# KNIGHT NEWS

#### Council 6020 | St. Bonaventure | St. Vincent de Paul

### Knight of the Month

Congrats to Sam Kane, our August Knight of the Month. Brother Sam, often a member of the "bitter end" club (cuz he was there until the bitter end), was a regular at many of our Council events. In bittersweet news, Sam has left Huntington Beach, and he has moved to Washington DC to be near the love of his life. We wish Sam and Diana all the happiness and Joy that the Lord will provide and our thoughts and prayers go with them.



Next Meeting September 17



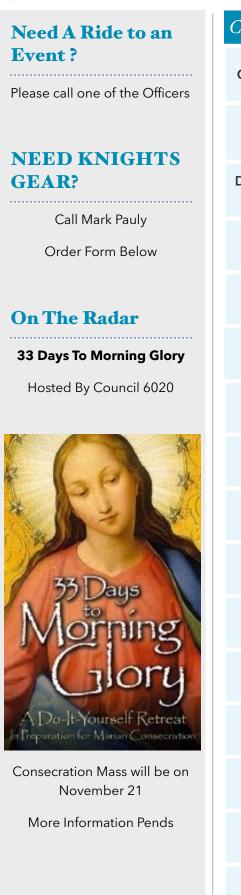
Leave No Neighbor Behind is our new program. As the coronavirus pandemic continues, our duty is to lead our families, protect our parishes, and serve our communities, remembering that where there's a need, there's a Knight.

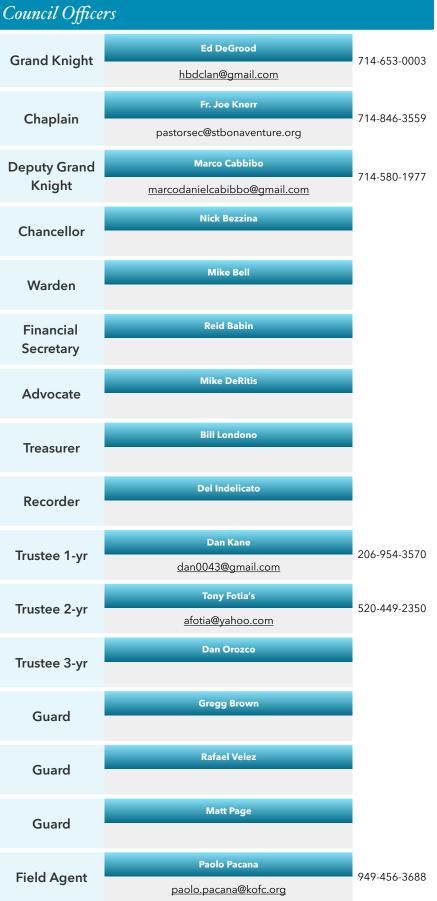
Knights of Columbus are encouraged to serve and sacrifice for those around us. Many, including in our own Councils and Parishes, are isolated and alone in quarantine or secluded in their own homes. Many of our community are laid off from work, or furloughed. Some are sick. Food banks, blood centers, and other essential services have been depleted of their vital supplies. There are many people that require urgent help.



#### Pope John Paul I Council 6020

#### September 2020





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## **GRAND KNIGHT**

Ed DeGrood / 714-653-0003

Good day brother Knights,

As you can see we are working to increase our outreach during these strange days of the pandemic. I look back on my first two months as your Grand Knight and I can't help but think of how proud I am to serve you all as your Grand Knight for 2020-21 Columbian Year.

As I look through the roster of men who are in council 6020, I see so many men acting in so many ways to build up our communities and our faith. I see Eucharistic ministers, Sacristans, parish finance council members, RCIA team members and leaders, Men's club officers, parish technical support, donut and hospitality members, lectures, faith formation instructors, youth leaders, and of course our deacons and Priests. And in the greater community I see Soccer coaches, US Military servicemen, Boy Scout Leaders, fathers, grandfathers, sons, brothers, and uncles. The value you add in all your roles in life makes up the great quilt we make with our lives. The Lord has blessed us with much indeed.

In this time when so many of us feel disconnected, keep in mind how many ways you participate in that great quilt that makes us community. And as we pray to see this pandemic pass (soon I hope), remember to cherish the piece of the quilt that each one of us makes. Take the time to act with purpose to love one another, help one another, and pray for one another. If you are looking for concrete ways to participate, call or email us.

