Knights' Knotes

Corpus Christi Council 10062

September, 2023

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From Our Worthy Grand Knight...



While attending the August fellowship breakfast, several topics were presented which helped to further deepen my faith. I shared a prayer that I received while attending a catholic conference held in South Dakota, The prayer brought back memories of that conference and some of what I had learned there. Here is the prayer:

Come Lord Jesus, purify this food. Let it lead to strength, to Apostolate and to take the right next step at all times, in all places and in all circumstances.

Amen

Catholics worldwide are being persecuted This prayer calls for us to have the Grace to navigate through the many temptations and snares of the devil.

Charley Lanzillotta shared with me how he stays up on current news that Catholic's face. The news comes in an email with links enabling you to pick and choose what subject you wish to look deeper into. It is called the "loop". Perhaps some of us already subscribe. This is a free service and does not send you endless amounts of emails. Here is a link theloop@catholicvote.org It has been called the great promise of Jesus, Our Lord to St. Margaret Mary. The grace of final repentance: "They will not die in my displeasure, nor without receiving the sacraments; and my Heart will be their secure refuge in that last hour". Devotion to honor his Sacred Heart. Is something I am willing to do and would like to invite you all to join with me in this devotion starting October 6th at the 8:15 morning Mass (please be in the state of grace)

How to complete the First Friday's Devotion:

- Receive Holy Communion on each First Friday.
- The nine Fridays must be consecutive.

They must be made in honor and in reparation to His Sacred Heart.

Promises of the Sacred Heart to St. Margaret Mary for Those Who Honor His Sacred Heart

- 1. I will give them all the graces necessary for their state of life.
- 2. I will give peace in their families.
- 3. I will console them in all their troubles.
- 4. I will be their refuge in life and especially in death.
- 5. I will abundantly bless all their undertakings.
- 6. Sinners shall find in my Heart the source and infinite ocean of mercy.
- 7. Tepid souls shall become fervent.
- 8. Fervent souls shall rise speedily to great perfection.
- 9. I will bless those places wherein the image of my Sacred Heart shall be exposed and venerated.
- 10. I will give to priests the power to touch the most hardened hearts.
- 11. Persons who propagate this devotion shall have their names eternally written in my Heart. In the excess of the mercy of my heart, I promise you that my all powerful love will grant to all those who will receive Communion on the First Fridays, for nine consecutive months, the grace of final repentance: they will not die in my displeasure, nor without receiving the sacraments; and my Heart will be their secure refuge in that last hour.

Bob Truxes Grand Knight Council 10062

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FINAL CALL **FOR GOLF** TOURNAMENT REGISTRATION SEE PAGE 2





Saturday, September 9

6:30 AM Registration / 7:30 AM Shotgun Start **Arizona Grand Golf Course, Ahwatukee (Phoenix)**





Golf, Awards Luncheon, Door Prizes, Raffle Prizes, Silent Auction and More. Proceeds will be awarded to the Folds of Honor Scholarship Fund to benefit families of fallen Military Veterans and First Responders, the Knights of Columbus **Ukraine Solidarity Fund and other Knights of Columbus Charities.**

Knights of Columbus 10062 Charities, Inc., Phoenix, Arizona



REGISTRATION INFORMATION

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CALENDAR

Please note - some event dates and times are subject to change. Please attend Council meetings and watch for future alerts for details.

September, 2023

Sept5 th – CUF 4-9 pm after mass in Parish Center

Sept 6 – Men of St Joseph – Speaker – Parish Center

Sept 7 - Council Dinner 6:00pm-6:30pm room 5/6 Pizza knight

Council 10062 General meeting; 7pm room 5/6

Sept 9 – Golf Tournament – Arizona Grand, Registration 6:30 am, Shot-gun start 7:30 am

Sept 16 – Knights at Chase Field, D-back vs Cubs, Serpientes Cap Giveaway; 5:10pm

