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**July 1, 2024**

**July is dedicated to the Precious Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ**



The feast of the Precious Blood of our Lord was instituted in 1849 by Pius IX, but the devotion is as old as Christianity. The early Fathers say that the Church was born from the pierced side of Christ and that the sacraments were brought forth through His Blood.

The Precious Blood which we worship is the Blood which the Savior shed for us all on the hill of Calvary and was reassumed at His glorious Resurrection. It is the Blood which courses through the veins of His risen, glorified, living body at the right hand of God the Father in heaven. It is the Blood made present on our altars by the words of Consecration and it is the Blood which also merited sanctifying grace for us all and through it washes and beautifies our soul and so inaugurates the beginning of eternal life in it.



**July 1, 2024**

Council 15001

Your Officers for 2023-2024

Grand Knight.....Charley Billingsley, GK  
 Chaplain.....Fr. Dindo “Bruno” Cuario  
 Asst. Chaplain.....TBD  
 Deputy Grand Knight.....Ed Fischer  
 Chancellor.....Andy Picard  
 Financial Secretary.....Kirk LaPlante, PGK  
 Treasurer.....Phil Tabita, PGK  
 Trustee 3 yr.....Daniel McGinn, PGK  
 Trustee 2 yr.....Francis Abijaoude, PGK  
 Trustee 1 yr.....Richard Diefendorf, PGK  
 Advocate.....Gary Schulte, PGK  
 Recorder.....Rick Smith  
 Warden.....Artie Hauer  
 Inside Guard.....Tom Roggenkamp  
 Outside Guard (1).....Fred Cosme  
 Outside Guard (2).....Al Gillis, PGK

Appointed Officers

Lecturer.....Gary DeGregorio  
 Info. Technical Director.....Nelson Mayo  
 Communications.....Jim Gentner  
 Newsletter Editor/Publisher..Tom Karl, PGK  
 Editorial Staff.....Ted Cherekos  
 Knights Website.....John Blome, PGK  
 4th Degree Coordinator...Gary Schulte, PGK

**Remember—One new member, per Council, per month.**

**This is the desire of the Supreme Knight. Can you help us make it happen?**

Hot dogs, hamburgers, cake and ice cream. These are some of the things we all thing about when it is close to July 4th and our National celebrations of July 4th. It’s also about change. Yes, we have our newly elected officers ready to take over their positions. Some of these men are new to their positions and some are already seasoned veterans of the Knights of Columbus. So, what can we expect this next Fraternal Year?

Maybe I should have titled this “Expectations” - but, no, we will just go with the flow of activity that normally occurs in Council 15001. That flow is with continuity. We will continue with our normal programs as we have done in the past, but maybe we can give some of them a little more life and do more. The Bingo program has really gone well, but let’s not sit back on our laurels yet. It takes a lot of effort to continue in the same vein of expectation for success. We all must be willing to give at least 100% and when necessary go for 105% or even 110%.

So how do we get this effort started? For most of us, we have been doing this type of work for a long time, but for others—well they have not been given the opportunity to help. We have to become mentors to others in our group. We have to loosen our grip on the tight reins of thinking that “I consider this as my personal challenge and no one can do it as well”. Mentoring is allowing others to learn “how you do it so well” and let them try to do the task.

Don’t expect a bar-b-que to go easily if you want to do all the work without the help of others. Listen to the experienced or others, take note of what they say and add your own touch. You’ll be surprised how well it really goes.

Expectations in not about you—it is about everyone. When everyone works together we have a part of “CUF” or Unity. Being kind others as you work will give us the Charity and finally, putting all the people together for one cause will give us a Fraternity of men who call themselves Knights or Columbus.

For Fraternal Year 2024-2025

The State Theme is:  
 Faith Transforms Culture



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## Grand Knight's Column

Dear Brother Knights and families,

In the spirit of gratitude and service, I am humbled to be named Grand Knight for St. Paul's Council 15001 for fraternal year '24-'25. With eager anticipation I look forward to working with the Council Officers, the past Grand Knights and each member of the Council to serve God, our church, our pastor, our charities and our community.

Grand Knight  
Charley Billingsley

As Knights in service of the Lord we are fully aware of the challenges that may confront our Catholic message. But we remain strong knowing we stand for all the faithful.

