-6:00 PM.
Thurs: Holy Cross, 1:00 PM-7:00 PM.
Fri (each): Chapel of the Poor Clares, 8:30 AM-4:00 PM, Our Lady of Guadalupe, 6:00 PM-8:00 PM, SB Mission, 1:00 PM -5:20 PM.
Fri (1st): St. Raphael's Church, 24 Hour
Exposition begins at 8:00 AM, San Roque, 9:00 AM- 10:00 AM.
Sat (1st): St. Raphael's Church, Benediction 8:00 AM.

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<u>Clergy Appreciation Dinner</u>: The council discussed the possible cancellation of the annual Clergy Appreciation dinner due to the celebration of the 70th anniversary of St. John's Seminary. The celebration for St. John's Seminary is scheduled for January. The Clergy Dinner might be rescheduled in late March, early April.

Pray the Rosary

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Widows	Vacant		

PHOTO GALLERY

<u>December 5th 2009 Christmas Party</u> <u>December 13th Blood Drive</u> <u>December 20th Ladies Night Out at Petrini's</u>



PGK Dan Knauss livening up the festivities at the Christmas party.



Fr. Joseph Morris, SJ with the pastor of Our Lady of Sorrows Fr. Paul Davot, SJ.



SKs Ed Page and Francisco Cabrera with Maria Cabrera.



SK Brian Klinge (left) with wife Judy selling tickets at the door of the Christmas party.



(right to left) SKs Ed Barrier, Joe Darga and Jim Bradbury taking a break from the pancake breakfast and blood drive.



From Left, SK Jack Turney with wife Christa and Mrs. Judy Klinge. From right, SK Bill McNamara and his wife Elaine.

Pictures by Stephen Schlesselmann

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