## **MISSION STATEMENT**

To live out our vocation to Charity, Fraternity, Unity and Patriotism, by bringing the values of the gospel into society, in order to help the common good.

## **GRAND KNIGHTS MESSAGE**

Worthy Brothers and Friends,

As we enter this holy season of Advent, our council continues to live out the principles of charity, unity, and fraternity through service to our parish and community. I am pleased to share several important updates.

Our annual Toy and Care Package Drive is underway and will continue until December 16, 2025. This year, we are supporting Catholic Charities, St. Raymond Cathedral Church, and Daybreak Shelter. Your contributions will help bring comfort and joy to families in need during this Christmas season.

In November, our council donated food to Daybreak Shelter to assist with Thanksgiving meals. This act of generosity was a testament to the compassion and commitment of our members, and I thank all who participated.

Looking ahead, we invite you to join us on December 20, 2025, for an evening of live music at our council hall. This event will be a wonderful opportunity to celebrate the season together in fellowship and joy.

I would also like to extend my heartfelt gratitude to all our volunteers, especially those who dedicate their time to our bingo events, and to everyone who supports our council and its activities. Your efforts and generosity make our mission possible, and I am deeply thankful for your continued commitment.

As we prepare our hearts for the coming of Christ, may we continue to be guided by faith and strengthened in our mission of service. I wish you and your families a Merry Christmas and Happy New Years!

Vivat Jesus, Jose A. Torres Grand Knight