Sept 21 – Council 10062 Leadership/Planning meeting; 7pm rm 6

Sept 24 to Oct 1 – Family Promise in all rooms; KofC Dinner TBD

Sept 26 – Fellowship Breakfast; Biscuits 8:15 am

Sept 28 - Assembly San Xavier del Bac 14; 7pm – Need to move to different site

Sept 29 – Catholic Night at Chase Field; 6:40pm first pitch

October, 2023

Oct 5 - Council Dinner 6:00 PM - 6:30 PM followed by the Council General Meeting at 7:00 PM (Parish Center)

Oct 7 - Italian Dinner (Parish Center - Tentative - Watch for more information)

Oct 10 - Columbus Day

Oct 15 - Arizona Rosary Celebration - Phoenix Convention Center 2:00 PM - 4:30 PM Bus leaves CCCC at 12:15 PM and returns at approximately 5 PM

Oct 15 - Pancake Breakfast - served after all AM Masses. Prep starts at 6 AM

Oct 19 - Council 10062 Leadership / Planning Meeting 7:00 PM Open to all Council members

Oct 24 - Fellowship Breakfast at Biscuits 8:15 AM

Oct 26 - San Xavier del Bac Assembly 14 meeting 7:00 PM rooms 5 & 6

Oct 28 - Trunk or Treat (games and cooking at CCCC following 4 PM Mass)

Driving Events Coming Soon

Our largest fundraiser is fast approaching. Please keep your calendar open for driving cars for the Charles Schwab Cup in late November and for the Fiesta bowl in December/ January. In the meantime please give your attention to our annual golf tournament on September 9 amd all other events throughout the fall and early winter!

Vivat Jesus!
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"[I]t means a loyal willingness to say that black is white when Party discipline demands this. But it means also the ability to believe that black is white, and more, to know that black is white, and to forget that one has ever believed the contrary." - George Orwell 1984

Can any true Christian deny Christ. The Roman governor Gaius Plinius Secundus did not believe so. Pliny in a letter to the Emperor Trajan observed that he would release those who were brought before him but denied they were Christians by making them invoke the Roman gods and "revile[...] the name of Christ: none of which things, I understand, any genuine Christian can be induced to do." But do we, not actively maybe but passively, insult Christ and criticize His teaching? Have, as St. Jude wrote, "Godless men... found their way secretly into your company, and are perverting the life of grace our God has bestowed on us into a life of wantonness; they even deny Jesus Christ, our one Lord and Master." (Jude 4-5)

I say this as each day presents to us all a faith life different from any the Church has ever known. There seems to be a corruption of the faith occurring which is so complete, so hideous, that it is difficult to believe that it is accidental. Men, for reasons unknown, seem intent on creating a faith worthy of the hideous edifices we pray in, the ones which belong in a strip mall sandwiched somewhere between a rib joint and a second hand clothing store.

I traveled recently to Chicago and while attending mass picked up a copy of the diocesan newspaper *Chicago Catholic*. In it were articles common to all such papers; stories about local ministries, parish youth groups, travel, obituaries, etc. Two articles however dominated, one about the naming of a new head of the Dicastery for the Doctrine of the Faith, the other a piece written by the Cardinal Archbishop of Chicago welcoming, to Chicago, "with great joy", the Parliament of the World's Religions, whose scheduled list of speakers are restricted it would appear to climate change activists, abortion activists or ideally both.

Now we may feel we understand our position as Catholics and our roles and responsibilities to both defend and promote our faith but after reading these articles I'm not so sure. We may see ourselves with the duty to promote faith, particularly the Catholic faith, over culture but in reality, according to the article, it is; "to bring about a more just, peaceful, and sustainable world".

While reading these two articles I was struck by how similar the language was to elitist political claptrap. Meaningless drivel repeated over and over, without parameter or context. Flummery for a troubled world. Phrases like, *diversity and vitality, faith lived in dialogue with culture, broader and deeper understanding, diversity, culture of encounter and dialogue, remarkably diverse world,* and on and on. Somehow, and not by accident, the words diversity and dialogue appear 22 times! So what are we to make of this?

