

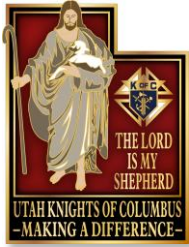
Utah State Council 2023-2024 State Convention

Awards Banquet Dinner

Comfort Suites Ogden Conference Center
District #3 (Larry Page, DD)
Ogden, Utah

Saturday, April 27, 2024





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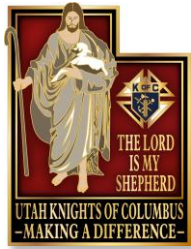
Utah State Council 2024 State Convention Banquet

6:00 PM Social *(cash bar)*

6:15 PM Scholarship Drawing

6:30 PM Banquet Dinner

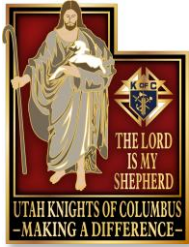




Utah State Council 2024 State Convention Banquet

- Presentation of Colors
 - Fourth Degree Honor Guard
- Pledge of Allegiance
 - Stephen Gerichs, State Warden
- Opening Prayer and Grace
 - Rev. Gabriel T. Mosher, OP, KCHS
- Welcome and Introductions
 - Bill Kelly, State Deputy
- Special Presentation
 - Stacey Yeager, District Deputy
- **Dinner is Served**
 - Photo Slideshow on Screens





Presentation of Scholarships

- The Patriotic Scholarship of the Utah Fourth Degree
- SLC Council No. 602 Columbian Society Scholarship
- Dan Higgins Memorial Scholarship
- Utah Knights of Columbus Endowment Scholarship





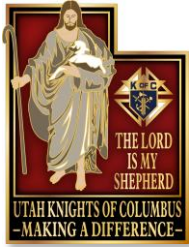
The Patriotic Scholarship of the Utah Fourth Degree

Essay Topic: "What are the duties of a Catholic citizen to God and country in today's society?"

Entries (3):

- Ella G. Martin
 - Father - Tom L. Martin, Assembly #1144
- Anabel Carmona
 - Husband - Frank Carmona, Assembly #2577
- Gracson Milton
 - Father - Scott Milton, Assembly #2577



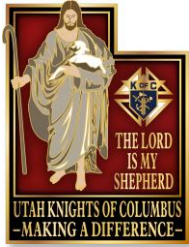


The Patriotic Scholarship of the Utah Fourth Degree

- Congratulations to Anabel Carmona

She is the wife of Francisco "Frank" Carmona from Reverend Thomas J. Meersman Assembly 2577.





Scholarship Presentations

Scholarships (for students graduating high school)

- SLC Council 602 Columbian Society Scholarship
- Dan Higgins Memorial Utah Scholarship
- Utah Knights of Columbus Endowment Scholarship

Applicants:

Amalia Aikin (1129)

Isabella Carmona (14764)

Isaiah Casteñeda (8606)

Danielle K. Colosimo (6147)

Marcile Jumonville (14399)

Mia Steiner (12181)





Scholarship Presentations

SLC Council No. 602 Columbian Society Scholarship

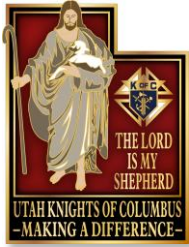
Salt Lake Council No. 602 Columbian Society

\$1000

Amalia Aikin

Parents: Michael and Michelle Aikin
of St. Mary of the Assumption
Council 1129, in Park City.





Scholarship Presentations

Dan Higgins Memorial Scholarship

Salt Lake Council No. 602 Columbian Society

\$1000

Mia Steiner

Parents: John and Lynette Steiner
of Mother Teresa of Calcutta Council
12181, in Draper.





Scholarship Presentations

Utah Knights of Columbus Endowment Scholarship

\$1000

Isabella Carmona

Parents: Frank and Anabel
Carmona of Fr. Thomas Kraft
Council 14764 in SLC.



