



The Knights News



Monthly Newsletter of Holy Spirit Council 9667

March 2024



From the Grand Knight

By Greg Ullman, GK

Knight's Ladies and Friends

By Bev White

My Brothers,

As I continue my monthly reflections on the principles of Charity, Unity and Fraternity, the Exemplification ceremony reminds us to possess unity in purpose and unity in action. We show the former through our membership in the Knights of Columbus, and we show the latter in our teamwork in serving the parish through council activities. The Gospel reading for the 7th Sunday of Easter (which are superseded this year by the Solemnity of the Ascension) includes Jesus' prayer at the end of the Last Supper that His disciples may be one, as He and His Father are one (John 17:11). Let us remember these examples of the strength of unity as we perform good works, as an example to others.

I hope all of you will attend our next council meeting Thursday, March 14th, and plan to stay after the meeting for a half-hour Good of the Order activity.

Our series of Fish Bake dinners are continuing every Friday in Lent from 5:00-7:00 p.m. Stop in for a while as a helper, a customer, or both to support our charities. We offer a lot of side dishes so there is always plenty of food.

We will also hold a parish breakfast on March 24th, the fourth Sunday of the month, after the 8:00 and 9:30 a.m. Masses. Come early to help set up, cook and serve.

I will send out an email notice when we finalize our plans for the Spring Membership Drive, and other activities that may come up before the next newsletter.

Vivat Jesus!

Hello my Knight's Ladies,

This is just a short reminder that we will have a meeting on Thursday, March 14th at 7 PM. It will be a chance to review our Spring Boutique and distribute the funds we have raised.

Our Pastor announced in church on Sunday that we have now raised enough money to do all phases of the renovation of the hall, and landscaping, and with all permits finalized, we should be ready to start after Easter. This means March will most likely be our last meeting until the fall.

Wishing you all a very Happy Easter with family and friends.

Blessings,
Bev White
President

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For more information, contact Mike Ord
extraord2@gmail.com.

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Monthly Adoration

Years ago, the Diocese desired to have Eucharistic Adoration available all month to pray for Vocations. Holy Spirit Parish was assigned the 4th/5th of the month. The Knights were asked to cover the night time hours. Several Knights are no longer able to cover the late night/early morning hours and we are in need of other Knights to take their place. Please consider filling in some of the open spots on the Adoration roster for this once a month commitment. If you would like more info, please contact PGK Eric Huff at cireffuh@gmail.com or 714-309-1244.

Rookie of the Year
Michael Mau

Knight of the Year
John Arnold, PGK

Family of the Year
Anh and Troy Nguyen



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9:00 PM TUESDAY, MARCH 26, 2024

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Minutes of the February 9, 2024 Council 9667 Meeting

GK Greg Ullman called the meeting to order at approximately 7:40 pm with 18 members in attendance.

Prior to the meeting, a Valentine's Day Pot Luck and Exemplification were held.

The Chancellor provided instruction on how to participate in the meeting and the gavel signals for the new Knight.

The GK led us in reciting the Opening Prayer, Our Father. The Warden led in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance. Following the Pledge of Allegiance, the Council sang the Opening Ode.

The roll call indicated that all officers were present or accounted for. Dignitaries present were acknowledged.

Due to unforeseen issues, the January meeting minutes were not published in the bulletin. We expect to publish both the January and February meeting minutes in the March bulletin and will vote to approve both at the March Council meeting.

Chaplain's Message: None

Treasurer's Report:

- Bank balances as end of November:
- ◊ General Account: \$21,763
- ◊ Intellectual Disabilities (MR) \$217

Financial Secretary Report:

- The following bills were presented for payment:
- ◊ Parish Breakfast \$130.23
- ◊ Parish Breakfast \$507.67
- ◊ Badges \$20.00
- ◊ Council Bulletin \$62.96
- ◊ Youth to Rome \$500.00

The bills were reviewed and approved by the Trustees.