The mass, the ancient mass, in its' collects, lessons and gospel, was filled with admonitions to the faithful, laity and cleric alike, to preach the word of the Lord, to never turn a deaf ear to the truth. Our faith is a free assent to the whole truth that God has revealed, not dialogue and mutual listening. It is not fresh insights gleaned from interreligious dialogue, which seems to ignore St. Paul's warning that, "the time will surely come, when men will grow tired of sound doctrine, always itching to hear something fresh; so they will provide themselves with a continuous succession of new teachers, as the whim takes them." (2 Tim. 4;4)

So the Church of the 3rd millennia approaches the coming Synod, bent on a spirit of false ecumenism, eager to learn what different religious traditions can teach us by the sharing of their "spiritual and ethical values", with a new prefect for the Doctrine of the Faith charged with "speaking to real world concerns", and not being "overly focused on sexual ethics", after a World Youth Day which can only be described as "Weirdstock". This is not likely to end well.

What to make of all this is beyond me. But I am worried. Too many seem "to transmute the grace of God into self indulgence" as St. Bede tells us, "who sin more permissively and freely the more they see they are less likely to be called to account by the strictures of the law for the crimes that they have committed". Rather we should understand that the things which "Jesus commanded are not light matters" but that we "who believe, who are baptized in the Trinity, must do everything that has been taught." (St. Jerome comm. on Mt. 28;20)

To know Him, to love Him, and to serve Him. That's why God made me. That's the rule. My guiding principle. At least until I am told that the Church doesn't teach this, and never did teach this and to forget that I ever believed the contrary.

Vivat Jesus

Robert N. LaCRoix, PGK





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A community working together to serve those in need.

July 14, 2023

Knights of Columbus Council 10062 3550 E. Knox Road Phoenix, AZ 85044

Dear Knights of Council 10062,

Thank you for your donation of \$11,205.00 to The Society of St. Vincent de Paul (SVdP) on June 1, 2023. Your gift enables us to provide rental, utility, and food assistance to our neighbors in need. Our ministry is blessed that you are willing to donate your financial support to our programs.

The generosity of Corpus Christi parishioners and the surrounding community is a blessing to the needy. We send thanks and God's blessing to you and your family.

Please keep this acknowledgment for your tax records.

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On behalf of all at SVdP,

Carmelita Madison

President

Tax Information

No goods or services were promised or provided by the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul in return for this gift. The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization and your gift is tax-deductible, as allowed by law. Your gift may also qualify for the Arizona Tax Credit for contributions to Qualifying Charitable Organizations (QCO). This is in addition to School Tax Credits. Please consult your tax advisor if you have any questions. Tax 1D 86-0096789. Arizona QCO 20540.



MEETING SACRIFICE

Since its inception in 2007, Folds of Honor has awarded nearly 44,000 scholarships totaling nearly \$200 million to the spouses and children of America's fallen and disabled service members. And now, in our biggest announcement yet, we are expanding the Folds of Honor mission to incorporate America's first responders, including police, fire-fighters, EMTs and paramedics.

This move reflects our purpose to meet sacrifice with hope and show first responders and their families that they are not alone.

There are nearly 2 million first responders in the United States who respond to approximately 240 million calls made each year. Every time they respond to one of these calls, they are putting their life on the line. In 2021 alone, 669 law enforcement officers and 135 fire-fighters perished while on duty in the U.S.

Appreciation for U.S. military service members and First Responders is the single most unifying position held by Americans. On this we agree: those who protect our freedom and our families deserve our unwavering support.

Folds of Honor is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization that provides educational scholarships to the spouses and children of military members who have fallen or been disabled while serving in the United States Armed Forces.

Our educational scholarships support private school tuition or tutoring in grades K-12, tuition for college, technical or trade school and post-graduate work, including a master's degree, doctorate, or professional program. Funds for a second bachelor's degree or trade/technical program certification are also available.

Among the students served, 41 percent are minorities. It is rated a four-star charity by Charity Navigator and Platinum on GuideStar. It was founded by Lt Col Dan Rooney, the only-ever F-16 fighter pilot (with three combat tours in Iraq) and PGA Professional. For more information or to donate in support of a Folds of Honor scholarship visit arizona.foldsofhonor.org.



UKARINE SOLIDARITY FUND

As of the date and time of completion of this newsletter, the K of C Ukraine Solidarity Fund has raised \$21,856,604.00 in relief for the victims of the war in Ukraine.

