



**THE PATRIOT  
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS  
4th Degree**

**Bishop Wendelyn J. Nold Assembly 2084  
June Edition 2022**

**Meeting: Monthly-1st-Thursday-7:30pm  
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***Meeting June 2, 2022***

***Meeting meal: 6:30pm Meeting 730pm***

***MEAL FOR June is Council 8960!!!!***

***PRAY!!!PRAY!!! FOR PEACE OVERSEAS!!!!!!***

***PLEASE KEEP UVALDE IN YOUR  
PRAYERS***

***Food Drive, remember people are still without food....please donate to this cause..***

**Faithful Navigator**

**WELL, THE 4TH OF JULY HAS COME AROUND ONCE AGAIN. PLEASE BE READY TO MARCH IN THIS YEARS EVENT. WE ALL KNOW THAT ITS GOING TO BE HOT SO PLEASE DRINK PLENTY OF WATER FOR THIS UPCOMING EVENT, WE NEED YOU HYDRATED.**

**ANY AND ALL WHO WOULD LIKE TO MARCH IN THE PARADE CAN MARCH WITH THEIR ASSEMBLY SHIRT AND CAPS. ALL UNIFORM WILL DO WHAT WE ALWAYS DO AND THATS MARCH. WE ALSO KNOW THERE ARE SEVERAL INDIVIDUALS WHO CAN NOT MARCH AND WE HAVE OUR ASSEMBLY TRAILER FOR JUST THAT FEAT...**

***HYDRATE, HYDRATE, HYDRATE***

**NEW OFFICERS FOR THE NEW FRATERNAL YEAR**

**2022-2023**

**CONGRATS TO:**

***RICHARD JOHNSON--3YR TRUSTEE***

***KEN SHORES--OUTER SENTINEL***

**WELCOME ABOARD WE LOOK FORWARD TO HAVING YOU IN OUR MEETINGS. WE HOPE THIS ENCOURAGES MORE INDIVIDUALS TO PARTICIPATE AS AN ASSEMBLY OFFICERS. THIS WILL BE KEN SHORES FIRST OFFICIAL YEAR, HE DID FILL IN THE VACATED SEAT LEFT BY JOE PREVOST WHO RECENTLY PASSED. THIS IS RICHARD JOHNSON'S FIRST YEAR AS AN ASSEMBLY OFFICER...**

**I WOULD ALSO LIKE TO THANK EVERY OFFICER THAT HAS BEEN AT THIS ASSEMBLY. LIKE I ALWAYS SAY ALL OF YOU ARE GREAT EXAMPLES. IT'S AN HONOR TO SERVE THIS ASSEMBLY**

Fr. Sibi

## SOLEMNITY



Solemnity

*In the liturgical calendar of the Roman Rite, a **Solemnity** is a feast day of the highest rank celebrating a mystery of faith such as the Trinity. It is an event in the life of Jesus, his mother Mary, his legal father Joseph, or another important saint. The observance begins with the vigil on the evening before the actual date. The name itself comes from the Latin word for "festival." This includes all the days in the octave of Easter, Christmas, and the Assumption of Mary. Solemnities have the same basic elements as a Sunday*

*The Month of June invites us to celebrate many Solemnities which are the essential pillars of our Faith.*

*June 5 - Pentecost Sunday*

*June 12- The Most Holy Trinity*

*June 19- The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ*

*June 23 - The Nativity of Saint John the Baptist*

*June 24- The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus*

*(Also is a World Day of Prayer for the Sanctification of Priests).*

*June 29 - Saints Peter and Paul Apostles*

*What a beautiful gift for us to proclaim our faith in God and to imitate the footsteps of Jesus, Mary, Apostles, and the saints. Our world today is going through a lot of violence, war, confusions, lies, injustice, hatred, and individualism. Celebration of these festivals helps us to be more closer God and bring His love and care to everyone.*

*Fr. Sibi Kunninu, MS Faithful Friar.*

### *Good of the Order August*

*Let's keep all our Sir Knights and Families in our prayers, our prayers give them hope and peace. Please also pray for an end to abortion, our nation, persecuted christians all around the world and for families to stay together.*

*PRAY FOR All who have left our faith and those who are considering to leave.... Let us also pray for our Priests and clergy that they may have an abundance of attendance in the new year at their respective parishes!!!*

