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Letter from our Grand Knight

Brother Knights,

As we come close to the end of this Columbian year, it's an important time for two of our fund raisers. They include our annual golf tournament and fireworks events.

On May 21st we held our tournament at Catta Verdera golf course in Lincoln and hosted 156 players. "Big" congratulations to Mike Subbotin and Tom Hogan and their awesome committee for planning this sellout day. There was plenty of food; drink and sunny weather that helped make this a special day. The day included a raffle and a silent auction with many outstanding prizes. Players included 4 priests, including Fr Bob and 1 Monsignor, plus a special golf prayer by Fr Roman. To help make this a smooth day there were 25 volunteers including brothers, family members and Divine Savior friends. As of the writing we do not have a bottom line figure that will be split among 3 charities.

The fireworks sales are being planned by Chairman Bill Windle and his "fire cracker" committee. They need sign ups to help sell from June 28th to July

4th, call Bill at 337-5380 to volunteer.

Mothers Day Rose sale went well as we sold them out, hope your special lady got one.

The Flag pole is being installed in front of the community building, by Brother Jeff Dardis's son who is an Eagle Scout. This is a special project that is being supported by our council and will be dedicated soon.

Our next business meeting will held June 5th at 7:00pm and will include elections of officers. I urge all to attend and start the New Year by getting involved with your brother knights.

And finally on Saturday, June 23rd, we will hold our installation of officers after the 4:30





Grand Knight, Tony Aiello

mass with a Mexican dinner and program to follow. The cost of the dinner will be only \$7.00 per person. To RSVP, please sign up at our June meeting or call me at 718-4749 and leave a message for the count. Pay at the door, please.

Thank you all for help and what you do,

God Bless you and your families,

Tony Aiello, GK
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Cell 718-4749

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Knights of Columbus Insurance "Your Shield for Life"

"If you haven't visited the Knights of Columbus Website in a while, I encourage you to do so." If you haven't visited the Knights of Columbus Web site in a while, I encourage you to do so the next time you're online. There are many exciting features on www.kofc.org, but there are two that I wish to make you especially aware of.

The first is our (Click on the Insurance icon at top of web page) member testimonial area, titled "Stages of Life." In this multi-media area, six "real-life" stories are told stories of people at different stages of their lives. Chances are one of them will sound a lot like you. These people talk about how their Knights of Columbus agent took the time to demonstrate for them the benefits of life insurance in their lives. I'll be happy to do that for you and your family as well.

The second is our Life Insurance Calculator. This handy, easy-to-use online tool was developed to allow you, in about 15-20 minutes, to estimate the amount of life insurance coverage you need. The information you'll be asked to provide will be basic (the type most folks would tend to have at their fingertips), and secure (it's intended to be used solely for the purposes of the online calculator - the Order won't capture it or share it with anyone, including me!).

I stress that the number you'll receive is an estimate, based on the basic information you provide. It's not intended to take the place of the free, professional analysis that I'll be happy to provide for you and your family. Let's meet soon, please call anytime.

Call my cell phone anytime (916) 470-9205 or email me at: totny.magdaleno@kofc.org

Fraternally, Your Brother and Field Agent,

Tony Magdaleno CA Lic. #OG27147 Field Agent #14661



Pro-Life News & Activities for June

In Gen 9:5 it says, "And from each man, too, I will demand an accounting for the life of his fellow man." We are accountable to God for many things, and the first is life itself. It isn't only our own life, as if we were each an island; rather we are responsible for the lives of others. God makes us a community of persons, not simply a collection of people. And nobody (including unborn babies and the frail elderly) is to be excluded.