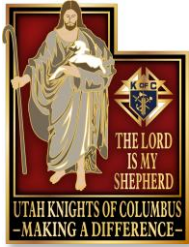


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- Ray Lopez, PSD
- Regional Growth Director





Award Presentations

- To Be A Patriot
- Program Awards
 - Faith
 - Family
 - Community
 - Life
- Chaplain of the Year (McGivney Award)
- Family of the Year
- Knight of the Year





To Be A Patriot Award



Robert Masse Jr. PSD
Knights of Columbus
Utah District Master



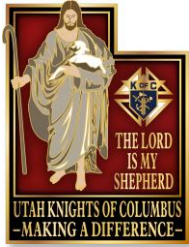


To Be A Patriot Award

Submissions (3):

- **Assembly 1144** F.N. Tom Blockovich
 - Supporting Veterans and Their Families
- **Assembly 2577** F.N. Robert Diaz
 - Knights of Columbus Assembly 2577 Golf Tournament
- **Assembly 2636** F.N. Robert Van Parys
 - VA Fisher House Support





To Be A Patriot Award

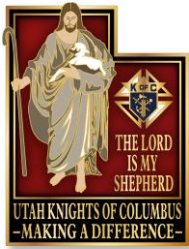
**Supporting Veterans and
Their Families**



**Father Dominguez
Assembly #1144**

Faithful Navigator
Tom Blockovich





Faith in Action Program Awards

- Faith
- Family
- Community
- Life



FAITH



FAMILY

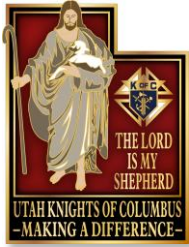


COMMUNITY



LIFE





Faith Award



FAITH

Stephen Gerichs
Knights of Columbus
Utah State Warden





Faith Award

Submissions (10):

- 1129 - RSVP Seminarian**
- 1136 - Carmelite Car Raffle**
- 5214 - Intercultural Marion Celebration**
- 5502 - Ministry Fair & Breakfast**
- 6010 - Cor**
- 9849 - Memorial Rosary Garden**
- 11246 - Lent Season**
- 12181 - Pray The Rosary**
- 12959 - Divine Mercy Image**
- 13297 - Interfaith Round Table**





Faith Award

Carmelite Car Raffle

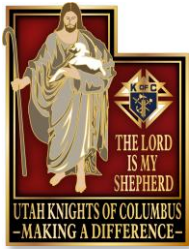
Father Escalante Council

Council 1136

Orem

Grand Knight: **Dennis Robles**





Family Award



FAMILY

Bill McCauley
Knights of Columbus
Utah State Advocate





Family Award

Submissions (8):

5214 - Night with the Knights

5502 - Scouts Dinner

6010 - Easter Egg Hunt

9849 - Lenten Dinners

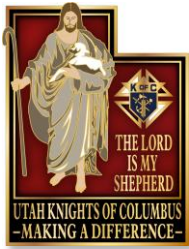
11246 - Trunk or Treat

12181 - Movie Night

13297 - KCIC Essay Contest

15418 - KCIC Poster Contest





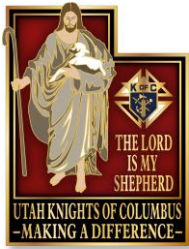
Family Award

Night with The Knights

Bishop Hunt
Council 5214
Kearns

Grand Knight: **Tim Lozano**





Community Award



COMMUNITY

Frank Carmona
Knights of Columbus
Utah State Treasurer

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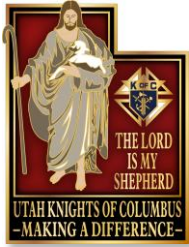


Community Award

Submissions (12):

- 1129** - Coats for Kids **5214** - St Francis Charity
5502 - Easter Egg Hunt
6010 - Coats for Kids **6966** - Carmelite Fair
9849 - Christmas Greenery Sales
11246 - Homeless Youth Bingo
12181 - Blue Mass
13297 - Backpack Bonanza
14239 - Mardi Gras **14399** - GMAC Support
15418 - Fish Fry





Community Award

St. Francis Community Charity

Bishop Hunt
Council 5214
Kearns

Grand Knight: **Tim Lozano**





Life Award



LIFE

Greg Keller, PSD
Knights of Columbus
Utah State Advisor

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Life Award

Submissions (7):

5214 - Diaper Drive

5502 - Blood Drive

6010 - ASAP

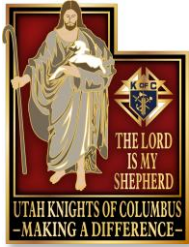
9849 - RCIA Bible & Materials

11246 - Eucharist Revival Rally

12181 - Christmas Party

14399 - Ultrasound





Life Award

Ultrasound Golf Initiative

Bishop Jospeh Lennox Federal
Council 14399
South Ogden

Grand Knight: **Michael McMahon**





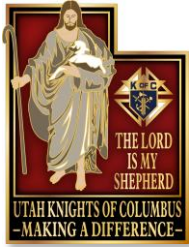
ASAP

Aid and Support After Pregnancy

Donations from: **602, 5214, 6010, 9849, 11479, 12181, 14239, 15418, State Council.**

