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Fontana Council #3041

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Grand Knight's Message

Don Mesley, Grand Knight

My Dear Friends and Brothers

Spring is here which means a new beginning for all of us. A time of renewal. A time to strengthen our friendships and contacts with our brother Knights. No matter what happens we are all brothers.

Brothers are the people you can count on to stand beside you through anything and know you are never alone. That is one of the blessings of being a Knight.

With the help of our Lord Jesus we are given a new start.

My brothers we all have an obligation to maintain our council's Spirit de Corps. Let us concentrate on how much we do. Some brothers work very hard at the physical or material side such as bingo setting up and cleaning. Some brothers are there for us with their prayers and their presences such as attending meetings, bingo, dinners, guys night, and at the other functions. All of these are what make up a successful council. The one thing all of us need to look at is the spiritual side, keeping our fellow brothers in our prayers. Also, praying for our churches and the strength to keep doing the right thing with the Lords help. If we have our hearts full of love for each other everything else will fall into place.

I have seen some of our brethren come to meetings once or twice and then drop out. Is it the lack of love, lack of unity or perhaps no sense of fraternity? This problem has been with us a very long time and not only our council, but throughout our order.

I am making this plea to you, my brother, let us start now. This very minute, as you are reading these words, take the time to contemplate. Look into your heart. Search for what you can do to move use into the right direction. Let us put aside the negative thoughts we have.

*Open the way to God's love
Let it be seen through us.
Let's be known for our love
And the love and understanding we share.*

I look forward to seeing you at our next meeting; or God willing sooner.

May you all be filled with God's blessings.

Fraternally,

Don Mesley, G.K.

From the Chaplain's Desk

Dear Brother Knights & Families:

We recently celebrated the joyful feast of Our Lord's Resurrection, Easter Sunday. After having prayed and fasted during Lent we know celebrate with great joy and hope Our Lord's victory over Satan, death and sin.

In a few short weeks we will celebrate another great feast, that of Our Lord's Ascension into Heaven. The Apostles were saddened to see Jesus go up to heaven but they did have His assurance that he would be with them always through the Church until the end time.

We also have that promise that Christ will be with always through the Catholic Church. We have Christ with us in the Liturgy and the Sacraments, the Scriptures and the sacramental life of the church. As we celebrate the feast of the Ascension we must look upwards to heaven as the Apostles did as Jesus departed from this earth. We have to ascend with him in the way we live.

This month is a good month to lift up our hearts and minds to heaven through prayer and spiritual reading. If we want Christ to be a part of our life then we must do those things which will lift us up spiritually and direct our life towards heaven.

Prayer, our conversation with God brings us into an intimate relationship with him as we share our thoughts with him and listen in silence to His speaking to us. It is through spiritual reading, such as the Bible and other spiritual works that we feed our minds with spiritual thoughts that will keep Christ in our mind throughout the day.

So as we celebrate Ascension Thursday let our lives be lifted towards Our Lord.

-Father Joe

2009-2010 Proposed Slate of Officers for Knights of Columbus Council #3041

Grand Knight	Mike Almeraz
Deputy Grand Knight	Matthew Martin
Chancellor	Open
Warden	Dan Escalera
Financial Secretary	Tom Baumgartner (Appointed by Supreme)
Treasurer	Ed Moreno
Recorder	David Paniagua
Trustee 3 Year	Chuck Dinise
Trustee 2 Year	Humberto Mireles
Trustee 1 Year	Crispin Perez
Advocate	Bob Boul
Lecturer	(Appointed by Grand Knight)
Inside Guard	Bob Mead
Outside Guard	Open

This is a proposed slate. Any position that is not an appointed one can be nominated from the floor on election night.

May 2009 Knights of Columbus Council #3041 Events

May 15th through the 17th -State Convention in San Diego.

May 21st - Council elections

May 25th - Memorial Mass at 9:00am Green acres

May 30th - Council picnic. Starts at 11:00 and is for the whole family. Anyone interested in helping contact Israel Huerta

May 31st - Corporate Communion St Josephs 10:30 mass - last one for this year let's make it our best, ALL BROTHERS and their FAMILIES please try and make it.

June 18th - Council appreciation dinner meeting. Dinner to start at 6:30pm.

May 2009

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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3	4	5	6 6PM – Bingo – Our Hall	7 7PM - Fonco Meeting – All Brothers welcome	8	9
10	11 7PM - Officers Meeting – All Brothers Welcome	12	13 6PM – Bingo – Our Hall	14	15 State Convention. San Diego, CA	16 State Convention. San Diego, CA
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24	25 9AM - Memorial Mass. Green Acres Cemetery	26	27 6PM – Bingo – Our Hall	28	29	30 11AM – Almeria Park. Council #3041 Picnic
31 10:30AM – Corporate Communion. St. Joseph's						

2008-2009 Council Officers

2008-2009 Council Directors

Chaplain	Fr. Joe Hutsko	909-822-9917	Chaplain	Fr. Joe Hutsko	909-822-9917
Grand Knight	Don Mesley	909-854-2725	Program Director	Mike Almeraz	909-646-9773
Deputy Grand Knight	Mike Almeraz	909-646-9773	Church Director	Dave Mercado	
Chancellor	Matthew Martin	909-823-1018	Vocations Chairman	Jonathan Ayteria	
Warden	David Truman	909-709-2824	Community Director	Chuck Benedict	
Financial Secretary	Tom Baumgartner	909-350-9213	Pro-Life Chairman	Don & Toni Mesley	
Treasurer	Ed Moreno	909-997-6416	Council Director	Matthew Martin	909-823-1018
Recorder	David Paniagua	909-355-0445	Council Director	David Truman	909-709-2824
Trustee 3 Year	Chuck Dinise	909-823-9677	Family Director	Israel Huerta	909-829-1571
Trustee 2 Year	Crispin Perez	909-356-1610	Youth Director	David Truman	909-709-2824
Trustee 1 Year	Humberto Mireles	909-355-7930	Membership Director	Crispin Perez	909-356-1610
Advocate	Bob Boul	760-947-6206	Recruitman Chairman	Tom Baumgartner	909-350-9213
Lecturer	Sam Garcia		Retention Chairman	Don Mesley	909-854-2725
Inside Guard	Robert Mead	909-357-1430	Insurance Promotion	Joel Clelland	909-938-6999
Outside Guard	Arcadio Sosa		Lecturer	Sam Garcia	
District Deputy	Xavier Jacobo	909-266-4734	Lecturer	Clarence Dickerson	
Supreme Field Agent	Owen L. Carroll	909-436-8990			

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**Knights of Columbus
Council 3041
Annual Picnic
Saturday May 30, 2009
11:00 AM
Almeria Park (Shelters 1 & 2)
7250 Almeria Ave. Fontana, CA
On the corner of Baseline Road and Almeria Ave.**



Bring your entire family!
Hot dogs and hamburgers will be provided

As a suggestion families with their last name beginning with A-M bring a main dish.
Families with their last name beginning with N-Z bring a desert.

Call Israel Huerta at 909-829-1571 and let him know what you are bringing.

Hope to see you there!

Announcements

Looking for a few good Brothers or a Band of Brothers. Need someone to run the Fireworks booth July 09 and someone to run the MR Drive October 09. Contact Mike or Matt. Phone numbers in newsletter.

Fireworks booth will be from June 27th through July 4th. Person would need to manage the booth.

MR DRIVE will be held mid October. Person would need to manage scheduling of brothers at all our Church's and Stater Bros. Markets.

Knights of Columbus Bingo

Every Wednesday at 6:00 p.m.

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