



## GALT KNIGHTS NEWS

### ST. CHRISTOPHER COUNCIL 9836 OFFICERS

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### Grand Knight's Notes

Can you believe it is February all ready? And of course we have kept all the resolutions we made in January. Like to lose weight, get more involved with the knights. Well we have a lot of activities coming up. Crab feed (St Valentine Day weekend) February 13, Fish Feed Feb. 19, March 26, Golf (June) and 4<sup>th</sup> of July fireworks (Run this year by DOI) to name a few. We had a 1st degree with 3 confirmed on January 31, at the CCC from 1- 4 PM. Look around and ask for more applications. We need more members. Also there is a 2-3ed degree on MARCH 6 (Sat). A special email went out. If any one wants or knows of someone that wants to move up, PLEASE let me know by February 8<sup>th</sup>. Did you know we have over 40 Brothers who are still 1<sup>st</sup> Degree? Most of them for over 2 years. Also if you want to be an observer I need to know by then also. Seating is limited. We will be carpooling and leave the CCC at 8:15 AM. There is one candidate and 2 observers so far. I have 5 spots reserved but only until FEBRUARY 8<sup>th</sup>. This is in Fair Oaks and as of

January 28<sup>th</sup> they had 40 reserved which means they have room for 20 more, including our spots. The 4<sup>th</sup> degree is on April 10, so if you go through the 3ed on the February 8<sup>th</sup> and have been a Knight for 6 months, you can become a 4<sup>th</sup> Degree member. Remember our area ONLY has one of these a year. For more information or applications see me.

Help is still needed for the following activities: Crab Feed February 13. **Chairperson: Dan Aguiar 209.745.1422**  
 The Fish Fry: (including catching fish prior to the dinner, ticket takers, bartenders, cooks, and servers. We have new deep fryers this year so cooking should go faster. Contact **Chairperson: Joe Schaffhausen 209.745.1091 or contact Gary Gilmore: 209.745.7285**

I went on THE WALK FOR LIFE in SF. There were between 35-40,000 people. 175 buses make the trip from all over. On the walk I saw many signs from the Knights. Most from CA but a few from Nevada. It was nice to see and talk to Brothers from other councils. There were few protesters. I would say less then 150.

January also brought the dreadful dues. Please pay for the year as soon as you can as the Council has to pay Supreme for every member on our roster even if their dues are not. Also when paying for your dues, add that Penney a day and join the 365 club. If you do not know what that is for, Joe S. would love to explain it to you as you pay your dues. Since postage has risen, Joe is trying to collect at each meeting instead of mailing them out. If you are behind, there is still time to catch up before you are dropped.

Please keep Corky in your prayers. I know a lot of you have gone to visit.

**You're Grand Knight**  
**Gary Gilmore**

# KNIGHTS CALENDAR February

# Knights Mass

- Feb 3<sup>rd</sup>** Knights Meeting 7 PM
- Feb 5<sup>th</sup>** Adoration in Church. 5:30 PM
- Feb 6<sup>th</sup>** First Sat. Rosary in church at 9AM
- Feb 7<sup>th</sup>** Knights Mass 8 A M
- Feb 13<sup>th</sup>** CRAB FEED
- Feb 14<sup>th</sup>** Valentines Day
- Feb 17<sup>th</sup>** Knights Planning Meeting, 7 PM
- Feb 19<sup>th</sup>** Fish Feed

The Sunday 8 A.M. Mass on February 7<sup>th</sup> will be the “**Knights of Columbus Mass**”!  
We will need to have Knights filling all positions possible as Lectors, Ushers and Eucharistic Ministers.

Come, look good and wear your white Knights shirt and badge.

See Jack Kasper (747-2055) for positions and other details.

## 9836's WEBSITE

Brothers,

Please note, the Galt Knights website is always available to you and can be found at:

<http://www.galtknights.org>

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Webmaster and Brother in the K of C

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## February Birthday List

- 4 Nicolaas Captein
- 5 Jorge Alvarez
- 6 Ed Inderbitzen
- 7 Javier Villalpando
- 13 Brad Dewit
- 15 Jesus Pulido
- 17 Patrick Mulligan
- 21 Matt Polanco
- 22 Peter Gutierrez
- 23 Gerald Jennings Emerson Schenck III
- 27 Xavier Zambrano Jose Alfaro

Happy Birthday Brothers!



## SAVE-A-STAMP

Are you receiving your  
**NEWSLETTER via the Post Office?**

**Great!**

**Do You Also Have E-Mail???**  
**E-Mail Newsletter arrives sooner,**

**Saves envelopes,**

**Saves Ink,**

**Saves Time,**

**SAVES MONEY.**

**E-MAIL ME**

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## LOOKING for PRIZES



**Need raffle prizes To be awarded at our  
Crab Feed.**

**If you or your company is interested in  
donating a prize:**

**Please contact Garry at 745-7285**



## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS INSURANCE

*Making a difference for life*

Beneficiaries...Who Do You Love? ♥♥

Valentine's Day will soon be here! Do you know who the beneficiary is on your life insurance policy? Sometimes it is easy to overlook the simplest of things.

Why is it so important to know and to have your beneficiary information updated? A life insurance policy protects the financial status of another person - or people - in the event of your death.

When Purchasing Knights of Columbus insurance policy, you have selected a primary beneficiary, and if you desire, a contingent, or secondary beneficiary. It's always a wise choice to have a contingent beneficiary because you may outlive your primary beneficiary. A contingent beneficiary is the person designated to receive life insurance policy proceeds if the primary beneficiary dies.

By being specific as possible in the wording your beneficiary designation you make sure that the life insurance proceeds will be available to your wife, daughter, son, etc., in a timely manner when needed most.

Your life situation will undoubtedly change over time. Plan to update your beneficiary designations periodically. This will ensure that your life insurance coverage will protect those you love and want to protect.

Changing your beneficiary is fairly simple. I can provide you with the necessary forms, and can help you fill them out. I can also help you with all of your life insurance policy beneficiary

designations for any life insurance policy you hold - regardless of the company that issued it. To contact me with regards to any of your insurance needs, please call my office at 351-2480 or e-mail me at [matthew.roche@kofc.org](mailto:matthew.roche@kofc.org)

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## Valentine Day



### Do Not Forget!

*The Golden Legend*, a medieval book of stories about saints, says that Valentine, a priest, was imprisoned by the emperor Claudius II for leading people to Christ. While Valentine was being interrogated by a Roman officer, the priest preached Christ as the "one and only Light". The officer, who had a blind daughter, challenged Valentine to pray to Christ for her cure. The girl was cured, and the entire family was converted to Christianity.

According to legend, while awaiting execution, he wrote notes of instruction, affection and encouragement to the Christian community in Rome, which were secretly delivered by a boy who visited him in prison.