



The Knights News



Monthly Newsletter of Holy Spirit Council 9667

July 2025



From the Grand Knight

By Jonathan O'Connor, GK/PGK

From the Program Director

By David Salcedo, PGK

Brother Knights,

Welcome to a new Columbian Year. Thank you to PGK Jason Hull for leading the Council through a tough year. He navigated a course through uncertain waters. Half the year we did not know when we would lose Doyle Hall to the long planned transformation, and then the hall finally closed for construction. We moved 37 years of accumulated belongings into storage, and lost our major source of earnings for our charitable donations, the famous Parish Breakfast. Jason kept us going, adapting our meetings to the "cozy" setting of the classrooms on Friday nights, as every parish ministry vied for the limited space. He ensured that the Knights stayed true to their core values, initiating the practice of praying the Rosary before meetings, and engaging in fraternal activities with local councils. Jason involved new Knights in events including Special Olympics, Day of Sharing, and Filipino Ministry celebrations, and encouraged them to join the 4th Degree. The end of Jason's term aligned with significant changes in the parish. On Pentecost Sunday Our Lady of Grace Pastoral Center ribbon-cutting was held, and our Pastor, Fr. Joseph Tran stepped away from his role as shepherd to the Holy Spirit flock, to enjoy a well-deserved, quieter, life at Holy Family church in Orange.

Another noteworthy change occurred when PGK Brother Ramon Garcia, the prolific recruiter and the longest-tenured Membership Director in our Council, moved back East to be with family. While we all feel his absence, it is with great pleasure that I can state that our immediate Past Grand Knight, Jason, has volunteered to step into his shoes. I want to thank Ramon for his many

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Worthy Brother Knights,

First and foremost, thank you to PGK Jason Hull and the rest of the officers that just wrapped up the Columbian year representing Holy Spirit Council. Jason has left some tuff shoes to fill but with your support and prayers our new GK Jonathan O'Connor will do his best to guide us through this new Columbian year.

On behalf of Holy Spirit Council, I would like to thank Fr. Joseph Tran for all his support during his tenure and look forward to working with our new administrator Fr. Charles Tran.

Monthly Adoration

Years ago, the Diocese desired to have Eucharistic Adoration available every day to pray for Vocations. Holy Spirit Parish was assigned the 4th/5th of the month. The Knights were asked to cover the night time hours. Several Knights are no longer able to cover the late night/early morning hours and we are in need of other Knights to take their place. Please consider filling in some of the open spots on the Adoration roster for this once a month commitment. If you would like more info, please contact Matt Mueller at Matthew.mueller@sbcglobal.net.



Assembly 85 News

This month, we will be welcoming our new Officers. There will be an Officer's Meeting at 6:10, followed by pizza at 6:30, followed by the regular meeting at 7. Hopefully, this will be the last meeting in Room 7 and we can move back to the hall in August.



Join the Singing Knights!

If you enjoy singing, even though you may think you do not have a great voice, come join us in the fellowship and the joy of singing with brother Knights. The Singing Knights have resumed their singing practice (practice makes perfect!) on Monday nights at 7PM in the Music Room. Come join us and share a great time with your brothers!

For more information, contact Mike Ord
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Prayer List

Please pray for the intentions of those listed below. Please implore our Lord to grant mercy where it is needed, healing if it is possible, comfort for those who grieve, and most of all the strength to endure what we must if what we ask for is not what HE wills for us.

Sharon Pennington	Tony Nekoranec
Vickie O'Connor	William Do
John Fitzgerald	Paula Fitzgerald
Jim Fournier	Juan Calvillo
Helen Hagan	Jean Pedersen

The safe return of our men and women serving in our Armed Forces.

Fr. McGivney Guild

The Father Michael J. McGivney Guild serves as a source for information about the life, works and spirituality of Father McGivney. The Guild distributes informational materials about him, receives reports of favors granted through his intercession and oversees the distribution of relics. Guild members receive regular updates in the progress of Father McGivney's cause for canonization and are invited to participate in promoting devotion to this Servant of God. Members of the Knights of Columbus are not automatically Guild members and must elect to join the Guild. The Father Michael J. McGivney Guild Newsletter is published bi-monthly, except July-August, and is sent free to Guild members.

You can register at <http://www.fathermcgivney.org/mcg/en/contact/register.html>

Keep Them in Your Prayers

Do you know of a Brother Knight who needs our prayers for him or family because of death, injury, illness, or other reasons? E-mail bulletin@kofc9667.org.



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9:00 PM THURSDAY, JULY 24, 2025

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Minutes of the June 20, 2025 Council 9667 Meeting

GK Jason Hull called the meeting to order at approximately 7:55 pm with 18 members in attendance.

The Warden verified that all present in the Chamber are current members.

The GK led us in the opening prayer. The Warden led the Pledge of Allegiance.

The roll call was bypassed since the room was small. Dignitaries present were acknowledged.

As the minutes of the previous meeting were published in the bulletin, a motion was made and seconded to dispense with their reading.

