



# K O C O A

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS OF ARIZONA  
"LIVING OUR FAITH THROUGH  
SERVICE AND CHARITABLE DEEDS"



## State Deputy's Message

February 2022



Brothers All,

As we started the new year, I hope many of you have continue to keep you New Year's resolutions! I know my wife and I still hold true to ours of eating healthier and working out a little more, although I did have some dessert at a Council dinner, so remember the vow of secrecy! Many of us dread to turn on the tv, especially the news. It seems we are still divided as a nation and there is a loneliness of the role of the family in the face of technology advances among us. It seems society frowns on Christianity, and we are the "Weird" ones. Our leaders only use their faith when it is convenient for their politic gain. That's why it's so important more than ever to be a "Defender of the Faith"! As Knights, we have answered the call to serve our neighbors in need and protect our mother church by supporting our Priests and Bishops 100%. We have set the example of charity, unity, and fraternity across our nation and around the world. Our Supreme Knight has asked all brothers to pray for a peaceful outcome in the Ukraine. Our Brother Knights in Ukraine need our support and prayers more than ever.

We should be proud of what we have done in the last 6 months. Team Arizona has made a mark in membership rating 12th in the order. We have established 3 new councils and helped many Parishes reopen their doors. The challenges remain and we must worker harder to grow the order in Arizona. I believe with your cooperation and drive; Arizona will have over 18,000 knights this fraternal year.

Sonja and I appreciate all your support and prayers these last six months and we look forward sharing more memories, more goals, and spending fraternal time with our Knights Family.

God Bless,

Luigi Baratta

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By Holy See Press Office  
This is the theme that the Holy Father Francis has chosen for the 56th World Communications Day, to be celebrated in 2022:

#### Listen!

After the Message of 2021, which focused on *going* and *seeing*, in his new Message for World Communications Day 2022 Pope Francis asks the world of communication to learn to *listen* again. The pandemic has affected and wounded everyone, and everyone needs to be heard and comforted. Listening is also fundamental for good information. The search for truth begins with listening. And so does witnessing through the means of social communication. Every dialogue, every relationship begins with listening. For this reason, in order to grow, even professionally, as communicators, we need to relearn to listen a lot. Jesus himself asks us to pay attention to how we listen (cf. Lk 8:18). To be able to truly listen requires courage, and a free and open heart, without prejudice. At this time when the whole Church is invited to listen in order to learn to be a synodal Church, we are all invited to rediscover listening as essential for good communication.



**February 2022  
Pope Francis Intention  
For Religious Sisters and  
Consecrated Women**

We pray for religious sisters and Consecrated women; thanking them for their mission and their courage; may they continue to find new responses to the challenges of our times.



Dear Brother Knights,

Yesterday, Pope Francis called for a day of prayer for peace in Ukraine to be held this coming Wednesday, Jan. 26. Clearly, the cause is one that has worldwide implications, but in a particular way we wish to stand with our brother Knights in Ukraine, where the Order has had a presence for nearly a decade.

To express our solidarity with the Ukrainian people, I urge brother Knights around the world to join with Pope Francis and the Universal Church in praying for peace in Ukraine on Wednesday. Specifically, I encourage you to join me at 3 p.m. Eastern U.S. time, if possible, in praying the Chaplet of Divine Mercy and the Prayer of St. Francis. Already I have heard from brother Knights in Poland, who have pledged to stand with their Ukrainian neighbors and brothers in prayerful solidarity at that hour.

You can find a link here to the [Chaplet of Divine Mercy](#) and to the [Prayer of St. Francis](#).

Thank you for answering our Holy Father's call to prayer. Whether you are able to join together in groups, or you pray alone or with your family, we stand in solidarity and in fraternity with our brothers in Ukraine.

*Vivat Jesus!*

Fraternally,  
Patrick E. Kelly  
*Supreme Knight*



Dear Brother Knights,

As you read this we are embarking on a journey through the second month of the year. In the United States we have dedicated February as Black History Month. At some point in our lives we all either took and enjoyed, or took and endured history classes. Names and dates and other points of fact were thrown at us, so that we would be able to regurgitate that info on a test at the end of each chapter. Some of that information had a way of staying with us into adulthood and for some into retirement; however, some parts of history were glossed over or not even brought up.

We know about George Washington Carver, Thurgood Marshall, Rosa Parks and a number of other names that stick out because of their contribution to this country. However, there are so many others that we should learn more about, and thus, I ask all of us to spend some time in going to history class during this coming month.

I could think of a number of books that one would be able to read throughout this month, but this isn't for me to teach you; rather, let the Holy Spirit guide you. Now some may say they do not have enough time, but I would caution with the words of Santayana that those who fail to learn from history are doomed to repeat it. If you don't want to read there are always some movies out there based on real life experiences and situations that can teach you of a moment in the more often than not sad history of how our sisters and brothers were segregated, spat upon, and sadly tortured and killed.