\$8,500 in monetary and \$11,700 in materials donations yielding \$2,600 in Supreme matching





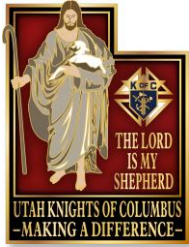
Culture of Life

Contributions From Councils:

777, 1136, 5214, 6010, 6147, 6739,
6966, 9561, 9731, 9849, 10304, 10733,
11479, 12181, 13646, 14239 and
Delegate Mileage (mileage donated by
delegates at meetings)

Total contributions from above **\$1,778.00**





RSVP

Refund Support Vocations Program

Contributions from these 18 Councils and 2 Assemblies:

**602, 1129, 1136, 5502, 6010,
6739, 6966, 7961, 9731, 9849,
10304, 10733, 11246, 11479,
12181, 13297, 14399, 15418,
A2393, A2577.**

Supported a total of 7 seminarians.





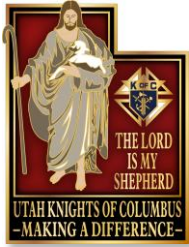
Christopher Fund

Donations were received from these 11 councils:

**602, 1136, 6147, 6739, 9849, 10304,
10733, 11479, 12181, 13646, 14239.**

Total Christopher Fund: \$847.00





Vocations Fund

Donations from 14 councils:

**602, 1129, 1136, 5214, 6010,
6147, 6739, 9849, 10733, 11479,
12181, 13646, 14239, 16127.**

Vocations Fund Total \$ 2,257.





2023 - Military Vocations Fund

Donations from 14 councils:

**602, 1129, 1136, 5214, 6010,
6147, 6739, 9849, 10733, 11479,
12181, 13646, 14239, 16127.**

Military Vocations Fund Total \$ 1,329.





Bishop Support – Total Funds

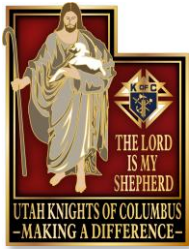
In rough numbers...

Christopher Fund	\$ 847.00
Vocations Total	\$ 2,257.00
Culture of Life Total	\$ 1,778.00

Grand Total: \$4,882.00

(Split between the Bishop, and the CFU.)

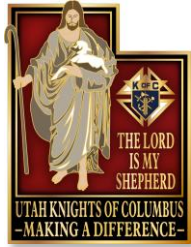




Other Charitable Contributions

Coats for Kids	\$39,600
Ultrasound Initiative	\$19,500
Special Olympics	\$ 6,900
Prolife and Clergy	\$ 4,800
Other	\$ 8,200
TOTAL	\$ 79,000





State Blessed Michael McGivney Award (Chaplain of the Year) Nominations

Nominations (6):

5502 – Fr Andrzej Skrzypiec

5214 – Fr. Sebastian Chacko

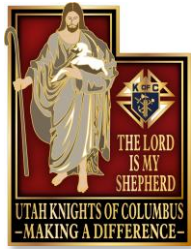
6010 – Fr. Gustavo Vidal

12181 – Fr. Stephen Tilley

14399 – Fr. Joseph Minuth

14764 – Fr. Gabriel Mosher, O.P.





Chaplain of the Year

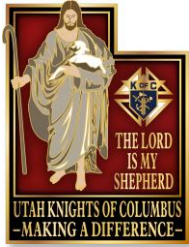


Fr Andrzej Skrzypiec

Saint Olaf Parish
Council 5502, Bountiful

Grand Knight:
Brian Vallese





Family of the Year Nominations

Nominations (8):