To find out more about the Knights of Columbus Ukraine Solidarity Fund please visit https://www.kofc.org/en/what-we-do/charity/ukraine.html



Gary Kwapiszeski, Field Agent

Call me today to review your coverage and to plan for the protection of your family...

If getting your finances in order is one of your goals, please reach out to me at **480-701-1305** or email gary.kwapiszeski@kofc.org.





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9/13 Robert Dore

9/19 Gene Lutz

9/21 Bernie Hageman

9/26 Bruce Howard, Jose Ruiz

9/29 Paul Skipper

9/30 Kenneth Loftis





In A Word...

Our Brothers on the Frontlines in Maui



Dear Brother Knight,

The once beautiful green landscape of Maui is now darkened with ash and debris from the deadliest natural disaster in Hawaii's history. Tragically, more than 100 people have lost their lives and nearly 400 are still missing.

Yet in the face of this unimaginable loss, our brother Knights have not yielded in their service to those in need. Working around the clock, the 170 brother Knights in Maui's three councils continue to bring humanitarian and spiritual support to island families. And thanks to your continued contributions to the Knights of Columbus Disaster Relief Fund, we are making a real and immediate impact. Consider:

- Late last week, two cargo planes funded by the Knights of Columbus delivered food to the people of Maui.
- Knights are building temporary housing for displaced victims and families.
- Working with our partner Epic Ministry, we supported the development of a web portal through which families can request essential items, which Knights and other volunteers then deliver free of charge.
- In partnership with Msgr. Terry Watanabe of St. Anthony of Padua Parish in Wailuku and backed by a \$100,000 donation from the Order's Disaster Relief Fund, Knights have helped build a temporary facility for Sacred Hearts Catholic School in Lahaina. The school reopened this week and students are back in the classroom.
- All told, over \$200,000 has been donated to the Diocese of Honolulu to serve the local community.

Officials estimate that the rebuilding effort in Maui could take years. As in all our charitable relief efforts, the Knights will remain for the long haul. United in faith and charity, we'll continue to deliver on the mission set by our founder, Blessed Michael McGivney.

Thank you for all you have done to advance this work on behalf of our suffering brothers and sisters. Please continue to keep the people of Maui in your prayers. And if you are able, please **DONATE NOW** to the Knights of Columbus Disaster Relief Fund. 100% of your donation will support recovery efforts in Hawaii.

Please stand with us and donate today.

Thank you for your generosity! Fraternally, Patrick E. Kelly Supreme Knight

Parish Expo October 21 and 22

Please attend the September and October meetings for more information

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Thank you - GK Bob Truxes, Sam Chamoun, Steve Black Bill Steinkemper, Chuck Wold, PGK Mike Moore, PGK Bob LaCroix,. We miss you, Jim. "In a word" is our editorial section and is reserved for relevant opinion and content. Some content may not necessarily be that of the Council. Comments and concerns regarding the content of this publication may be sent to JulTiritilli@gmail.com.

Corpus Christi Council 10062

Phoenix, Arizona





Celebration of the Feast of Blessed Michael McGivney

























Thank you to all who attended the Mass, prepared food for the reception and helped in prayer to further the cause for canonization of Blessed Michael McGivney





It's Knights' Kids Kickoff!

Yes, it's time again to make your plans for Knights' Kids at JCPENNEY. More details are to follow, but as of now we will meet at the JCPENNEY on Ray Road on Saturday, December 2 at 7 AM. For those of us who have participated before, you know that this is one of the most heart-warming events of the year. For those who have not experienced Knights 'Kids, please consider doing so this year. Participation is NOT limited to Knights and their families, so if you know of anyone who may be interested ion participating, please reach out to them with a reminder. (SET required). Donations are always appreciated and welcomed and there is no time like the present to send in yours. Please make checks payable to "Knights of Columbus 10062 Charites, Inc." (yes, you can abbreviate Knights of Columbus to "K of C"). Mail checks to:

Knights of Columbus 10062 Charities, Inc. 3550 E. Knox Road Phoenix, AZ 85044

Please note "Knights' Kids" on the memo line. Thanks and hope to see you all there and in support of this wonderful event

Want to know more?



