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Fr. Emil Kapaun Council #3744

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Calendar

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November 2023					
Wed	1	ALL SAINTS DAY			
Thu	2	ALL SOULS DAY			
Fri	3	FIRST FRIDAY			
Sun	5	Council Golf (Westchester Golf Course)11:00 am			
Tue	7	Council Meeting (at 3744 Hall)7:30 pm			
Wed	8	4th Degree Officers Meeting8:00 pm			
Sat	11	VETERANS DAY			
Tue	14	Council Memorial Mass (3744 Hall; Gather at 6:30pm)7:00 pm			
Fri	17	Council 3744 70th Anniversary Mass (Visitation)8:00 am			
Wed	22	4th Degree Regular Meeting8:00 pm			
Thu	23	THANKSGIVING			
Tue	28	Council Officers Meeting7:30 pm			
Thu	30	Holding Co Meeting Date Change7:00 pm			
December 2023					
Fri	1	FIRST FRIDAY			
Sun	3	Council Golf (Westchester Golf Course)11:00 am			
Tue	5	Council Meeting (at 3744 Hall)7:30 pm			
Fri	8	IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY			
Tue	12	FEAST OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE			
Tue	12	3-in-1 Exemplification (at 3744 Hall)7:00 pm			
Wed	13	4th Degree Officers Meeting8:00 pm			
Sat	16	Rosary at the Shrine to the Unborn (Holy Cross)2:00 pm			
Sun	17	Council #3744 at Westchester Farmers Market9:00am-1:00 pm			
Sun	24	CHRISTMAS EVE			
Mon	25	CHRISTMAS			
Wed	27	4th Degree Regular Meeting8:00 pm			
Sun	31	NEW YEARS EVE			

Grand Knight's Message

Happy 70th Anniversary Fr. Emil Kapaun Council #3744! This month we celebrate the anniversary of our Council's founding through a variety of activities. First, there will be historical items on display during our November 7th general business meeting. Brother Knights, stop by and view scrapbooks and other memorabilia from our past as you enjoy your Good of the Order pre-meeting meal. Also during the meeting, we will receive our 2023 Star Council Award plaque from District Deputy **Gerry Torres**. Ten days later, on Friday November 17th, the charter date of Council #3744's 1953 establishment in Westchester, the 8 AM mass at Visitation Church will be offered for the memory of our patron Fr. Emil Kapaun. Please join us there, and don't forget to wear your Knight's polo shirts!

I invite everybody to attend our Council's annual Memorial Mass, this year led by cocelebrants Worthy Chaplain **Msgr. Jim Forsen** and 4th Degree Sir Knight **Fr. Matt Wheeler**. It will be held at our Knights of Columbus Hall on November 14th, beginning promptly at 7 PM. This special mass is our yearly tribute to Knights, Ladies of Columbus, and Catholic Daughters who have moved on to be with our Lord in heaven. In my opinion, the Memorial Mass, and Religious Appreciation Dinner, are the two most significant events Council #3744 hosts each year. Let's have a big turnout on November 14th to honor our loved ones, while enjoying musical accompaniment by the **Lockwood** family. Knights, Lady Knights, family, and friends are all invited to attend. We will again display memorabilia celebrating our 70 years during the Memorial Mass.

There is currently need for more Councilmembers to take part in writing articles for our bulletin. Your input and ideas broaden our Council's scope and make it more vibrant. If you have a cause or an event you would like to promote, do it through writing a brief article. Also, please encourage more people to read our monthly publication. Too often I am asked questions by members that can easily be answered by simply reading the bulletin, emailed to all each month. Council #3744's monthly publication does not take much time to read. It is the best way to learn about our activities, find a contact point, or discover which of our generous local sponsors to patronize with your business.

I would like to take time to congratulate the Ladies of Columbus who will be initiating several new members into their fantastic Marian Council #9 chapter in November. Way to go ladies! Lastly, thank you fellow Brother Knights for your incredible generosity demonstrated during our October 10th general business meeting. Your compassionate giving through the Torrance Pregnancy Help Center's baby bottle campaign resulted in a \$170 cash donation! Affixed to the bottle, returned to Center representatives before mass on Saturday October 28th, I wrote a simple note which read: "From Knights of Columbus Council #3744, With Love." - *Grand Knight Mike Dorn, reporting*

