



**KNIGHTS
OF COLUMBUS**

IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

Archbishop Edward J. Hana Assembly 61, Santa Rosa, CA

**FOURTH
DEGREE**

Patriotic degree of the Order



June 2019

Assembly 61 Faithful Navigator's Message

June, 2019

Greetings my fellow Sir Knights. I hope this finds you, your family, your friends and your loved ones well. It's hard to believe that it's nearly June already and this Columbian year is coming to an end.

We held our business meeting on Wednesday, May 15, 2019, at Palms Grill in Petaluma. At the meeting we discussed the slate of officers for the upcoming Columbian Year. Most officer positions were filled with Sir Knights willing to either stay in their current positions, or stepping into new positions. We still have a few vacancies (see below – labeled as "tentative"). If you are listed as tentative, please respond directly to me as soon as possible to indicate whether or not you wish to fill that position for the upcoming Columbian Year; otherwise, I'll assume you wish to run for that office next year.

Faithful Navigator -- SK Dave Dibble
Faithful Captain – SK Dan Ramos (tentative)
Faithful Comptroller -- SK Brad Nicholls
Faithful Friar -- SK Fr Raul Lemus
Faithful Admiral -- SK Peter Fanucchi (tentative)
Faithful Purser - SK Rich Sievers
Faithful Pilot -- SK Craig Archer (tentative)
Faithful Scribe -- SK Rob Dibble
Inner Sentinel -- SK Martin VanTassell
Outer Sentinel -- SK Brad Lifo
One Year Trustee -- SK Mark Marchione
Two Year Trustee -- SK Tom McGaw
Three Year Trustee -- SK Jim Merriman
Color Corps Commander -- SK Art Rios

NOTEWe will not be holding another meeting before the end of this Columbian year. Therefore, we will be voting virtually. That means we will be electing officers for the upcoming Columbian year by responding to this newsletter. Please respond to me not later than Friday July 5, 2019, to let me know that you: 1. consent to the slate of officers stated above; or 2. that you do not consent to the slate of officers above; or 3. if you wish to nominate a SK or if you wish to fill an officer role. Silence is**

consent; if you do not respond, I'll assume that you are voting for the slate of officers as submitted above. I will ensure that Supreme and others are notified as appropriate after June 15. Please let me know if you have any questions. **NOTE

Also discussed at the meeting was that our Assembly would put up and take down American Flags at Calvary Catholic Cemetery in Santa Rosa on the Friday before and the Tuesday after Memorial Day, and that there would be a Mass on Memorial Day at the Calvary Catholic Cemetery Chapel. According to SK Rich Sievers, the Mass was a very fun event. Thank you to SK Bob Nickel for making the arrangements for this patriotic event.



Also discussed at our meeting was a process whereby the Faithful Comptroller will approve all expenditures before the Faithful Purser will write checks. The following checks were written and approved since our last meeting:

Dave Winter (bagpipe)	Check #317	\$275
Lee Aman Music	Check #318	\$100
Boy Scouts Troup 58	Check #319319	\$50

Once again, I highly encourage all of you to consider joining the Color Corps. For further information, contact our Color Corps Commander, SK Art Rios. I also encourage you to wear your name badges and other items that identify you as Knights of Columbus when you attend our meetings, when you attend Mass and at all other church functions as appropriate. We need to be the “faces” of our esteemed Order to all members of our respective parishes. After all, we are all recruiters for the Knights and have to be readily identifiable as such.

As I said before, if any of you ever need anything or want to talk to me, my “door is always open” – my cell phone number is 707-364-6006 (text capable) and my email address is marchionemark@gmail.com (copy and paste). I look forward to hearing from each and every one of you soon.

Vivat Jesus!!



Mark Marchione

Faithful Navigator, Assembly 61

Upcoming 4th Degree Exemplifications

- June 2019, Morgan Hill, place to be advised.

Assembly 61 Officers for Columbian Year 2018-2019

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