Motion was made and passed to approve the previous meeting minutes.

Chaplain's Message: None

Report of Admissions Committee:

- None

Grand Knight Report:

1. The Parish Feast Day (the Feast of Pentecost) on June 8th included a blessing ceremony for the Our Lady of Grace Pastoral Center and included a walk-through of the newly renovated Doyle Hall. Many Knights attended and were able to examine the new storage and kitchen areas.
2. Thanks to all Knights who assisted with the Cursillo sign-up event.
3. The Council items that were in outside storage are now in the new rental storage unit on Slater.
4. There is a potential "soft opening" Pancake Breakfast in July, depending on the availability of Doyle Hall.
5. The first official Pancake Breakfast should happen on August 10th.
6. The Grand Knight read a letter from Herb Baker, whose wife Carol recently passed away. He thanked the brothers for all the prayers and support.
7. The Grand Knight expressed his thanks to the brothers for allowing him to serve as Grand Knight this past year.

Treasurer's Report:

- General fund: \$13,330.04

Financial Secretary Report:

- The FS presented a sample of the proposed new green jacket since the original Kelly Green color was discontinued. All approved of the new color.

- The FS presented the following bills:

Council Bulletin	\$173.06
RSVP (Jacket)	\$38.79
May Crowing	\$209.76
Singing Knights Uniforms	\$830.25
- The Trustees approved the bills and the membership concurred.

Service Committee Reports:

Membership: Jason Hull will be assuming the Membership Director position

Faith: All are welcome to join in the monthly Adoration to pray for vocations. In July, the normal Adoration dates were moved to July 7/8, due to the Independence Day holiday.

Family: Gene distributed cards containing the Prayer to St. Joseph and encouraged the brothers to pray this prayer every Wednesday, if not more often.

With the geopolitical tensions in the world right now, Gene encouraged the brothers to direct any nervous energy into their Bible Study groups.

Remember, the best defense in a war (nuclear or otherwise) is to have your soul ready (via confession) should the Lord call you home. Always try to lead non-believers to Christ. That is our mission.

Vocations: The annual Vocations Dinner will be held on Friday, November 21, 2025.

Old Business:

- None

New Business:

- Elections for Council Offices for 2025-26 were made as listed below:

Grand Knight -- Jonathan O'Connor, PGK
Deputy Grand Knight -- David Salcedo, PGK
Chancellor -- Jadein Vieira
Recorder -- Matthew Mueller
Treasurer -- Bob LeRoux, PGK
Advocate -- Jim DeLuca, PGK
Warden -- Roland Vazquez
Inside Guard -- Vinny Tran
Outside Guard -- Nick Migliorini
One Year Trustee -- Eric Huff, PGK
Two Year Trustee -- Greg Ullman, PGK
Three Year Trustee -- Jason Hull, GK

- We are saying farewell to Fr Joseph Tran and Sister Pauline at the 11:00 AM Mass this Sunday, June 22nd. The Knights will be serving pizza and other foods immediately after Mass outside Doyle Hall. As many Knights as possible are asked join in saying

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passionate years of service, and Jason for taking on the role.

Thanks are also owed to the Brothers who teamed up to move our belongings from the storage container in the parking lot on a blazing hot day to a temporary off-site lock-up. When the Hall is 100% complete, we will move into our newly-allocated storage space and celebrate with one of our famous breakfasts. Additionally, thank you to the small army of Brothers who served pizza, sandwiches, and water at the send-off for Fr. Joseph and Sr. Paula. I know the parish appreciates all that the Knights do.

Lastly, thank you all for your vote of confidence as I take on the position of Grand Knight. I held the chair some 18 years ago so I might be a little fuzzy on some of the finer points of the role but, with your prayers, support and forbearance, I'll do my best to follow the example of the great men who led this Council in years past.



Knights' Birthdays

Jul 5	Eugene Murray	Jul 21	Leo La Cascia
Jul 8	Jason Hull	Jul 24	Jonathan O'Connor
Jul 8	Richard Shaker	Jul 24	Rev. Wayne Adajar
Jul 8	Doug O'Conner	Jul 26	Bob Harmon
Jul 14	Phu Nguyen	Jul 29	Tony Nguyen
Jul 18	Rev. Dan Wilder	Jul 29	Rev. Nam Doan
Jul 20	Jeffrey Chan	Jul 30	Scott Correia

Ladies' Birthdays

July 2	Nancy Peralta	Jul 25	Orlina Campos
July 2	Joanne Peters	Jul 26	Evelyn Flynn
July 12	Thanh Hang Mendoza	Jul 26	Mary Ferrara
Jul 9	Susan Liberto	Jul 30	Ro George

Anniversaries

July 1	Sly and Orlina Campos
July 5	Deacon Phillip and Pat Goodman
July 14	John and Paula Fitzgerald
July 17, 2005	Stephen and Nancy Peralta

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goodbye to our Pastor and Religious Education Leader and to help serve food and clean up.

