



**Knights of Columbus Holy Rosary  
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November 2016

Charity

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### GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

#### *New film begins run during Catholic Church's Year of Mercy*

"The Face of Mercy," a new Knights of Columbus documentary that uses personal accounts to highlight the impact of God's mercy on people's lives, will air on ABC- in the Chicago Area Sunday November 27<sup>th</sup> at 2:30AM.

"Throughout the 20th century, the Catholic understanding of Divine Mercy became increasingly important. Both St. John Paul II and Pope Francis, who declared this Year of Mercy, made it a central theme of their papacies," said Supreme Knight Carl Anderson. "This extraordinary film highlights the sort of transformations that are possible in individual lives that embrace the way of mercy, forgiveness and reconciliation."

Narrated by actor Jim Caviezel, "The Face of Mercy" draws connections between the history of Divine Mercy and this year's Extraordinary Jubilee Year of Mercy, which will end Nov. 20. It also shows mercy's role in the transformation of the lives of ordinary people.

The documentary explores how Pope St. John Paul II inherited and shared the message of Divine Mercy revealed to a Polish nun, Sister Faustina Kowalska, in the first half of the 20th century. While still an archbishop in Poland, John Paul worked to gain the Church's approval of the message revealed to Sister Faustina. Her message was embraced, and the pope who had worked so hard to spread her message declared her a saint in 2000.

These two Polish saints — Faustina and John Paul II — together propelled the image of Divine Mercy — and insight into the concept — onto the world stage. That work continues as Pope Francis continues to promote Divine Mercy during the Jubilee Year of Mercy now underway in the Catholic Church.

Filmed in 4K high definition, the project weaves theology and history with modern testimonials to reveal what constitutes the face of mercy in people's lives and how it is the antidote to evil even in the most difficult times. The individuals featured include Immaculée Ilibagiza, who found freedom in forgiveness after seeing her family wiped out by genocide in Rwanda; a former-NFL linebacker who walked away from his sports career to share Christ's mercy with the homeless; a baseball player who traded major league ambitions for a priestly vocation; a priest with a drug-dealing past; and a young widow who chose to forgive her husband's killer. All witness to mercy in incredible ways in their own lives.

"These moving testimonies remind us that Divine Mercy is not just a devotion or theological concept — it is alive, it is present, and it is a force that can transform the world," said Anderson.

More information about the film, including broadcast times and the DVD release, is available at [faceofmercyfilm.com](http://faceofmercyfilm.com).

Grand Knight,

Brian Marier

## Deputy Grand Knight's Report

Hello Brother Knights,

Here is the list of Charity Requests that were approved this month.

1. \$ 75.00 was given to the October speaker Robinson Hernandez. He is a seminarian and spoke on October 20th.
2. \$300.00 was given to the Development Assistance Ministry Habitat for Humanity

Do you need an idea for that trick or treator that wont go away "HOW ABOUT TOOTSIE ROLLS??"  
\$ 5.00 per sleeve or \$30.00 per case

If you would like some, please contact Tom Reed at [golfcraze1@hotmail.com](mailto:golfcraze1@hotmail.com), or call 630-329-3508.

Thomas W. Reed  
Deputy Grand Knight

## Warden's Report

No Report this month.

## Chancellor's Report

### **Knights of Columbus Turkey Shoot**



**Holy Rosary Council** invites you and your male friends 21 and over to join us **Thursday, November 17, 2016 starting at 7:00 PM**, as we celebrate Thanksgiving at **The KC Hall at 15 N Hickory Avenue, Arlington Heights, IL.**

Traditional Thanksgiving Fare for dinner.

**Adult Entry Fee** - \$10.00 or \$5.00 plus 5 cans of non-perishable food items that will be donated to a local food pantry. Or bring a toy for a child.

Cost includes dinner, draught beer and soda, and raffle entry

**\*\*Cash Bar for bottled beer and mixed drinks\*\***

We have games to play and prizes to give away, and football, basketball and hockey to watch.

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Holy Rosary Council

Chancellor's Report (continued)



Breakfast with Santa!