5214 – Chad & Megan **Vargo**

5502 – Scott & Holly **Dodge**

6010 – Sal & Mary **Battista**

6966 – Billy & Sharon **Martin**

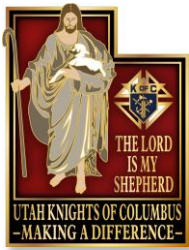
11246 – Mike & Judy **Townsend**

12181 – Kody & Kira **Anderson**

13297 – Arthur & Pam **Grant**

15418 – Richard & Jane **Hall**





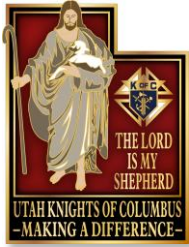
Family of the Year



Art and Pam **Grant**
Family

Saint Vincent de Paul
Council 13297
Holladay





Knight of the Year Nominations

Nominations (10):

5214 – Jeffrey **Zidek**

5502 – Joseph **Nesi**

6010 – Dennis **Martinez**

6966 – **Michael Carmody**

11246 – **Michael Villareal**

11479 – **Michael Griffin**

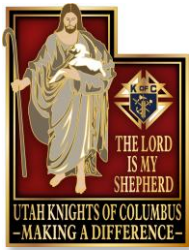
12181 – **Michael Leith**

13297 – **Michael Derrick**

14399 – **Michael McDonough**

15418 – Bruce **Baron**





Knight of the Year

Joseph Nesi

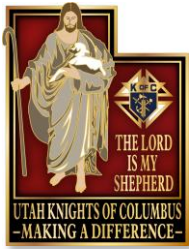


Saint Olaf

Council 5502

Bountiful, Utah

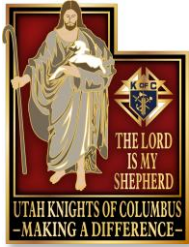




Benediction

Rev. Gabriel T. Mosher, OP, KCHS



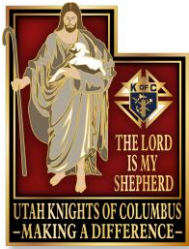


Utah State Song

Tune from "You Are My Sunshine"

**The Knights in Utah
Can hike in summer
They ski in winter
The greatest snow.
Our lake is salty
The parks are many
There's beauty everywhere we go.**



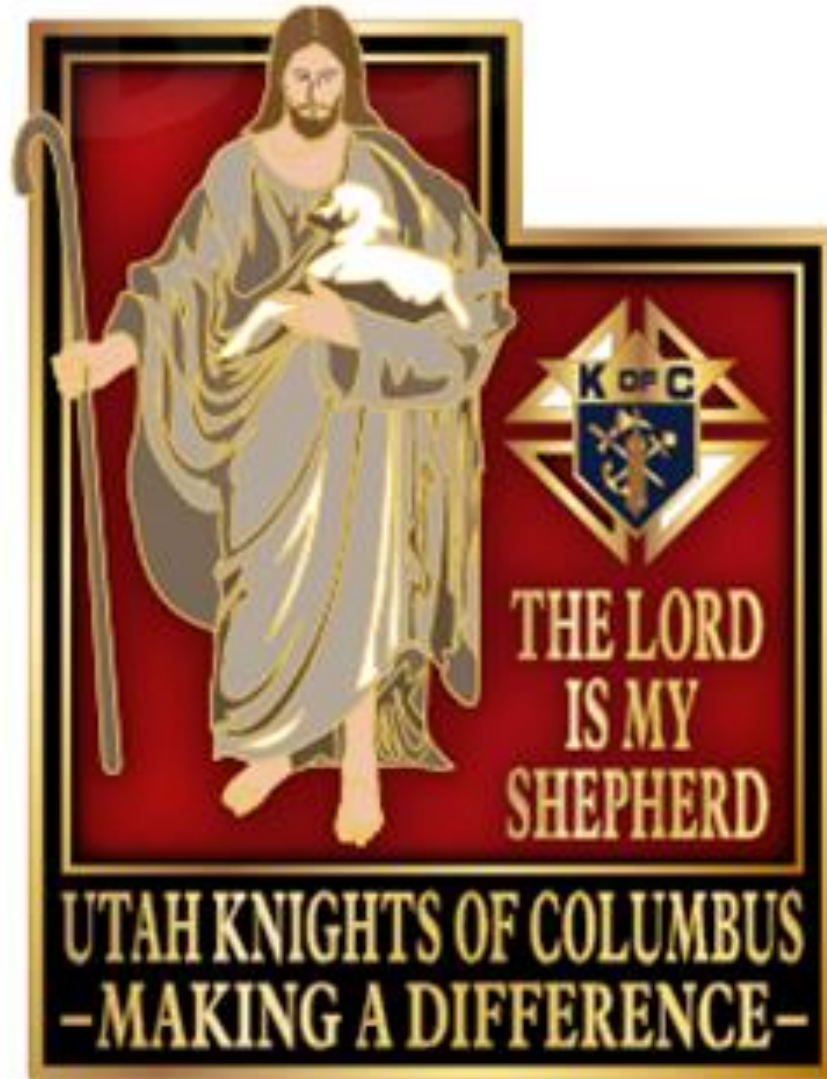
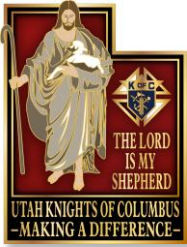