Proposed Dues Increase

As discussed with members during the October 10th general business meeting, Council #3744 officers passed a motion during their September meeting to raise yearly dues by \$10 beginning January 2024. However, before doing so, Council bylaws need to be updated. Therefore, two (2) motions were made: one to raise the dues, the other to change the bylaws. The two motions (listed here) were made and tabled until the November 7th Council meeting:

Motion 1

Whereas the officers approved a dues increase from \$55 to \$65 at the September Officers' meeting,

Whereas the last dues increase was 2014,

Whereas the increase in the cost of living is impacting the Council's ability to maintain its fiscal health,

Whereas the Supreme and State per capital and other fees will be increasing,

Be it resolved that the members of Council 3744 concur with the need to increase dues and approve the increase in dues from \$55.00 to \$65.00. The effective date for this increase shall be January 1, 2024.

Motion 2

Whereas the members of Council 3744 have approved an increase of the dues to \$65 effective January 1, 2024, the Council by-laws must be amended and approved by the council to reflect this increase before the increase can take effect,

Be it resolved that the council approve the following changes to the current By-Laws (changes are in red and strike out):

Article 1

Sec. 3. Each member shall pay annual dues. The annual dues of members shall be \$55.00 \$65.00, excepting honorary members who shall pay \$10.00, and honorary life members who shall pay nothing. Except as above stated, the dues of associate and insurance members shall be the same.

Help Save Our Parishes

Please continue your weekly giving at Mass, online, through the mail, or by drop off at your local parish rectory. The good works of our parishes depend on our support!

Honoring Vince Migliazzo, PGK

The next time you are at the Ralphs and CVS shopping center on Sepulveda, stop by the Flight Path Museum's Wall of Fame, located under the stores' billboard signs. Honorees include Council #3744's late Past Grand Knight Vince Migliazzo – a man of many accomplishments.



Prayer Intercessions

Brother Knights

Michael Walsh

Greg Neumann

Thomas Houlihan

Matthew Ceballos

Stan Clark PGK

Anthony Leoni

John Rohe

Paul Hirscher

Msgr. James Forsen

John Trainor

Tino Carbajal

Mervin Hughes PGK

Msgr. Charles Hill

Harold Simpson

Tony Holloway

Family & Friends (continued)

Lori Caldwell (wife of Bob)

Barbara Clark (wife of Stan)

Deborah Kanatsky (wife of Bill)

Cheryl Wahler (friend of Tom Russell)

Katie Brennan (widow of Lyle)

Lisa Leoni (wife of Tony)

Elizabeth "Betsy" Jones (wife of Michael)

Carly Callinan (daughter of Paul C.)

Joan Rohe (wife of John Rohe)

Cheryl Dorn (daughter of John Rohe)

Christine Herold (daughter of John Rohe)

Robert Rohe (son of John Rohe)

Maryann Bruce (friend of Tom Z)

Jim Kerker (friend of #3744)

Izzie Galanti (daughter of Dan G)

Heidi (friend of Tom Zvanovec)

Mia van der Sluys (mother of Marcel)

John Doerner (brother-in-law of Marcel)

Grand Lady JoAnne Bisho

Victoria Holloway (wife of Tony)

Don Stokx (brother of Ed)

Council #3744 70th Anniversary Shirts

Now is the time to update your closet and get that Knights polo shirt you've always wanted! And what better time to do it than now as we celebrate Council #3744's 70th Anniversary!

Contact Brother **Mike Rachford PGK** at <u>310-614-8077</u> and order yours today!





Golf Report

We only had two groups of players for our October Westchester Knights of Columbus game which we scored as a single flight. **Tom Hood** was clearly the player of the day as he enjoyed his round scoring a nice 71 low gross, with only one birdie, but many pars.

Because of the small group we decided to delay our 2023 champion trophy presentation until our November date where we hope to have a nice turnout to enjoy the event.

Our next tournament will be on Sunday, November 5th with our first tee time at usual 11:00 AM.

All of our KC members and guests are welcome. Hope to see you there.



