



The **Forty-Two O Fourward**



St. Basil Knights of Columbus Council #4204
702 Burney Rd. Sugar Land, TX 77498-2610

July 2016 Newsletter

www.kc4204.org

KC Meeting - 1st Monday at 7:30pm (meal 6:45pm)

Officers & Chairmen Meeting - 3rd Monday at 7:00pm (light meal)

Columbus Club Meeting - 1st Tuesday at 7:00pm (in Annex)

Grand Knight's Report



Dear Brother Knights,

I would like to express my deep appreciation for all my Brother Knights for helping make the 2015-2016 fraternal a very successful year. A special thanks to all of you who were able to recruit a new Brother Knight into our council. We were able to increase our membership by thirty-four this last fraternal year. I am not sure where we ended with new insurance members, but I believe we will be a little short of our goal of twelve. Our goal for this next fraternal year is to achieve Star Council, which means we need to achieve both membership and insurance goals. Our goals for 2016/2017 should be similar to last year. We will have to work on all new brother knights and get them into our insurance program. We need to also get all of these new First Degree knights into the Third Degree of our Order.

Congratulations to the three winners of the Deacon Frank Cromer Education Grants: Seamus Gildea, Gabriel Malcaba and, Colleen Cawthon. These three young people gave exceptional responses the question "Why are the Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy so important to the Christian life?" Congratulations also to the winners of our annual awards passed out at the Awards Banquet on June 16th.

The July schedule is a light one. We will start off with a Knight's Night out on Friday, July 15th. Come and share a good meal and fellowship with your brother knights. We will assist the Catholic Daughters of the Americas with the set-up and tear-down for their annual Garage sale the week of July 10th through 16th. A lot of help will be needed to set-up racks for the merchandise they have accumulated on Sunday July 10th and then to take them down on Saturday, July 16th. Please come out and help our sister organization with their fund raising efforts. The last Thursday of the month will be our annual audit. Don't forget the Deacon Frank Cromer Men's Prayer Breakfast on Wednesday July 13th.

It has been an honor to serve as your Grand Knight this past fraternal year and I appreciate your confidence in me to lead you for another fraternal year.

May God Bless all of you and your families. Have a Blessed and safe summer.

Lloyd Waguespack
Grand Knight

Financial Secretary's Report



Brothers,

At the meeting on Monday June 6, monthly and annual honorees were selected:

	May	June
Knight of the Month	Dave Kiger	Ian Cyril
Rookie of the Month	John Donart	Hector Hernandez
Family of the Month	Dominic Kutra Family	Bradley Cey Family
Lady of the Month	Debbie Kutra	Kathy Trilicek
Squire of the Month	None	Michael Hermann
Youth of the Month	None	Josef Castillo

Congratulations all!!

On June 20, a 1st Degree was conducted at Council 4204. The five new brothers are: Fr. Anthony Nkyi, Andrew Archibong, Eduardo (Eddie) Garcia, Joe Schulz and Mike Valdez. Fr. Anthony then attended a 2nd/3rd Degree on Saturday, June 25.

The next 1st Degree at Council 4204 will be on Monday August 15. You can help with the State Charity goal by purchasing a state charity pin for \$20. Contact the FS Pete Muceus at a meeting or send me a check saying you would like a charity pin.

The State Council has a fund raising activity that also provides monetary prizes for 10 weeks during the pro football season. It is an online discount webpage coupon that also includes 10 weekly pro football games. The cost of an individual card is \$10 for the online discount coupon and for 10 weeks of games. The 10 weekly prizes range from \$400 to \$40. Contact the FS, Pete Muceus if you would like to purchase some and/or get some to sell to friends or co-workers.

Put your membership into action by trying to take part in one activity this fraternal year!

The Council has shirts and hats for sale. There are also a few jackets and vests. Contact FS Pete Muceus if you are interested.

If you are not receiving information by email, send your email address to peterkofc@comcast.net.

If you have not paid your dues, please pay them now.