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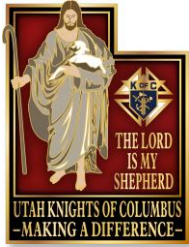
**You are my brothers
My Utah brothers.
We help each other
When sick or blue.
All Knights in Utah
Are warm and friendly,
We are proud of all the work we do.**





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Utah State Council 2023-2024

State Convention

Saturday, April 27, 2024

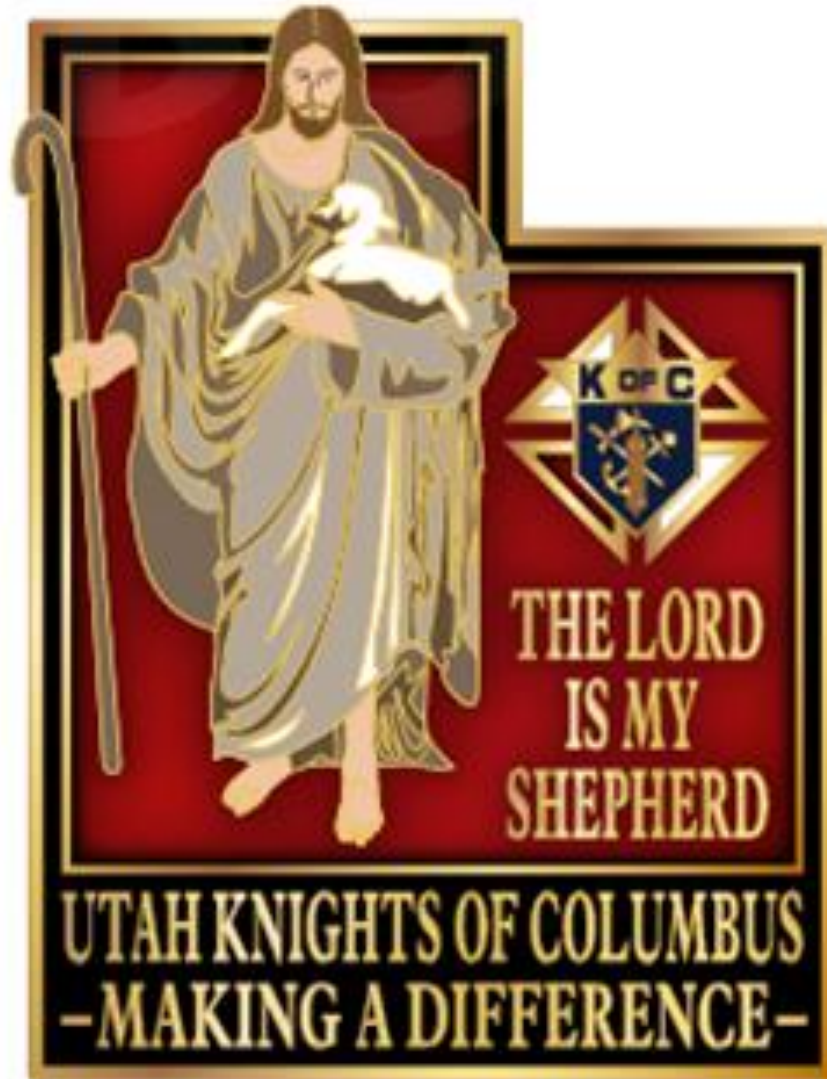
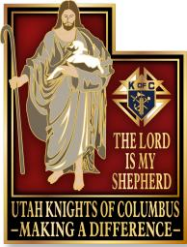
Now – Midnight Hospitality Room
Social (Everyone Welcome)

Sunday April 28, 2024

(No Scheduled Convention Events)

(Fourth Degree Biennial Meeting)





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