

2025-2026



Knights of Columbus Council 14544 St. Anthony of Padua



Grand Knight's Article



Greetings to all,

Thank you to all for helping at the events last month. I greatly appreciate all you do. Also please spread the word for the bingo and pancake breakfast events coming up to your friends and family.



Recently I gave Father Steve the checks for the building fund, faith formation, RCIA, and the churches cut from the three bingo events. This was also included in the bulletin to show the parishioners when they support our council events where the money goes.

On February 3rd SAP will host the Relics of Michael McGivney after the morning Mass. If you can attend please attend Mass and see the relics afterward.

On February 8th we will host a Bingo event at SAP in the banquet rooms. The event will take place after the evening Mass starting at 4:00 pm and go until about 8:30 pm. I will most likely set up the tables on Friday if we are able to. I will send out a sign up genius so you can sign up.

On February 16th we will host a Pancake Breakfast in the banquet rooms after the 6:00 am, 8:00 am, and 10:00 am Masses. We will need help from a few on Saturday to prep but the main amount of help will be on Sunday. Your help will be needed with the sales, serving food, and cooking food. Sign up genius will be created and sent out.

On February 17th we will have our general meeting after the evening Mass. We will host and read the rosary at 5:30 pm before the evening Mass if you are interested in reading a Decade, please let me know. I would also like someone to take organizing the Knights to read the rosary. If you are interested, please let me know.

Luke 6:38 Give, and it will be given to you: a good measure, pressed down and shaken together and overflowing, they will place upon your lap. Certainly, the same measure that you use to measure out, will be used to measure back to you again.

Have a blessed month,

Luis Maldonado

Grand Knight Council 14544

Our Next Monthly Meeting Council 14544

Monday, **February 17, 2025** @ 6PM After Rosary
and Mass in the Banquet Hall.

February 2025



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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2	3 Relics of Fr. Michael McGivney	4	5	6	7 First Friday Adoration	8 BINGO night
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16 Pancake Breakfast	17 	18	19	20	21	22
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Up Coming Events Mark Your Calendar

- ◆ Relics of Fr. Michael McGivney @ SAP after Morning Mass
- ◆ First Friday Adoration– 7 February @ SAP
- ◆ BINGO NITE- 8 February @ SAP 4pm
- ◆ 4th Degree Meeting– 10 February @ SAP
- ◆ Director's Meeting—11 February @ SAP
- ◆ Valentine's Day—14 February
- ◆ Pancake Breakfast—16 February @ SAP
- ◆ 3rd Degree Meeting—17 February @ SAP
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- ◆ The Next Corporate Communion –30 March @ SAP

Always pray for others who can't pray for themselves because others prayed for you when you couldn't. Dear God, wrap your arms around the hurt, the lost, the sad and the broken. Show them your love and light.



In Solidarity with Our Priest's

May God's Love and Peace be with you all from
St. Anthony of Padua Council 14544



Bless Our Priests

Allow them to experience joy in their ministry. Help them to become instruments of your divine grace. Gracious and loving God, we thank you for the gift of our priests. Through them, we experience your presence in the sacraments. Help our priests to be strong in their vocation. Set their souls on fire with love for your people. Grant them the wisdom, understanding, and strength they need to follow in the footsteps of Jesus. Inspire them with the vision of your Kingdom. Give them the words they need to spread the Gospel. We ask this through Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns as our Eternal Priest.

Amen.

Prayer for Religious Liberty

O God our Creator, from your provident hand we have received our right to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. You have called us as your people and given us the right and the duty to worship you, the only true God, and your Son, Jesus Christ. Through the power and working of your Holy Spirit, you call us to live out our faith in the midst of the world, bringing the light and the saving truth of the Gospel to every corner of society. We ask you to bless us in our vigilance for the gift of religious liberty. Give us the strength of mind and heart to readily defend our



freedoms when they are threatened; give us courage in making our voices heard on behalf of the rights of your Church and the freedom of conscience of all people of faith. Grant, we pray, O heavenly Father, a clear and united voice to all your sons and daughters gathered in your Church in this decisive hour in the history of our nation, so that, with every trial withstood and every danger overcome— for the sake of our children, our grandchildren, and all who come after us— this great land will always be “one nation, under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.” We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

OUR SEMINARIAN

Let's get those Prayers and Cards flowing Folks:



Gino Esposito
Propaedeutic Stage
Mount Angel Seminary



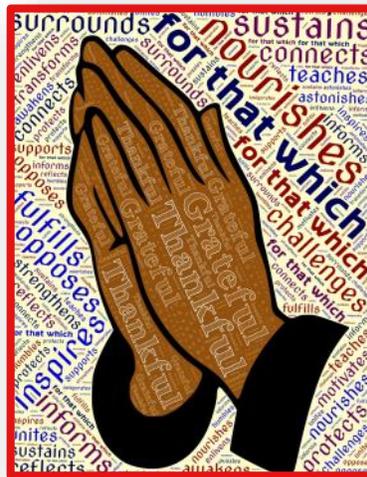
Ernesto Juarez
Propaedeutic Stage
Mount Angel Seminary



