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ST. MARY'S COUNCIL 3355  
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**ST. Mary's Council 3355**

**Officers for the year 2011-2012**

Grand Knight	Tony Herrera
Deputy Grand Knight	David Pacheco
Chaplain	Fr. Juan Montoya
Program Director	David Pacheco
Chancellor	Paul Mancuso
Financial Secretary	John Schmidt
3 Year Trustee	Jimmy Villabisencio
2 Year Trustee	Benito Montoya
1 Year Trustee	Victor Ramirez
Warden	Elias Trujillo
Advocate	Jim Lenzo
Recorder	Pablo Montoya
Treasurer	Steve Arnold
Inside Guard	Arnie Arcensio
Outside Guard	Jerry Kassler
Lector	David Marcus

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**Fourth Degree Officers 2011-2012**

Faithful Navigator	Jim Lenzo
Faithful Friar	David Marcus
Faithful Captain	Tony Herrera
Faithful Pilot	Ken Davis
Faithful Comptroller	David Pacheco
Faithful Purser	David Marcus
Outer Sentinel	Carlos Pacheco
Inner Sentinel	Ruben Hernandez
Faithful Scribe	Alfredo Pacheco
Faithful Admiral	Charles Gonzales
3 Year Trustee	Jim Villabisencio
2 Year Trustee	John Schmidt
1 Year Trustee	Alfredo Pacheco

**Pot Luck Gathering**

The potluck dinner is held the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of the month. The Grand Knight's choice this month will be **"Italian Food"**. We will also need desserts & drinks. Please bring along family members or friends. The Blessing will be at 6:30 PM with dinner to follow

**Meeting Night**

The monthly business meeting will be held on August 10, 2011 at 7:00 PM. The Officers and Degree Team Members will need to arrive by 6:30 PM to prepare for the meeting to be held that night.

### **Corporation News**

Reminder that the Otero County Fair is our major fund raiser for our council and corporation. Please sign up and participate. As in all things with God's grace and working together we will succeed. Your next Corporation Meeting is August 10, 2011 @ KC Hall starting at 5:30 PM.

Alfredo F Pacheco  
President

### **Youth Activities and Program for People with Disabilities (PPWD)**

Brother David Pacheco has joined the ranks of Special Olympics Otero County (SOOC) Golf Team. His partner is Peter Rocha from Tularosa. We are practicing diligently every Tuesday for the State Games to be held in Farmington on August 19, 2011. The PPWD Committee meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of every month at 6:30 pm @ the KC Hall to plan events and coordinate volunteers.

### **Knight of the Month**

The nominees for Knight, Lady, and Family for the Month of July were unavailable at the time of distribution.

### **Newsletter**

The newsletter is published by Ken Davis. If you have an article for the newsletter please call 437-4470 or e-mail [ken-dawg51@hotmail.com](mailto:ken-dawg51@hotmail.com)

### **Fair Schedule**

Aug 14 / Peel Chilies @ KC hall, 4:00 PM  
Aug 15 / Cook Meat @ KC hall, 8:00 AM  
Aug 16 & 17 / Clean Booth and haul supplies  
Aug 18 / Fair 5 -11:00 PM  
Aug 19 / Fair 11 – 11:00 PM  
Aug 20 / Fair 11 – 11:00 PM  
Aug 21 / Clean up

### **KC Hall Rental's (these dates are reserved)**

Aug 20 / Fair Prep  
Nov 12 / Wedding  
Dec 3 / Christmas Party

### **This Month's Birthday Wishes**

The Knights of Columbus want to extend a birthday wish to the Knights listed below:

#### **August**

Alexander, Ellis  
Avila, Louis  
Chacon, Nick  
Campbell, Charles  
Garcia, Anthony  
Gibeau, George  
Guzman, Jose Jr.  
Morales, Donald  
Matta, Steve  
Montoya, Fr. Juan  
Murray, John  
O'Donnell, Timothy  
Pacheco, Carlos  
Silva, Edward

#### **Up Coming Events**

Aug 17, 4<sup>th</sup> Social @ Tia Lupe's / 6:30 PM  
Aug 18-20, Otero County Fair

#### **The Good of the Order**

We offer prayers for all the Brother Knights and their families who are in poor health or having surgery. May they have a quick recovery especially, Donna Pacheco, Henry Pacheco, Cathy Duryea, Bud Alexander, Juanita Cooley, Grace Filips, Greg Telles, Ciro Garofano, and Veronica Kautzman.

