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Weekly news for Knights around the world

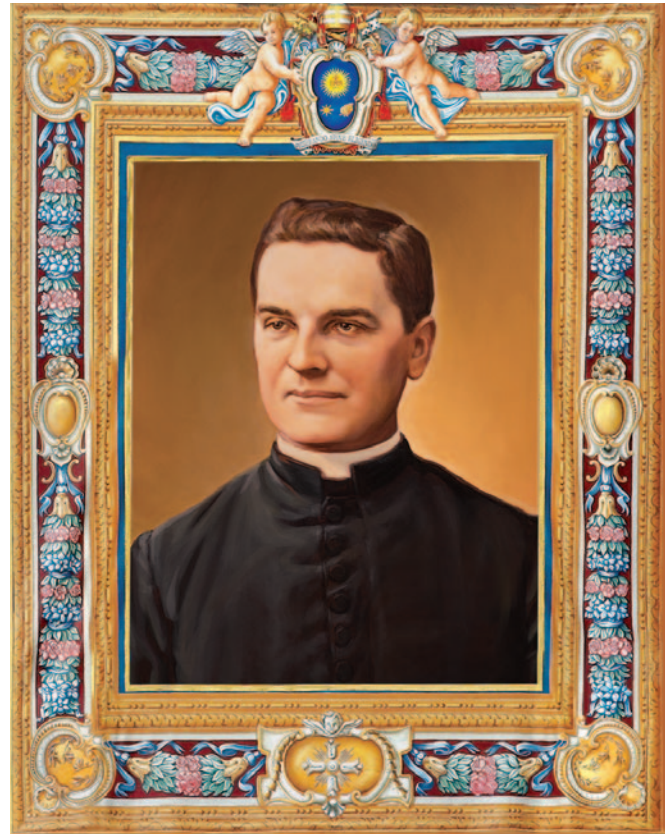
Knights of Columbus founder beatified this weekend

Did you miss the live broadcast of Blessed Michael McGivney's beatification this past weekend? Find in-depth features about all the events, watch videos and more at kofc.org/beatification.

New documentary showcases the global impact of Blessed Michael McGivney

A new documentary aired following Blessed Michael's beatification — and it's now available to watch on major Catholic networks.

As a Connecticut priest, Blessed Michael McGivney is often viewed as an American phenomenon. In reality, his vision has spread across the world and touched millions of lives. A new documentary, *A Witness For the World: The Global Impact of Blessed Michael McGivney*, explores his all-encompassing vision for an empowered laity, spiritual brotherhood, the rejuvenation of parish life and the transformation of communities through mutual love and charity. [WATCH TRAILER](#)



Yesterday, on Sunday, Nov. 1, 2020, to honor Blessed Michael J. McGivney, the Knights of Columbus Museum transformed its name and mission. Learn more on kofc.org/news.



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Every vote counts!

Each election provides an opportunity for American citizens to make their voices heard.

Election laws differ in each state, and additional changes have recently been made to adjust to the challenges presented by the pandemic. As you get ready for Election Day tomorrow on Nov. 3, we offer tools to help you stay safe. [LEARN MORE](#)

Members are not permitted to engage in partisan political activity in the name of the Knights of Columbus. Partisan political activity is defined as action directed toward success or failure of a political party, candidate for political office, or political group.

Did you take the pledge to vote?

Over the last few weeks, we've been inviting *Knightline* readers and our brother Knights to take a pledge to vote. This pledge included a commitment to encourage and assist brother Knights, family and their friends to register to vote. Today, we ask that you remind those same people to cast their ballots if they haven't already through absentee, mail-in or early voting. [LEARN ABOUT THE PLEDGE HERE](#)

Looking to better prepare yourself to vote? Learn about "Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship" from the U.S. bishops [here](#).

Last week, brother Knight and Catholic journalist Gerald Korson shared [a few principles](#) for maintaining civility in political discourse — or any other subject of controversy. This week, he turns to Scripture and the Catechism to look at how Catholics should treat public and government officials. [READ MORE](#)

Be a leader in strengthening your parish

With Advent and the Christmas season approaching, now is the time to work with your pastor and plan for success. [Tune in for a webinar on Tuesday, Nov. 24](#), to learn best practices for effectively assisting your pastor. We'll also discuss ways to run Faith in Action programs remotely and explain how you can continue to celebrate Father McGivney's beatification throughout the year.

**Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord,
and let perpetual light
shine upon them.**

**May their souls and the souls
of all the faithful departed,
through the mercy of God,
rest in peace. Amen.**

— Prayer for Eternal Rest



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Giving Tuesday, an annual day of giving, is less than a month away! Join us in raising funds to make sure no child goes without a warm winter coat. For more information about our Coats for Kids program, [click here](#).



We want to hear from you

Don't forget to complete the annual fraternal survey. Your answers help us to learn more about members like you — and better advise you of fraternal benefits that may help you and your family. Look for the survey in the mail and send it back to us in the return envelope provided.

Maximize your year-end tax planning strategy

Start your year-end tax planning today by opening a donor-advised fund account through Knights of Columbus Charitable Fund. This account allows you to make a charitable contribution, receive an immediate tax benefit, then recommend grants from the fund over time. Plus, assets in the fund can grow tax-free. [LEARN MORE](#)

Today on the Feast of All Souls, we are remembering our deceased brother Knights and their families, who are prayed for each day at St. Mary's Church in New Haven, Conn. We invite you to discover how praying for the departed finds its origins in Scripture and tradition [here](#).

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