Vivat Jesus,

Ed DeGrood

#### September 2020

### Want to Help Out?

- We are always looking for Men who want to take a leadership position in our Council.
- Want to be a Council Officer, or a Director or Chairman?
- Or would you like to get involved in one of our many programs and events (once a cure for COVID is found)?
- Call our Program Director or one of our Chairmen.
- We are still looking for a:
  - Lecturer
  - Webmaster
  - Faith Director
  - ID Drive Chairman



Directors & Chairmen				
Program Director	Marco Cabbibo	714-846-3559		
Membership Chairman	Tony Fotia	520-449-2350		
Retention Chairman	Tony Fotia	520-449-2350		
Church Director St B	Tony Fotia	520-449-2350		
Church Director SVdP	Dan Orozco			
Life Director	Dn Joe Sullivan			
Faith Director				
Community Director	William Ghattas			
Family Director				
ID Drive Chairman				
Vocations Director	Dan Orozco	714-244-6042		
Pancake Chairman	Joe Aguilar			
Car Show Chairman	Mike DeRitis			
Bingo Chairman				
Web Master				
Emails / Newsletter	Dan Kane	206-954-3570		
Christmas Party Chair	Mike DeRitis			
Sick & Distressed List				
Prayer Requests	Dan Kane	206-954-3570		
Knights Gear	Mark Pauly	714-465-6483		

#### **Knight's Prayer**

Our Lady, Queen of the Knights, bless all the activities of our Order. Keep us true to our pledge, to extend the kingship of Thy Divine Son on earth. Through Thine intercession, win for us the grace, ever to exemplify in our public and private lives, the virtues that should characterize those especially dedicated to the service of the heavenly court. Make us always aware that as your Knights, we are constantly observed, our faith judged, and our Order appreciated. Accept, O Mary, this renewed pledge of fealty and devotion, of Thy Servants, the Knights of Columbus.



## MEMBERSHIP CHAIRMAN

Tony Fotia / 520-449-2350

#### Brothers

I have started making membership request phone calls. So far, I am finding it going well.

I have spoken to many brothers, getting some interesting information. Its going to take time, but I believe it is worth the effort. When I am finished after the first round, we will be able to do a lot of updating. I find it very rewarding being able to speak to brothers I haven't spoke with in a while and those that I have never had contact with.



Many of the calls, has had me leaving a message. A few have returned my calls, but many haven't. I will continue to make calls soon. I would appreciate it if when I call you and leave a message that you please return my call. Not only am I going over our membership info, but I am collecting some important information that will help serve all of us better in the future.

Thank you. I hope to be speaking to you soon.

God Bless.

Tony Fotia

Recruiter Incentives 2020 - 2021 Columbian Year

- Recruit a New Member, get entered to win dinner with Jane (and the State Deputy)
- Recruit 5 -10 new members, win a great looking KofC Cap.
- Recruit 11-15 new member, win a KofC Polo Shirt
- Recruit 16 or more, win a KofC Recruiter Jacket

The Top Recruiter in the Southern Area wins a KofC Watch



## FAITH IN ACTION LIFE

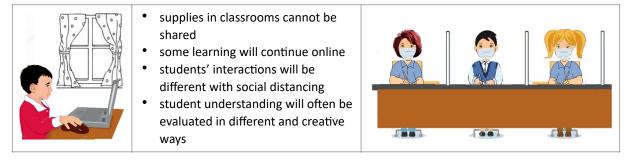
Deacon Joe Sullivan



## 2020 BACK TO SCHOOL DRIVE

This year, the organization of students' learning experience has drastically changed due to Covid-19.

#### Specifically,



Happily, working and caring together, there are still ways to make a difference for them in their new circumstances.

Several organizations assist homeless families in Orange County and provide support and materials for their children in school. Case managers also work with schools and teachers to help the parents who cannot provide for all the needs of their children.

Below are three groups working locally and worthy of our support, along with some of the basic items mentioned by those who directly work with the children, and ways to help **NOW**.

Most charitable organizations **DO NOT ACCEPT DIRECT IN-PERSON** contributions at this time. They **ARE ABLE however, to receive** items ordered, paid, and delivered from vendors online (i.e., Amazon, Walmart, Target).