#### **Respect Life News**

Dear Knight and Ladies, I'm asking for your help in assisting the catholic pro-life group Life League of NM in August at the Fair. We are going to have a booth where we will have educational materials available, models of babies to see, and stickers to give out to the kids. We have big hearts but small numbers. Any free time you could spare to sit in the booth would be greatly appreciated. You can contact Chris 437-2488 or Chuck 415-7467. God bless you all.  
Prolife couple, Rich and Chris Tenski

### **Membership**

If you know an eligible Catholic gentleman, please invite him to become a Brother Knight. If you need a form 100 please call David Marcus at 434-1600 or John Schmidt (Financial Secretary) at 491-6878 or ask any of the officers.

### **Vocations**

Please pray that the youth of today will answer the call to the religious life to become Priests, Deacons and Nuns.

### **Ladies Auxiliary Officers 2011**

Sheri Guilliams (President)    Linda Villabisencio (Vice-President)  
Donna Pacheco (Treasurer)    Terry Davis (Secretary)

### **Words from the Grand Knight**

I want to give you an update on the Organizational meeting held in Espanola N.M. on 9TH and 10TH of July 2011. First of all we have a new District Deputy for District 17 one of our own Brother Knight Fidel Valdez I want to take this opportunity to congratulate him on his stepping up to take on this task again, we in St Mary's council 3355 know what a great asset he truly is, not only to State, but to the Knights of Columbus. There have been some changes in the reports we sent in to supreme and state which we when over in the regular meeting held on the 13TH of July , we will go over with the committee chairs which will be sending out the reports to State and Supreme to made sure they are sending the reports on time and correctly. Also covered at the meeting was the change in the way we will do the 2nd and 3rd degrees, and the forming of a second degree team in our council.

We will be having the installation of Officers for the Ladies and the council on the 27TH of July the day of the Pot luck. Also are fair is coming up on the 18Th thus the 20TH ,because Ken Davis is out of town taking care of personnel matters, Benito Montoya has taken on the task of getting the ball rolling to get the Fair Booth ready ,we will be out at the fair ground starting on Saturday the 23 of July to clean and see what we need to get the booth ready for the big event, I ask you to give us a hand in getting our booth ready for fair , this is the big money maker for our council for the year, thanks one and all for your help in this endeavor.

I want to ask you to pray for Henry Pacheco, Donna Pacheco, Linda Villabisencio, Patsy Gonzales, Charlie Gonzales, Lulu Valdez A.F. Pacheco, Juanita Cooley, Veronica Kautzman, Charlie Filips, Maria Wells, Kathy Duryea, and any Brother Knight and Family member that is in need of Prayer.

Que Vivat Jesus  
Grand Knight  
Anthony P. Herrera



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### **WORDS FROM THE FAITHFUL NAVIGATOR**

As of this writing, the installation of Fourth Degree Officers has not taken place. There may be a conflict because George Martinez may have to attend a funeral in Colorado. The installation is to be held in conjunction with the Ruidoso Assembly at the Cree Meadows Country Club in Ruidoso on Sunday, July 31, at 7 pm. I will keep our officers updated by phone if the installation is rescheduled.

We will continue to have our monthly meetings at St Jude until further notice. For August we will have a social at Tia Lupe's. Meet at 6:30 pm for dinner with necessary business items to follow, if necessary. As always, Third Degree Knights are also invited to attend.

Thought for the month: You may believe that you are responsible for what you do, but not for what you think. The truth is that you are responsible for what you think, because it is only at this level that you can exercise choice. What you do comes from what you think.

Saint of the Month: In the New Testament, Bartholomew is mentioned only in the lists of the apostles. Some scholars identify him with Nathanael, a man of Cana in Galilee who was summoned to Jesus by Philip. Jesus paid him a great compliment: "Here is a true Israelite. There is no duplicity in him". When Nathanael asked how Jesus knew him, Jesus said, "I saw you under the fig tree. Whatever amazing revelation this involved, it brought Nathanael to exclaim, "Rabbi, you are the Son of God; you are the King of Israel". But Jesus countered with, "Do you believe because I told you that I saw you under the fig tree? You will see greater things than this"

Nathanael did see greater things. He was one of those to whom Jesus appeared on the shore of the Sea of Tiberias after his resurrection. They had been fishing all night without success. In the morning, they saw someone standing on the shore though no one knew it was Jesus. He told them to cast their net again, and they made so great a catch that they could not haul the net in. Then John cried out to Peter, "It is the Lord."

When they brought the boat to shore, they found a fire burning, with some fish laid on it and some bread. Jesus asked them to bring some of the fish they had caught, and invited them to come and eat their meal. John relates that although they knew it was Jesus, none of the apostles presumed to inquire who he was. This, John notes, was the third time Jesus appeared to the apostles. ([www.americancatholic.org](http://www.americancatholic.org))

Viva Jesus  
Jim Lenzo  
Faithful Navigator