



# District Update June 2021

**Council Officer Elections** – May 15- June 30 Council Officer Elections for the 2021-2022 Fraternal Year.

**Report of Officers Chosen** – form #185 due June 30.

**Columbia Award** - SP-7 due June 30

**Service Program Personnel Report** - #365 due August 1

**Star Council** –Time is running out submit you [Columbian Award - SP7](#) and [Founders Award - 11077](#)

**Organizational Meeting**- July 8-11 -. Stay tuned for details.

**Multi District Meeting** -. Stay tuned for details.

**Important - Covid Recovery Program** - The [COVID Recovery Program \(CRP\)](#) ([click for the guidebook](#)) focuses on resuming operations in a way that inspires members and parishioners to become reinvolved with Church and community activities. The CRP has three key elements: parish support, interactions between state and local councils, and fraternal engagement. This page provides CRP information and resources for state leaders, district deputies and council leaders. [Click here for information.](#)

**New Mexico State Council Newsletter**- If you are not receiving the New Mexico State Council Newsletter subscribe now to receive it - [Subscribe](#)

## **New Guidelines for Council Meetings**

Section 124 of the Charter, Constitution and Laws of the Knights of Columbus requires each subordinate council to hold at least two regular meetings each month.

- One is a Council meeting for all members. The purpose of this meeting is to build fraternal spirit, to share information, to strengthen formation in the faith, and to present matters that require the vote of council members.
- The other monthly meeting is an Officers' Planning meeting. The purpose of this meeting is to plan programs, develop budgets, pay approved bills, prepare motions, discuss new ideas, and deal with other necessary matters. Council officers, directors, and chairpersons are required to attend this meeting. This meeting is open to any council members who wish to attend.

[Click here for the guidebook for Council Meetings](#) - In addition to guidance on running these two types of meetings, this guidebook also contains a section on virtual meetings and the conduct of business by virtual means.

## **The Officers' Desk Reference now has a search function.**

As you know, the ODR is a powerful reference tool that contains definitive guidance on a wide range of subjects relating to the self-governance of Knights of Columbus councils and assemblies, including:

This new search feature will help you locate the information that you're looking for more quickly. Simply enter search terms in the search box as illustrated below.

**IRS Form 990** - Councils and Assemblies are legally obligated to file an IRS Form 990 (informational tax return) for the 2020 tax year, and to provide detailed instructions on how to comply with this obligation.

- The User Guide for the IRS Form 990-N Electronic Filing System is available here: [USER GUIDE Form 990-N \(e-Postcard\)](#)
- The Form 990 e-Postcard Electronic Filing System is available here: [CLICK HERE TO FILE Form 990-N \(e-Postcard\)](#)

**Liability Insurance** - Every Council and Assembly is required to provide their own liability insurance. [Click](#) for more information.

**Ultrasound Request** - OLOG Gift of Life Center (pregnancy care center) in Santa Fe has requested assistance with an Ultrasound Machine. The estimated cost of the machine is \$40,000. We are requesting assistance from all NM Councils to make this possible. No donation is too small or too big. Donations should be submitted to our WSS Bernard Ela. Thank you in advance for your assistance in this worthy project for life.



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## Training

**NMSC Financial Secretary Training** - *Contact* DD David Martinez for FS Training Classes at [DAVIDRMTZ@HOTMAIL.COM](mailto:DAVIDRMTZ@HOTMAIL.COM) or 505-220-9351

**COVID RECOVERY PROGRAM** - This webinar occurs several times. Please register for the date and time that works best for you.

[Register now!](#)

An introduction of the new COVID Recovery Program designed to help Councils seamlessly transition back to the "Old Normal" and fully support their Priest and Parish through recovery from COVID. After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.

**Supreme Training** - It is never too late for Knights to register and participate in one of the Western Territory Webinars! These live, productive, interactive, and fun Webinars should be made available to all Knights.

The links below will help you to register for the sessions:

- [DISTRICT DEPUTY BASIC TRAINING](#)
- [FAITH IN ACTION \(How a District Deputy Can Help!\)](#)
- [GRAND KNIGHT BASIC TRAINING](#)
- [COUNCIL GROWTH AND THE DELTA CHURCH DRIVE SYSTEM](#)
- [YOU ARE YOUR PROGRAMS](#)
- [ENHANCING MEMBER EXPERIENCE BY CREATING A CULTURE OF ENGAGEMENT](#)
- [SURFIN' SAFARI \(KofC.org\)](#)
- [WORKING WITH YOUR PASTOR](#)
- [NEW MEETING GUIDELINES](#)

If you have any questions, comments, or concerns, please don't hesitate to reach out.

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### Knights of Columbus



The New Mexico State Degree Team  
will be hosting a virtual/in person  
degree of Unity, Charity, and  
Fraternity:

Date: June 12, 2021

Time: 10:00 am

Place: Lamy Hall

2800 San Mateo NE,

Alb. NM 87110

All Gentlemen interested in participating.

Please contact.

SW Anthony Salazar

[salazaranthony79@yahoo.com](mailto:salazaranthony79@yahoo.com) or

call 505-319-3233



**Time for new men to join or  
if you are already a Knight  
and want to advance, now  
is your opportunity!**

TAKE ADVANTAGE OF FREE MEMBERSHIP!!  
EXPIRING JUNE 30, 2021



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Knights of Columbus John H. Reddin  
Province District of New Mexico  
May 27, 2021

Patriotic Virtual Exemplification, Albuquerque, New Mexico

**HOSTED BY:** Virtual

**PLACE:** Lamy Hall, Albuquerque, NM

**DATE/TIME:** Saturday, June 12, 2021  
12:00-12:45. Check-in. via web virtual teleconference  
(Show current 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree Membership Card). **All Candidates and DV must acknowledge themselves using the Chat function with Name, Membership Number. DV's please acknowledge with Name and Title of Office**  
12:45 pm. Candidates will be addressed by District Master  
1:00 pm. Exemplification begins:  
**DUE TO THE VIRTUAL NATURE OF WEB-BASED CONFERENCES, THERE WILL BE NO ENTRY AFTER A FEW MINUTES INTO THE EXEMPLIFICATION. THERE WILL BE AN ANNOUNCEMENT.**

**PRICE:** \$50.00 per Candidate  
Current membership card required to show membership number.  
Virtual Candidates will receive web teleconference link via email given within week of Exemplification with further directions for online.

**DRESS:** Wearing of a black, navy blue or dark gray business suit (no sport coat) with long-sleeve, white dress shirt, long neck-tie or bow tie, black shoes and socks.



Call or email District Master or the  
4<sup>th</sup> Degree Membership Director

MFD Clinton J. Deeley (575) 749-3014  
Email: [deeleyx4@msn.com](mailto:deeleyx4@msn.com)

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**VIVAT JESUS! VIVA CRISTO REY!**