The Knights of Columbus Holy Rosary Council invite all parishioners to its annual Breakfast with Santa.

When: December 10 or December 17, doors open at 8:30am, Breakfast Served at 9am

Where: KC Hall, 15 North Hickory Avenue in Arlington Heights

\$5 Per Person. Free for age 3 and under.

Reservations are required, as space is limited. Please email [kofcbreakfast@gmail.com](mailto:kofcbreakfast@gmail.com) with your name and the number of people in your party, or call Mike at (773) 909-0102.



## Chaplain's Report

I am sure I've mentioned in articles past that I am always reading and searching for new and interesting perspectives surrounding our Catholic faith and traditions. While I cannot attest to the validity of the below points, I found them interesting enough to share.

### ***6 Interesting Catholic Thanksgiving Facts You Need to Know by Dr. Taylor Marshall***

The first American Thanksgiving was actually celebrated on September 8 (feast of the birth of the Blessed Virgin) in 1565 in St. Augustine, Florida. The Native Americans and Spanish settlers held a feast and the Holy Mass was offered.

The second American Thanksgiving happened on April 30, 1598, when Spanish explorer Don Juan de Oñate requested the friars to say a Mass of Thanksgiving, after which he formally proclaimed "La Toma", claiming the land north of the Rio Grande for the King of Spain.

The Puritan pilgrims were violently anti-Catholic. They left England because they thought that the Church of England was *too Catholic*. These Puritans were strict Calvinists.

Squanto, the beloved hero of Thanksgiving at Plymouth Rock, was Catholic! Squanto had been enslaved by the English but he was freed by Spanish Franciscans. Squanto thus received baptism and became a Catholic. So it was a baptized Catholic Native American who orchestrated what became known as Thanksgiving.

So while Thanksgiving may celebrate the Calvinist Separatists who fled England, Catholics might remember the same unjust laws that granted the crown of martyrdom to Thomas More, John Fisher, Edmund Campion, and others, are the same injustices that led the Pilgrims to Plymouth and;

And let everyone remember that "Thanksgiving" in Greek is Eucharistia. Thus, the Body and Blood of Christ is the true "Thanksgiving Meal".

And don't forget to raise your wine glass and recite the wonderful limerick of Hilaire Belloc:

**"Wherever the Catholic sun doth shine,  
There's always laughter and good red wine.  
At least I've always found it so.  
Benedicamus Domino!"** (Latin: "Let us bless the Lord")  
-Hilaire Belloc

A Blessed and Happy Thanksgiving to everyone.  
**Deacon Joseph Yannotta**



## October Social Speaker

We had the pleasure of [meeting and](#) listening to a Mundelein seminarian, Robinson Cortez, at our meeting last month. Robinson is originally from Columbia, SA. He shared his life story with us and the fact that he wanted to become a priest since the early age of 7 yrs. old. The family originally lived in a rural area of Columbia but because of drug trafficking and gang wars they had to move to urban Bogota. He ultimately became a seminarian and taught high school in Bogota before moving to the USA.

He came to the USA under the guidance of the *Casa Jesu Seminary* (located downtown next to the cathedral), invited by Fr. Claudio who used to be the pastor at our neighboring *Mission San Juan Diego*. Casa Jesu was formed to [our need for priests](#) by bringing in men from neighboring South American countries like Mexico and Columbia. Unfortunately the Archdiocese of Chicago has decided to close this [seminary](#). Fortunately, Robinson is now at Mundelein seminary and will become a deacon next year and [ordained](#) a priest the following year.

One thing that Robinson was reluctant to mention is the continuing need for donations for our seminarians. They do receive a small monthly disbursement from the archdiocese of [\\$250 per month](#). This is definitely insufficient for the seminarian's needs for books, fuel for transportation, clothing, [insurance](#) and other minimal items necessary for daily living.

So please remember this when your parish does have a collection for the seminarians, be generous and remember what Saint Mother Teresa said about her definition of generosity – ***GIVE UNTIL IT HURTS.***

May God bless Robinson and the rest of our seminarians [as we are in need of good and holy priests](#).