Juanpablo Macias
4th Year Discipleship
Stage
Mount Angel Seminary



German-Andrés
Ramirez
2nd Year
Configuration Stage
Saint John's Seminary



Robert Martinez
1st Year Configuration
Stage
Saint John's Seminary



Sean-Matthew
Flores
1st Year Configuration
Stage
Saint John's Seminary



Simon Tran
Pastoral Year
Christ The King Parish



Pray the Rosary



Magnus Igbokwe
Pastoral Assignment
and
Mount Angel Seminary

Pray for Vocations

"O God, we earnestly ask You to bless this archdiocese with many priests, Brothers, and Sisters who will love You with their whole strength and gladly spend their entire lives to serve your Church and to make You known and loved. Bless our families, bless our children. Choose from our homes those needed for your work. Mary, Queen of the Clergy, pray for us, pray for our priests, Religious, and deacons. Obtain for us many more. Amen."



**Knight of the Month
SK Bob Pratt**

**Family of the Month
SK Ray Quintal and
Family**



Brothers,

Our next Degree will be scheduled when Strangers become available at St. Anthony of Padua Team to show up ONE Half hour prior to Degree time in the Father Gerry Room (behind the Chapel Altar) for set-up. Candidates to show up ONE Half hour prior to Degree time in the Father Gene Room .

Financial Secretary to address Candidates 15 minutes prior to Degree time in the Father Gene Room .

BINGO NIGHT

**Saturday, February 8th @
4pm**

In the Banquet Room



Pancake Breakfast

Saturday, February 16 @ 4pm

In the Banquet Room



*Happy
Valentine's Day!*

**Lord, help us to be thankful for one another.
Help my children to be thankful for each other,
for our family to be grateful for each member
and to pray one another continually.
Our gratitude for one another
will bind us together as a family,
and our prayers for each other
will further unify us in gratitude and love.**



Healing Prayer

Heavenly Father, we pray that you will lay your healing hands upon all those who are in need of prayer. We ask You to have compassion on all those who are suffering.

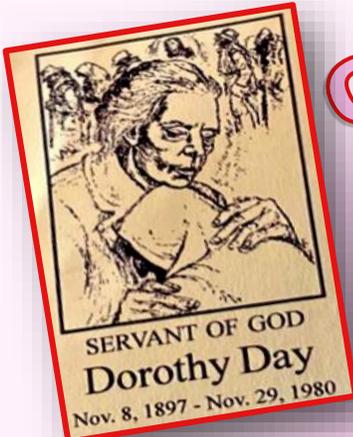
Father Bless all those in our Council and their Families. In Jesus Name, we pray. Amen

Our Council Knights List of Brothers and Family Members in NEED of Prayer



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| Fr. Jim Bevin
Fr. Joe Kuan
Fr. Tom Montesano
All Aborted Children
Christopher
SK Ray Sandoval
Mark Howell
Don Jaeger
Irene Gray
Kimberly Gee
Br. Richard Mysza & wife
Rebecca Scott
Emma Jackson | Margaret Schmitt
Mark Baling
Helen Gogol
Marlene Luna
Jean Driscoll
Sam Bonafeti
Beatritz Romaro
Jim Miera
Bonnie Johns
SK Jim Gentilcore
Keith Milano
Br. Sal Milano & wife
Maria Martinez
Br Steve Janos
Albert Hyde
Allen Gothiem
Sandy Dornak
PSD/ SK John and Pat Layman
Roberta Fox Family
SK Ray & Maureen Quintal | Br. Ralph Luna
SK Daryl Bacon
SK Charlie Marotta
Pat Liddy
Jim Feldhouse
Br. Dominic Fossile
Paul Preston
SK. Chuck McCloskey
Lisa Hurst
Janis Coleman
SK. Tom Vilardi and Wife
Br. Grady Williams
Eileen Centuolo
Br. Frank Munoz's Wife
SK Joe Feldhouse and Family
SK Dennis Murtaugh and Family
SK. Sylvester Smith
SK, Charles McCloskey | ALL Our Deceased Brothers and Sisters of our Council
Barbra Holich
Br. Frank Franco / Charter Member
Br. Ron Marolda
Br. Frank Moralda
Pat Janos
Janice Colavita
Br. Bob Miller
Deborah Murtaugh
Roy Kaneshiro
Fr. Bob Pullman
SK Andy Vallone
SK William (Bill) Capitini
Jan Feldhouse |
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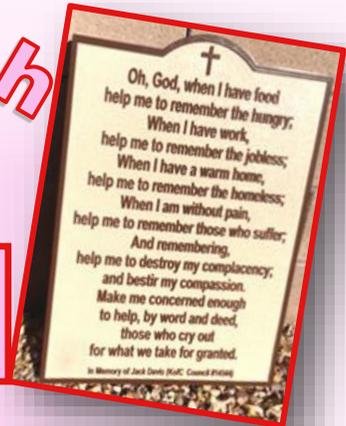




Our Out Reach



Feeding the Homeless
Saturday, February 8th



To help with our Feed the Homeless Event contact SK. Tom Brooks for guidance. Eggs, sausage, pancakes, potatoes and cowboy coffee are prepared in the Catholic Worker's Kitchen, 500 W Van Buren, starting at 4:00 AM. Loading the trailer and van starts around 6:00 AM. Transportation to the feeding area, at G Street and Mc Williams, occurs when the trailer is loaded. Feeding should be underway by 6:30 AM. Join us for all or any part of the preceding. There are more than enough jobs to go around. As always, I guarantee you to be home and back in bed, by 8:00 AM.