The following are 'Pro-Life activities' for Knights and their families to participate in:

<u>Catholics-For-Life</u> meet on the 2nd Thursday each month (June 14th) at the Marian Center of St Philomene's at Bell Street &

El Camino starting with the Pro-Life Rosary at 5:30 pm. (Contact June @ juneschott@msn.com)

An all night Vigil for Life is held the 1st Friday-Saturday of each month at St Rose Catholic Church, 5961 Franklin Blvd, Sacramento, starting with Mass at 7:30 pm. In June it will be held on the 1st-2nd while in July it will be on the 6th-7th. (Contact June at june-schott@msn.com)

Monthly Pro-Life Mass is held every 2nd Tuesday of each month at St Philomene's Catholic Church at 2428 Bell Street. (Contact Sally Fisher @ 721-0378)

The 20th Anniversary Dinner,





celebrating opening the Bishop Gallegos Maternity Home will be held at the Dante Club on September 16' 2012. Raffle prizes and baskets are needed. Please keep this pro-life date noted on your calendar. All proceeds will go to the operation of BGMH. (Call Kathy Baxter at 985-7524)

Other Pro-Life activities include:

- Walk for Life and Fun Run at Maidu Park, Roseville, on May 19th starting at 8:00 am;
- California Pro-Life Council Lobby Day on May 23rd at the Capitol;

Religious Freedom Nationwide Rally on June 8th at 12:00 noon on the Capitol west steps

If you have any comments or questions concerning the above please contact Mike Schaefer at 916-988-3171, or: mikeret 99@yahoo.com.

Family of the Month



Bill Manos receives the Family of the Month Award

Family of the Month for April is the Bill Manos Family

Bill, Gayle Manos and children have been members of Divine Savior parish for several years.

Bill is the Youth Director for our council and has run many activities for our youth. Activities have included the Basketball Free throw competition, the Soccer Challenge and many Boy Scouts events. This year Bill, with the help of his children and others, also help organize the Easter Egg Hunt for the children of our parish.

This special family have been involved in several parish fund raisers as well as oversee the training of our parish alter servers.

The Manos family is a fine example of an involved Catholic family and is well deserving of this award.

Congratulations Bill, Gayle and their children as April's Family of the Month.

Knight of the Month

Knight of the Month for April is Ray Coughlin

This Knight has always been proud of being a member of the K of C. He is also is a proud member of the 4th degree color guard. And this year, as DGK, he has served on many committees and faithfully done what was asked of him.

He has been a Worthy Recorder as well as co-chairing the membership committee. This year he worked with the membership comm. by helping them recruit new members and getting the new members to take their degrees. As a

member of the Folsom degree team he has taken his responsibility very seriously. This year he took on the job, with the help of our Past GK's, in preparing our awards presenta-



tions for the State convention. He completed 35 presentations for the 7 committees.

We feel that we will be awarded some acknowledgments. This together with helping his wife Joann who recently had a pace maker implanted, he has proven to be a truly special Knight.

Congratulations to DGK Ray Coughlin as our April "Knight of the Month".

Shining Armor Award



Congratulations to Bill Windle on receiving the Shining Armor Award. Bill received the award for being active in the Council and his ongoing new membership recruiting efforts. Bill re-

ceived a letter of recognition and specially designed lapel pin.
Bill continually sets a great example for other members to follow.
Bill, congratulations on your significant achievement.

If you are interested in more details regarding how to receive the Shining Armor Award please visit the following website:

http://www.kofc.org/un/en/resources/membership/shiningarmor.pdf



Bill Windle receives Shining Armor Award from Don Harmata

Thanks for Wearing Your Badge!

Thanks for remembering to wear your Knights of Columbus badge while attending Mass.

It is a great way to advertise the Knights of Columbus at Divine Savior and recruit new members to the Council.

Need a replacement badge or maybe a spare? No problem—just contact RSVP Enterprises for

a new badge (951-652-9180 / rsvpent@verizon.net) - Ask for Vince (RSVP Owner and a 4th Degree Knight).

Badges are only \$5.00 + Shipping / Handling.

Also, badges are available for the women involved in supporting our Council.



4th of July Fireworks Fundraiser - Volun-



Please purchase your fireworks at the Knights of Columbus fireworks booth this year.
Please invite your friends and neighbors to visit our fireworks booth as well.

