



COUNCIL NEWS

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Reflection...

Grand Knight Report

Brothers,

I want to take the opportunity to thank you for making 2023 a Very good year for our Parish and Council.

Thank you to those attended this past Tuesdays Caminata from Alexander High School to our Parish. Thank you for being there for our blessed Mother. A big thank you to Jorge Solis for making the float again this year. It was again very

beautiful. Thank you Brother!

I hope that all of you have a very blessed Christmas with your loved ones. Many blessings to you all.

Here are a few lovely prayers that I hope you will be able to Some of these are from the Hallow App.

Heavenly Father, your son, Jesus, is your greatest gift to us, a great sign of your love. Guide us as we strive to walk in that love together as a family this Advent. As we prepare our hearts for Christmas, bring us closer to each other and to your son. Give us the grace and strength we need every day. Help us to always trust in you. Come, Lord Jesus, lead all people closer to you. Come and dispel the darkness of our world with the light of your love. Amen.

Heavenly Father, heal my heart during this season of Advent. Help me to love more fully. To forgive more generously. To wait more patiently for Christmas, embracing each day and hour knowing the joy that awaits. In Your name I pray. Amen.

Dear Lord, please allow me to embrace Advent in the way the Church intends: as a way to prepare for Your arrival. May everything I do—every gift I send, every party I attend, every meal I share—remind me to prepare space in my heart for You. Amen.

Lord, send down Your Spirit to guide me during Advent this year. May the Holy Spirit help me journey closer to You and lift me up when I feel down and led me when I feel lost. I may stumble at times, but I know my ultimate journey is to draw closer to You and build Your kingdom here on earth—a kingdom that Jesus’s birth, life and death helped secure. Amen.

I pray for focus today, dear God, because during Advent, my mind and attention tend to wander. There are so many distractions, many of them well-meaning. But nothing gives my heart rest like resting in You. I pray that keep You at the focus of my day today, because I know the peace that only You offer. Amen.



Spiritual Thoughts



A Knight of Columbus is a man of integrity. He takes responsibility for his actions. He is also a man for others. He guards and protects those under his care. He stands united with his brothers and with them he puts his faith into action.

A Knight of Columbus is called to fraternal charity with his brother Knights. And he is called to a fraternal unity with them.

Psalm 133 proclaims,

“How good and how pleasant it is when brothers dwell together as one!”



Knights in Action

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December 2023

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12 Our Lady of Guadalupe Pro- cessional 5:45am	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24 Christmas Eve	25 Christmas Day	26	27	28	29	30
31 New Year's Eve						



Knights' Birthdays for the month of December

Luis C Villarreal 12-02-1968

Mr Armando Villalon Jr 12-24-1972

Baldemar Garcia Jr 12-06-1968

Benjamin Puig 12-28-1974

Francisco J Martinez 12-07-1966

Cornell J Mickley 12-31-1964

Samuel R Ramos 12-12-1972

Christopher Benavides 12-15-1997

Mr Javier M Compean 12-23-1953

Mr Peter Venegas 12-23-1968

Mr Jorge E Trevino 12-24-1966