LOW GROSS

Flight A Tom Hood - 71

LOW PUTTS

Flight A Tom Hood - 29

LOW NET

Flight A Bob Degnan - 61

LONG DRIVE (Hole #15)

Flight A Tom Hood

FLAG HOLES (Closest to the Pin)

#14 - Brad Migneault

#16 - Bob Degnan

#4, #8 & #12 - Tom Hood

Next Outing: November 5th, 2023

Westchester Golf Course

First tee time - 11:00am (Arrive and check in by 10:45am)

- Brother Richard Wagner, reporting for the Colorful Caddyshack Westchester Knights of Columbus Golfers

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Calling All Knights of Council 3744 Help Out at the St. Jerome Carnival

Brothers, we at Council 3744 have an opportunity to help out one of our local Parishes. St. Jerome Church will be holding a carnival on the weekend of November 3rd through the 5th. We have been asked if we can host the beer garden again. The times of the carnival are Friday the 3rd from 5 PM to 10 PM, Saturday the 4th from 3 PM to 10 PM, and Sunday the 5th from 1 PM to 9 PM. These are the times that we will look to have the beer garden open.

Please let Brother Knight Tony
Holloway know when you might be
available to stop by for a shift on the
beer garden crew. He can be reached
via email at da_holloway@yahoo.com
or by phone at 213-804-7380. Please
come out and assist Pastor Fr. Bill
Bolton, and support St. Jerome Parish
if you are available. Let's show the
community who the Knights of
Council 3744 are. And, please
remember to wear your Knights gear
and polo shirts, along with your
Council name badge.

St. Jerome Parish Carnival 2023 Food-Carnival Rides-Games-Raffles-Prizes Live Entertainment & Silent Auction Friday, November 3rd: 5pm to 10pm Mass as usual, adoration in church Saturday, November 4th: 3pm to 9pm Mass & confession as usual, Adoration in church until 10am. Sunday, November 5th: Time change weekend! 9am - 11:30am: Food Court Open breakfast available after masses 11am - 9pm: rides & booths open 8am & 10am Masses as usual The African Choir is singing at the 10am mass No noon mass

- Deputy Grand Knight Tony Holloway, reporting



Gerry Torres

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Safe Travels

We wish Brother Knight **Fr. Matt Wheeler** a safe journey as he makes a personal pilgrimage to Our Lady of Guadalupe, before spending some days with brother priests for ongoing formation outside of Mexico City, from November 1st to the 10th. Please pray for him. The Knights of Columbus has a tradition of honoring the Blessed Mother. Every Knight receives a rosary when joining a council, and rosary devotion is one of the Knights of Columbus' signature programs.

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St. Jerome Parish Hall 5550 Thornburn Street, Los Angeles, CA 90045



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In Memoriam

May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.



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In Loving Memory of	In Loving Memory of	
John Thompson	Bill Drenick PGK	
& Helen Thompson	& Marie Drenick	
By: Bill Thompson PGK and Family	By: Mary Drenick	
In Loving Memory of	In Loving Memory of	
Joseph Vezzetti	Cressy Lopez	
4th Degree Sir Knight	Founder, Cressy's Lopez Ranch	
By: Chip & Maria (Vezzetti) Mallek	By: Chris Lopez PGK and Family	
In Loving Memory of	In Loving Memory of	
Pat Rotolo	Paul E Hood, PGK &	
A True Brother Knight	Wife Martha Olsen Hood	
By: The Rotolo Family	By: The Hood Family	
In Loving Memory of	In Loving Memory of	
Edwin R & Irene A Zvanovec A True Brother Knight and	Michele Anne DeMarco	
His Loving Wife	By: Your Brothers & Our Families	
By: Thomas Zvanovec	Bill & John Thompson	
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Tom Ullman PGK	Tribute Available	
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By: His Brother Knights		
In Loving Memory of	In Loving Memory of	
Anne Gervais Dorn <i>An Irish Angel</i> 1964 - 2009	Vincent & Beverly Migliazzo Past Grand Knight / Charter Member and His Better Half	
By: Her Husband, Brother Knight Mike Dorn		
Diomei Kinglit Mike Dolli	By: Marlene and Steve Kaufman	

Rest in Peace

Remember in your prayers all our departed Brothers, especially all those who have died in the month of November

11/01/77	Joseph Harley	11/15/72	Louis Quinn
11/01/91	Rev Clement Schneider, SJ	11/15/83	Frank Schroepher
11/04/90	Fredrick Nichols	11/15/11	Rev Robert Arenz, SJ
11/07/03	Lawrence Schumaker, PGK	11/15/15	Charles A Gasper
11/08/69	William Schmiedeke	11/15/16	Charles J "Bud" Hayes
11/08/95	Ruben Lenoue	11/16/93	Abraham Kay
11/08/10	Dr Emmett Reilly	11/17/08	Frank Capone, PGK
11/09/15	Msgr Gabriel Gonzales	11/19/78	Carl St. Onge
11/10/98	Leonard Greco	11/24/57	Dennis Hoban
11/11/17	Edwin Zvanovec	11/24/03	Eric Gittins
11/12/97	Msgr Edmund Maddox	11/25/66	Msgr Thomas Mc Nicholas
11/12/09	Anthony Mancuso	11/26/02	James Williams, PGK
11/12/16	Lyle T Brennan	11/27/78	Raymond Collins
11/14/93	Herbert Behm	11/28/97	Leo Kruer

Anniversaries

Congratulations to all of our Brother Knights and spouses who are celebrating anniversaries this month!