Fireworks Script tickets will be sold in the Vestibule of the church starting this weekend after each mass. Please stop by and purchase Script tickets or just pick up a free 10% discount coupon.

Our fireworks booth this year will be located at 8700 Green-back Lane; Across from WIN-CO FOODS @ the intersection of Greenback & Illinois Ave.

All proceeds from the fireworks sales supports our Parish and local Charities. Also, volunteers are needed to help in the fireworks booth.

The fireworks booth will be

open from
Thursday
June 28th at
12 noon through July 4th
10:00 p.m. Participating in
the fireworks booth is a great
way to "give back" to the
community as well as have



To sign-up for a shift (or two) or if you have any questions, call Bill Windle @ 988-2239.

some fun.

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Golf Tournament Update

Congratulations on a Great Golf Tournament...156 Players and their friends enjoyed themselves! Congratulations to Mike Subbotin, Tom Hogan and the complete committee, for a great tournament. It was a beautiful, a little windy, warm day at Catta Verdera CC. There were 156 players enjoying themselves with their friends. They were served a lite breakfast, a boxed lunch and a chicken/tritip buffet. Many prizes were raffled off and a silent auction with some great gifts that were purchased during the pre-dinner mixer. We also had the U.S. long ball champion for the last 3 years who participated in the tournament.

I enjoyed introducing 4 priests and 1 monsignor who played in the tournament, including Fr Bob all the way from Wisconsin, as well as Fr Roman who gave a golfers prayer. The day ended with the naming of the Tournament winners and giving out their awards.

This was a success with the help of our committee, over 20 volunteers from our council as well as members of Divine Savior an a great staff from Catta Verdera. We don't have a figure yet, but the 3 charities, Divine Savior's St Vincent DePaul, Camp ReCreation and Albie Aware Inc, will benefit from this special event.

Again, a "Big Thank You" to all who organized, helped and played in making a fun-filled day and also in helping those that need a hand in their life.

Tony Aiello, GK e-mail: tonyilo@att.net cell: 718-4749



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Knightly Interview Joe Luchi

How long have you been a member of the Knights of Columbus?

I am a charter member of our Council. I joined the Knights when the Father Neil W. Seidl Council was formed in October 2004.

Why did you become a knight?

Two primary reasons. Similar to many, I joined the Knights to help serve the parish and the community. But just as importantly, the Knights appealed to me as a means of leveraging my efforts in combination with others to generate impacts far beyond what I could achieve on my own. That synergy is what motivates me as a Knight.

What do you like best about the Knights of Columbus?

The opportunities for fellowship and fraternity in service to the parish and community.

What are some of the activities or programs you have been involved with as a knight?

Since joining the Knights, I have served this Council as Membership Director, Treasurer, Deputy Grand Knight, and Grand Knight. I have also participated in a number of Council committees over the years.

What are some areas you would like to see our council get involved in that were not already doing?

I would like our Council to become even more involved in the Parish particularly through implementing programs directly benefiting Divine Savior and its parishioners.

How do you think we can reach out to more catholic men and bring them into the Knights of Columbus?

Simple. Tell an appealing story. In my opinion, too much time is spent

advertising our efforts to raise money and not enough time promoting the fraternal aspects of the Knights of Columbus. I am convinced our focus on fundraising turns off many potential candidates, who I fear, are concerned about the time commitment. We should make a better effort to assure these potential candidates there isn't any required time commitment. Each gives according to his conscience and availability. No doubt, raising money is important to our mission as a Council; but, we need to balance that message with the fellowship benefits of being a Knight. And we shouldn't overlook spouses and other family members either. We need to educate them too on the value of becoming a member of the Knights of Columbus.

Describe what you do for a living or what you did for a living before you retired.

I served in the USAF for over five years then worked briefly for the State of Wyoming before starting out on a career in municipal government. Over the past thirty years or so I worked for a series of cities including Manitou Springs in Colorado, Mountain View in the Bay Area and more recently Folsom California which I retired from in October 2010.