American Family Housing 15161 Jackson St. Midway City, CA 92655	Colette's Children's Home 7372 Prince Drive, Suite 106 Huntington Beach, CA 92647	Ocean View School District c/o Kim Harris Oak View Elementary School 17241 Oak Ln, Huntington Beach, CA 92647
Please consider donating school supplies         • 1.5" Binders       • Markers         • Binder Dividers       • Crayons         • Folders       • Glue Sticks	Webpage links to lists of <b>HOUSEHOLD</b> <b>ITEMS</b> needed by children's families that Colette's has housed. They would also accept delivery of school supply items delivered to them directly from vendor.	Teachers who engage <b>ONLINE</b> found it is most helpful for their students to have 9" x 12" white boards (lap boards) to show their work from home. Here is a sample (from Amazon):
<ul> <li>Spiral Notebooks</li> <li>(College ruled and Wide ruled)</li> <li>Pencils and Pens</li> <li>Erasers</li> <li>Pencil Sharpeners</li> <li>Index Cards</li> <li>Backpacks</li> <li>Art supplies: water colors, paint, brushes, coloring books</li> </ul>	http://www.coletteschildrenshome. com/how-you-can-help/in-kind- donations/	Dry Erase Lapboards   30pc Classroom Pack Mini Lapboards + 30 BONUS Whiteboard Markers + Felt Erasers - 9" x12" DOUBLE SIDED Small White Boards for Students, Teacher Supplies Brand: Fat Zebra Designs
Home/Remote Learning Needs Chromebooks, Tablets, Ring Light, Headsets with Mics, Wireless Mouses and Mouse Pads		★★★★☆ ×     32 ratings   3 answered questions       Price:     \$59.99 Prime FREE Delivery       In stock on September 22,       2020.       Order it now.
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## SPIRITUAL NUTRITION

#### AUGUST 2020

Deacon Jerry Wallace

#### Brothers

We are in the midst of spiritual warfare with Satan. There are attacks against the church, not in the religious arena but in the political one. The atheists who are leading this warfare have lured some politicians into their cause. In religion when there is dissent, excommunication is sometimes used. In politics dissent and freedom of religion are protected by the constitution. But we are now seeing excommunication as part of the political spectrum, for example the Knights are being accused of bigotry, which could be not further from the truth. This accusation was an attempt to keep a judge out of the federal court. The church does not work under a popular vote; it has dogma, not democracy. We follow the Pope. In politics, public opinion determines the rule and debate leads to a democratic decision. But many public people are being punished for having religious principle behind their beliefs and have lost their jobs for not being politically correct.

The point is, we must be aware that Satan is very active in this time of unrest. It is a very serious attack, so we need to be strong. Satan attacks the strong, so in a sense we should be encouraged that we merit these attacks. We are a real opponent. The Knights are right in doing God's work. We must continue praying as a community and we must continue to receive the sacraments to remain strong. While it will be difficult for a while, we need to let God take us where He wills.

## FIELD AGENT

#### Paolo Pacana

#### 949-456-3688 / paolo.pacana@kofc.org

#### **Retirement, Business and Estate Strategies**

Retirement and Income planning - Are you retired and or need more income?

**Business planning** - Paolo can assist with buy-sell agreements, he works with local attorneys. He can also help you set up a retirement plan for your employee's, new California law for employers with 5 or more employee's must offer a retirement plan.

Estate Planning - He can help you pass on assets to your heirs with less taxes.

Do you have a Family Trust and if you do is it updated?

For more information call or email Paolo.

### Meet out New Field Agent

Paolo Pacana has been in the Retirement Solutions Business for over 25 years and a wealth of knowledge and experience to the Knights of Columbus. He is a former Vice President, for other well-known insurance and investment firms and has surpassed over \$500,000,000 in sales throughout his successful career. He is a Million Dollar Round Table (MDRT) member. A premier association of Financial Professionals. Founded in 1927, MDRT is an international, independent association of the top 1% of the world's best life insurance and financial professionals. Paolo, is fully committed to helping members and their families with their financial goals and dreams!



Paolo, is a dedicated Catholic and a proud member of the Knights of Columbus. He enjoys many things about being a Knight, especially the charitable giving, the brotherhood and sharing the great benefits. We were his first Council.

Paolo, attended California State University, Fullerton and has a Bachelor's Degree in Economics. He loves being active and enjoys martial arts, surfing and traveling. Paolo, and his wife Marcela have been married for 20 years and reside in Orange County, CA.