Do not let this month go by without doing something to learn of the plight of those whose skin is not white. This isn't political nor is this simply based on the recent movements that have come forward in the last few years. This is us as Catholic men (and our families) taking a long, hard look at the reality of history. If for no other reason than to live out the message of Scripture that we heard from Paul's letter to the Corinthians just a few weeks ago. 'When one part of the Body of Christ suffers, we all suffer.' This is our faith, this is the faith of the Church. We should live it in each and every moment of our lives. My dear brother Knights. We need to do something to end the injustices that abound in our country and our world. After all, from what I have learned Jesus is, was and always will be the one who stands for those who are oppressed and judged because they look or seem different than others.



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State Secretary – Tom Kato

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Brothers,

As with the beginning of every year, there are lists!

Your councils should have sent out the annual assessments to your members.

Financial Secretaries: please follow the proper billing procedures as outlined in the Financial Secretary Guide. <https://www.kofc.org/en/forms/leadership/financial-secretary5089.pdf>

Supreme has reinstated council billing. Grand Knights and Financial Secretaries, be on the lookout for the bill. If you cannot find it, you can log into Officers Online -> Reports -> Council Billing. This will contain the latest statement. Please remember that this does not require council vote and should be paid as soon as possible.

The Fraternal Survey 1728 is due January 31! Please make sure to fill out this very important form. Remember that this goes from January 1, 2021 through December 31, 2021. [https://www.kofc.org/en/forms/council/fraternal\\_survey1728\\_p.pdf](https://www.kofc.org/en/forms/council/fraternal_survey1728_p.pdf)

The state council billing will be sent out shortly. Much like the Supreme Council billing, this does not require a council vote. In order to attend the state convention as a delegate, the council must be paid up with both the first and second half billing assessment.

As we head into 2022, please be assured that all the members of the Arizona Knights of Columbus will be in my prayers!

Vivat Jesus!

**Tom Kato**

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*Defenders of the Faith*



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**State Advocate – Larry Powers**

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Worthy Grand Knights,

In the Bylaws of the Arizona State Council, Article VII, Section 4 states that resolutions, received by the State Advocate from delegates to the State Council prior to 30 days before the State Council convenes its meeting, shall be duplicated and sent to all State Officers and Grand Knights at least 21 days before the State Council convenes its meeting.

For this to happen, all resolutions to be presented at the 115th Annual State Convention to be held on May 21 - 22, 2022, must be submitted to the State Advocate by April 21, 2022. This gives time to copy and send them back out to Councils by May 1st for examination. Emailing the resolutions to me at [larry.powers.azkofc@gmail.com](mailto:larry.powers.azkofc@gmail.com) is preferred. In the subject line list your Council number and "Resolutions". The emailed resolutions must contain the appropriate signatures (scanned/photo-copied) and the dates of the readings to be considered official. You can also mail the resolutions to me at 4632 South Shoshoni Avenue, Sierra Vista, AZ 85650. Mail these early enough so that they are received no later than April 21, 2022.

Any Resolution submitted after the April 21st date may be considered at the Annual Meeting upon approval of the Officers of the State Council.

All Resolutions from local Councils presented for consideration at the Annual State Convention meeting must at least be read at two different Council meetings, passed by the Council membership and signed by the Grand Knight and council Recorder before delivery to the State Advocate. Those that do not meet these requirements may not be considered at the State meeting.

Vivat Jesus!

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Associate Regional Growth & Training Director – Ken White

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## Western Territory Supreme Webinar Training Schedule – February 2022

### COUNCIL OFFICER BASIC TRAINING

Are you ready to become an Officer in your Council? Are you wanting more information before making the commitment? This training is designed to inform you before making the decision to step "Into the Breach" and...

### THE DELTA CHURCH DRIVE SYSTEM

Attendees will be guided through a much warmer, friendlier, and easier way to host a Church Recruitment Drive. The Delta Church Drive System is made up of...

### GRAND KNIGHT BASIC TRAINING – PART TWO

Learn how to focus on the important and meaningful duties of the Grand Knight. We will discuss: Grand Knight Focus, Meeting with Your Pastor, Faith In Action, Recruitment...and much more!

### DISTRICT DEPUTY BASIC TRAINING – PART TWO

District Deputy Basic Training taught you WHAT is expected of you as a District Deputy Supreme Knight. District Deputy Basic Training will give you the HOW to do what is expected: How to help Drive Growth...

### ENHANCING MEMBER EXPERIENCE BY CREATING A CULTURE OF ENGAGEMENT

This training on Enhancing Member Experience by Creating a Culture of Engagement is one of the most important we have to offer. As our councils actively engage...