God bless,
Pete Muceus, FS

CDA Garage Sale



Annual CDA GARAGE SALE in Church Community Center: Thursday, July 14, 6-9pm, Friday, July 15, 9am-7pm, Saturday, July 16, 9am-noon. Items for sale include adult and children's clothing, shoes, outdoor and sports equipment, household and holiday items, linens, knick knacks, furniture, toys, and other treasures.

Donations of clean, unstained items in good condition will be accepted in the CC Sunday, July 10 from 1:00-7:00 pm and Monday-Wednesday (July 11-13) from 9:00 am-7:00 pm. No computers, TVs, sharp items, or mattresses, please. For more info or to have large donations picked up, contact Carol Snowbarger at [281-494-1983](tel:281-494-1983) or [713-256-7358](tel:713-256-7358).

4204 Birthday Report

Fr Jose Tharayil	07-01	Fred J. DeNisco	07-11	Jerome D. Pospisil	07-23
Jason B. Jesko	07-01	Mrs Edelmira Rubalcava	07-13	Charles H. Crowell	07-23
Donald L Downing	07-02	Fr Stephen Lacroix	07-14	Mrs Amy Howard	07-24
James R. Christ	07-02	Kevin A. Muceus	07-15	Douglas W Blaskowsky	07-24
Edward T. Stoessel	07-03	Mrs Timi Beeler	07-16	Joshua P. Luedicke	07-24
Daniel J. Phalen	07-03	Enrique Ramon	07-16	Eduardo D. Vivanco	07-25
Gene A Travis	07-04	Tom J. Simek	07-16	David L Miller	07-26
Carlos Hernandez Jr	07-04	Robert L. Cortemelia	07-17	Miguel Rodriguez	07-27
Paul R Schell	07-05	John G. Hermann	07-18	Otto E. Ulrich Jr	07-28
Patrick J. Kilgore	07-05	Anthony Scarlatella	07-18	Fr Anthony K. Nkyi	07-28
Robert W. Vacek	07-06	Clinton W Brown	07-19	Robert M Yur	07-29
Mike A. Maltez	07-07	Thomas Hernandez Jr	07-19	John J Harry	07-30
John B Rodriguez	07-08	Bruce S Shimala	07-20	Christian R. Reyes	07-30
Jesse G. Mendiola	07-08	Joseph A. Kral	07-20	M George Kubanda	07-31
Mrs Lupe De La Rosa	07-09	Patrick G Lee	07-22	Mark A. Serice	07-31
Lino De Los Reyes	07-09	Kittisak Chooklin	07-22	Timothy E. Oppermann	07-31
George E. Abdo	07-10	Anthony R Segura	07-23		

Insurance Agent's Report

Your Shield for Life

As the economy continues in these turbulent times, the Knights of Columbus is celebrating 16 consecutive years of insurance business growth.

We've weathered the storm when others haven't, because it's not our first. We've weathered the storm when others couldn't, because we know how to navigate. We've weathered the storm when others made costly mistakes, because we don't take on unnecessary risk.

Our strength is undeniable. More members than ever before see it, and are using our shield to protect their families. Are you?

If you need life insurance – and chances are you do – why would you look anywhere else? Let us be your shield.

Did you know that the Knights of Columbus is one of the largest life insurers in North America? The Knights of Columbus has surpassed \$100 billion of insurance in force, and is a member of the Fortune 1000.

Did you know that the Knights of Columbus consistently earns the highest possible ratings for its ethical business practices and sound investment strategies?

A.M. Best, a global leader in the rating and analysis of insurance companies, has given the Knights of Columbus their highest financial strength rating (A++, Superior) for 40 consecutive years. There is simply no more highly rated insurance company in North American than your Knights of Columbus. And, for the last three years, the Knights of Columbus has been named a "World's Most Ethical Company" by the Ethisphere Institute.

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Did you know that providing financial benefits for members was *the* reason that Venerable Father Michael McGivney founded the Knights of Columbus?

Our founding charter from 1882 makes it clear, the Knights of Columbus' primary goal is "to render financial aid to its members and the beneficiaries of members."

Did you know that the Knights of Columbus offers a full, top-quality product line of life insurance, disability income insurance, long-term care insurance, and retirement annuities?

