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Faithful Navigator Report

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Sir Knights,

**Joe Martinazzi
Faithful Navigator**

Thanks to all the Sir Knights who attended the July meeting. It was great to see your passion regarding the preliminary budget review and distribution of a Chalice and Cross upon a Sir Knight's passing. I hope to see more brothers at each meeting, especially if you have not attended a meeting recently.

We will be needing everyone's help at the upcoming Dozynki Festival which runs from Friday 09.15 - Sunday 09.17.

Please sign-up during the General Meeting for one of the following shifts or by sending an e-mail to officers@stjudeassembly2375.org

09.15 Set-Up (9:30am-11:30am)

Saturday 09.16

10:00am-12:00noon (minimal 2 volunteers needed) Setup Grills, Kraut, Condiments, Utensils
 11:00am-4:00pm (minimal 6 volunteers needed) 2 on Grill, 1 money, 2-3 preparing orders.
 3:30pm-7:30pm (minimal 6 volunteers needed) 2 on Grill, 1 money, 2-3 preparing orders.
 7pm-10:30pm (minimal 4 volunteers needed) 1 on Grill, 1 money, 2 preparing orders,
 shutdown for evening.

Sunday 09.17

9:30am-11:00am (minimal 2 volunteers needed) Setup Grills, Kraut, Condiments, Utensils
 11:00am-4:00pm (minimal 6 volunteers needed) 2 on Grill, 1 money, 2-3 preparing orders.

August 15th is the Feast of the Assumption. This day commemorates when Mary was assumed into Heaven, body, and soul. Our Faithful Friar, Msgr. Stephen, shares his thoughts on this topic in this month's Faithful Friar Report.

The Faithful Navigator's Reflection for this month focuses on the Transfiguration of Our Lord Jesus Christ.

How does your heart swell when you reflect on God's endless love for us?

Vivat Jesus!

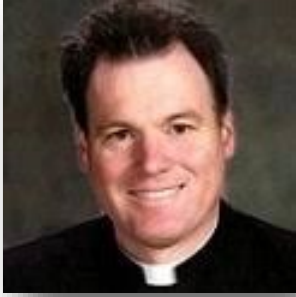


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Faithful Friar's Report

Msgr. Stephen Doktorczyk



August—Mary is prominent

Dear Brother Knights,

Is it only me who thinks the summer passes by too quickly? Here we are in August, with not a few schools beginning instruction for the fall semester before the middle of the month. I pray that you have had some time to relax, reflect and read if the summer has offered even a bit of down time.

I believe August holds the record for the month where more memorials and feasts are on the liturgical calendar than any other month of the year. We pray to the saints for their intercession and protection.

On 15 August the Church remembers the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary body and soul into heaven at the end of her earthly life. We note that the Church does not define whether Mary indeed died—She (the Church) is silent in this regard. It would be hard to believe that her body underwent any corruption, and it makes perfect sense to conclude that she simply “fell asleep” and was then transported to heaven by means of Divine action and not by any power of her own. We note that this dogma—defined by an infallible act by Pope Pius XII in 1954—is not to be found in the Sacred Scriptures. The formal action taken by Venerable Pius XII could be described as organic—the belief in the Assumption was nothing new; it was for centuries the fourth glorious mystery. But the Roman Pontiff deemed it opportune to raise to high importance the Assumption event.

Psalm 45 is often part of Marian liturgies and Catholics hold it to refer to Mary: “the queen stands at your right hand, arrayed in Gold” (Ps. 45:10). Mary took her rightful place at the side of her Son, she who was conceived without sin and God bearer.

While August 15 is a Holy Day of Obligation, the Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary, observed on August 22 of each year, is not. We note that it takes place one week after the Assumption. The opening prayer on this day states: “O God, who made the Mother of your Son to be our Mother and our Queen, graciously grant...that we may attain in the heavenly Kingdom the glory promised to your Children.” The Queenship of Mary invites us to love Christ by loving and serving His Mother.

As we ponder on the above profound liturgical celebrations, may we be reminded of the importance of having a relationship with Mary, using well the Rosary entrusted to us when we went through the first degree ceremony.

God bless you all,

Monsignor Stephen Doktorczyk ✝





Color Corps Report

C.C.C.— Curt Horner

Sir Knights,

If you are interested in joining the Color Corps please contact the Faithful Navigator and check out the link below for purchasing the uniform. Serving in the Color Corps is a great use of your time, you will be serving God's Church and the Families of Knights we have lost.

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Transfiguration of Our Lord Jesus Christ

By Tyler Arnold - Catholic News Agency, D.C. newsroom
3/5/2023

On March 5th Pope Francis urged the faithful to reflect on the miracle of the Transfiguration and to see the same beauty in the faces of the people we interact with every day.

In the March 5 address, the pope discussed the “beauty” shown in Sunday’s Gospel reading of Matthew 17:1–9. In this passage, Peter and James and his brother John witness Christ “transfigured before them” with his face shining “like the sun” and his clothes “dazzling white” as he conversed with Moses and Elijah on the top of a mountain.



Pope Francis said that we must “see the same beauty on the faces of the people who walk beside us every day,” such as family, friends, and colleagues. “How many luminous faces, how many smiles, how many wrinkles, how many tears and scars reveal love around us,” the pope said. “Let us learn to recognize them and to fill our hearts with them. And then let us set out to bring the light we have received to others as well, through concrete acts of love diving into our daily occupations more generously, loving, serving, and forgiving with greater earnestness and willingness,” the Holy Father said. “The contemplation of God’s wonders, the contemplation of God’s face, of the Lord’s face, must move us to the service of others.”