### SATURDAY WITH SUPREME

We want to hear from you, come and let your voice be heard! Join in this "Open" Discussion for Knights in the Western Territory. We have no agenda. The conversation will take us...

### COUNCIL GROWTH

This training is designed to demonstrate the importance of establishing a "Culture of Sustainable Growth and Servant Leadership Development" in every Knights of Columbus Council. All Councils are counted on...

### YOU ARE YOUR PROGRAMS

This webinar is designed as part of a three-pronged approach (along with our Council Growth and Membership Engagement webinars) to help council leaders begin to develop a plan, put forth their Vision and Mission...

### **Rapid Registration Tip:**

Click on the Topic Link to Register for your chosen Webinar and view full course description. Once registered you will be emailed the link to access the webinar you wish to attend.

DATE	CENTRAL TIME	WEBINAR TOPIC & REGISTRATION LINK
Tuesday, February 1, 2022	7:00pm	<a href="#">Enhancing Member Experience By Creating a Culture of Engagement</a>
Wednesday, February 2, 2022	7:00pm	<a href="#">Grand Knight Basic Training – Part Two</a>
Thursday, February 3, 2022	7:00pm	<a href="#">District Deputy Basic Training – Part Two</a>
Tuesday, February 8, 2022	7:00pm	<a href="#">The Delta Church Drive System</a>
Wednesday, February 9, 2022	7:00pm	<a href="#">Council Officer Basic Training</a>
Thursday, February 10, 2022	7:00pm	<a href="#">The Delta Church Drive System</a>
Saturday, February 12, 2022	10:00am	<a href="#">Saturday With Supreme</a>
Tuesday, February 15, 2022	7:00pm	<a href="#">Council Growth</a>
Wednesday, February 16, 2022	7:00pm	<a href="#">You Are Your Programs</a>



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State Membership Director – Keith Baker

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Brothers All,

While most of the world wants to stop and relax after the holiday season, we know the need for help never stops. Take a breath and jump back into the work of the order. We had Pro-Life activities in January, and Lent is coming up. I know many of you are planning on having Fish Fry's. This is great time to recruit! Join the Knights and receive a free fish dinner on us? Just an idea! So, get back out there and make sure you have the men needed to help with all of those programs. Your New Year's Resolution of being a better servant of God is to continue with all the good works us Knights do! Many Districts are holding Membership drives in February and March...Are You? Please contact your Districts Deputies, ASOs and of course me! We are here to help. Please see all the incentives listed in the KOCO A.

Keith Baker

*As we head into 2022, make it a year to remember, enjoy, and become closer to Jesus! Support your parish and your community through acts of charity!*

**2022**

HAPPY NEW YEAR

*Make a New Years resolution you are sure to keep:  
Join the Knights of Columbus for FREE!  
[www.kofc.org/joinus](http://www.kofc.org/joinus) PromoCode: MCGIVNEY2020  
\*\*\*1 year FREE online membership \*\*\**

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[www.kofc-az.org](http://www.kofc-az.org)



### Supreme District Deputy Quarterly Incentives for 2021-22

- July–September: Building the Foundation**
  - District Deputies who attain 30%+ of District Intake Goal by September 30
  - Custom Knights of Columbus Polo Shirt/Coin or Medallion depicting Charity
- October-December: Knights for Christmas**
  - District Deputies who attain 70%+ of District Intake Goal by December 31
  - Custom Knights of Columbus Jacket/Coin or Medallion depicting Unity
- January-March: Dress for Spring**
  - District Deputies who attain 100% of District Intake Goal by March 31
  - Custom Knights of Columbus Dress Shirt/Tie/Coin or Medallion depicting Fraternity
- April-June: Star District**
  - District Deputy who achieves Star District
  - Custom Knights of Columbus Watch/Coin or Medallion depicting Patriotism



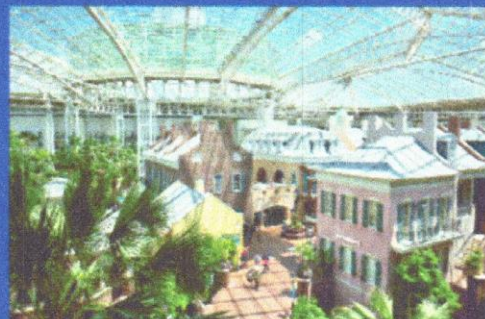
*Actual Items Not Shown*



### Supreme District Deputy Yearly Incentive for 2021-22

#### District Deputy who achieves all four awards

- Display Box containing 4 Coins or Medallions depicting Charity, Unity, Fraternity & Patriotism with a commemorative Blessed Michael McGivney Coin or Medallion in the Center
- Entered in drawing for travel, lodging, and tickets for he and his wife to 2022 Supreme Convention in Nashville, TN







Brothers,

Another month down in our fraternal calendar. How is your council doing? Hopefully, you are back to work in your parishes and communities. Have your programs been successful? Are you getting good member participation?... what is your plan for the next five months?