We have products and solutions to fit your family's needs and budgets. Whether it's our family fraternal benefits program, our survivor benefits, or our Personal Planning workbook, there are a lot of ways that the Knights of Columbus Insurance program can benefit you and your family.

There might be quite a bit that you don't know about Knights of Columbus Insurance and about the fraternal and financial benefits of your membership. Join the hundreds of thousands of your brother knights who use our shield as their protection.



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Updates from Supreme**Fortnight For Freedom**

Dear Brother Knight,

Throughout the week, the Catholic Church in the United States will continue to celebrate the Fortnight for Freedom — a two-week period from June 21 to July 4 that considers in a particular way our First Amendment Right to Religious Freedom. The effort is being led by our Supreme Chaplain, Archbishop William Lori of Baltimore, in his role as chairman of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops' (USCCB) Ad Hoc Committee for Religious Liberty.

The following resources may help you and your family in thinking more about this important issue:

1. The USCCB's [Fortnight for Freedom website](#)
2. The USCCB's [recently produced video on Dignitatis Humanae](#), the Second Vatican Council's document on religious freedom.

4204 Awards Banquet & Officer Installation



Educational Grant Winners

Seamus Gildea
Gabriel Malcaba
Colleen Cawthon



Annual Award Winners

Knight of the Year	Fr. Eurel Manzano
(tie)	Dominic Kutra
Rookie of the Year	Danny Villasana
Family of the Year	Dominic Kutra Family
Lady of the Year	Debbie Kutra
Squire of the Year	Bobby Covarrubias
Youth of the Year	Anthony Frontera
David J Hartensteiner Grand Knight Award	George Morales Jr.
Robert Schumann Lifetime Achievement Award	Paul Schell

Good of the Order



"God, we offer up our prayers for the listed Knights, family, and friends in need of healing and care. Thank you Lord for your love, guidance and forgiveness in our daily lives. Please give the family and friends of these loved ones courage, compassion, and love as they heal and care for those in need. Amen!"

Brother Knights, please remember the following in your prayers:

(Requests from meetings and email are listed for 90 days.)

Perpetual Requests for Good Health & Well Being:

Archbishop Emeritus Joseph Fiorenza	Canonization of Fr. Michael J. McGivney	
Conversion of fallen away Catholics	Unborn for eternal life	Special Needs
Members & family of Armed Forces	Knights and their families.	Vocations
Priests, Deacons, and all brothers	St. Theresa Bulletin prayer List	Fr. Roy Oggero
St. Theresa Ministries and Priests	Pregnant Women for life	VETS at VA
Widows of Deceased Brothers	Emeritus Pope Benedict XVI	Pope Francis
Ex-Prisoners @ Isaiah house	Fr. Miguel Obregon - Cancer	Bill Louviere
Soldiers returning from war	Deacon Don Senger - cancer	Doris Gijon - Health

Deceased Requests:

April: Harold Welsh; Martin Riggs; LeRoy Salsman Sr.; Dorothy Raska

May: Ed Pike

June: David Malek; Emily Hurelt, John Donart; Bassey I Bassey

Other Requests as Listed:

April: Patrick Malone - cancer; Anthony Valchar - recovery; Harry Richards - health; Elizabeth Ranley - on Respirator; Dianne Williams - Surgery; Franklin Matoga - Surgery; All affected by the April 18 flood

May: Eric Garcia - Cancer; Barbara Binder - Hospice/Cancer; Edwin Johnson - Stroke; George Morales - Cancer; Reggie Vasquez - Liver Operation; Julian Cillareal - cancer; Jim Hopkins - Cancer; Brittany Spera - Medical Issue; Rita Beckey - Health Issues; Brittney Dobson - Cancer; Rev. Dcn. Michael McFall - Ordination; Shelby Ranley - trauma; John Bezecny - Cancer; Ted Newlin - Heart procedure; Ron Bryer - cancer

June: Melody Brown - lung cancer; Lisa Parker - Cancer; Rosa Waguespack - Health; David Wleklinsky Family; Jim Hopkins - Cancer; Jeff Dodson's daughter - Cancer; Patty JeBruyne - cancer; Cathy Mewis - Cancer; Enola Lee

Special Intention:

Prayer requests aged greater than 90 days still in need of prayer.