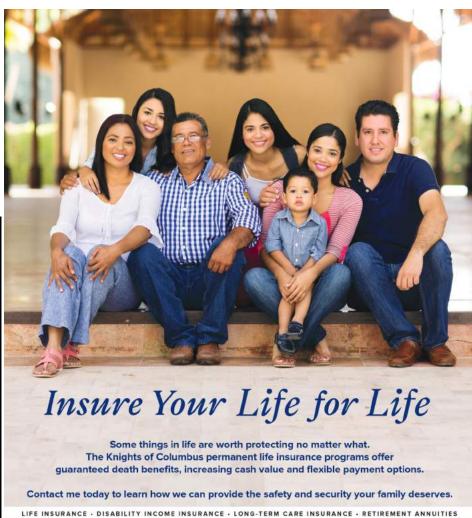
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For More Information, please visit... https://www.efoodhandlercard/invite/306c2b

The Kitchen in the Corpus
Christi Catholic Church
Parish Center is classified
as a "commercial" kitchen.
ALL working in the kitchen are
REQUIRED to hold a valid
Food Handlers certificate
issued by the State of Arizona.





Contact me today to learn more: Gary Kwapiszeski, FICF Field Agent 480-701-1305 gary.kwapiszeski@kofc.org





Optional Opening Prayers:

You expired, Jesus, but the source of life gushed forth for souls,

and the ocean of mercy opened up for the whole world. O Fount of Life, unfathomable Divine Mercy,

envelop the whole world and empty Yourself out upon us. *Repeat three times*:

O Blood and Water, which gushed forth from the Heart of Jesus as a fountain of Mercy for us, I trust in You!

Our Father

Our Father, who art in heaven,

hallowed be thy name;

thy kingdom come;

thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread;

and forgive us our trespasses

as we forgive those who trespass

against us;

and lead us not into temptation,

but deliver us from evil.

Amen

Hail Mary

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with you;

blessed are you among women,

and blessed is the fruit of your womb, Jesus.

Holy Mary, Mother of God,

pray for us sinners

now and at the hour of our death.

Amen.

The Apostle's Creed

I believe in God.

the Father almighty,

Creator of heaven and earth,

and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,

who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,

born of the Virgin Mary,

suffered under Pontius Pilate,

was crucified, died and was buried;

he descended into hell;

on the third day he rose again from the dead;

he ascended into heaven,

and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the holy catholic Church,

the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body,

and life everlasting.

Amen.

For each of the five decades

On each "Our Father" bead of the rosary, pray:

Eternal Father, I offer you the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Your Dearly Beloved Son, Our Lord, Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world.

On each of the 10 "Hail Mary" beads, pray:

For the sake of His sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

Concluding prayer (repeat three times)

Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, have mercy on us and on the whole world.

Optional Closing Prayer

Eternal God, in whom mercy is endless and the treasury of compassion inexhaustible, look kindly upon us and increase Your mercy in us, that in difficult moments we might not despair nor become despondent, but with great confidence submit ourselves to Your holy will, which is Love and Mercy itself.

The Chaplet of the Divine Mercy



Schedule of Upcoming Novenas

Our Lady of the Rosary: September 28 - October 7
Our Lady of the Immaculate Conception: November 29 - December 8

Communal Rosary Schedule

Rosary Monday through Saturday at 7:45 AM Family Holy Rosary - Sunday at 4:30 PM Rosary for Youth - Tuesday at 5:30 PM Life Rosary - Thursday at 6:30 PM

For more information, please visit the parish web site corpuschristi.org/communal-rosary



Intentions...

Please remember to pray for those Brother Knights, family members and friends of Brother Knights for improved health or whatever distress they may be going through.



All on our lists...

The casualties from the war in Ukraine.
The casualties from the severe weather, mass shootings and other violence throughout the U.S. and the rest of the world.

Please reply to Grand Knight's email should you have any changes to the list of our departed Brothers and family members and the list of those in need of prayer for improved health.

