



# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

ST. CHRISTOPHER COUNCIL 9836

May 2011

## GALT KNIGHTS NEWS



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### Grand Knight's Notes

#### BROTHERS

Here it is the 1st of May and already we have been pretty busy the last few weeks with Two Fish Fry's! We also helped the Daughters of Isabella with their "Tea" so we as Knights have been busy.

This being May we are getting the new officers in place for next year. If you or someone you know would like to help out in one of the positions, please come to the meeting next week. We will be doing nominations on Wednesday, May 4<sup>th</sup> at 7 PM. Please come out and let us know how you feel about the men that we vote into office.

Also we will be planning our "Family Picnic" for this year so please come out and let us know what you would like to have and where you

might like to have it. Suggestions are always welcome.

There will not be a fireworks booth this year adding to our income, so maybe a dinner as a fund raiser will help with our everyday expense. We need some ideas!

At the regular meeting on Wednesday, June 1<sup>st</sup> 2011 we will be having a "Cook Your Own Steak" night; so mark your calendar. We will discuss the price at the next May meeting and then let everyone know.

I would like to congratulate the 3 brothers who took the next step and became 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Knights on the 30<sup>th</sup> in Sacramento. I was very happy that they made the effort to become 4<sup>th</sup> degree Knights while I was in the position as Grand Knight.

GOD BLESS  
G K DAN AGUIAR

### KNIGHTS CALENDAR

#### May

May 4<sup>th</sup> Knights Meeting 7 PM  
 May 5<sup>th</sup> National Day of Prayer  
 May 6<sup>th</sup> Adoration, Stop By!  
 May 7<sup>th</sup> Saturday Rosary @ 9 AM  
 St Christopher church  
 May 8<sup>th</sup> Knights Mass 8 AM  
 May 18<sup>th</sup> Planning Meeting  
 May 30<sup>th</sup> Memorial Day

In May of 2002 Pope John Paul II said, "Today we begin the month dedicated to Our Lady a favourite of popular devotion.

## 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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### May Birthday's

- 2<sup>nd</sup> Dino Delaurentis
- 4<sup>th</sup> Patrick Brennan, Robert Calderon
- 5<sup>th</sup> Heraclio Barbosa, Pedro Garcia
- 9<sup>th</sup> Joe Oliveira
- 11<sup>th</sup> Brad Rohrer
- 12<sup>th</sup> Adrian Vermeltrooft, Atilano Pintor
- 19<sup>th</sup> Mark Stewart
- 24<sup>th</sup> Rick Garcia
- 30<sup>th</sup> Gerald Carrillo
- 31<sup>st</sup> Mike Pitta

**Happy Birthday Brothers!**

### Knights Mass

The Sunday 8 A.M. Mass on May 8<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. See Jack Kasper (747-2055) for positions and other details.



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## Grand Knight's Notes in Spanish

### HERMANOS!

Aqui esta el primero de Mayo y ya tenemos muchos dias ocupados las pasadas semanas con los fritos de pescado! Tambien ayudamos a las Hijas de Isabella con su "Te" asi que nosotros los Caballeros hemos estado ocupados. Este comienso de Mayo estaremos recibiendo nuevos oficiales en el lugar por el proximo ano. Si tu o alguien conocen a una persona que le gustaria ayudar en algunas de las posiciones, por favor ven y visitame en la proxima semana. Nosotros estaremos hacienda las nominaciones en Miercoles, 4 de Mayo a las 7 PM. Por facor ven y hasnos saber como te sientes sobre el hombre que votemos en la oficina.

Tambien estaremos planeando nuestra "Dia de Campo en Familia" para este 2011, asi que por favor ven y hasnos saber que te gustaria hacer. Sugestiones siempre seran bienvenidas.

No habra juegos pirotecnicos este 2011, asi que talvez una cena para juntar dinero ayudara con nuestros gastos de cada dia. Nesesitamos algunas ideas!

En la junta regular en Miercoles 1 de Junio 2011 nosotoros tendremos algo que se llama "cocina tu mismo" asi que marca tu calendar.

Me gustaria felicitarlos los 3 hermanos que tomaro el proximo paso convertirse en el 4 grado el dioa 30 en Sacramento, estuve muy contento de que ellos hizieron el compromise de convertirse en ello mientras yo fue el Grand Knight.