All others in need of prayer and God's healing grace and embrace.

If you are unable to attend the meeting to make a request, please email dpm114+kc4204@gmail.com with the subject line "**KC4204 Good of The Order Request**"

Council Officers and Directors for 2016-2017

Chaplain	Fr. Eurel Manzano	281-494-1156	Program	Dennis Marek	281-382-6148
Associate Chaplain	Rev. Jose Tharayil	281-494-1156	Membership	Stephen Frontera	281-410-1632
Grand Knight	Lloyd Waguespack	713-899-2645	Retention	Sam Gonzalez	281-980-8762
Deputy Grand Knight	Sam Gonzalez	832-283-2797	Church	Joe Welsh	281-491-4027
Chancellor	Stephen Frontera	281-410-1632	Vocation	John Sudela	281-491-4055
Recorder	Robert Patterson	832-875-8574	Community	Dave Kiger	281-242-4144
Financial Secretary	Pete Muceus	281-491-9671	Public Relations	Vacant	
Treasurer	Ian Cyril	832-457-3803	Pro Life	David Wleklinski	281-494-4770
Lecturer	John Sudela	281-491-4055	Council	John Gambino	281-242-0847
Warden	George Morales	281-565-5469	Youth	John Clennan	281-491-8090
Advocate	Danny Villasana	832-489-1827	Family	Vacant	
Inside Guard	Raymond French	281-565-1961	Newsletter Editor	David Paul Morris	281-799-3821
Outside Guard	Sal Salinas	281-491-3257	Teen Dance	Ian Cyril	832-457-3800
One Year Trustee	Ed Sebesta	281-242-4563	Football Sweepstakes	Pete Muceus	281-491-9671
Two Year Trustee	John Hermann	281-313-3819	Bereavement	Joe Welsh	281-491-4027
Three Year Trustee	Samuel Demora	281-787-9019	Coin Collection	Ken Stilling	832-271-9030
Insurance Agent	Rangel Agency	281-731-8635	Golf	Lloyd Waguespack	281-495-4422
VA Hospital visits	Fred Stratton	832-638-3444	VA Hospital Visits	Fred Stratton	281-491-4676
Columbian Squires	John Clennan	281-491-8090	Free Throw Contest	Stephen Frontera	201-410-1632
	Jaime Ibarra	281-491-0924	Clothing Sales	Pete Muceus	281-491-9671
Blood Drive	Paul Cinquemani	832-594-6753			
BBQ Coordinator	Dominic Kutra	281-565-0787	Fish Fry	Vacant	

Columbus Club Officers and Directors

President:	Glenn Redding	Directors:	Ed Borski	Sal Salinas	Gene Travis
Vice President:	Ralph Stolarski		Sal Salinas	Mike Matalka	Nicholas Kutra
Secretary	John Hermann		Marvin Kasper	Joe Spera	Leon Anhaiser
Treasurer:	Ed Borski		Marc Broton	Glen Redding	GK Lloyd Waguespack
		Leasing Manager:	Sal Salinas	281-491-3257	
		Maintenance Manager:	Fred Trilicek	281-491-9040	

All members of 4204 are voting members of our Columbus Club. Come to the meetings and help manage our facilities.

Knights of Columbus Web Sites

Supreme: www.kofc.org	Texas State Council: www.tkofc.org	Houston Chapter: www.ghkofc.org
St. Basil 4204: www.kc4204.org	Texas Knight Digital Edition: texasknight-news.net	St. Basil Hall Rental: www.kc4204.org/hall-rental
Mass Times: masstimes.org	4204 Newsletter: kc4204.org/newsletter	St. Theresa Church: sugarlandcatholic.com



[News Catholics Need to Know](http://www.kc4204.org)



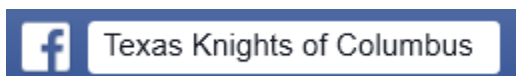
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