This year, the collective voice of the faithful resonates worldwide as American Catholics convene for the National Eucharistic Congress from July 17-21 in Indianapolis. In advance of the Congress, a historic pilgrimage is unfolding as thousands traverse sacred paths, uniting behind Christ in four cross-country processions.

The spirit of Christ uplifts hearts in the most unexpected places exemplified best by more than 4,000 pilgrims who recently journeyed behind the Holy Eucharist across the Golden Gate Bridge kicking off the Serra Route of the procession. For the latest updates on the Eucharistic Congress and related events, visit <https://www.eucharisticrevival.org/>.

Here at home. Council 15001 reaffirms its commitment to local charitable endeavors, inviting all Brothers to engage in these vital acts of service:

- ◆ Second Sunday Rosaries at Planned Parenthood
- ◆ St. Paul's Blood Drives (next drive on July 14)
- ◆ Annual Diocese of Phoenix Seminarians Dinner (July 29)

As we persist in these and other corporal works of mercy, let us also elevate our spiritual works of mercy, essential for both the living and the dead. Our prayers have always included our families, friends, parishioners and the souls of the departed. This year, we will inaugurate a morning of prayer at Most Holy Redeemer Cemetery November 2nd to honor "our fallen," while extending our prayers to all souls known and unknown. These acts will reflect the Supreme Prayer of the Church; to pray for all the living and the dead.

Additionally, in the Spring, we will host a Kite Day for the Sunshine Soccer League; present our annual Ladies High Tea before Mothers' Day; and work in support of the Nun Run, the largest annual fund raiser for the Poor Clares of Perpetual Adoration and their convent—Our Lady of Solitude Monastery in Tonopah.

I am confident that our Council membership will continue to demonstrate unwavering support for all our events, embodying our faith through action.

In closing, I extend my heartfelt gratitude to Past Grand Knight Dan McGinn for his mentorship and friendship. His legacy leaves a path of growth and strength for us all to follow. With my heart full of hope, I look forward to a year brimming with Fraternity, Unity and Charity.

Vivat Jesus!

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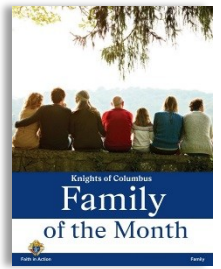
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## **Family of the Month**

The Knights of Columbus, in our commitment to developing strong, vibrant families, are proud to present the Family of the Month program. This program is a crucial part of our mission, as it creates awareness of the many outstanding families at St. Paul. Families are the Domestic Church, the first educators, the source of growth in charity, love, and faith, and the source of many vocations. This month, we are honored to recognize the Gabriel family as a shining example of these values.



### **Family of the Month—June 2024** **The Gabriel Family**



Rosemarie and Elpidio Gabriel were married in 1990. Their children, Marijo and Marifel, were raised in St. Thomas the Apostle parish and Catholic schools, Xavier High School and Creighton University. Marijo received the Christian Service Award from the Catholic Community Foundation. Marifel was recognized as “Leo of the Year” by the Lions Club International.

The Gabriel family has actively participated in various community service activities with the Lions Club International, Saint Vincent de Paul, and Feed the Hungry. Elpidio and Rosemarie do medical missions to the Philippines and Mexico. When traveling back to see family in the Philippines, they set aside a volunteer day of service.

Settling into St. Paul parish during the pandemic, they have become fixtures in the parish. Marijo is Eucharistic Minister. Rosemarie is president of the Legion of Mary, a Eucharistic Minister, a Lector, Rosary Leader, member of the Women Guild and she is active in Pastoral Care.

## **Membership News and Notes**

On June 16, 2024, Jack Picard, the son of Andy and Mary Picard, and Seraphina Salinas the daughter of Ruperto and Amrais Salinas received their sacraments of Confirmation and First Communion at a special Mass celebrated by our Excellency Bishop John Patrick Dolan at St Paul’s.



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## St Paul's Council Bids Farewell to our Assistant Chaplain Father Ishaya.

Pictures by: Mary Hauer

Our Assistant Chaplain, Father Ishaya will begin his new assignment, as of July 1st, as the Parochial Administer at St Francis of Assisi Church in Bagdad, Arizona.