Reflecting on beauty the apostles respond to in the Gospel account, the pope asked, “Of what does this beauty consist? What do the disciples see? A special effect? No, that is not it. “They see the light of God’s holiness shining on the face and on the clothing of Jesus, the perfect image of the Father,” the pope continued.

“God’s majesty, God’s beauty is revealed. But God is love. Therefore, the disciples had been beholding with their eyes the beauty and splendor of divine love incarnate in Christ. They had a foretaste of paradise. What a surprise for the disciples!” he said. “They had the face of love before their very eyes for so long without ever being aware of how beautiful it was! Only now do they realize it with such joy, with immense joy.”

Pope Francis warned against reducing the miracle to simply a “magical moment,” which he said would be “false, artificial, something that would dissolve into the fog of passing sentiment.” He said, rather, this demonstrates something deeper.

“Christ is the light that orients our journey like the pillar of fire for the people in the wilderness,” the pontiff explained. “Jesus’ beauty does not alienate his disciples from the reality of life but gives them the strength to follow him all the way to Jerusalem, all the way to the cross. Christ’s beauty is not alienating. It always brings you forward. It does not make you hide. Go forward!”

The Gospel reading also “traces a path for us,” according to Pope Francis. He explained how the passage “teaches us how important it is to remain with Jesus even when it is not easy to understand everything he says and does for us.” By staying with Christ, he said “we learn to recognize on his face the luminous beauty of love he gives us, even when it bears the marks of the cross.” Near the end of his address, Pope Francis told people to ask themselves whether they “recognize the light of God’s love in our lives” and whether they “recognize it with joy and gratitude on the faces of the people who love us.”

“Do we look around us for the signs of this light that fills our hearts and open them to love and service?” the pope told people to ask themselves. “Or do we prefer the straw fires of idols that alienate us and close us in on ourselves? The great light of the Lord and the false, artificial light of idols. Which do I prefer?”

<https://www.catholicnewsagency.com/news/253797/pope-francis-angelus-jesus-beauty-transfiguration>



Knights of Columbus

Council #9195

San Antonio de Padua Del Cañon Catholic Church



Fellow Golfers,

August 2023

Please join us on Columbus Day (Monday October 9) when we blend the fun of golf with the joy of giving! Our 33rd Annual Charity Golf Tournament, hosted by the Knights of Columbus from San Antonio de Padua Church in Anaheim Hills will generate proceeds to support our many OC-based charities.

Location: Alta Vista Country Club, 777 E. Alta Vista Street, Placentia, CA 92870

Check-in begins at 9:00 am for an 11:00 am shotgun start. Raffle and contest tickets may be purchased by cash or credit card at the course during check-in. Box lunch provided.

Registration is open now, with a final deadline of Friday, September 29. Register your Foursome by September 10 to receive special pricing (see below).

Tournament Day Timeline:

9am to 10:30am - Check-In (Please, all players are to be pre-paid before the tournament)

9:15am to 10:30am - Practice Putting Green and Driving Range Open, Range Balls Included

10:40am - Tournament Group Picture Taken

10:45am – Final Call to Carts

11:00am - Tee Time! Scramble Format - Shotgun Start

3:30pm - All Teams Turn in Score Cards to Pro Shop and No Host Bar Available in Club House

3:30pm – Check Raffle Ticket Winners at Prize Table

Single Player Fee: \$175 (Registration/payment due by September 29)

Foursome Fee: \$660 (Registration/payment due by September 10) **** SPECIAL !!!
\$700 (Registration/payment received after September 10)

Gold 4-Some Fee: \$800 (Includes One Tee Sponsor Sign)

Tee Sign Sponsor: \$150 each

Please make checks payable to: "K of C Council 9195"

Mail Entry Form and Check(s) To: Knights of Columbus (Golf)
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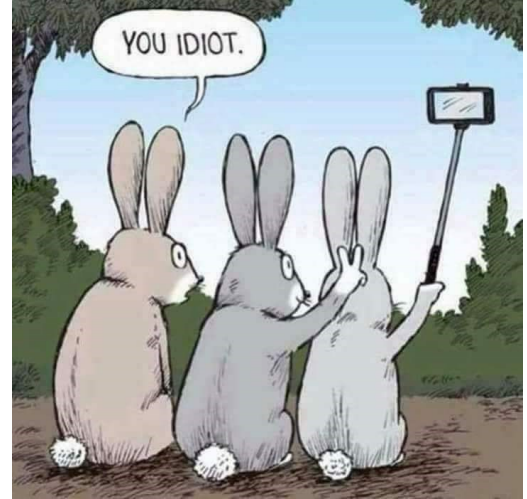
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(See tournament entry form and other information attached)

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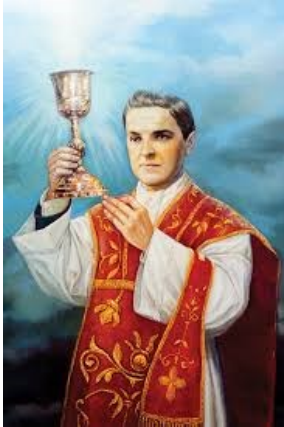
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- ◆ Kent Anderson
- ◆ Jim Crews
- ◆ Jim Paola

Upcoming important dates below:

8/15– Assumption of Mary

8/19– Country Western Steak Fry– 5:30-10pm at St. John Paul II Polish Center

8/21– General Meeting– 6pm Rosary, 6:30pm Dinner, 7:15pm Meeting - at St. John Paul II Polish Center— We will be voting on our Annual Budget

9/11– Patriot Day / Officers Meeting– 6pm at St. John Paul II Polish Center

9/15-9/17 - Dozynki Festival at St. John Paul II Polish Center

10/9 - Council #9195 Annual Golf Tournament - See Flyer

10/14 - Knight to Remember 7-9:30pm @ St. Martin de Porres