

Christmas Lights & Mural put up at St. Kevin's Parish



Twelve brother knights worked from 11:00am until 4:00pm with a short lunch break for Chinese food on Saturday, November 12, 2011, cleaning up the church grounds by raking and bagging the leaves, wrapping the eight emerald cedar trees in the forecourt of the church with burlap, relacing the spotlight over the main altar in the church, and putting up the exterior Christmas lights. White and red lights were used to create the Christmas tree formation on each side of the main entrance while two sets of colored lights were wrapped around the eight supports lining the forecourt of the church and another set of white lights was used to illuminate the three arches over the main doors.



Five brothers then labored from 11:00am until 4:00pm with a short lunch break for barbecue chicken on Saturday, November 26, 2011, installing the nativity scene mural painted by SK Herminio Crisostomo in the middle arch of the front facade at St. Kevin's Parish and filling in the holes in the pavement in the rear parking lot. The new mural created this year features a traditional



Filipino representation of the nativity scene with palm trees and a volcano in the background. Coarse gravel and cold press asphalt requiring only hard tamping were used to fill three large holes at the Dupuis Street entrance of the church parking lot.



Standard & Poor's Rates Knights of Columbus AAA

Standard & Poor's has once again given the Knights of Columbus its top rating of "AAA," based on "the Society's extremely strong capital, very strong competitive position, historically strong profitability, and extremely strong liquidity." This is the 19th consecutive year in which S&P has rated the Knights of Columbus AAA. The action comes just a few weeks after another ratings agency, A.M. Best, gave the Knights of Columbus its highest rating (A++) for the 36th consecutive year. Knights of Columbus products include term and whole life insurance, annuities, long-term care insurance and disability insurance. The S&P report noted that the KofC "has a distinct competitive advantage within the Catholic community, characterized by an affinity relationship between the Society and its policyholders." It added that the loyalty of the customer base "is reflected in its lapse ratio (3.6% in 2010), which is typically among the lowest in the industry."

Member Profile



Agustin Oriel

Agustin was born in Caningay, Candoni, Negros Occidental, Philippines in 1960. He joined the Knights of Columbus in 2006 and passed his third degree initiation in 2008. He finished his bachelor of science in maritime transportation in 1981 at Iloilo Maritime Academy. Agustin emigrated to Canada in November 1995. He is married to Anna Lissa Bigornia and is the father of two children, son Alfred John and daughter Janessa Mari, a squire. He is presently employed at Canada Steamship Lines.

Remembrance Day Observance at St. Kevin's

An honour guard of nine fourth degree knights from D'Arcy McGee Assembly 1697 and San Lorenzo Ruiz Assembly 3103 served at the wreath laying ceremony during the offertory procession on Sunday, November 6, 2011, at St. Kevin's.

Calendar

- Nov. 27 - Monthly general meeting
- Dec. 3 - District 91 Christmas party at St. Thomas
- Dec. 9 - Monthly executive meeting
- Dec. 15-23 - Simbang Gabi at St. Kevin's
- Dec. 17 - Council 14315 Xmas party at St. Malachy
- Dec 18 - Council 6497 Xmas social in Rosemere

Birthdays

- Nov. 3 - Dwight Sullivan
- Nov. 7 - Alfredo Villarino
- Nov. 14 - Sister Maria Noemi
- Nov. 15 - Roberto Penton
Archie Reyes
- Nov. 16 - Rolando Rimando
Anthony Del Rosario
- Nov. 17 - Dominique Kpoghomou
- Nov. 19 - Benedict Olalia
- Nov. 22 - Sister Helen Araneta
Sr. Remedios Gonzales
- Nov. 24 - Wilbert Nacino
- Nov. 26 - Sherwin de Guzman
- Nov. 28 - Squire Paolo Cortez
- Nov. 30 - Rommel Medina

Family of the Month



SGK Rey Nacino, our grand knight, with wife Alice, daughter Chi-Chi, a squire, & son Wilbert, a 3rd degree member

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