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SILVER ROSE PROGRAM

SEPTEMBER 16, 2018 – OCTOBER 21, 2018

A Higher Purpose

Share the message of Our Lady of Guadalupe and promote respect for life by participating in this meaningful pilgrimage. The Silver Rose program demonstrates the unity between Knights of Columbus in Canada, the United States and Mexico, through a series of prayer services promoting the dignity of all human life and honoring Our Lady.

Overview

Each year, from early March through mid-December, Silver Roses are stewarded by Knights of Columbus councils along routes from Canada to Mexico. Every stop the Silver Rose makes throughout the pilgrimage is a rosary-centered occasion for Knights, parishioners and community members to pray for respect for life, for the spiritual renewal of each nation, and for the advancement of the message of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

Sunday September 16th is listed as a transfer date however that is a transfer from California to Arizona. The DD's are the main points of contact. In cases where a parish/council are not specifically identified the DD will identify when/where the Silver Rose will be.

The spreadsheet for the locations of the Silver Rose is on KOFC-AZ website, under state news. In cases where a group of councils are identified but no specific dates the DD should be the main point of contact.

"YELLOW" highlighted cells are the physical stops for the Silver Rose.

"WHITE" or **"Open"** cells are just that – available for hosting the Silver Rose.

October 10th thru the 14th are specially noted because our grandson is getting married and we'll be out of town!

For further information and your opportunity to be involved go to kofc-az.org – programs – council activities. Questions, please contact Robert Julien on 480-860-0720, or email at rajulien@cox.net.

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