



# Weekly Arizona State Council Advisory



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Worthy District Deputies, Grand Knights, Financial Secretaries, and Brother's All,

Gentlemen, we are two weeks away until the 2022 Midyear Meeting. You still have time to register for this exciting event. Deadline is November 26, 2022. Encourage your council Grand Knights, Financial Secretaries, Program Directors, Membership Directors, and any brother knight who wants to expand his knowledge about the Knights of Columbus to attend! You won't want to miss this energizing event.

I want to wish all of you and your families a Happy Thanksgiving Day. Make a special effort to go to mass on Thanksgiving Day. Tell each member of the family to remember something they are truly grateful for and to tell Jesus 'Thank you' for this at the time of communion or at some other quiet time during or after the Mass.

Before or after Mass be sure to greet fellow catholic men and offer them the opportunity to become a Knight of Columbus. Let them know the ties that bind us together as brother Knights are far deeper than merely common interests and projects. Rather, we are bound to one another by bonds of faith – we share the same faith in God and in his Son Jesus and in the Church. We are bound together by our membership in the Church, a world-wide communion of life and love established by Christ in the Holy Spirit. And we were founded by a holy parish priest to be a fraternity whose first aim is to help us as men – as husbands and fathers – to deepen and develop our life of faith and to express that faith in acts of charity that manifest our solidarity with one another and with the whole Church but also with many others beyond.

With our current Arizona State Membership Intake at 40%, to qualify for a Supreme reduction in our quota, we need to be at 50% by December 31<sup>st</sup>. Remember each event you have in the parish is an opportunity to have a church drive or a membership table with literature. So, I ask you to please take this opportunity to reach to all those catholic gentlemen in your parishes and welcome them to join the Knights of Columbus this holiday season. Be that champion of our faith and bring light to the holiday season.

The Arizona State Officers and Directors are looking forward to seeing you at the Mid-Year meeting to share our bonds of faith and answer the call of brotherhood.

We are excited to have Roy Champeau Council 8077 in Tucson host the 2022-2023 Arizona Knights of Columbus Midyear Meeting!

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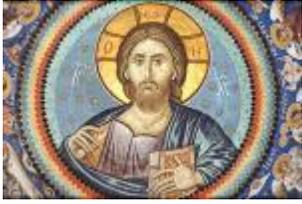
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### Christ the King

Sunday, November 20, 2022

The Church really **IS** the Mystical Body of the Risen Christ. That Body is inseparably joined to the Head. Jesus Christ is alive, he has been raised, and he continues His redemptive mission now through the Church, of which we are members. As we choose to actually live our lives liturgically, not just go through the motions, we can move through life in the flow of the liturgical calendar. We can experience the deeper mystery and meaning of life, now made New in Jesus Christ, the One who is the Way, the Truth and the Life. (John 14:6,7) Jesus Christ is King! Jesus Christ is meant to become the Lord of our whole lives and inform the very pattern of how we live them.

### Advent



Advent begins Sunday, November 27, 2022  
Ends on Saturday, December 24, 2022

*"And the angel answered her, 'The Holy Spirit will come upon you, and the power of the Most High will overshadow you; therefore the child to be born will be called holy—the Son of God.'"*

Luke 1:35

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### The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB )Fall Meeting

Archbishop Timothy Broglio of the Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA, was elected Tuesday to head the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) for the next three years in a vote of 138-99. Broglio will be taking the role after serving for three years as secretary of the conference. Archbishop William E. Lori of Baltimore was elected vice president by a vote of 143-96. **Let's pray for our Archbishops.**

*This is the time of year to be thankful!  
Let us thank God for all of our blessings!  
Use those blessings as a Knight of Columbus!*

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