11/02/91		Victor & Maria Alvarez
11/03/63	60 Years!	Seraphino (Lino) & Maria Rodrigues
11/06/93	30 Years!	Greg & Patricia Wiacek
11/09/91		Alejandro (Alex) & Lisa Flores
11/09/63	60 Years!	Lawrence & Kathleen O'Connell
11/11/89		Anthony & Lisa Leoni
11/13/04		Erick & Yujana Guillory
11/14/92		Ed & Sharlene Stokx
11/17/90		Charles & Brenda Kuznia
11/21/92		William & Marie Boeck
11/25/61		Robert & Lori-Dolores Caldwell
11/27/76		Phuoc (Van) & Kim-Oanh Nguyen
11/28/87		Martin & Adela Lopez

November Knight Birthdays

- 1 Herminigildo Suarez
- 2 Aquiles Lopez-Ramirez
- 2 Mark Rover
- 2 Richard Tuholski
- 2 James Wiles
- 3 Brian Holt
- 3 Thomas Houlihan
- 4 Derek (Tony) Holloway
- 4 Gregory Paquin
- 5 Domingo Flores
- 5 Ernesto Rodriguez
- 5 Bernard Valenzuela
- 6 Manuel St Martin
- 8 James McSorley
- 9 Johnny Gil
- 12 William Thompson Jr
- 13 Joseph Greenwood III
- 13 Ikenna (Ike) Nwanonenyi
- 17 Frank Noyes
- 17 James Parr Jr

- 20 Charles Heteniak
- 20 Robert Johnson
- 21 Joseph Cunningham
- 21 Paul Delaney
- 22 Rudy Galaviz
- 23 Victor Ewubor
- 23 John Sawoski
- 24 Kenneth Lance
- 25 Jerome Mc Alpin
- 26 John Lehne
- 26 Rev James McLaughlin
- 27 Paul Callinan
- 27 Msgr Patrick Gallagher
- 27 Agustin Guardino
- 27 Kenneth Lockwood
- 28 Alex Cosare
- 28 Gabriel Faustinos
- 28 Erick Neblina
- 29 Rev Paul Alengattukaran
- 29 Larry Michlovich

November Spouse's Birthdays



- 1 Mary Rouzan
- 5 Geraldine Greenwood III
- 10 Charlene Clark
- 11 Pam Engler

- 13 Sonia Carbajal
- 14 Tira Tessier
- 14 Teressa Syta
- 16 BJ Cooney
- 21 Maura Reznik
- 22 Judy Sulaitis
- 26 Karla Garcia
- 29 GeorgeAnn Callinan
- 30 Maria Elsa Angel

Mindful Moments with Father Jim Forsen

Our Most Worthy Chaplain **Msgr. Jim Forsen** has started a "Mindful Moments" YouTube channel! You can now join Fr. Jim's online YouTube Ministry, through which he shares insightful reflections on each Sunday's Gospel. Subscribe at:





Ladies of Columbus

We Invite You to Join the Ladies of Columbus

Ladies of Columbus, Marian Council #9, partners with Knights of Council #3744 to support our Church and community. In addition to assisting with dinner fundraisers and various Council events throughout the year, our Ladies of Columbus sponsor 14 charities of their own. The Ladies enjoy great comradery while mentoring young women in benevolent service.

Requirements for membership are that applicants be Good Catholic Ladies, no different than their male counterparts needing to be Good Catholic Gentlemen. There is a nominal yearly dues of \$20. Women of all ages are invited to join as either Ladies or Young Ladies of Columbus. There is no mandatory level of service required. Members of the Ladies of Columbus volunteer to do as much, or as little as time allows. We'd love to have you part of our Columbian family.

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Remember our deceased Brothers in your prayers.

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Sat 5:00pm

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Sun 8:00am, 10:00am, 12:00am, 5:00pm

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