



The Knight Lamp

The Pro-Life Council

Fr. Joseph Geary Council

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Grand Knight's Message

Dear Brother Knights,

It is with deep sadness that I inform you of the passing of our Worthy Outside Guard, Br. Enrique "Ike" Latoza on September 16th. Council members joined Br. Ike's family to bid him farewell at St. Justin during a funeral Mass on September 25th presided by our Chaplain Fr. Ritchie Bueza. The 4th degree Color Guard was in attendance. I would like to honor the memory of Br. Ike during this month of October by focusing our energies on being of service to our Church and community:

1. Tootsie Roll Drive, Oct 15-17 - people with intellectual disabilities are counting on our sacrifice, hard work, and dedication. We need to get out there and take care of them! Contact Br. Davison Vivit to secure your time slot at a local supermarket.

2. Coffee & Donuts on Sunday 11/7 - We have a commitment with Fr. Ritchie to do this the first Sunday of every month. All net profits benefit a fund so that we can make donations to members of the Parish in need. During the first two Sundays, we have collected over \$250 so far. We need people to show up 7:30am-12:00noon to setup, serve, clean up. We also want to set up a table to recruit. Br. Wayne Cope is leading this effort. Who is signing up?

So that we may live up to the legacy & mission of our Order, let's join in service to those in greatest need, so that we may proclaim the *Gospel of Life* by our example as we build together a *Civilization of Love*.

Vivat Jesus!

SK Rafael Betancourt, GK



Dates to Remember

Tootsie Roll Drive (Oct. 15-17)
Each year in October we participate in a three-day drive to raise funds for the Intellectually Disabled. We solicit funds and give away Tootsie Rolls at local supermarkets (Lucky's and Nob Hill Foods as well as St. Justin's Church.

Funds raised will be donated to local organizations helping people with intellectual disabilities. Contact Bro. Vivit with questions.

Hot Coffee and Donuts (Nov. 7)

Our Council will be serving Hot Coffee and Fresh Donuts after 7:30, 9:00, and 10:30am Masses on the first Sunday of every month. Donations will be accepted for a Pastor's Assistance Fund, whose purpose is to provide aid to Community Members affected by the economic crisis

New K of C Program

"The Knights of Columbus announced a new program – Hope for Haiti's Children – to make assistance available to every child in Haiti who lost a limb in the earthquake.

The Board of Directors of the Knights of Columbus approved a resolution last weekend that commits the organization to providing prosthetic limbs and therapy over the next two years for all the approximately 800 children who lost an arm or leg in the earthquake."

St. Justin Parish Anniversary – Oct. 23

Our council and individual Bro. Knights donated funds to support St. Justin. The parish asked for items to be donated for the silent auction.

Nomination of Trustee 1

Bro. Robert Carvalho was nominated as Trustee 1 to replace your humble servant, Vince Gonzalez.

15-Oct-10	Intellectual Disabilities Fundraiser
16-Oct-10	Intellectual Disabilities Fundraiser
17-Oct-10	Intellectual Disabilities Fundraiser
6-Nov-10	Business Meeting
17-Nov-10	Dine-out Social/Fundraiser
4-Dec-10	Business Meeting
4-Dec-10	St. Justin's Bazaar?
11-Dec-10	Guadalupe Mass
8-Jan-11	Business Meeting
22-Jan-11	Mass of Reparation?

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