*Please pray for peace between Russia and Ukraine!!*

*PLEASE PRAY FOR UVALDE AND THOSE  
FAMILIES WHO LOST THEIR LOVED  
ONES.PRAY FOR THE COMMUNITY AND THE  
WELL BEING OF ALL!!!*

***LET US REMEMBER ALL WHO LEFT BEFORE US THAT THEY REST IN PEACE. CONTINUE PRAYING FOR ALL OUR BROTHER KNIGHTS AND THEIR FAMILIES WHO ARE IN NEED OF OUR PRAYERS..***

***Please pray for an end to ABORTION!!! PRAY FOR THE WOMEN CONTIMPLATING TO HAVE AN ABORTION!!!!***

***Rest in Peace all Sir Knights who have gone before us!!  
Let us also pray for an end to this WAR!! END TO  
ABORTION!!!END TO PERSECUTED CHRISTIANS!!***

***ST. JOSEPH PRAY FOR US!!!  
QUEEN OF PEACE PRAY FOR US!!!***

***So let's not forget to plan for our time, fill out your Last Rites so we have it on file. I already have had 2 without any wishes.....form on our website..***  
***[WWW.ASSEMBLY2084.COM](http://WWW.ASSEMBLY2084.COM)***

***FOOD DRIVE LETS MAKE THIS HAPPEN!!TOO MANY WITHOUT!!!!***

Please remember that we hold a voluntary Food Drive at each meeting. Any Sir Knight wishing to participate may bring non-perishable food items to the meeting. Whichever Council is responsible for cooking that evening's meal will gather the food after the meeting and take it to their local food pantry or food bank. Dry groceries and non-perishable food staples are always greatly needed by the food pantries and are very much appreciated.

***FUTURE TURN OUTS:***

***June 11th will be the next 4th Degree Exemplification:***

**The 2022 Summer Exemplification will be held on Saturday, June 11, 2022 at St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church in Humble, Texas. The address is 527 S. Houston Ave., Humble, TX 77338. This ceremony will be held live and in person with Mass and banquet following the ceremony. Any application not received or postmarked by that date will not be accepted for this class. No walk-ins will be admitted. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.**

### **JULY 4TH 2022 FRIENDSWOOD PARADE**

ALL DETAILS WILL BE SENT OUT SOON...UPDATES COMING.....

### **UPCOMING EVENTS AND TURNOUTS**

*All Sir Knights are encouraged to participate in as many of the above events as possible. If you have the new uniform, please turnout as often as you can. Check with the Faithful Navigator if you have any questions about a particular event or turn out. The "Rule of 72" has been suspended due to the low numbers of Sir Knights turning out at the Co-Cathedral events. All Sir Knights in the district are encouraged to make extra efforts to attend any of the turnouts at the Co-Cathedral. The Fourth Degree will provide an Honor Guard at this Mass and the uniform of the 4th Degree is required. Sir Knights not wearing the complete uniform will not be allowed to participate in the honor guard activities.*

### **UNIFORM INFO**

***I KNOW THESE ARE ROUGH TIMES AND WHO KNOWS WHERE WE WILL BE. WE ENCOURAGE ALL TO GET THE UNIFORM. NOTHING MORE FULFILLING THAN DRESSING FOR A SPECIAL CHURCH***

*MASS!!! It's very easy and we encourage that you get measured by a tailor before ordering.....thank you....*

**<https://www.kofcuniform.com>**

*Please click on this link and it will take you to the official website for all new uniforms, accessories, replacements, patches and more so check it out, its and all in one shop.*

**BASEBALL CAPS**

The Assembly is selling baseball caps, they are black with our Assembly Emblem on them. They are \$10. Shirts will be sold in the new year and will be announced with ample time.....

**POTENTIAL SIR KNIGHTS**

*Sir Knights, please encourage any potential brother Knights to join our Assembly as we all know that someone asked us to join and I do speak for many, it was a great decision. We are a very active Assembly and we have the best Color Guard and Honor Guard in Houston and surrounding areas. So please if you think there is a potential Sir Knight with a good heart invite him to join and help him get here.....*

**CMG Safe Haven online replacing VIRTUS Training**

As you have seen from previous e-mails, ALL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ACTIVITIES now require any and all members to have completed the VIRTUS, now **Safe Haven** training. In addition to Council verification, ALL ASSEMBLIES are required to have a list. Below is what we will need for compliance. **I am asking each Grand Knight to provide a list from his respective Council as soon as possible.** Safe Haven online