Service Committee Reports:

- Membership: PGK Ramon Garcia is out of town and excused
- ◊ Faith: PGK Eric Huff passed around a signup sheet for new members to fill the time slots for Adoration on Mar 4/5
- ◊ Family: Gene Murray gave a report

Grand Knight Report:

1. I would like to thank everyone that played a role in producing tonight's Valentine's Day potluck dinner and the Exemplification ceremony.
2. We possibly have a new Recorder, Jason Hull, who took minutes at the last meeting. He is not able to attend tonight's meeting. We will have to vote him into the office at the next meeting.
3. The Knights' Ladies will hold their annual Boutique fundraiser in the Hall the morning of Sunday, February 11th; they have asked for our help to set up tables the night before and take them down at 2:00 p.m. after the event.
4. Our annual series of Lenten Fish Bake dinners will return the first Friday after Ash Wednesday on February 16, 2024 and continue for the next five Fridays of Lent.
5. We will also hold our monthly Parish Breakfast after the morning Masses on Sunday, February 25.
6. We hope to hold our annual Membership Recruitment Drive sometime in March, yet to be determined.

Unfinished Business:

- ◊ LEADERSHIP for next Columbian Year. Once again, you are invited to step forward and fill vacant positions for Officers and Committee Chairs for the next Columbian Year.

New Business:

- ◊ PGK Frank Paonessa proposed contributing \$500 to help pay for Michael Farrera's expenses to Youth Tour of Italy. The proposal was seconded and unanimously approved.

Report of the Fourth Degree:

- ◊ Regular meeting next week. Light meal at 630 and meeting at 7.

Supreme Field Agent Report:

- ◊ None

District Deputy Report:

- ◊ DD Naz LaBlanc advised that he would be attending our meetings on a regular basis
- ◊ He complimented the Exemplification Team and Council on a well done Degree prior to the meeting.

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Good of the Order:

- ◇ Chancellor Jonathan O'Connor, PGK read the Supreme Chaplain's Monthly Challenge, published February 2024 in Columbia Magazine:
- ◇ This month's challenge was to spend at least 10 minutes each day in prayerful silence, contemplating the presence of Jesus and listening for his voice.

Closing:

The GK led the closing prayer for Blessed Fr. McGivney, Our Father, Hail Mary, and Glory Be.

After Closing Prayer, Council sang the Closing Ode.

The GK adjourned the meeting at approximately 8:30 PM.



Knights' Birthdays

Mar 01	Richard Skoczylas	Mar 23	Joe Bednarski
Mar 03	Brian Mc Cluskey	Mar 23	Jose Olivas
Mar 03	Rev. Phil Smith	Mar 23	Art Maytorena
Mar 05	Allen Williamson	Mar 23	Gerard Unterreiner
Mar 11	William Pilawski	Mar 23	Joseph Jura Jr
Mar 12	David Skinner	Mar 24	Steven Moore
Mar 17	Jim Fournier	Mar 29	Francesco Paonessa
Mar 17	Chris Ord		

Ladies' Birthdays

Mar 04	Jean Pedersen	Mar 12	Carol Baker
Mar 10	Wendy George	Mar 27	Josie Lodge

Anniversaries

March 14, 1964	Jorge and Wilhelmina Leano
March 21, 1957	Joseph and Evelyn Flynn



Assembly 85 News

By Jim DeLuca, PFN

My Brothers,

The March meeting will be held on Thursday, March 21st in Doyle Hall. A light meal and fellowship will

precede the meeting at 6:30PM. Please join us!

Birthday or Anniversary Missing or new Address/Phone?

If you have recently changed your address, telephone number or e-mail address, or your birthday/anniversary are incorrect or missing, please notify Rich Skoczylas rdskozy@aol.com, 714-891-0737



Lenten Dinners

Lenten dinners will be served Fridays in Lent from 5-7PM.

Your help is needed in preparing the meal, serving, at the bar, setting up the hall, tearing down the hall, cleaning up the kitchen. Stop by anytime on Friday to help where you can.

Come for some clam chowder, fish, fries and more. We'll be able to feast and still be able to keep our Lenten observance!

Prayer List

Please pray for the intentions of those listed below. Please implore our Lord to grant mercy where it is needed, healing if it is possible, comfort for those who grieve, and most of all the strength to endure what we must if what we ask for is not what HE wills for us.

