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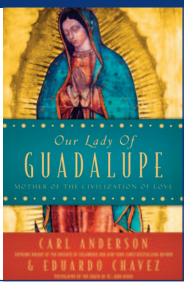
#### Weekly news for Knights around the world

This week, Knights are preparing to celebrate the 20th anniversary of the Order's consecration to Our Lady of Guadalupe on Dec. 12. Learn more below.

# Our Lady of Guadalupe: Mother of the Civilization of Love

All author proceeds from the sale of this book will be donated to Knights of Columbus Charities.

This New York Times bestseller by Supreme Knight Carl Anderson and Msgr. Eduardo Chávez, postulator of St. Juan Diego's cause, traces the history of Our Lady of Guadalupe from the sixteenth century to the present. KNIGHTS GEAR AMAZON



#### **Guadalupe: The Miracle and the Message**

Narrated by actor Jim Caviezel, this gripping film explores the inexplicable mysteries behind the image and the relevance of the Guadalupe apparition to the modern world. WATCH TRAILER STREAM ON AMAZON PRIME

# LIVESTREAM: Mass on the feast of St. Juan Diego

Join us for a Mass for healing among native communities at 12 p.m. EST on Dec. 9, the feast of St. Juan Diego.

The Mass will be celebrated by Father Maurice Henry Sands, executive director of the Black and Indian Mission Office, and will honor the cherished culture of indigenous peoples across the country. The liturgy will be broadcast live from the Saint John Paul II National Shrine. FACEBOOK | YOUTUBE

# Honor Our Lady with in-person and virtual events

Join the Saint John Paul II National Shrine on Dec. 11 to honor Our Lady of Guadalupe.

From 7 – 8 p.m. EST, the shrine will be hosting a Marian Festival of Lights followed by a Vigil Mass for the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe celebrated by Bishop Mario Dorsonville of Washington, D.C., from 8 – 9 p.m. Registration on Eventbrite is required for in-person attendance, and the events will also be livestreamed. Learn more here.

# True or false? Claims about Our Lady's image

A bomb once exploded at the foot of Juan Diego's tilma, but didn't harm it — but some claims about the image are false. Learn more at www.kofc.org/guadalupe, our newly designed webpage showcasing the story of Our Lady of Guadalupe and her miraculous image. The page will go live Dec. 9, the feast of St. Juan Diego.



# Free, printable image of Our Lady of Guadalupe

The miraculous image captured on Juan Diego's tilma reveals the full story of the apparition of Our Lady of Guadalupe. Learn about the secrets of her image in this free, printable PDF.

*Or, order a full-size poster from Knight of Columbus' Catholic Information Service here.* 

#### Christmas and the crèche

Since many public events are limited because of COVID-19, all Knights are encouraged to set up a family Nativity scene in a prominent place in their home. Families can also follow a virtual Advent Calendar, such as the one celebrating 20 years of the Christmas Tree Festival sponsored by the Blessed Michael McGivney Pilgrimage Center. *Follow the center on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram, and learn more about how to keep Christ in Christmas here.* 



# On this day in history: The Bombing of Pearl Harbor

This video from our archives honors Ensign William I. Halloran who was killed at Pearl Harbor. Ensign Halloran, who was the first K of C member to die in World War II, volunteered to join the Navy on Aug. 14, 1940 — exactly 50 years after the death of Blessed Michael McGivney. WATCH

# When is the last time you reviewed your life insurance policy?

Having an up-to-date life insurance policy gives you the peace of mind that your family is protected. CONTACT YOUR AGENT

# Former pro-volleyball player joins K of C online

David Kantor has played professional volleyball around the world. Today, he's found a new team as a Knight.

The Great Bambino. His Airness. Broadway Joe. Those are some of most notable nicknames in the world of sports.

David Kantor, a professional volleyball player, has a more unconventional nickname: "Church." Kantor recently became a member of the Knights by joining online. READ | WATCH

Know a Catholic man interested in the Knights? He can join online like David did. It's FREE to join online through the end of the year — only \$35 to renew. DISCOVER MORE

#### Advent and the Knights of Columbus

*Catholic journalist and brother Knight Gerald Korson is sharing a series of Advent reflections.* 

Advent is a time to find hope even as we feel the weight of continued social distance limitations, losing friends and loved ones, and other effects of the coronavirus. READ MORE

This is the second reflection in the Knights of Columbus Advent series. Missed the reflection for the first week of Advent? Find it here.

#### Knights spoke, we listened

Thousands of Knights have offered feedback on what they want and need from council meetings; in response, the Supreme Council is offering new guidelines for council meetings. These guidelines include a new meeting agenda and other practices that will make meetings more engaging and satisfying for members. Join us for a webinar explaining the new guidelines on Dec.17 at 8 p.m. EST. REGISTER

#### Do you like what you see in Knightline?

Forward the newsletter to Catholic men interested in the Knights. You can also share your questions, feedback and story by emailing knightline@kofc.org.

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