You are the Council's Grand Knight Nominee for the 2012/13 Columbian Year. What convinced you to serve again as Grand Knight?

From my perspective going way back to when the Council was established, I sense we are transitioning from the core group which formed the Council over to a new leadership core. With that transition, expectations and priorities change. Grand Knight Tony Aiello has done a remarkable job filling key vacant positions with newcomers while reevaluating our business meetings to make



them more streamlined. If elected, I intend to continue that legacy and implement additional ways to make our Council function more effectively and efficiently.

What sort of plans do you have in mind as the next Grand Knight?

Assuming buy-in from the membership, there are a number of initiatives I hope to implement. As alluded to above, Tony started the ball rolling with his changes to the Business meeting agendas. I intend to further modify not only the agendas for the Business meetings but the Officers'/ Planning meetings as well. Through these changes, I hope to make the meetings more meaningful, informative, and appealing for all of our members. I also have plans to update the Council By-laws and, taking another cue from Tony Aiello, establish written policies and procedures which provide needed continuity from one Grand Knight to the next. And that is not all. In my mind, two critical components to the Council's future viability are ongoing outreach to our members who aren't actively involved in Council activities and individual mentoring of new

Knights. Tony established an Ad

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Knightly Interview Joe Luchi (Con't)

Hoc Committee to analyze these as well as other important membership-related issues and provide recommendations. As Grand Knight next year, I intend to continue implementation of that Committee's recommendations. Ray Coughlin's leadership of the Council's membership program gives us a firm foundation to build from. Ray's successes, I am sure, will enable Dennis Harrington Ray's successor as Council Member-

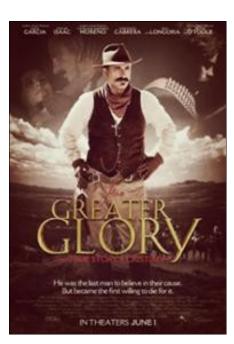
ship Director to take us to a new level of membership participation and involvement. Next year is shaping up to be a very formative one for our Council. I anticipate an exciting and meaningful experience for our members.

Do you have any favorite sport teams? Not really. These days, I prefer watching professional golf.

Is there something interesting about you that very few people know that you would be willing to share?

I am not certain how interesting it might be; but, for whatever it is worth I attended college on a basketball scholarship. I also am a black belt in Tae-Kwon-Do.

Movie For Greater Glory Opens June 1st



For Greater Glory Opens June 1st

What price would you pay for freedom?

In the exhilarating action epic FOR GREATER GLORY an impassioned group of men and women each make the decision to risk it all for family, faith and the very future of their country, as the film's adventure unfolds against the long-hidden, true story of the 1920s Cristero War -the daring people¹s revolt that rocked 20th Century North America.

The movie was previewed at the Supreme convention in Denver.

This is the upcoming film about the Mexican Revolution that took place in the 1920's and a movie being supported by the Knights of Columbus

More information on the movie: www.forgreaterglory.com/

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Council Recognition at the State Convention

In May, two Council delegates (Ray Coughlin and Micheal Wagner) attended the Knights of Columbus State of California Convention in San Jose, California. Our Council received some significant recognition and awards.:

- * People with Intellectual Disabilities (plaque) \$6,937.90 Donated
- * American Wheelchair Mission (plaque) - Highest amount of money raised without a parish Sunday drive.

- * Third Place--Vocation Activities (plaque)
- * Second Place--Community Activities (plague)
- * Eighth Place--Church Activities (Honorable Mention)
- * Fourth Place--Family Activities (Honorable Mention)
- * Fifth Place--Youth Activities (Honorable Mention)

This is a big congratulations to all our council and those of you that participated in these special events. A big "Thank You", to Ray for writing up the award write-ups and to Joann for supporting him, and to PGK Bruce Pyle for proof reading all 35 submissions.