**<https://GalvestonHouston.CMGConnect.org/>**

**Member's full name, Member Number, Assembly Number, Council Number, Parish Name. Date of Safe Haven Certification, Expiration Date of Safe**

**Haven Certification. This is a requirement of all Knights that work in any parish activity.**

**PLEASE KEEP YOUR CONTACTS UPDATED**

Remember to provide us with any changes or updates to your address, phone number or email address so that we can accurately maintain the Assembly's (and Supremes') records and database. If, for any reason, you do not receive your monthly newsletter by the end of the first week of the month, either by email or by US mail, please let us know promptly. If you have access to email, please let us know so that the Assembly can send you the monthly newsletter and timely information and notices throughout the month by email. The postage and printing expense for the monthly newsletters remains the Assembly's largest single on-going monthly expense! Anything that we can do to reduce the number of SK's receiving the newsletter by "snail" mail (U.S. Postal mail) will benefit the Assembly, be greatly appreciated, and allow you to receive more timely information and activity updates between the monthly newsletters.

**WEBSITE IS.....ANY PICS PLEASE SEND TO ME, I WILL ADD AS EACH MONTH, SOME MAY NOT MAKE IT, BUT PLEASE DO NOT TAKE PERSONAL.....**

**[www.assembly2084.com](http://www.assembly2084.com)**

**Monthly Dinner 2021-2022**

**June 8960, 4th of July  
Parade**

**PAST TURN OUTS**

**SK Participants at Transitional Deaconate Ordination - Saturday,  
May 14th, 2022**

Bishop Wendelin J. Nold Assembly # 2084 participated in the full new uniform Turn-Out for the Ordination and Mass of the Transitional Deacons celebrated by Bishop Italo Dell'Oro at the Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart on Saturday morning, May 14th, 2022:

Craig Guth, PFN, Mike Melancon, Marshal, PFN, Bill Prindiville, PFN



A total of 16 SK's from The First District of Texas were in attendance at the Ordination.

**SK Participants at Christo Rey Baccalaureate Mass - Thursday, May 19, 2022**

Bishop Wendelin J. Nold Assembly # 2084 participated in the full new uniform turn-out for the Annual Baccalaureate Mass for Christo Rey Jesuit College Preparatory School celebrated at the Co-Cathedral of the Sacred Heart on Thursday, May 19th, 2022:

Jessie Canales, Mike Melancon, Marshal, PFN, Ken Oradiegwu, Master, PFN, Bill Prindiville, PFN, Rey Tajonera, CDR

A total of only eight (8) Sir Knights from the First District of Texas participated in this turn-out. Our Assembly's SK's (5) provided 62-1/2% of the total participation.

**SK Participants at Council #8960 Corporate Communion - Sun. May 22, 2022**

Bishop Wendelin J. Nold Assembly #2084 participated in the full new uniform turn-out for Council #8960's Corporate Communion celebrated at the 09:00 AM Mass at St. Helen's Church in Pearland on Sunday, May 22nd, 2022:

David Armstrong, Jesse Canales, Joseph Chien, Jimmy De Los Santos, Roy Garay, Joe Guidry, Ed Klien, Jesse Longoria, Gringo Mamitag, Mike Melancon, Marshal, PFN, Bo Naguit, Bill Prindiville, PFN, Gilbert Ramos, Ricardo Robles, Rey Tajonera, CDR, Steven Valdez, Tony Zucha, Jesse Longoria and Chris Sorenson also attended in Social (old) Regalia....This was the 63rd Turn-out of the FY .

**SK Participants at SK Martin Craven's Visitation, Rosary, & Funeral Mass**

Bishop Wendelin J. Nold Assembly # 2084 participated in the full new uniform Turn-Out for Sir Knight Martin C. Craven's Visitation, Rosary, and Funeral Mass celebrated by Fr. Douglas Guthrie at St. Luke The Evangelist Church on Saturday, May 28th, 2022:

Robert Griffith, Craig Guth, PFN, Jose Lara, FN, Mike Melancon, Marshal, PFN, Bo Naguit, Bill Prindiville, PFN, Ken Shores, Rey Tajonera, CDR, Tony Zucha

**SK Participants at Celebration for Br. Roger Clement - Sunday,  
May 29, 2022**

Sir Knights from Bishop Wendelin J. Nold Assembly # 2084 participated in the "full new uniform" Turn-out and Mass in Celebration of Brother Roger Clement, M.S., celebrated at Mary Queen Church in Friendswood on Sunday, May 29th, 2022:

