

GRAND KNIGHTS REPORT

August 13, 2009

Correspondence: Supreme Convention concluded. Live coverage on television as well as press coverage in AZ Republic. 1st Marian congress following convention was very well received. Guadalupe Festival on Aug 8 filled Jobing.com arena with enthusiasm, inspiration and love for our Blessed Mother. A fitting ending for an eventful week. All but 2 tickets (of the 56) for the festival were used, with 37 people enjoying the bus accommodations. (Thank you to the anonymous donor for your help in making the trip comfortable and enjoyable!)

*Received thank you letter from Paul Scheier grant recipient Brenna McLean.

*Notified of conflict for officer Installation planned for Aug. 22. New tentative date of Sept. 19.

*1st Way fundraiser scheduled for November. Fr. Bernie to provide specifics(date, time). Cost

*Vocations Vistas distributed after masses 7/25-26 and 8/1-2.

*Ministry Fair, Rosary Sunday and out PID drive are approaching. Please be generous in giving of your time to support these efforts.

Old Business

- 1) Guadalupe Festival bus cost reduced to \$735(from \$880) (\$600 covered by donor)
- 2) Knights at Ballpark 8/30- ticket orders will be placed on 8/14 4pm- Sell, Sell, Sell
- 3) Ministry Fair 9/12-13. Need help at booth after all masses. See Tom Donnelly to sign up
- 4) Installation of Officers – Sept. 19. Dinner at Riazzis. Final dinner cost at Sept. mtg.
- 5) Year of Priest ideas – Magnetic “Pray for Priests” Black Ribbon cost=\$2ea.

New Business

- 1) Elect Warden
- 2) Request for refreshments(coffee, tea, lemonade) for Diocesan ministry heads event at OLMC- Tues 8/18 7pm(requested by Pam Myskowski). 150-200 attendees.
- 3) Rosary Sunday ad due 9/1 (1/8 page=\$50, 1/4 page=\$100) 40th anniversary of Diocese
 - a. Encourage use of Light Rail – cheaper, convenient drop off!!
- 4) Sponsor Knight to attend Right to Life Conference, Aug 29 - \$65
- 5) Light up for Christmas-see Bob McKay – tree permit=Jim Armstrong, cost? Lights?
 - a. Nativity Coloring Book \$.45ea. min. 100 – provide to RE program.
- 6) Memorial Mass for Lesley Drechsler, 10/10 8am.
- 7) Soccer Challenge – end of Sept. Order kit. Prizes? (~\$60 for balls)

Events and Activities

- 8/13 Golf Tournament Debriefing – Native NYer – Broadway after meeting
- 8/18 Diocesan Ministry Heads meeting(refreshments) - OLMC 7pm
- 8/20 Men’s Mass - OLMC 7pm
- 8/22 1st degree – St. Helen’s, Glendale 9am
- 8/26 Officer Mtg - Tom Donnelly 1845 E. Manhattan Dr. Tempe
- 8/28-29 Right To Life Conference – Chaparral Suites
- 9/1 1st degree – Fray Francisco Garces, Glendale
- 9/3 September General Business Mtg. 7pm Teacher Lounge
- 9/4 Adoration Security – 11pm-5am Contact Jack Joyce to help
- 9/9 1st degree – St Tims, Mesa 6:45pm
- 9/13 Ministry Fair-OLMC after all masses
- 9/15 1st degree-Fr. Patterson, Chandler
- 9/19 Installation of 6627 officers after 5pm mass
- 9/23 Officer Meeting – Duane Campbell 624 E. Fillmore St. Tempe
- 10/4 Pancake breakfast
- 10/10 Memorial Mass – Lesley Drechsler, OLMC 8am
- 10/11 Rosary Sunday 2-4pm

10/13 1st degree-St. Anne's, Gilbert

10/24 1st degree-St. Helen's, Glendale