Grand Knights and council program directors...use the Faith in Action program guidebook to guide your council's programs. Do not be afraid to try something new. The guidebook will help you to plan out programs in each category that will help you attain the 16 points needed to earn the Columbian Award for your council.

Earning the Columbian Award should be a goal for every council; it is not too late to get the programs completed that are needed to earn the award. Those councils that have gotten back to work in the first half, that have been consistently busy, should already be close enough in points. If you have any questions as to where your council stands; or need help with planning programs to get you to 16 points, please contact me now. Send me an SP7 of what you have already completed, what you plan to do the rest of the year and I can offer suggestions if needed. We had around 50 councils earn the award last year; I would love to see that number duplicated or bettered this year.

## TABLE COVER INCENTIVE

The state had a three - month incentive that ran from October through December. The three councils submitting the most form 10784 Fraternal Program Reports would earn a Knights of Columbus table cover. Congratulations to Council 13779 GK Travis Carlisle, Council 8077 GK Dave Chohon, and Council 15704 GK Herbert Colon for winning the table covers. I would like to thank all the councils that submitted reports over that 3 month stretch. Supreme received almost 500 reports from 51 different councils in that time frame. It's heartening to see that councils are back to work performing important programs, and glad to see that many councils are doing what we've asked by taking the time to complete the form. Please continue to submit form 10784 upon completion of every program.

## FEBRUARY ROSARY INCENTIVE

The February incentive program is a program that I would hope every council either has participated in or will participate in. This month's program is Women's Pregnancy Center/ ultrasound initiative support. Support for women's centers and for ultrasound machine purchases is an extremely important and vital mission of the Knights. We can take pride in knowing that as an order we have just placed our 1500<sup>th</sup> machine; and in our state council having purchased 7 machines to date with enough money in hand to order 2 more. More machines are needed. Please consider donating to the ultrasound initiative and also to individual centers.



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State Program Director – Tom White

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These are both featured programs worth 2 points towards the Columbian Award. Donations for the ultrasound program can be made out to:

Arizona knights of Columbus Charity Inc.

Put ULTRASOUND MACHINE on the memo line

Thank you brothers for all you do. Please contact me with any questions about programs or the SP 7. If I don't have an answer for you, I will find somebody that does have the answer.

Vivat Jesus

Tom White

SPD/ DD27

Hello Brothers,

The entries for the Arizona State Council Essay Contest have been judged. We had 9 entries in 3 grade levels. There were 6 entries in the 8<sup>th</sup> grade, 1 each for the 11<sup>th</sup> and 2 for the 12<sup>th</sup> grade. I will send participant certificates to non-winners and winner's certificates to each grade level winner. Winners will also receive gift cards for \$50. The winners has been sent to Supreme for International Judging.

I would like to thank all the Councils and entries who participated in this year's contest.

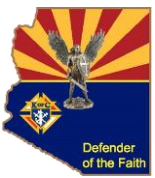
Thank you,  
Jeffrey Schneider  
Arizona State Catholic Essay Contest Director  
520 419-4130

Name	Grade	Council	Score
Bailey Green	8 <sup>th</sup>	8077	95
Brett Hardesty	11 <sup>th</sup>	13024	84
Jordan Mirafuentes	12 <sup>th</sup>	13024	85



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St. Rita in the Desert, Council 14230 is proud to host the  
Arizona 115<sup>th</sup> Annual Knights of Columbus State Convention  
May 20<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> , 2022  
Hilton El Tucson Conquistador Resort Tucson, AZ



Stay tuned for registration information.



## Spiritual Reflection Retreat – Faith In Action “A Journey Home, a Journey of Love”

As a Knight of Columbus, our goal is to strengthen men and their families in the Catholic Faith. Our formation in our Faith goes beyond mere facts or religious practice to an authentic connection with a **loving** God and his son Jesus Christ. Councils Sponsoring and Participating in their *Parish* wide Spiritual Reflection Retreat provide an opportunity for Prayer and Reflection for their *Parishioners* to awaken, refresh, and reinvigorate their *Spiritual Journey Home, a Journey of Love*. Service, Prayer and Reflection – **Faith In Action**.