Kevin Alley, Joseph Chien, Robert Griffiths, Bill Hoffman, Jose Lara, FN, Andrew Mambretti, Gringo Mamitag, Mike Melancon, Marshal, PFN, Bo Naguit, Nelson Olavarria Ken Oradiegwu, Master, PFN, Jesus Palomino, Bill Prindiville, PFN, Robert Rinehart, Ken Shores, Mike Stiffin, Steven Valdez, Guests-G-1. Merv Albert/2033, G-2 James Hatcher/2683, G-3 David Keating/3310, G-4. Jerry Olavarria Liturgical L-1. Br. Roger Clement, L-3 Fr. Skip Negley, L-3. Fr Trey Crespo, L-4. Dcn Chuck Turner

***Our Assembly has always been well represented at District and Local Turnouts with a core of dedicated Sir Knights.***

If I have inadvertently failed to mention you in your attendance at a turnout, please let me know so that we can properly recognize your commitments.

***“THANK YOU ALL FOR YOUR ATTENDANCE AND DEDICATION”***

**NEW DRILL MANUAL**

With the release of the new uniform, there is a new drill manual. See the links below for information. At some time, they will be available in print form.

<http://www.kofc.org/en/members/for-members/color.html>

<http://kofc.org/en/members/for-patriotic-degree/materials.html#/all/1/20-%20REPLACE%20IMAGE>

WE ALSO HAVE HARD COPIES FOR THOSE WHO WOULD LIKE ONE>>>>PLEASE GET WITH ME OR MIKE MELANCON>>THX>

## **COLOR GUARD**

*WE ENCOURAGE ALL KNIGHTS TO JOIN OUR COLOR GUARD, YOU WILL FIND THAT THE CORE GROUP IS VERY DEDICATED, IF YOU ARE ABLE AND WILLING. IT'S VERY REWARDING AND TEDDY IS A GREAT COMMANDER OF THE GUARD..*

*If there are any SK'S interested in becoming a part of the elite Color Guard of the First District, please contact the Faithful Navigator, or Commander Teddy Cuaping for information. Rey Tajonera is now the Assistant Color Corps Commander*

## **PURPOSE OF THE COLOR CORPS OF THE FOURTH DEGREE**

The primary purpose of the Fourth Degree is to encourage active Catholic citizenship and foster the spirit of patriotism in members and the community at large. The Color Corps members exemplify all the principles of our Order;

- Charity-** by the gift of their time and energies necessary to practice, perfect and perform the ceremonials and sword drill;
- Unity-** by the united efforts of Sir Knights to practice and perfect a coordinated drill for the good of the Church and the Order;
- Fraternity-** by expressing an “Esprit de Corps,” sharing a common desire for drill excellence and camaraderie, and
- Patriotism-** by performing precision drill as a salute to God and to the country and visually exhibiting a love for both.

## **COLOR CORPS DESCRIPTION**

The **Color Corps (C.C.)** has two sub-groups, the **Color Guard (C.G.)** and the **Honor Guard (H.G.)**. The Color Guard consists of the flag bearers and at least two members of the Honor Guard who escorts the colors. The Honor Guard consists of members of the Color Corps who have mastered the Manual of the Sword.

In many assemblies, all members of the Color Corps belong to the Honor Guard. This should be kept in mind when following the procedures in the Color Corps Manual. The public appearance of Fourth Degree knights as a Color Corps at religious and civic functions is an important activity for each assembly. They add dignity and the pride of Church and country to any event. By these public demonstrations their loyalties bring credit to themselves and to the Knights of Columbus.

**ASSEMBLY #2084 - OFFICERS for 2021-2022**

Faithful Navigator	Jose Lara	Inner Sentinel	Bo Naguit
Faithful Comptroller	Mike Melancon	Outer Sentinel	Ken Shores
Faithful Captain	Joseph Chien	One Year Trustee	Marlon Hulin
Faithful Admiral	Craig Guth	Two Year Trustee	Steve Valdez
Faithful Purser	William Prindiville	Three Year Trustee	Rey Tajonera
Faithful Pilot	Jesse Canales		
Faithful Scribe	Joseph Guidry		



Knights of Columbus  
**F O U R T H**  
**D E G R E E**  
*Patriotic degree of the Order.*

***NEXT MEETING AUGUST 4TH...4577***  
***Meal..***  
***4TH OF JULY PARADE IS IN PLACE OF***  
***THE MEETING NEXT MONTH.***