Bagdad Arizona is about 115 miles Northwest of Phoenix. A potluck was held on June 23rd in O'Carroll Hall. Dr Sue Moravec led the event with gifts to Father Ishaya from the Legion of Mary, St. Paul's Women's Guild and also from our Knights of Columbus Council.

Our Council presented a \$500 check to Father Ishaya so he can continue his missionary work.



Join us in a Farewell Gathering  
Father Ishaya will begin his new  
assignment as Parochial  
Administrator of St. Francis of Assisi  
in Bagdad, Arizona  
on July 1<sup>st</sup>

### *St. Paul POTLUCK*

*Sunday June 23<sup>rd</sup>  
after Noon Mass*

*Bring your favorite dish to share!*

*A-M side dish*

*N-S appetizer*

*T-Z dessert*

*Parish will provide drinks, main dish, etc.*



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## CUF Degree - June 30 2024

On June 30, 2024, following our 9:30 a.m. Sunday mass many of our Council members and families and guests were part of our Council's Charity, Unity, Fraternity (CUF) Degree ceremony In our conference center. Our Council welcomed three new Brother Knights—Gerry Campos, Eilier Ray and Victor Diaz. After our ceremony, our new and current members enjoyed a nice social gathering and it gave all of us an opportunity to meet our newest Knights.



Eilier Ray



Gerry Campos



Victor Campos

Our Degree Team was made up of Council members:

(L to R)

PGK, WFS Kirk LaPlante (Presenter on Fraternity), PGK Phil Tabbita who was (Presenter on Charity), District Deputy Rich Ryan (Presenter on Unity), GK Dan McGinn as Investing Officer, PGK Al Gillis (Warden) and Ted Cherekos (Presiding Officer).

The photo includes our Council's degree team members along with our three new Brother Knights.



Left to Right: Kirk LaPlante, Phil Tabbita, DD Rich Ryan, Gerry Campos, Eilier Ray, Victor Diaz, GK Dan McGinn, PGK Al Gillis and Ted Cherekos.

**Incoming Officers for the 2024-2025 Fraternal Year**

Our annual Council's Officer election was conducted during our regular business meeting on June 7, 2023. The Officers' slate was introduced by PGK Al Gillis and the incoming Officers were voted and elected by Acclamation by our members. Our Council Officer installation is scheduled July 3, 2024 after our General Business meeting. All friends and families are invited.

**Here are our Incoming Officers for the 2024-2025 Fraternal Year**

**Grand Knight:** Charles Billingsley

**Deputy Grand Knight:** Ed Fischer

**Chancellor:** Andy Picard

**Treasurer:** Phil Tabbita, PGK

**Advocate:** Gary Schulte, PGK

**Recorder:** Rick Smith

**Warden:** Artie Hauer

**Inside Guard :**Tom Roggenkamp

**Outside Guard #1 :** Fred Cosme

**Outside Guard #2:** Al Gillis

**(3 yr. term) Trustee:** Dan McGinn, PGK

**(2 yr. term) Trustee:** Francis Abijaoude, PGK

**(1 yr. term) Trustee:** Richard Diefendorf, PGK

**The following Officers are appointed:**

**Financial Secretary:** Kirk LaPlante, PGK (by Supreme)

**Chaplain:** Fr. Bruno Cuario

**Asst. Chaplain :** TBD

**Lecturer:** TBD — Appointed by Grand Knight



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## 4th Degree News and Notes



Each month, we would like to include news and notes about the 4th Degree of our Order. Several of our 15001 Council members also belong to the 4th Degree and are members of the “Bishop William Z. Gomes Assembly #1805”.



Each “Degree” of the Knights of Columbus is associated with a particular virtue with the three items being—Charity, Unity and Fraternity and the Fourth Degree being “Patriotism” or as it has commonly become known as “The Patriotic Degree”.

The members meet on the 3rd Thursday of each month at St. Joseph’s Catholic Church at 11020 N 40th Street at 7:00 p.m. The church is located on 40th St., between Shea Blvd. and Cactus Rd.

### JOIN THE FOURTH DEGREE

If you are over 18 years of age; a citizen of the country in which you reside; a practical Catholic in union with the Holy See; and you are a Third Degree member in good standing, it’s time to consider joining the ranks of the Fourth Degree.