Please be sure and checkout the Council plaques and awards at our

next General
Business
Meeting on 6/5!



Ray Couglin receives Council Award for 2011 Annual Fund Raising Drive



Micheal Wagner accepts Council Award for support of the American Wheelchair Foundation

A Special Person Who Will Be Missed...



Debbie McDermott July 4, 1959—May 15, 2012

Debbie McDermott passed away on May 15, 2012 after a courageous battle with dementia.

She was born July 4, 1959 in Maple Heights, Ohio to William and Ruth Yeaton and raised in Southern California. Debbie leaves behind her loving family: husband of 26 years, Charlie and their 3 children Michael, Daniel and Matthew, her loving dog Mable, her mother Ruth, sister Pamela (Ray), her nephew Tyler and niece Madison, and her brother William.

Please keep Debbie, Charlie and their family in your prayers Page 10 Knightly News

Upcoming Birthdays

Myron Howe 2-Jun **Bill Manos** 4-Jun Edmundo Puchi 14-Jun Joe Bonanno 19-Jun Dougal McAlpine 20-Jun Micheal Wagner 20-Jun **Doug Copley** 26-Jun Bill Wagner Jr 26-Jun **Robert Collier** 29-Jun



Special Prayer Intentions

Please keep the following people in your prayers:

Cards are
available for
members and
families in need.
Contact Bob
Reilly for details
(916) 988-1040

- Andy Ventimiglia
- Elijah Moore, Grandson of Sam Cimino
- ♦ Ernie Deus
- ♦ Lillian Deus, wife of Ernie
- ♦ Bill Schulte
- ♦ Dominic Papa
- ♦ John Padden
- Maria Gast, daughter of Richard
- Deanna Freeman, wife of Dan
- ♦ Rich Dean

Deceased:

- ♦ Peter Burriesce
- ♦ Bill Pressley
- ♦ Joe Paddock
- Debbie McDermott, wife of Charlie



Prayer for the Sick

Father of goodness and love, hear our prayers for the sick members of our community and for all who are in need. Amid mental and physical suffering may they find consolation in your healing presence. Show your mercy as you close wounds and cure illness, make broken bodies whole and free downcast spirits. May these special people find lasting health and deliverance and so join us in thanking you for all your gifts. We ask this through the Lord Jesus who healed those who believed.

Amen

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2012 Calendar of Events

June



Date	Event	Day/Time	Location
June 5	General Meeting and Election of New Officers	Tues 7:00 pm	Parish Hall
June 10	2nd & 3rd Degree Exemplifications	Sun, 9:00 am	Marysville
June 23	Installation of New Officers / Reception	Following 4:30 pm Mass	Parish Hall
June 28	Officers / Planning Meeting	Thurs 7:00 pm	Parish Hall
June 28— 30	Fireworks Booth	Thurs—Sat	Greenback and Illinois

July

Date	Event	Day/Time	Location
July 1—5	Fireworks Booth	Sun—Wed	Greenback and Illinois
July 10	Council / Fellowship Meeting	Tues 6:30	Parish Hall
July 26	Monthly Planning Meeting	Thurs 7:00 pm	Parish Hall
July 28	Strategic Planning Session	Sat 9 am	Parish Hall



2012 Calendar of Events (Con't)

August Events

Date	Event	Day/Time	Location
Aug 2-4	Parish Treasurefest	Thurs—Sat	Parish Hall
Aug 4 & 5	Membership Drive	Sat & Sun After Masses	Divine Savior
Aug 7	Council / Fellowship	Tues 6:30	Parish Hall
Aug 7	Information Night	Tues 7:30	Parish Hall
Aug 7-9	Supreme Convention	Tues-Thurs	Anaheim CA
Aug 23	Monthly Planning	Thurs 7:00 pm	Parish Hall



In Service to One. In Service to All.

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Dep. Grand Knight Ray Coughlin

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Trustee 2nd Year John Padden

Trustee 3rd Year Bruce Pyle

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Outside Guard Matt Peterson

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