God our Father, protector of the poor and defender of the widow and orphan, You called your priest, Blessed Michael 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 Blessed Michael 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.

Useful Web Sites...

Council....kofc10062.org State Council...kofc-az.org Supreme...www.kofc.org Insurance...rasoagency.com

Please note - Required Training!

Diocese Of Phoenix Safe Environment Training

The mission of Safe Environment Training is to prevent sexual, physical, or emotional abuse and/or neglect of children and young people through continued education, building awareness, and maintaining a commitment to keeping all children and young people safe. Different training sessions are designed for parents, youth, and volunteers serving in ministries.

Training is available ONLINE! Class descriptions, requirements and registration are available at

phoenix.cmgconnect.org.

The Diocese of Phoenix is committed to protecting all children and youth by offering abuse prevention educational sessions. All adult volunteers must complete the initial Safe Environment for Lay People Foundation Training. This program teaches the steps that can be taken to prevent child sexual abuse. Additional requirements include:

Complete a volunteer application Attest to the Code of Ethics Consent to a background check

The Diocesan Policy and Procedure for the Protection of Minors requires annual training for:

All Clergy

Employees

Volunteers that directly serve minors
All Minors - each year, in Children's Faith Formation classes, in grades Pre-K through high school, every student participates in a Safe Envi-

ronment program during their class time.

All other parish volunteers must renew Safe Environment training every other year.

Renewal training is offered online for all subsequent years.



On July 7 & 8, Council 10062 was host to the Arizona State Council Organizational meeting. Thanks to Mark Waypa and crew for all your work with this event.



























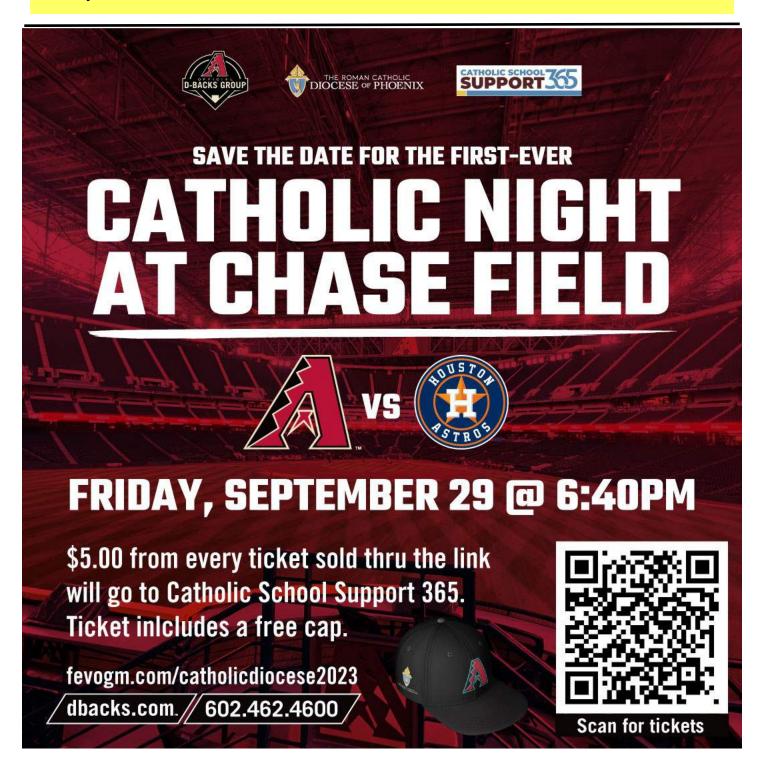






The **September General Council Meeting** on Thursday, September 7 will be held in RE rooms 5 & 6. Prior to the meeting, pizza will be served starting at 6 PM. In order to provide enough for everyone, please let us know if you plan to attend. Email bob@americanliberatoraerospace.com or jultiritilli@gmail.com. By Wed. 9/6.

Thank you.





August, 2023 Council Meeting





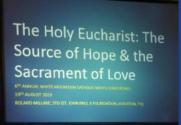








Feast of Blessed Michael McGivney Mass at Sts. Simon and Jude











White Mountain Catholic Men's Conference





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