## SICK & DISTRESSED

#### **PLEASE PRAYFOR**

### **Brothers**

Abilio Hernandez Al Castellano, PGK Bob Buzan **Carlos Alaniz** Don Peach **Donnie Leiterman** Doug Ambrose, PGK Froilan Diaz George Maldjian Lee Kelter, PGK **Prince Powe Ron Rowan** Sal Mendoza & Family, PGK Skip Lutz **Gregg Brown Dick Houston Del Indelicato** Frank Martinez **Dn Jim Anderson Tony Gonzales Joseph Cherry** 

### Friends & Family

Annette Bellino **Bernie Ambrose Carl Henderson** Chris Johnson **Esther Garcia Margaret Prendergast Tami Belies** Tim O'Leary **Maxine Ryan** Jill Buck **Christopher La Chance Betty Wasielewski Peter Batrow** Kevin Krylo Joe O'Connor Irene Duran



#### RIP: Brothers John Alfirevic (Las Vegas) and Tom Sacco





### **SEPTEMBER 2020**

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1	2	3	4	<b>5</b> Mass Set Up SVDP
6 Mass Set Up SVDP & ST B	7 LABOR DAY Adoration STB - 5 PM	8	9	10	11	<b>12</b> Mass Set Up SVDP
<b>13</b> Mass Set Up SVDP & ST B	14	15	16	17	18	<b>19</b> Mass Set Up SVDP
20 Mass Set Up SVDP & ST B	21	22	23	24	25	<b>26</b> Mass Set Up SVDP
27 Mass Set Up SVDP & ST B	28	29	30	Next Month: 33 Days To Morning Glory		

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

## SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Paul G Fontes Leo P Lefebvre Daniel J Mathews Milton B Moline

Bart S Saglietto

Patrick H Adams

Alberto A Mones

**Daniel S Kane** 

Arturo G Marmolejo

John A Coughlin

Joe S Ferri

**George P Maldjian** 

**James C Coker** 

**Michael J Martin** 

**Kevin A Spainhour** 

Matthew S Mc Granahan

# RSVP PROGRAM

#### **Helping Seminarians**

#### The Men We Support



**Brother Thomas** 



Frater Dismas Farfan



Joshua Massat

**Brother Thomas** has been active in the pro-life movement, serving since 1990 at locations mostly in Southern California. His work has involved counseling women and men in crisis situations, educating them on the dangers of abortion, and assisting them with information on alternative resources.

As a Brother, he hopes to instill in young people a love of their God, country, and their fellow human beings, something which is lacking in many schools today. In an increasingly secular world young people need proper guidance to steer them in the direction of love of God and neighbor and in building a strong set of moral values as well as motivational skills to succeed.

Frater Dismas Farfan O.Praem, has been a local Orange County resident since he was four years old. He grew up loving life and wanting to be either a Navy SEAL or a professional athlete, but ended up becoming a CPA and served businesses throughout Los Angeles and Orange. However, a couple of years after a "wakeup" call from the Holy Spirit, he decided to join the Norbertine Fathers at St. Michael's Abbey so that he could leave the secular world behind and help others do the same.

Josh Massat was raised a nondenominational Evangelical Protestant. He was home schooled and earned a BA from UCI in Literary Journalism. During a trip to France in 2006 while visiting many churches and museums, he received a calling to look into Catholicism. After much study and prayer, and spiritual crisis, he made the decision to become Catholic. He was confirmed on Easter 2008 and started to attend St Vincent de Paul in early 2009. For the past decade, he's been working for a health group in California and bouncing back and forth between here and the Franciscan friaries on the East Coast. His 4 years of postulancy has gone through numerous delays, but he is finally about to move on to the next stage of his journey

#### Father Erialdo Ramirez Alfaro

Fr Erialdo first heard God's call to the priesthood when he was 13 years old. He encounters God throughout the Scriptures, Church teachings, and the Sacraments, especially in the Mass and the sacrament of Reconciliation. The example of Pope Saint John Paul II inspired him to become a holy priest with a missionary heart. He was ordained last year in the first class at Christ Cathedral. It was a privilege to support Father on his journey.





KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

POPE JOHN PAUL I

COUNCIL 6020

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			Jacket*	\$54.00	
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		NA	Hat - Navy	\$13.00	
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\*PRICE INCLUDE EMBROIDERED NAME

Name to be Embroidered (Exactly Please)

MAKE CHECKS OUT TO "K OF C 6020"

SEND CHECK AND ORDER FORM TO:

MARK PAULY 6021 Summerdale Drive Huntington Beach, CA 92647

QUESTIONS 714-465-6483 OR markpauly1@yahoo.com

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CLOTHING ORDER FORM



### State Deputy - Representing Council 6020

### Leaving No Neighbor Behind









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