St. Anthony of Padua Respect Life Committee

"Isn't it interesting that all of those people who support the choice of abortion have already been born?" Pres. Ronald Reagan

First Friday Adoration immediately following the 8:30 Mass. All are welcome to pray for all life in front of the Blessed Sacrament...

Human life must be respected and protected absolutely from the moment of conception. From the first moment of his existence, a human being must be recognized as having the rights of a person - among which is the inviolable right of every innocent being to life. CCC 2270

Abortion is the leading cause of death in the world, ending more lives than cardiovascular disease, cancer, AIDS, war, hunger ... or any other cause.

OUR Mission: To develop and promote a Culture of Life at St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church by promoting respect for and the defense and protection of Life from conception to natural death, through prayer, public policy, public information and education, and pastoral care.



Prayer For The Canonization of Fr. Michael J. McGivney

God, our Father, Protector of the poor and defender of the widow, and orphan, you called your priest, Father Michael J. McGivney, to be an Apostle of Christian family life and to lead the young to the generous service of their neighbor. Through the example of his life and virtue may we follow your Son, Jesus Christ, more closely, fulfilling his commandment of charity and building up his Body which is the Church. Let the inspiration of your servant prompt us to greater confidence in your love so that we may continue his work of caring for the needy and the outcast. We humbly ask that you glorify your venerable servant, Father Michael J McGivney, on earth according to the design of your holy will. Through his intercession, grant the favor I now present (here make your request). Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

In Solidarity with our Priests



Prayer for Persecuted Christians

O God of all the nations, the One God who is and was and always will be, in your providence you willed that your Church be united to the suffering of your Son. Look with mercy on your servants who are persecuted for their faith in you. Grant them perseverance and courage to be worthy imitators of Christ. Bring your wisdom upon leaders of nations to work for peace among all peoples. May your Spirit open conversion for those who contradict your will, that we may live in harmony. Give us the grace to be united in truth and freedom, and to always seek your will in our lives. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Our Lady, Queen of Peace,
pray for us!



Helpful Contact Numbers

Catholic Charities Adoption Services (702) 385- 3351

First Choice Pregnancy Services (702) 294-2273

Women's Resource Centers of Southern Nevada (702) 366-1247

Living Grace Home – (702) 212-6472 (serving the special needs of pregnant young moms)

Rachel's Vineyard – (702) 737-1672 (Sufferers of post-abortion trauma)

Diocese of Las Vegas — <http://www.lasvegas-diocese.org/>

Br. Neal Driscoll — 702-569-8822
nealdriscoll1958@gmail.com **Handyman**

PRAYER for Peace

Lord, make me an instrument of thy Peace

Where there is hatred, let me sow Love;

Where there is injury, Pardon;

Where there is doubt, Faith;

Where there is despair,
Hope;

Where there is darkness,
Light;

And where there is sadness,
Joy.



O Divine Master,

Grant that I may not seek to be consoled as to
Console;

To be understood, as to Understand;

To be Loved, as to Love;

For it is in giving we Receive,

It is in pardoning we are Pardoned,

And it is in dying that we receive Eternal Life.

Amen.

Council Shirts

Windbreakers and Hats

Available for SALE

Polo Shirts (NO Pocket)	New Style- T474 \$30.00 (Wicking)
ST350 T-Shirts (W) T- Long Sleeve (W)	\$12.00 \$15.00
Windbreaker w/ Hood	JST70 \$28.00
Hats	\$15.00



To
ALL our



February
Brothers and their Families

**Officers and Directors for St. Anthony of Padua Council 14544
2024– 2025 Fraternal Year**

COUNCIL OFFICERS

Grand Knight -

SK. Luis Maldonado



Deputy Grand Knight - SK Josh Lynn

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2 Year Trustee - SK. Sam Franco PGK

3 Year Trustee - SK Frank Holich

***Lecturer - SK. Ray Quintal PGK**

(* Appointed Positions)



I am your Financial Secretary :

SK. Bill Thompson PGK

Cell # 847-431-4556

Email - billt4626@yahoo.com

Catholic Workers

We need underwear, socks and t-shirts for our Friday shower program, please contact Julia: julia@lvcw.org or (702) 647-0728



Catholic Worker

Socks and Underwear



COUNCIL DIRECTORS

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SK. Ray McCollum PGK

Program Director - SK Josh Lynn, DGK

Church Director - SK. Frank Holich PGK

Community Director - SK. Tom Brooks

Council Director - OPEN

Family Director - SK. Sam Franco PGK

Youth Director - SK. Brad Coburn

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Fireworks Chairman - Br. Ralph Wagner

Charitable Contributions Chairman -

SK. Joe Feldhouse PGK

Vocations Chairman— OPEN

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