

# Knights of Columbus

Fontana Council #3041

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## Grand Knights Message

**Mike Almeraz, Grand Knight**

Brothers by the time you receive this we will be finished with Lent and into our Holy days, I hope your Lenten journey was fulfilling, for me I said I would say a Rosary every day, it was a struggle at first but I found that I set aside the time to say the Rosary, now I look forward to saying my Rosary and I hope to continue on past Lent. I would like to wish you and your families a very Happy Easter.

Our corporate Communion at St. Georges was very well supported by our Brothers and their families, we picked up a few potential Brothers and we hope to see them at our open house we will be having on March the 29<sup>th</sup>.

Our last Fish Fry was March 26<sup>th</sup>, it was a lot of work and we raised some money. I want to thank all the Brothers that helped out, some of you every week. It could not have happened if it was not for you. Thank you, Thank you, I also want to thank my wife Dora who made the Enchiladas and Beans every week and Dave thanks for the rice.

### **Still a request:**

The last time I wrote was to ask you for your support for two items, one to send your Priest a thank you card and the other was to work on recruitment and getting Brothers to take their next degree. I am still asking for your help

Our 1<sup>st</sup> principle (CHARITY) we need to remember our 1<sup>st</sup> degree and remember why we became a Knight. I ask that you each contribute your time, your talent and your monies to support our/your Knights of Columbus Council 3041 and remember that it is your council and only you can make it better.

Michael Almeraz

Grand Knight Council 3041

**Holy Family – Pray for us**

# April 2009

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1.	2.	3.
4. Easter Sunday	5. 6pm – 2 <sup>nd</sup> degree. K of C Hall. Please Support our brothers	6. 7pm - 4th Degree Meeting. (Carpool to Guasti)	7. 6pm – Bingo. K of C Hall. Help is always needed.	8. 7pm – Officers meeting. K of C Hall. All are welcome.	9. Striping and waxing hall. Need help for 4 hours in the morning. <b>Contact Chrispen.</b>	10.
11.	12.	13.	14. 6pm – Bingo. K of C Hall. Help is always needed.	15. 6:30pm – Dinner and General Meeting. K of C Hall. Bring a brother.	16.	17. 5pm. Poker night. \$25 per person. Come out and enjoy a relaxing evening with the Brothers.
18.	19.	20.	21. 6pm – Bingo. K of C Hall. Help is always needed.	22.	23.	24.
25.	26.	27.	28. 6pm – Bingo. K of C Hall. Help is always needed.	29.	30.	

# Insurance Agent's Report

## Greetings My Brother Knights & Your Families,

God bless us as we enter the Season of Easter. Along with meditations on the Resurrection of our Lord, we can also be considering eggs and baskets. Where are your eggs? Are you happy with the baskets they are in? Are you satisfied with the service you are getting? Do you pay for advice or just for products? Do you feel that your eggs are safe and multiplying adequately? A few quick points from the Knights of Columbus insurance program:

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Please don't hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or need a financial analysis. I can be reached at 1-909-938-6999. Thank you for your time. Again, God bless you and your family and may Fr. Michael J. McGivney pray for us as he moves down his journey toward sainthood. Vivat Jesus!!

Fraternally,

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## **Council 3041 to Award 2010 Scholarships**

At the officer's meeting of March 13, 2010 it was decided that \$1,500 worth of scholarships will be awarded to the immediate family members of Council 3041, or to members themselves. Scholarship chairman Bob Boul, and his committee members, Matt Martin and Dan Escalera, announced that those wishing to apply for the available scholarships may obtain an application during Bingo hours on Wednesday, or by e-mailing Bob Boul, at [bobboul@msn.com](mailto:bobboul@msn.com).

Scholarship money will be mailed directly to the school of the winning applicant/s. All applications are due by April 30. Winners will be announced at the officer's meeting of May 13<sup>th</sup>.