To learn more about the Patriotic Degree and how to join its ranks, contact your local Council, the Vice Supreme Master in your area or the Supreme Council today.

For Council 15001, you may contact Sir Knight (SK) Gary Schulte or Ted Cherekos.



### SILVER ROSE—A HIGHER PURPOSE

Share the message of Our Lady of Guadalupe and promote respect for life by participating in this meaningful pilgrimage. The Silver Rose program demonstrates the unity between Knights of Columbus in Canada, the United States and Mexico, through a series of prayer services promoting the dignity of all human life and honoring Our Lady.

Each year, from early March through mid-December, Silver Roses are stewarded by Knights of Columbus Councils along routes from Canada to Mexico. Every stop the Silver Rose makes throughout the pilgrimage is a rosary-centered occasion for Knights, parishioners and community members to pray for respect for life, for the spiritual renewal of each nation, and for the advancement of the message of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

#### ROUTE 1 2024 SCHEDULE

March 24 - April 27, Alaska  
April 28 – June 1, Washington  
June 2 – July 6, Idaho  
July 7 – August 3, Oregon  
August 4 – August 31, Nevada  
September 1 – September 28, California  
September 29 – October 26, Arizona  
October 27 – November 23, New Mexico  
November 24 – December 12, Mexico

#### ROUTE 7 2024 SCHEDULE

March 24 – May 18, California  
May 19 – June 15, Arizona  
June 16 – July 13, New Mexico  
July 14 – December 7, Texas  
December 8 – December 12, Mexico



## [4th Degree News and Notes](#)



The Fourth Degree Exemplification was held on May 4, 2024 at St Bernard Clairvaux located in Scottsdale. The exemplification was hosted by Assembly 2374 Our Lady of the Rosary also located in Scottsdale. There were 56 candidates. The event included a Mass and a banquet hosted by our new District Master SK Michael Paz. Two of the 56 candidates included our Chancellor Ed Fischer and PGK Francis Abijaoude

### [Assembly Officer Nominations for the 2024-2025 Fraternal Year](#)

Our Assembly has announced its Slate of Officers for the upcoming Fraternal Year. Eligibility is open to any Sir Knight who wants to serve and is a 4th Degree member in good standing. Our officer election began during our May 16, 2024 meeting and the election will end at our next general business meeting on June 20, 2024.

Our proposed elected officers are: our Faithful Navigator, Faithful Captain, Faithful Pilot, Faithful Scribe, Faithful Purser, Faithful Inner and Outer Sentinels and Faithful Admiral. Our Assembly has a 3 year, 2 year and 1 year trustees and two appointed Assembly officer positions: Faithful Friar and Color Corp Commander (CCC). The following Assembly members have been named on the ballot to date: (Any contested offices will have a secret ballot vote).

**Faithful Navigator (Grand Knight):** SK Robert Bogart, PFN

**Faithful Captain (Deputy Grand Knight) :** SK Jeffrey Carpentier

**Faithful Admiral:** SK Matt Holguin, PFN

**Faithful Pilot (Warden):** SK Barry Auguste

**Faithful Comptroller (Financial Secretary):** SK John McNulty, FDD, PFN

**Faithful Purser (Treasurer):** SK Rich Ryan, DD, PFN

**Faithful Scribe (Recorder):** SK Gary Schulte, PFN

**Faithful Inner Sentinel (Inside Guard):** SK Patrick Langerman

**Faithful Outer Sentinel (Outside Guard):** SK Andrew Armstrong

**(3 yr. term) Trustee:** SK Mark Orceletto, PFN

**(2 yr. term) Trustee:** SK Gary Johnson, PFN, FDD

**(1 yr. term) Trustee:** SK Frank Atherton, PFN, FDD

Positions Appointed the Faithful Navigator:

**Faithful Friar (Chaplain):** SK Father "Reggie" Carreon (Parochial Vicar St Josephs)

**Color Corp Commander:** SK Frank Atherton, PFN (In charge of the Color/Honor Guard)

Our Assembly's Officers' roles are the same as in a Council, but the Assembly titles are different. Our Assembly refers to our officers as "Faithful" versus "Worthy". Our Officer Corps does not include an Advocate, Chancellor or Lecture. The Admiral serves as an advisor to our Faithful Navigator, and if needed, he will perform the duties of an Advocate. Faithful Navigators who have served for at least seven months during a Fraternal Year are given a lifetime title of "PFN", which is (Past Faithful Navigator).