DIOS LOS BENDIGA  
G K DAN AGUIAR



## Month of Mary

The month of May is the "month which the piety of the faithful has especially dedicated to Our Blessed Lady," and it is the occasion for a "moving tribute of faith and love which Catholics in every part of the world [pay] to the Queen of Heaven. During this month Christians, both in church and in the privacy of the home, offer up to Mary from their hearts an especially fervent and loving homage of prayer and veneration. In this month, too, the benefits of God's mercy come down to us from her throne in greater abundance" (Paul VI: Encyclical on the *Month of May*, no. 1).



### The Mysteries of the Most Holy Rosary



#### Joyful

(Monday / Saturday)

1. The Annunciation
2. The Visitation
3. The Nativity
4. The Presentation
5. The Finding of Our Lord in the Temple



#### Sorrowful

(Tuesday / Friday)

1. The Agony in the Garden
2. The Scourging at the Pillar
3. The Crowning with Thorns
4. The Carrying of the Cross
5. The Crucifixion



#### Glorious

(Sunday / Wednesday)

1. The Resurrection
2. The Ascension
3. The Descent of the Holy Spirit
4. The Assumption
5. The Coronation



#### Luminous

(Thursday)

1. The Baptism in the Jordan
2. The Wedding at Cana
3. The Proclamation of the Kingdom
4. The Transfiguration
5. The Institution of the Eucharist



### The Rosary

Also called the Psalter of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Rosary is one of the most excellent prayers to the Mother of God. Thus, "the Roman Pontiffs have repeatedly exhorted the faithful to the frequent recitation of this biblically inspired prayer which is centered on contemplation of the salvific events of Christ's life, and their close association with the Virgin Mother."



## Focus of the Liturgy

The Gospel readings for all the Sundays in May are taken from St. John and St. Luke and are from Year A, Cycle 1.

May 1<sup>st</sup> – Divine Mercy  
Sunday

The Gospel relates the story of doubting Thomas.

May 8<sup>th</sup> - 3rd Sunday of  
Easter

The Gospel relates the story of the disciples encountering Jesus on the road to Emmaus.

May 15<sup>th</sup> - 4th Sunday of  
Easter

The Gospel is about Jesus as the Good Shepherd.

May 22<sup>nd</sup> - 5th Sunday of  
Easter

In this Gospel, Jesus tells us that He is the Way, the Truth and the Life.

May 29<sup>th</sup> - 6th Sunday of  
Easter

Christ gives the commandment to love as He loves.

## HOW TO SAY THE ROSERY

1. Make the Sign of the Cross
2. Say the "Our Father."
3. Say three "Hail Marys."
4. Say the "Glory be to the Father."
5. Announce the First Mystery; then say the "Our Father."
6. Say ten "Hail Marys," while meditating on the Mystery.
7. Say the "Glory be to the Father."
8. Announce the Second Mystery; then say the "Our Father." Repeat 6 and 7 and continue with Third, Fourth and Fifth Mysteries in the same manner.

### After the Rosary:

**HAIL, HOLY QUEEN**, Mother of Mercy, our life, our sweetness and our hope! To thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve; to thee do we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this valley of tears. Turn then, most gracious advocate, thine eyes of mercy toward us, and after this our exile, show unto us the blessed fruit of thy womb, Jesus. O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary!

**V.** Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God.

**R.** That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray. O GOD, whose only begotten Son, by His life, death, and resurrection, has purchased for us the rewards of eternal life, grant, we beseech Thee, that meditating upon these mysteries of the Most Holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary, we may imitate what they contain and obtain what they promise, through the same Christ Our Lord. Amen.

**After each decade** say the following prayer requested by the Blessed Virgin Mary at Fatima: "O my Jesus, forgive us our sins, save us from the fires of hell, lead all souls to Heaven, especially those who have most need of your mercy."

As suggested by the Pope John Paul II the **Joyful** mysteries are said on Monday and Saturday, the **Luminous** on Thursday, the **Sorrowful** on Tuesday and Friday, and the **Glorious** on Wednesday and Sunday (with this exception: Sundays of Christmas season - The Joyful; Sundays of Lent - Sorrowful)