You may return them by e-mail or USPS to:

Bob Boul  
15088 Loma Vista Ct.  
Hesperia, CA 92345.

## **Important! Upcoming Events Next Month**

May 1st - Saturday - St. Joseph Covenant Keeper's Breakfast - Jesse Romero Guest Speaker. Open to all, family and friends - \$10 dollars a person. 7am

May 15th - Saturday - Council Picnic - Almeria Park (corner of Almeria and Baseline) 11AM. Bring your families, and a potluck dish (with something to eat in it!)

May 27th - Thursday - Council Meeting/Election of Officers. Meeting date change because of State Convention. Please attend to vote for next year's officers. 6:30pm Dinner

## **Mary's Mercy Center**

My prayer when we started this was to deliver a big bunch by Christmas and hopefully another by May of 2010. The first part of my prayer has been answered. I would like to thank each one of you who have placed articles in the container for Mary's Mercy Center and I would especially like to thank Paul (Angel) Genda for bringing in cases and cases of articles for Mary's Mercy Center. We had our youth group come in and bag up the articles and we will be delivering over 250 bags with personal hygiene articles to Mary's Mercy Center.

## **Happy April Birthdays to your Brothers**

April 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Glenn Abercrombie
April 7 <sup>th</sup>	Rev. Omar Martinez
April 9 <sup>th</sup>	Fidel Magistrado
April 12 <sup>th</sup>	Chudi Obijekwu
April 14 <sup>th</sup>	Ralph Segarra senior
April 15 <sup>th</sup>	Enrique Colunga
April 15 <sup>th</sup>	Ricardo Diaz
April 20 <sup>th</sup>	Edward Moreno
April 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Francis Mc Cann
April 24 <sup>th</sup>	Daniel Cruz
April 24 <sup>th</sup>	Marcus Tamayo
April 26 <sup>th</sup>	Thomas Baumgartner
April 28 <sup>th</sup>	Frank Finazzo
April 29 <sup>th</sup>	Rev. Marcelo De Jesumaria
April 29 <sup>th</sup>	David Mercado

## 2009-2010 Council Officers

## 2009-2010 Council Directors

Spiritual Advisor	Mike Juback	909-829-2761	Spiritual Advisor	Mike Juback	909-829-2761
Grand Knight	Mike Almeraz	909-573-5685	Program Director	Mike Almeraz	909-646-9773
Deputy Grand Knight	Matthew Martin	909-823-1018	Church Director	Dave Mercado	TBA
Chancellor	Ralph Segarra	909-821-3712	Vocations Chairman	Dave Mercado	TBA
Warden	Dan Escalera	909-355-0597	Community Director	Chuck Dinise	909-823-9677
Financial Secretary	Tom Baumgartner	760-249-4851	Pro-Life Chairman	TBA	TBA
Treasurer	Ed Moreno	909-997-6416	Council Director	Mike Almeraz	909-646-9773
Recorder	David Paniagua	909-938-8397	Council Director	Ralph Segarra	909-821-3712
Trustee 3 Year	Chuck Dinise	909-823-9677	Family Director	TBA	TBA
Trustee 2 Year	Humberto Mireles	909-355-7930	Youth Director	Ralph Segarra	909-821-3712
Trustee 1 Year	Crispin Perez	909-356-1610	Membership Director	Crispin Perez	909-356-1610
Advocate	Bob Boul	760-947-6206	Recruitment Chairman	Tom Baumgartner	760-249-4851
Lecturer	Deacon Abel Zamora	909-899-7020	Retention Chairman	TBA	TBA
Inside Guard	Robert Mead	909-874-7220	Insurance Promotion	Joel Clelland	909-938-6999
Outside Guard	Jack Kennedy	951-235-9486	Lecturer	Deacon Abel Zamora	909-899-7020
District Deputy	Martin Martinez	951-662-3944	Lecturer	TBA	TBA
Supreme Field Agent	Joel Clelland	909-938-6999			

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