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CY 2016-2017 INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS



Front L to R: Clay Bates, Jr., DD31 Roy Onyewuwnyi, Israel Cagampan, Fr. Matt Stanley, Michael Lin, Mario Veloro Back L to R: Jerry Lucha, John Uebbing, Chuck Guenzer, Chris Ajagu, Dcn. Dan Hernandez, David Foo

The Knights of Columbia Columbian Year always starts on the 1st of July so the earlier the Councils can hold the installation of officers the better. This means that Councils would have a good jump start in facing the order of business ahead.

Last Saturday, July 9, 2016, our Palo Alto Council No. 2677 held its Installation of Officers at St. Albert the Great Church of the St. Thomas Aquinas Parish located at 1095 Channing Avenue in Palo Alto, California. Officiated by the newly appointed District Deputy No. 31 Roy Onyewuenyi, who incidentally is our Immediate Past Grand Knight, the ceremony was preceded by a Mass at 5:00 P.M. with a reception immediately following.

Our Palo Alto Council No.2677, chartered in 1928, is located in St. Thomas Aquinas Parish ministered by Fr. Matthew Stanley, who is also our Council Chaplain. It is a unique Parish composed of three churches, St. Albert the Great Church, St. Thomas Aquinas Church on Waverly Street and Our Lady of the Rosary Church on Cowper Street. The Council is the basic unit of the Order whose presence in the Parish lends a helping hand to the Pastor. Our Council members are very much involved in the activities of the church and the community in various roles and our Council, as a whole, promotes a lot of charitable causes one of which is helping "People with Intellectual Disabilities." We are a fraternal organization, so we are also "Brothers helping Brothers" in terms of providing family protection.

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THE RECEPTION @ St. Albert the Great Hospitality Room:

Editorial Note:

This is the maiden issue of our Newsletter. It was approved for publication at our First Business Meeting on July 12, 2016. Contents will be expanded and improved as we go along and bring to your attention Programs and Events that will interest your participation. Your newly installed Officers with the blessings of our Chaplain are all very eager to grow our Council by being conspicuous and more visible in the Parish in the various undertakings that we have and will be setting as our goals for this Columbian year 2016-2017. Right now, we are already planning to get busy with the Annual Pancake Breakfast on August 14 sponsored by the Catechetical Ministry that we have been doing for many years now. Come September will be the Annual Parish Picnic that had always been an exciting Event. All we expect is to see you all brother Knights coming out to volunteer and join us enthusiastically. The more the merrier. Let us prove that we are a real Star Council material and not just a fluke. - maay



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