By providing insightful foundation sources of our Catholic Faith, our Award winning Spiritual Retreat Master (Br. Kevin Moshier) will leave participants with a feeling they have experienced a rejuvenating spiritual event with a lasting impact on their relationship to their Faith and actions in the future

**Contact Gary DeClue, Spiritual Reflection Retreat Chairman, Arizona Knights of Columbus to assist you in arranging for a Spiritual Reflection Retreat at your Parish. Please send your request via email to [GLDECLUE@cox.net](mailto:GLDECLUE@cox.net) or give me a call at 623-455-2875.**



# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SPIRITUAL REFLECTION

Event: **Spiritual Reflection Retreat**  
Location: Our Lady Of Lourdes  
Date: **March 26** Time: 8:30 AM-4 PM  
Contact: **DD Joe Shanks**





# KOCCOA

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17th Annual Polish Festival, **February 26 and 27, 2022** Please join us for the 17th Polish Festival, hosted by Our Lady of Czestochowa Parish (2828 W Country Gables Dr, Phoenix, AZ 85053). Delicious Polish cuisine and refreshing imported Polish beer will complement traditional folk dances, Polish music, and fun activities for the whole family.

Follow the link below to register for this event. Let's us as Warrior's of Christ attend and "Listen" as the Pope asks us this year to the words of Bishop Joseph Coffey, Monsignor James Shea, Matt Birk, Fr. Paul Sullivan and Bishop Olmsted himself.



## CATHOLIC MEN'S FELLOWSHIP OF PHOENIX

[Catholic Men's Fellowship of Phoenix, Phoenix, AZ \(cmfp.org\)](http://cmfp.org)



Our Title Sponsor  
Arizona Knights of Columbus



Dear Brother Knights,

St. Joseph's Youth Camp Summer 2022 Schedule has been set and registration is now **OPEN** for the 2022 Summer Camp season.

With your kind support, last year 81 Campers/Counselors who had a financial need received sponsorships/scholarships to offset the cost of their registration fees. This year we need your support again to help families in need send their children to Camp.

### WHAT'S NEW IN 2022

- We've expanded our Summer Camp from 4 weeks to 5 weeks!
- Many families had younger siblings who were just short of 8 years old. We've expanded the age group from 8-12 to 7-12.
- Counselor Candidate eligibility ages have been expanded from 16-17 to 15-17.
- Catholic Week is back after a successful 1st year and the age group has been restricted to ages 7-12.

### CAMPER REGISTRATION FEES

The last fee increase was 4 years ago (2018). We have been able to avoid annual tuition increases by carefully managing expenses, expanding our volunteer base, and through grant funding and private donations.

The Board of Directors approved the following increase in fees:

- Campers ages 7-15 is \$800 per week (\$750 Early Bird – Registrations completed by March 31st)

### CALL-TO-ACTION

We are presenting the Call-to-Action campaign today by asking you to give a child a lifetime memory with the Gift of Camp.

Age groups for Campers are:

- Campers **ages 7-12**
- Teen week Campers for **ages 13-15**

We are also recruiting high school students **ages 15-17** to be trained as Camp Counselors.

- Counselor in Training (CIT) Week fee is **\$225**
- Counselors have an opportunity to earn **94 Community Service Hours** when invited back to help lead activities with the younger Campers.

To participate in the Gift of Camp campaign, please complete and mail in the attached **2022 Sponsorship Form**, along with your check.

I am also attaching a softcopy Camper/Counselor Brochure which includes the 2022 Summer Camp schedule. If you would like additional brochures for your Parish or Schools, just send an email to [admin@sjycaz.com](mailto:admin@sjycaz.com) and we'll send you hardcopy brochures for you to distribute.



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St. Joseph's Youth Camp – Jim Mead, President

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**For personal assistance, please contact our Camp Administrator Lindsay Mills at: [lindsay@SJYCAZ.com](mailto:lindsay@SJYCAZ.com). Lindsay will help facilitate the Registration process for those of you who wish to select the Campers/Counselors you want to Sponsor.**

On behalf of the Board of Directors for St. Joseph's Youth Camp, we thank you for your continued support of the Camp.

Have a Blessed New Year!

Jim Mead, President  
St. Joseph's Youth Camp  
Vivat Jesus

### Transportation

Bus Check-In / Pick-Up  
Mountain View Lutheran Church  
11002 S 48th St, Phoenix, AZ 85044  
Family Life Center Building  
(South of Elliott Rd off 48th St. in Ahwatukee)

Camper & Counselor BUS CHECK-IN Time is 2:00 pm on SUNDAYS.  
PICK-UP Time is 2:00 pm on SATURDAYS.

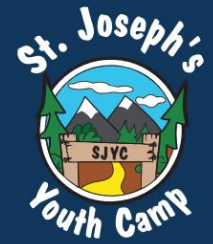


#### Driving Your Child to Camp Yourself?

Check-In & Pick-Up Times are different. Most Campers & Counselors ride the bus, however, if you plan to drive that's fine too!

CHECK-IN at Camp is between 5-6 pm on Sundays.  
PICK-UP at Camp is between 9-10 am on Saturdays.


