

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Saturday, April 22, 2023

All events will take place at:
St Thomas More Catholic Church
10205 FM 620 N
Austin, TX 78726

The Life House is the 1st building on the left side of the entrance drive. Brennan Auditorium is behind the statues that are behind the church. The PAC is the 2nd building on the left side of the entrance drive.

Note: Times in blue have changed from original flyer.

11am-1pm: Registration: TBD: Life House or Brennan Auditorium

1pm: Candidates assemble for final instructions followed by group photograph.

1pm: Ladies' Program participants meet in the Life House.

1:30pm-3:30pm: Exemplification: PAC

4:15pm: Candidates assemble for Mass.

5-6pm: Mass

6-7pm: Social and photo opportunity for singles or couples in the Hall.

7-8:30pm: Banquet: Meal to honor the new Sir Knights at the PAC.

LADIES' PROGRAM

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1pm-3:45pm: A fun and interesting program will be planned for the ladies. After the program, they can join their new Sir Knight husbands for Mass and the banquet.

HOTEL INFORMATION

TBD

PICTURES

A group picture will be taken just prior to the exemplification. The photographer will be available during the social to take pictures of couples or others for a nominal fee.

HOST ASSEMBLY

St. Maximilian Kolbe Assembly 2767
10205 FM 620 N
Austin, Tx 78726
Kevin Brinkman - FN

Austin Chapter K of C website
<http://kofcaustin.org/>

Knights of Columbus

Patriotic Degree

Our Lady of Guadalupe Province

SK Jesus R Villarreal Jr
District VI Master

April 22, 2023 Exemplification
In Honor of
Sir Knight Steve Musil



CANDIDATE INFORMATION

Exemplification Fee

Exemplification fee is \$90, which must be submitted with Membership Form 4 through your Assembly to the District Master.

Assemblies sponsoring priests must submit a Form 4 and \$35 fee for each priest. "No show" candidates (less than five-day notice) other than priests will be assessed \$35.

The District Master must receive all Form 4s with a check payable to "Knights of Columbus" (with "DM Fund" on the memo line) from the Faithful Comptroller by April 1, 2023 for the candidate(s) to be listed in the program.

Candidates will receive Patriotic Degree lapel pin, social baldric, and (later) a certificate.

Requirements to join the Patriotic Degree

Candidates must be 3rd Degree Knights in good standing with their Council and bring their 3rd Degree membership card to the Exemplification.

Official Dress for the Day - Candidates

Black, dark blue, or dark gray business suit with a white shirt, a dark tie, black socks and black shoes. *No boots. No sport coats. No button-down collars. No ruffles.*

Priests and Transitional Deacons should wear clerical attire. Active-duty members of the Armed Forces and first responders may wear their dress uniform. These are the only exceptions to official dress for the day.

REQUIRED PAPERWORK

Candidates must complete Sections 1-4 of the Form 4. Proposer must add his name and membership number and sign Section 4.

Council Financial Secretary must review and sign Section 5 to verify that the candidate is a 3rd Degree member in good standing and to confirm the membership# and 1st Degree date.

Assembly Faithful Navigator and Faithful Comptroller must sign Section 5 to indicate acceptance into the Assembly. The Assembly number and city must also be included.

Faithful Comptroller must forward the Form 4s with all proper signatures along with a check to cover exemplification fee, ladies' program, and additional banquet tickets needed. **Paperwork and checks are due to the District Master by April 1, 2023.**

PATRIOTIC DEGREE UNIFORM

The official uniform is available from <http://kofcuniform.com>. Cost is \$449 plus shipping for basic uniform: jacket, pants, tie, and beret.

In lieu of the uniform, Sir Knights can wear the candidate dress of the day plus social baldric and Patriotic Degree pin. If wearing a tuxedo, wear it as a suit with a long tie and a plain shirt.

The District Master will raffle off a uniform at the banquet if there is enough interest. Tickets will be \$10 for one or \$20 for three. He will also raffle a uniform for existing SKs if there is sufficient interest.

TICKETS

Candidates are guests of the Master and will be given one Saturday night banquet ticket if attending. All others must purchase banquet tickets through their Assembly. Tickets will be handed out at the registration table.

Extra banquet tickets: \$35 each
Ladies' Program: \$25 each

All tickets must be ordered through the Assembly's Faithful Comptroller. He must submit one check payable to "Knights of Columbus" (with "DM Fund" on the memo line) with names of candidates and others attending by April 1, 2023 to:

Jesus R Villarreal Jr
Master-Texas 6th District
212 S Judge Hailey Dr
P.O. Box 221
Lott, TX 76656

MEMBER INFORMATION

All Sir Knights are encouraged to attend the Exemplification and Mass. Sir Knights must wear uniform or dress as listed to the left and bring their 3rd Degree and Patriotic Degree membership cards.