## Thanksgiving Day Mass

You and Your Family are invited

# Annual Thanksgiving Mass

Fr Gilbert, our Chaplain, will celebrate the Mass and we will remember by name all the departed members and departed Auxiliary. Light refreshments after. Please come. Questions... Call John Morrow 847/899-2603

**Where:** KC Hall 15 N Hickory

**When:** Thurs. Nov 24, 2016

**Time:** Mass starts at 10:15

## Knight of the Month



**Congratulations — Tom Reed!!**

# St. Edna's Bingo Night



**Ladies Auxiliary**

**The Holy Rosary Auxiliary invites all women to attend the  
Annual Christmas Party**

Tuesday, December 6, 2016, 7:00 p.m.  
At the home of Pat Healy  
410 N. Beverly Lane  
Arlington Heights

Please R.S.V.P. by *Sunday, Nov 27*  
To one of the following:  
Pat Sordyl - 847-394-3307  
Ellen Tomasek - 847-394-1340  
Sue McMahon - 847-391-5073

A-L Please supply an appetizer  
M-Z Please supply a dessert

We will also have the optional  
"White Elephant" gift exchange.  
If you wish to participate please bring  
a wrapped "White Elephant".

Also: If you have an idea of how to spend our charitable gift,  
please let us know when you RSVP!!!!!!!





# BUSSET

BEVERAGE ALCOHOL SELLERS & SERVERS

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

**SATURDAY NOVEMBER 19, 2016**

8:00AM-12:00PM

**4 Hour Training  
Program**

**4483 Members  
No Cost**

**Illinois Liquor  
Control  
Commission**

**2016  
Licensed Course**

**Physical Properties of  
Alcohol  
Prevention and  
Intervention  
State and Local Statutes  
DUI  
ID Techniques  
Dram Shop and Liability  
Coverage**

## **CLASS LOCATION**

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## Produce Mobile

Could you, a loved one or a friend use free produce and bread stuffs?? The Produce Mobile from the Chicago Food Depository is coming back to St. Edna at 2525 N. Arlington Heights Road, Arlington Heights 60004 on Thursday, November 10, 2016. Rain, snow or shine, our guests will be there. Will you be able to help? Produce and bread stuffs are available to our guests or anyone you may know who could use free food beginning around 9AM and finishing around 11:30AM or so. Again, our guests do not need any form of ID. Volunteers are needed to get carts from the Jewel Store, empty the truck, sort the goods, bag and distribute the goods finally, clean up. Volunteers, dress for the weather!

### Remember in Prayer

Let us keep all of the following in our Prayers

Ray & Gloria Check	Dick Clark	Marilyn Dockus	Tom Durand
Al Eberhart	Bob Gaudio	Don Hecht	Ashlyn Kiwala
Tom Lazzara	John & Cathy Morrow	Paul Schmidt	Dean Sordyl
Tony Sulla			

Please pray for the thousands of innocent babies who will be killed in the US, this month, by abortions, for our United States Military troops in harm's way, the victims of natural disasters, peace and all deceased Knights and their families.

**TO BE ADDED OR DELETED FROM PRAYER LIST**  
**Contact Brother Deacon Joseph at [jyannotta@comcast.net](mailto:jyannotta@comcast.net)**  
**Remember All deceased Knights and their families**

### Remember our Deceased

Jim Pietras  
  
PGK  
Bill Reinert

"Please pray for those Knights, Ladies, Families and Friends who have passed before us."

## **December 2016 Calendar of Events**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		Squires Meeting 6:30 P.M.		1  Business Meeting 7:30PM	2	3
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11	12	13  Seton Assembly	14	15  Social Meeting 7:30PM Christmas Party	16	17  Breakfast with Santa
18	19	20	21	22  Charity Meeting 7:00 PM Officers Meeting 7:30 PM	23	24  Christmas Eve
25  Christmas Day	26	27  Building Corp. Meeting 7:30 P.M.	28	29	30	31  New Year's Eve



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20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28 Charity Meeting 7:00 PM Officers Meeting 7:30 PM	29 Building Corp. Meeting 7:30 P.M.	30			