**Priest Appreciation Dinner Uplifts Despite Smaller Scale**

(Repeated article from last month as requested by our Worthy Financial Secretary)

This year's Priest Appreciation Dinner, held later than usual and with a slightly smaller attendance, proved to be as inspiring as ever. The camaraderie among the priests and Knights of Columbus was a heartwarming sight.

One particularly touching moment came from a priest who recently arrived in the United States from Ukraine. Speaking through an interpreter, as he didn't speak English, he delivered a moving speech about the need for prayers for his war-torn country. He described how his village had been struck by multiple rockets in just the past two days.

This served as a powerful reminder of just how blessed we are to live in the United States.



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## **KNIGHTS of COLUMBUS—YOUR SHIELD FOR INSURANCE FOR LIFE**

### **Protector NLG Universal Life Insurance**

Protector NLG Universal Life insurance product. This product provides affordable guaranteed lifetime coverage\*, with flexible premium payment options and a low-cost guaranteed death benefit that will ensure future obligations are met. The benefit protection includes a Lapse Protection Rider, as well.

While guaranteeing death benefit coverage, the Protector NLG Universal Life insurance product features flexibility in premium payment ability: from allowing shorter payment periods; the stopping and re-starting of premium payments; to the ability to lower premiums by paying up to age 100. A Lapse Protection Rider is automatically attached at issue and can ensure lifetime death benefit protection as long as this rider is active.

Ron Franzluebbbers, senior vice president and chief actuary of K of C, said, "Protector NLG Universal Life is a niche product designed for those approaching or above retirement age, who do not need a traditional whole life contract with cash value accumulation but want to ensure that they have affordable death benefit coverage for their entire lifetime." Protector NLG Universal Life is available for purchase in the United States and Canada for individuals between 50 and 80 years old. More information about the Knights of Columbus insurance program can be found here: [www.kofc.org/insurance](http://www.kofc.org/insurance).

### **Permanent Life Insurance Policies**

Permanent life insurance— like all life insurance — is designed primarily to provide money (also known as a death benefit) to your designated beneficiary when you pass away — guaranteed.

All Knights of Columbus permanent life insurance policies have premiums that are guaranteed not to increase, so you won't have to worry about any surprises.

Our permanent life insurance policies also accrue cash value over time. Should the policy be eligible for any dividends (which are not guaranteed), you can also elect to put those proceeds back into your policy by purchasing some additional paid-up insurance. Additional paid-up insurance increases your policy's death benefit and cash value. Your policy's cash value can be used as cash, either through a partial loan or a full surrender of the policy or as collateral.

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**Birthdays—July 2024**

Jul 04	Stephen Alonge		Jul 10	Debbie Castellarin
Jul 05	Gilbert Flores		Jul 17	Irene Murphy
Jul 07	William Dougherty		Jul 18	Gerri Cook
Jul 08	Fred Brandt		Jul 26	Nadine Swartz
Jul 09	Jim Doorley		Jul 28	Angie Talamantes
Jul 20	Terry McCormick			
Jul 22	Dale Hahne			
Jul 30	James Wayne			
Jul 30	Nathan Duncan			
Jul 31	Rene Talamantes			

**NOTE:** Wives' birthday list was taken from the Council Membership Survey which was turned in by members of the Council.

*We would really like every member to complete this survey  
so that we can have the most complete and accurate birthday listing available*

**Our Knights In Action**

During the past Fraternal Year, PGK Richard Diefendorf sent a full year listing of the types of volunteer service hours, in a form format, to each member. We will try to continue that by providing a two-month list for you to fill out and give to the Financial Secretary. **You may also include any ministries that your wife and family participate in.** This means that you may include time for any and all parish ministries: EM, Adorer, Usher, Lector, Altar Server, Dusting Angels, RCIA, teaching or assisting at Catechesis, prayer shawls, decorating the Church at Christmas and Easter, attending Degree ceremonies, and of course the picnic and Campus cleanup. These are only a few of the things we and our Families do.