Sharon Pennington	Tony Nekorane
Fr. Dan	Carol Baker
William Do	John Fitzgerald
Paula Fitzgerald	Jim Fournier
Juan Calvillo	

The safe return of our men and women serving in our Armed Forces.

Exemplification February 8, 2024 Welcome Richard Shaker!





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April 20, 2024
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March 2024 Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 Adoration 5:00 PM Lenten Fish Dinner	2 Adoration
3	4 Adoration 7:00 PM Singing Knights Practice	5 Adoration	6	7 7:00 PM Officer's Meeting	8 Adoration 5:00 PM Lenten Fish Dinner	9 Adoration
10	11 7:00 PM Singing Knights Practice	12	13 7:00 PM Assembly 85 Officer's Meeting	14 7:00 PM Knights and Ladies Meetings	15 Adoration 5:00 PM Lenten Fish Dinner	16 Adoration
17 St Patrick's Day	18 7:00 PM Singing Knights Practice	19	20	21 7:00 PM Assembly 85 Meeting	22 Adoration 5:00 PM Lenten Fish Dinner	23 Adoration
24 Palm Sunday Parish Breakfast 	25 6:00 PM Singing Knights Performance	26	27	28 Holy Thursday	29 Good Friday 	30 Holy Saturday
31 Easter Sunday 						

Adoration: Monday/Tuesday March 4th/5th and every Friday/Saturday

Singing Knights: Mondays at 7PM practice in the Music Room

Lenten Fish Dinners: Fridays in Lent from 5-7PM

Officer's Meeting: Thursday, March 7th at 7PM. Come give your input to the Council Officers.







Business Meetings: Thursday, March 14th at 7PM; Knights in Doyle Hall; Ladies in the classroom

Assembly 85 Meeting: Thursday, March 21st at 7PM in Doyle Hall

Parish Breakfast: Sunday March 24th in Doyle Hall. We serve after the 8:00 and 9:30 masses

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April 2024 Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 6:00 PM Singing Knights Performance	2	3	4 Adoration 7:00 PM Officer's Meeting 	5 Adoration 	6 Adoration
7	8 6:00 PM Singing Knights Performance	9	10 7:00 PM Assembly 85 Officer's Meeting	11 7:00 PM Knights and Ladies Meetings	12 Adoration 	13 Adoration
14	15 6:30 PM Singing Knights Performance	16	17	18 7:00 PM Assembly 85 Meeting	19 Adoration 	20 Adoration 9AM-2PM Day of Sharing
21	22	23	24	25 Chapter Meeting	26 Adoration 	27 Adoration
28 Parish Breakfast 	29	30				

Adoration: Monday/Tuesday April 4th/5th and every Friday/Saturday

Singing Knights: Spring Performances!

Officer's Meeting: Thursday, April 4th at 7PM. Come give your input to the Council Officers.

Business Meetings: Thursday, April 11th at 7PM; Knights in Doyle Hall; Ladies in the classroom

Assembly 85 Meeting: Thursday, April 18th at 7PM in Doyle Hall

Day of Sharing: Saturday, April 20th at 9AM at the Speech and Language Development Center in Buena Park

Parish Breakfast: Sunday April 28th in Doyle Hall. We serve after the 8:00 and 9:30 masses



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Appointed Officers and Committee Directors

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Youth			
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Treasurer	Jean Pedersen		714-962-6868

2023 – 2024 Major Council Activities and Chairpersons

Activity	Date	Chairpersons	Telephone
Installation of Officers/PGK Dinner	July 10	Greg Ullman, GK	714-623-9664
Membership Drive	TBD		
ID Drive	TBD		
Knight's Memorial Mass	Nov 11		
Vocations Dinner (Parish function)	Nov 19	Bob LeRoux	714-717-1609
Christmas Cards	NA		
Ladies Boutique	NA		
Christmas Dinner	TBD		
Lenten Fish Bakes	TBD		
St. Patrick's Day Dinner	TBD		
Day of Sharing	TBD		
Ladies Fashion Show	TBD		
Singing Knights	Mondays	Mike Ord	714-606-0423
Parish Breakfast	4th Sunday of the month		

Other Officials

District Deputy	Naz LeBlanc	714-948-0385
Supreme Insurance Agent	Paolo Pacana	949-456-3688

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