- The following charitable donations for 2025 were approved unanimously by the Council. The total of all donations is \$5,500.:
- ◇ Clergy/Building Fund (in the name of Fr. JT) - \$2,500
- ◇ Vocations - \$1,000
- ◇ KofC ID Drive - \$500
- ◇ Catholic Charities - \$500
- ◇ Catholic Workers - \$500
- ◇ Life Center of Santa Ana - \$500

Report of the Fourth Degree:

Membership to the 4th degree is open for anyone interested.

The newest member is SK, Jadein Vieira.

The Supreme Chaplain’s Monthly Challenge—presented by Chancellor Jadein Vieira:

- This month, I challenge you to use the Catholic Information Service resource, *A Guide to Confession*, which is organized around the Ten Commandments, to examine your conscience and then go to confession.
- Questions for Reflection: What is your response to Jesus’ question, “Do you love me?” Do you show your love for Christ in how you live? In what ways do you need to become more attentive to the commandments and the teachings of the Church?

GK Jason Hull handed the gavel to Grand Knight Elect, Jonathan O’Connor. The GK Elect led us in the Closing Prayer, a prayer for the Canonization of Fr. Michael J. McGivney, Our Father, Hail Mary, and Glory Be.

The next Officer’s Meeting will be postponed since it falls on Friday, July 4th.

The next Business Meeting is scheduled for Friday, July 11, at 7:00 PM

The Grand Knight Elect adjourned the meeting at approximately 8:35 PM.






Respectfully submitted,
Matthew Mueller, Recorder



FAREWELL MASS - FR. JT!



July 2025 Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4 	5
6	7 Adoration 6:00 PM Singing Knights Park View Estates 	8 Adoration	9	10	11 Adoration 7:00 PM Knight's Business Meeting 	12 Adoration
13	14 6:30 PM Singing Knights Carmel	15	16	17	18 Adoration 7:00 PM Assembly 85 Meeting 	19 Adoration
20	21	22	23	24 7:00 PM Chapter Meeting	25 Adoration 	26 Adoration
27	28	29	30	31		

Adoration: Every Friday/Saturday

Singing Knights: Performances TBD on 7/7 and 7/14.







Officer's Meeting: No meeting due to 4th of July holiday

Council Business Meeting: Friday, July 11 at 7PM in Room 8 due to construction

Assembly 85 Meeting: Friday, July 18 at 7PM. Light meal before meeting at 6:30PM. Officer's Meeting at 6PM.

Chapter Meeting: Thursday, July 24 at 7PM. Location TBD

August 2025 Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 Adoration 7:00 PM Knight's Officer's Meeting 	2 Adoration
3	4 Adoration 	5 Adoration	6	7	8 Adoration 7:00 PM Knight's Business Meeting 	9 Adoration
10	11	12	13	14	15 Adoration 7:00 PM Assembly 85 Meeting 	16 Adoration
17	18	19	20	21 7:00 PM Chapter Meeting	22 Adoration 	23 Adoration
24	25	26	27	28	29 Adoration 	30 Adoration
31 9:00 AM Corporate Communion						

Adoration: Every Friday/Saturday

Singing Knights: Summer vacation!


Officer's Meeting: Friday, August 1 at 7PM (subject to change based on Hall availability)

Council Business Meeting: Friday, August 8 at 7PM (subject to change based on Hall availability)

Assembly 85 Meeting: Friday August 15, Light meal before meeting at 6:30PM. Officer's Meeting at 6PM.(subject to change based on Hall availability)

Chapter Meeting: Thursday, August 20 at 7PM. Location TBD

Corporate Communion: Sunday, August 31 at 9AM Mass. Join your brothers and celebrate the mass together.

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Knight in Need			
Youth			
Community			
Life			

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Vice President	Andy Martell		714-839-2080
Treasurer	Jean Pedersen		714-962-6868

2024 – 2025 Major Council Activities and Chairpersons

Activity	Date	Chairpersons	Telephone
Installation of Officers	TBD	Jason Hull, GK	
Membership Drive	Oct 12/13	Ramon Garcia, PGK	
ID Drive	TBD		
Knight's Memorial Mass	Nov 16	Matt Mueller	657-456-3528
Vocations Dinner (Parish function)	Nov 22	Bob LeRoux	714-717-1609
Christmas Cards	NA		
Ladies Boutique	Cancelled	Hall Construction	
Christmas Dinner	Dec 12		
Lenten Fish Bakes	Cancelled	Hall Construction	
St. Patrick's Day Dinner	Cancelled	Hall Construction	
Day of Sharing	Apr 26	John Arnold	949-378-5660
Ladies Fashion Show	NA		
Singing Knights	Mondays	Mike Ord	714-606-0423
Parish Breakfast	Cancelled	Hall Construction	

Other Officials

District Warden	Andy Sisson	
District Deputy	SK Pat Murach	Pat.murach@icloud.com
Supreme Insurance Agent	Paolo Pacana	949-456-3688

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