**June**

2nd Sunday P.P. Rosary \_\_\_\_\_  
 Servers \_\_\_\_\_  
 EM \_\_\_\_\_  
 Lector \_\_\_\_\_  
 Adoration \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**July**

Officers' Installation \_\_\_\_\_  
 2nd Sunday P.P. Rosary \_\_\_\_\_  
 Servers \_\_\_\_\_  
 EM \_\_\_\_\_  
 Lector \_\_\_\_\_  
 Adoration \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Whether for Flu, RSV  
or Covid, be Wise  
and Immunize!



# July 2024

Covid  
RSV  Flu

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3 General Meeting Conference Room 7:00 p.m. 	4 	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14 Rosary at Planned Parenthood 	15 Officers' Meeting 7:00 p.m. Conference Room 	16	17	18 Assembly 1805 Meets at St. Joseph's 7:00 p.m. 	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

## Upcoming Events For July/August 2024

### July 2024

- July 03 General Meeting 7:00 p.m. in Conference Room/Installation of Officers
- July 14 Rosary at Planned Parenthood
- July 15 Officers' Meeting 7:00 p.m. in Conference Room
- July 18 Assembly 1805 meets at St. Joseph's 7:00 p.m.

### August 2024

- Aug. 07 General Meeting 7:00 p.m. in Conference Room
- Aug. 11 Rosary at Planned Parenthood
- Aug. 15 Assembly 1805 meets at St. Joseph's 7:00 p.m.
- Aug. 19 Officers' Meeting 7:00 p.m. in Conference Room

**Remember: Hot water and soap  
will shorten the life of a virus.  
Also, wearing a mask may also**



This applies to the Flu,  
RSV Virus and Covid!

**Attention All Event Chairmen:** After your event, please ensure that photos are sent to your Newsletter Editor for inclusion in the next newsletter.

### Prayer to End Abortion



We often discuss in the newsletters and during our General Meetings the need to have Rosary Sunday which is the second Sunday of each month. While many of you are able to take some time out of your valuable day, it would be a great example to yourselves, your family and your parish to make an appearance as often as possible. Every prayer is valuable to you and to our Blessed Mother Mary. It is through Her that we ask for God's intercession to stop the needless killing of convenience that is occurring. So once again, we ask you to try to come to as many of the Rosary Sundays as possible during each year.

*Lord God, I thank you today for the gift of my life,  
And for the lives of all my Brothers and sisters.  
I know there is nothing that destroys more life than  
abortion,  
Yet I rejoice that you have conquered death  
by the Resurrection of Your Son.  
I am ready to do my part in ending abortion.  
Today I commit myself  
Never to be silent,  
Never to be passive,  
Never to be forgetful of the unborn.*

*I commit myself to be active in the pro-life  
movement,  
And never to stop defending life  
Until all my Brothers and sisters are protected,  
And our nation once again becomes  
A nation with liberty and justice  
Not just for some, but for all.  
Through Christ our Lord. Amen!*

### For Those Who Are Sick & Distressed

*Father, your Son accepted our sufferings to teach us the virtue of patience in human illness.  
Hear the prayers we offer for our sick of distressed Brothers or their relatives:*

Brothers, Don Kolb, Manuel Flores, David Earl, Luis Torres, James Wayne, Bob Waugh, George Mendell, Butch Cook, Steve Pettit, Ray Rosetti, Ted Cherekos, Jim Soderlund, Mary Weege and Greg Worsley.

Rest of the soul of Brothers—Michael Robinson, Michael Murphy, Tom Goss, Chuck Kime, Ken Long, Jack Swartz, Shawn Swartz, Bill Hintze, Bill O'Connell and family members: Lila VanCuyk (wife of John), Diane Russell (wife of Tom), mother of Cathy Blome, Pat Long (wife of Ken Long), brother of Fr. Bruno, Matthew (son of Karen Roggenkamp) as well as all the Widows of our Deceased Knights



*May all who suffer pain, illness or disease realize that they are chosen to be saints  
and know that they are joined to Christ in his suffering for the salvation of the world,  
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, Amen.*

### Catholic Prayer For those who have passed

*"Loving God our Father, Your power brings us to life.  
Your care guides our lives,  
and by Your command we return to the dust from which we came.  
Father, those who pass on still live in Your presence,  
their lives are changed but do not end.  
I plead in hope for my family, relatives and friends,  
and for all the dead known only to You.*

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