



**GRAND KNIGHT'S REPORT**



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As 2025 quickly draws to a close, it feels like the year has flown by—and 2026 is already on the horizon. The end of the year reminds us not only of closure but also of new beginnings. I hope you all enjoyed a blessed Thanksgiving surrounded by family and friends, and I pray each of you found joy in that time together.

We are now in the Advent Season, preparing our hearts for the coming of our Lord and Savior at Christmas. Let us do this through prayer and by joining together at the Penance Service on December 16, 2025.

We also celebrate the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe on Friday, December 12th. We'll need help closing the street for the procession at 3:45 p.m.—please let me know if you can assist.

Additionally, we're asking for volunteers to sign up for bell ringing at Raley's on Sat. Dec, 13th between 10am to 4pm. If you can help, please contact Jim Bruggeman@ 530-534-1544.

We also NEED your support for the Crab Feed once again. If you're willing to lend a hand, we'd be grateful.

Please come to our next meeting on December 3, 2025 @ 7pm. We plan to have a Potluck; please bring anything you'd like to share.

Thank you again for all you do for our council and parish community.

Blessings,  
*Henry Sánchez, GK*

o **ALL Brother Knights**

It is that time of the year again to start planning for our Annual Crab Feed & St. Pat.'s Dinners. Starting in October Committee Members will begin soliciting Local Retail Businesses & Professions such as Doctors, Dentist, CPA's, Insurance Co. etc. for items or monetary donations used in the Silent Auctions & Raffles. Also needed are CASH Sponsors for the Annual Golf Tournament. The more we are able to collect the more successful it makes our events! We CAN NOT depend on only two or three members to do all this hard work each year. We need ALL members to pitch in! If you know a Business Owner Retail or Professional ask if they would like to donate; it does not hurt to ask! If you know of a donor or collect an item contact Jeff Bible 530-999-3093, Roger Edmundson 530-531-7543 or Jim Bruggeman 530-534-1544.

PLEASE, Help with this endeavor.

**MEETINGS and EVENTS**

- DECEMBER 3rd KC MEETING @ 7pm
- DECEMBER 6th ST NICHOLAS DAY
- DECEMBER 7th PEARL HARBOR REMEMBRANCE DAY
- DECEMBER 8th FEAST of the IMMACULATE CONCEPTION
- DECEMBER 12th OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE
- DECEMBER 16th PENANCE SERVICE 6pm
- DECEMBER 21st PANCAKE BREAKFAST
- DECEMBER 24th CHRISTMAS EVE
- DECEMBER 25th CHRISTMAS
- DECEMBER 31st NEW YEAR'S EVE



Our prayers for all our Brothers and their families who are sick or in distress Ron Ullman, Joe McCullough & family, Alyssa & Bently Hudson, Mary Marshall, Joanne Martin, Dan Briggs, Carlton & Shirley Biley, Joanie Briggs, Connie Bruggeman, Jim & Claudia Goebel, Andy Anderson, Bill, & Jeri Huey, Amber Bailey, Dennis & Patty Weber-Smith, Ann Lewis (Loseke), Sal Camera, Fred Dahlke, Ray & Joan Santiago, Rosanne & Dominick Chiricosta, Beth Ann Rickey & Kristine Read

*The Knights of  
Columbus are hosting*



**SATURDAY  
JANUARY 24, 2026**

Fitzgerald Hall  
St. Thomas the Apostle School  
1330 Bird Street  
Oroville, California 95965

Doors OPEN at  
5 pm  
Dinner Served:  
6pm

**TICKETS: ADULTS CRAB or STEAK \$75,  
CRAB and STEAK \$90**

**SILENT  
AUCTION &  
RAFFLE**

**SIDE DISHES**  
Clam Chowder, Green Salad,  
Bread, Ice Cream &  
(Baked Potato and Vegie with  
Steak Dinner)

**NO TAKE  
OUT  
DINNERS**

Tickets available at:  
Marcozzi Jewelers  
Briggs Firestone  
St. Thomas the Apostle School  
Office



**KC PANCAKE BREAKFAST  
DECEMBER 21st Crew #3**

**DECEMBER**

Merced Rodriguez	Eggs
Antonio Cisneros	Pancakes
Fermin Rodriguez	Potatoes
Ubaldo Rodriguez	Kitchen Aide
Refugio Roseles	Kitchen Aide
Kevin Smodey	Orders
Henry Sanchez	Orders
Jose Guzman	Assist Set-Up
Rick Beale	Cashier
TBA	Clean-up

Antonio Cisneros & Rick McCullough 5th, Bill Huey 10th, Rick Medford 16th, Deacon Tom Oconnell 17th, Poncho Zarate 24th, Jacob Coffelt & Kevin Smodey 26th & Chris McCurley 31st



**#2603, 100 Years as a Council in the Knights of Columbus.** As of MAY 2nd of 2026. Anyone with old photos or mementos etc. Contact Br. Jim Cupido @ 530-533-5599 or GK Henry Sanchez @ 530-370-9003. Also if you would like to join the team to organize the Centennial Celebration contact us.

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Brother Knights, We seem to say it ever year: “It’s almost Christmas, where has the year gone?” As we look back and measure the passing of the seasons, we see how our lives have changed with Christmas and the end of the year marking the passing of yet another year. Christmas season should give us pause to thank God for sending his only begotten Son to redeem us and it is also a time to reflect on all the gifts we’ve received from him. God’s gift to us inspires our gift-giving at Christmastime. And, as brother Knights, gift-giving in the form of charity and providing for others is the foundation of who we are.

We are certainly “Knights of Charity” and we prove this every day with the many brother Knights who give of themselves, of their time, their talent or their treasure, to help those less fortunate and those in need. We should be proud of our generosity through the volunteer time and support of our Councils and the proceeds of our insurance programs that funded over \$190 Million last year alone. We, the Knights of Charity, provided disaster relief, helped those who were homebound, purchased many ultrasound machines that have been placed into service to save unborn children, and provided coats for thousands of kids who will now stay warm this winter! And our mission of charity provided critical support for Ukraine Catholic Relief and the Christian communities throughout the Middle East and Africa who face significant persecution.

All these important initiatives help many others, but we must not forget about our own families and loved ones... and I’m not talking about gifts that you’ll put under the tree. This holiday season as we think of giving and receiving, make sure you give your family the gift of peace of mind. Secure in the knowledge that whatever challenges they may face, you have provided them with financial security.

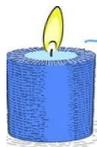
So, as we prepare to celebrate Christmas, let us be thankful for all the graces God has showered on us, especially the gift of his Son, our Savior! As Isaiah 9:5 says: “For a child is born to us, a son is given to us; upon his shoulder dominion rests. They name him Wonder-Counselor, God-Hero, Father-Forever, Prince of Peace.” New American Bible (Revised Edition)

Have a joyous Christmas and a blessed New Year! May God Bless you and your family and keep you all healthy and safe in 2026!

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# DECEMBER 2025



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3 KC MTG @ 7pm	4 Men's Ministry @ 5am	5	6 HAPPY SAINT NICHOLAS DAY 
7  Pearl Harbor REMEMBRANCE DAY	8  Feast OF THE Immaculate Conception	9	10	11 Men's Ministry @ 5am	12 	13
14	15	16  ADVENT PENANCE SERVICE	17	18 Men's Ministry @ 5am	19	20
21 	22	23	24 	25 	26	27
28	29	30	31 			

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