Voted Best Summer Camp In Arizona

Rooted in Tradition & Values since 1949  
501(c)(3) Non-Profit Organization

## SUMMER CAMP 2022

Ages 7-17




**St. Joseph's Youth Camp**  
P.O. Box 23658  
Tempe, AZ 85285  
**480-449-0848**  
[admin@SJYCAZ.com](mailto:admin@SJYCAZ.com)  
[www.SJYCAZ.com](http://www.SJYCAZ.com)



Register Online at:  
[www.SJYCAZ.com](http://www.SJYCAZ.com)



### A Great Tradition

Since 1949, St. Joseph's Youth Camp has provided summer of fun and adventure for thousands of kids. As a traditional youth camp, St. Joseph's Youth Camp provides youth ages 7 to 17, a week-long overnight opportunity to get outdoors, learn from nature, and have FUN!

### Location

St. Joseph's Youth Camp is located just 23 miles southeast of Flagstaff in the heart of the Coconino National Forest in Mormon Lake, AZ. Nestled in the pines, our Campers will bunk in clean Cabins with their trained Counselors.

### What Makes Us Unique

Unlike other Summer Camps, St. Joseph's Youth Camp enrollment is limited to just 60-80 Campers per week! Campers receive more individual attention with Camper to Counselor ratios of just 4 to 1. All Staff members are background checked and certified with CPR, First Aid, and AED Training. Each week also includes an onsite Camp Nurse available 24/7. Temperatures at the Camp average just 79 degrees and provides a refreshing change from Arizona's hot summers!

All Sessions Include:  
R/T chartered bus from Phoenix - All food & lodging - SJYC Shirt - Camp Video & Pictures!

### Camper Registration

Campers (ages 7 to 15) participate in an array of FUN Camp activities, including:

- Horseback Riding · Kayaking · Archery
- Arts & Crafts · Shelter Building · Campfires & Songs
- Hiking · Astronomy & Telescope Nights
- Capture the Flag · Skit Night
- Flagstaff Extreme (Teen Week Only)

Catholic Week includes additional activities like:  
Holy Mass · Confessions · Catechism · Bible Studies · Making & Praying the Rosary

### 2022 Season Schedule

\$800 per Week / \$750 if You Register Early

\*Save \$50 with Early Bird Registration before 3/31/2022

- WEEK 1: JUNE 12 - 18 | AGES 13 - 15 - TEEN WEEK
- WEEK 2: JUNE 19 - 25 | AGES 7 - 12
- WEEK 3: JUNE 26 - JULY 2 | AGES 7 - 12
- WEEK 4: JULY 3 - 9 | AGES 7 - 12
- WEEK 5: JULY 10 - 16 | AGES 7 - 12 - CATHOLIC WEEK

### Counselor Registration

Teens (ages 15-17) can participate in our Counselor Training Week, designed to mold teens into stronger leaders and mentors. They will learn to work with kids ages 7-15 and will learn Counselor skills including CPR, team building and leadership. If selected, Counselors in Training will be asked to return as Counselors for the 5 camper weeks to put their skills into action at no additional cost!

Counselors have an opportunity to earn **34 Community Service Hours** per week!

CPR & AED Certification · First Aid Training · Fire Safety Training · Discussions and Workshops on Communication, Leadership, Greater Good, Positivity and Inclusivity

June 5-11  
\$225 for Mandatory Counselor Training





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Online CUF Schedule – Regional Teams 2021 – 2022					
DATE	DAY	Team	Team Captain	Producer	Host Contact
8/7/21	Sat	#10540	Jim Walsh	Jim Walsh	Jim Walsh
9/4/21	Sat	#3855	Eric Barna	Jim Walsh	Eric Barna
10/2/21	Sat	#10762	Pete Karculias	Pete Karculias	Pete Karculias
11/6/21	Sat	#11738	Len Rheume	George Dusold	Len Rheume
12/4/21	Sat	DD #18	Larry Lickfelt	Larry Lickfelt	Larry Lickfelt
1/8/22	Sat	#10540	Jim Walsh	Jim Walsh	Jim Walsh
2/5/22	Sat	#3855	Eric Barna	Jim Walsh	Eric Barna
3/5/22	Sat	#10762	Pete Karculias	Pete Karculias	Pete Karculias
4/2/22	Sat	#11738	Len Rheume	George Dusold	Len Rheume
5/7/22	Sat	DD #18	Larry Lickfelt	Larry Lickfelt	Larry Lickfelt
6/4/22	Sat	#10540	Jim Walsh	Jim Walsh	Jim Walsh

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## Family of the Month Program

- 🏆 All Submissions will be entered using the online Form #10784
- 🏆 Due date for all submissions is still the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month to Supreme
- 🏆 Once submitted you will receive an email from Supreme
- 🏆 Print out the information for your records
- 🏆 Also email a copy of the information to [hotrodtiki@aol.com](mailto:hotrodtiki@aol.com)
- 🏆 This will used for the Arizona State Family of the Month Program
- 🏆 ***I would like to get over 100 of these submissions every month***
- 🏆 Remember, it *does not* have to be a Knights of Columbus Family

