



# Knights of Columbus

## Archbishop Duke Council 6855

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### Grand Knights Message

As your newly elected Grand Knight, I wish you all a warm welcome into this new Columbian year and look forward to meet and work with all of you.

The theme from the Supreme for this Fraternal Year is: *Solidarity with our Bishops and Priests*". They are the pillars of the Catholic Church. As a practicing catholic organization, we shall always defend and support our bishops, priests and religious people especially during bad times.

*The number and quality of its membership generally identify the evidence of a strong organization.* If we want to prove our strength as a Knights of Columbus organization, we must increase the number of quality members by recruitment, and *recommit ourselves* to support the programs and activities of your Council. I am looking forward to a large increase in attendance at our general meetings on the second Monday of each month at 7:30pm..

On Sunday August 11, we will be having the Joint Council Annual Family Picnic outside St Paul church hall from 2:00pm to 5:00pm. All members and family are invited so bring your kids, no age limit **this is a family picnic**. There will be activities for children and adults, food and BBQ for all. Come and meet some old friends and make new ones,

I am sure that I will soon find that being a Grand Knight is a great challenge, but I am confident that with the members of Council 6855 behind me, that challenge will be that much easier and interesting. Thank you for your support.

Vivat Jesus

Gaston Du Paul.

### BULLETIN BOARD

- > Aug. 11      Joint Family Picnic at St Paul  
from 2:00 pm to 5:00 pm.  
BBQ and games for all.
- > Aug. 12      General Meeting 7:30 PM
- > Aug. 19      Tentative First Degree exemplification  
7:30 PM.
- > Aug. 26      Executive Meeting, 7:30 PM
- > Aug. 28      Choir practice to be determined
- > Aug. 31      Deadline for Membership Roster
- > Sept. 1      Choir 7:45 AM Mass to be determined
- > Sept. 8      Pancake Breakfast
- > Sept. 9      General Meeting 7:30PM
- > Sept. 10      Rosary at Gerry Puchalski 8:00 PM
- > Sept. 15      St Paul Parish BBQ served by the Knights  
Regional seminar 2:00 PM at Council 1081
- > Sept. 16      First Degree Exemplification 7:30 PM
- > Sept. 30      Executive Meeting 7:30 PM

## PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Our first Pancake Breakfast will be on September 8, 2002.

## GENERAL MEETING

Start this New Columbian Year with a positive attitude and attend the first Knights of Columbus General Meeting of the year on Monday August 12, 2002 at 7:30 PM. Please be on time.

## ROSARY NIGHT

No Rosary Night during the month of August. The Rosary Night in September will be at Gerry Puchalski's home at 8:00PM.

## MEMBERSHIP

We presently have 132 members in Council 6855; we need 18 new members this year so we can reach 150 members by the end of this Columbian year in June 2003.

### *"THE MASTER'S MEMBERSHIP INCENTIVE PROGRAM."*

The is a new added recruitment program based on "Master Golf Tournament" of 4 rounds.

- Round 1 from July to September
- Round 2 from October to December
- Round 3 from January to March
- Round 4 from April to June

The rewards for each round are as follow:

PAR 1 – 1 member recruited – Membership Pin to new member and recruiter.

HOLE IN ONE – 2 members recruited – Coffee Mug

BIRDIE - 5 members recruited – Golf Hat

EAGLE – 7 members recruited – Golf Shirt

CHAMPION – a blue Golf Jacket

### *"Overall 2002/2003 Membership Master' Champion"*

Award of Golf Jacket with Embroidered K of C Crest  
Top Recruiter – most members recruited minimum 10 members to be eligible.

Grand Knight of Top Council in net gain

Grand Knight of Top Council in % gain.

We will have periodic membership drives during the year to help recruitment. But effective recruiting is done on a week to week basis all year round. Continuous recruitment is the best method of increasing our membership and the easiest way to find quality members.

## FIRST DEGREE EXEMPLIFICATION

The next exemplification is planned for **August, 2002** at 7:30 PM, at St. Paul's Parish Center. This I a tentative exemplification to be confirmed later.

## NEW MEMBERS

The Worthy Grand Knight has in his possession the blue membership badges for the following new members and spouses.

Catalino and Nilda Orillaneda  
Fidelis and Celisa D'Sousa  
Trevor and Maria Rodrigues  
Cyril and Frances Chan  
Barna and Guadalupe Kover  
Mel and Lucy Ison  
Collin Simpson  
Gregorio Vinson

You can pick up your badges from the Grand Knight at the first General Meeting on Monday August 12, 2002, at 7:30 PM. You can also have your badges at the Family Picnic on Sunday August 11 at 2:00 PM at St Paul.

## MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE

Congratulations to the following officers who were elected at the April 8<sup>th</sup> General Meeting, for the 2002-2003 Columbian year:

Grand Knight:	<b>Gaston Du Paul</b>
Deputy Grand Knight:	<b>George Spencer</b>
Chancellor:	<b>Gerry Fleming</b>
Warden:	<b>Alberto Nisperos</b>
Recorder:	<b>John Koop</b>
Treasurer:	<b>Kevin Mendonca</b>
Advocate:	<b>Nigel Sheeran</b>
Inside Guard:	<b>Jakob Hauser</b>
Inside Guard:	<b>Barna Kover</b>
Outside Guard:	<b>John Luk</b>
Outside Guard:	<b>Gregorio Vinzon</b>
Trustee 3 Year:	<b>Ron Keras</b>
Trustee 2 Year:	<b>Tony Pimentel</b>
Trustee 1 Year:	<b>Rudy Chamberland</b>
Financial Secretary	<b>Peter Kwok.</b>

## **HAPPY BIRTHDAY August 2002**

Antonio Carandang  
Mauro Cecconi  
Antonio Claudio  
Daniel Cummings  
Roberto De Guzman  
Kevin Mendonca  
Sherwin Quilay  
Charles Zse  
Roderick Winning

If your birthday is in August and your name does not appear, it is because we don't have the information.  
Please call your Grand Knight

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- To help defray Council postage expense, bulletins will be sent electronically to those with email. The remaining members should pick up their bulletin, which will be placed at the entrance to the church, usually on the second Sunday of each month.
- Please notify the Financial Secretary Peter Kwok (Tel/Fax: 241-8033) of any change of address, telephone number or email. Thank you.

**See you at the meeting!**

**Fraternally,  
Bulletin/Calendar Editor  
Gaston Du Paul, GK**

**August 2002**

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11 Joint Family Picnic at St Paul 2-5pm	12 General Meeting 7:30 PM	13	14	15	16	17
18	19 First Degree Tentative 7:30 PM	20	21	22	23	24
25	26 Executive Meeting 7:30 PM	27	28 Tentative Choir Practice 8:00 PM	29	30	31 Deadline for Membership Roster

**September 2002**

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Choir 7:45am Mass	2	3	4	5	6	7 Pancake Brakefast setup 10:00am
8 Pancake Brakefast	9 General Meeting 7:30 PM	10 Rosary 8:00PM Gerry Puchalski	11	12	13	14
15 Parish BBQ Regional Seminar 2:00PM	16 First Degree Exemphkification 7:30PM	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30 Executive Meeting 7:30PM					