## Supreme Family of the Month Council Participation for the Month of December 2021

Councils Participating were: 1229 3136 4584 8077 9485 10799 10832

**Council Winner for Arizona Jurisdiction was Council 10832 Nicolas Mancini**

## Arizona State Family of the Month Council Participation for the Month of January, 2022

Councils Participating were: 5542

**Council Winner for Arizona State – Council #5542 Manuel G. Navarro and Cynthia Navarro**

The Family of the Month program was brought up at the last quarterly Supreme Programs meeting. Apparently if you do not fill out the full name of the husband and wife even if they are the same, they will not process the form. Do not just put the wife's first name. My Brothers please make sure you are filling out the Form #10784 properly as it automatically goes to Supreme, and a copy should be sent to [hotrodtiki@aol.com](mailto:hotrodtiki@aol.com) for entry into the KOCOA Newsletter.



Council 11675 Spiritual Retreat with St. Thomas Aquinas Pastor Father Muir, State Deputy Luigi Baratta and Br. Kevin presenting.



Pictured is State Deputy Luigi Baratta at Prince of Peace for a membership drive to establish a new council. DD #11 Joe D'Andrea, DD #13 Joseph Shanks attended to support State Deputy. Also pictured are members of the new council. Another church drive in Wickenburg was attended by Ken White, Associate Regional Growth and Training Director.



## Tucson's 49<sup>th</sup> March for Life



<https://youtu.be/98rOJUYe63g>

Multi-District Meeting held on January 22, 2022 at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish. Included Districts 11, 13, 24 and 28. Supreme Representative Ken White was present as was Brother Kevin of the Friars of the Poor and Marginalized in Arizona. Not all attendees are pictured. Also include were members from Assembly 1673, Msgr Irvin F. Lampe, Sun City and Assembly 12851, San Juan Diego, Surprise, AZ.





# K O C O A

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS OF ARIZONA



Worthy Grand Knights, Faithful Navigators and Comptrollers,

Thank you for your help in recruiting and promoting our virtual exemplification of the Patriotic Degree on February 12, recognizing Tucson Bishop Edward Weisenburger as the honoree. I have received many inquiries about the Exemplification from throughout Arizona.

The registration link, as well as the information packet, is now available at [kofc-az.org/patriotic-degree](http://kofc-az.org/patriotic-degree).

We need every attendee to register. This includes Sir Knights who are observing. There is no charge for Sir Knights. There is a drop-down menu. The first choice is "Candidate for Exemplification." Dropping down is the choice for "Sir Knight."

We are getting better on where we send copies of the Forms 4.

**Both** the Supreme Secretary copy **and** the Master copy go to Fourth Degree Executive Secretary Charles Everding's Sierra Vista address. (see packet.)

SK Charles Everding

Fourth Degree Exemplification

P.O. Box 3392

Sierra Vista, AZ 85636-3392

Lastly, are the numerous signatures required on the Form 4. Lack of signatures on one or two Forms is one of the biggest reasons for delays in processing an entire class of new Sir Knights.

Thank you again for your support of expanding the Patriotic Degree in Arizona.

Fraternally,

Arizona District Master

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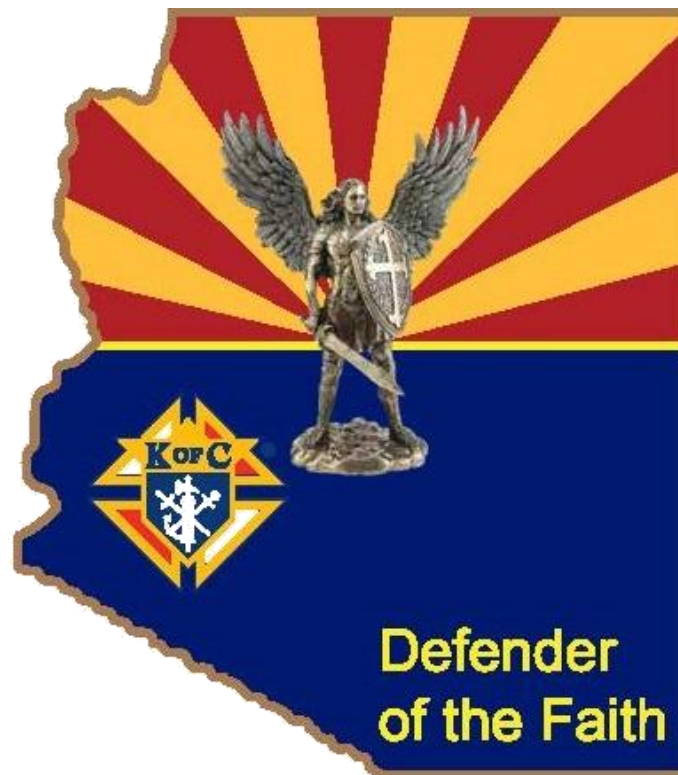
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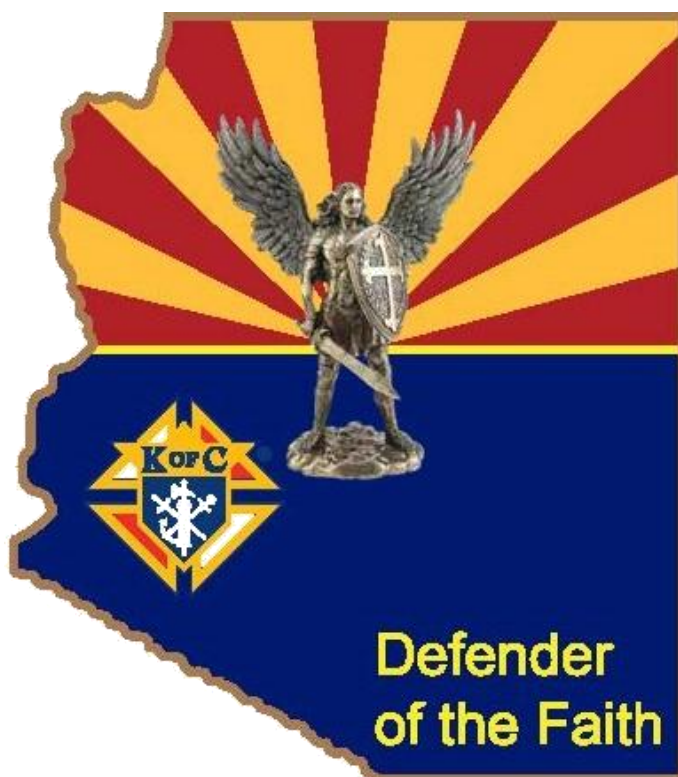
In Roman Catholicism Saint Michael has four distinct roles. First, he is the *Enemy of Satan* and the fallen angels. He defeated Satan and ejected him from Paradise and will achieve victory at the hour of the final battle with Satan. Secondly, he is the *Christian angel of death*: at the hour of death, Saint Michael descends and gives each person the chance to redeem oneself before passing. Saint Michael's third role is *weighing peoples' merits* (hence the saint is often depicted holding scales) on Judgment Day. And finally, Saint Michael is the *Guardian of the Church*.

Saint Michael is viewed as the commander of the Army of God. From the time of the apostles, he has been invoked and honored as the protector of the Church. Scripture describes him as "one of the chief princes" and the leader of heaven's forces in their triumph over the powers of hell.

Saint Michael defeats Satan two times, first when he ejects Satan from Paradise, and then in the final battle of the end times when the Antichrist will be defeated by him. Noted hagiographer Alban Butler, defined the role of Saint Michael: "Who is like God?" was the cry of Archangel Michael when he smote the rebel Lucifer in the conflict of the heavenly hosts. And when Antichrist shall have set up his kingdom on earth, it is St Michael who will unfurl once more the standard of the cross, sound the last trumpet, bind together the false prophet and the beast and hurl them for all eternity into the burning pool.

Saint Michael is the traditional prototype of the *spiritual warrior*, a paradigm extended to other warrior saints. This conflict against evil may at times be viewed as an interior battle. The concept of the warrior saint has extended to other Catholic saints, beginning with examples such as Saint George and Saint Theodore of Amasea.

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Saint Michael is one of the angels presumed present at the hour of death. Traditionally, he is charged to assist the dying and accompany them to their particular judgment, where he serves as an advocate. Cemetery chapels are often dedicated to him, where Masses are offered in his honor on behalf of the departed.

In Catholic tradition, on Judgment Day Saint Michael weighs souls based on their deeds during their life on earth. Saint Michael is often portrayed in art with scales. This role of Saint Michael was depicted by Michelangelo on the ceiling of the Sistine Chapel. In this depiction, angels hold up two books: the smaller book held by Saint Michael records the names of the blessed, while the larger book is a list of the damned.

The tradition of Michael as prince-protector of the Jewish people was adopted by the Christian Church. Saint Michael has long been recognized as the protector and guardian of the Church itself and the angel of the Blessed Sacrament. In a 2007 address Pope Benedict XVI urged the bishops he was ordaining to take Michael as a model in making room in the world for God, countering denials of him and thus defending humankind's greatness, and in acting as "true guardian angels" of the Church. Saint Michael is also the guardian angel of the pope and has been invoked as the patron and guardian angel of many countries as well as specific professions.

The Prayer to Saint Michael reads:

*"Saint Michael the archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly hosts, by the power of God, cast into Hell Satan, and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world, seeking the ruin of souls."*

Amen