

Exemplification of Patriotism

**Blessed
Father
Michael
McGivney**

Where

Resurrection Parish Hall
21060 Stafford Rd.
Tualatin, OR 97062

When

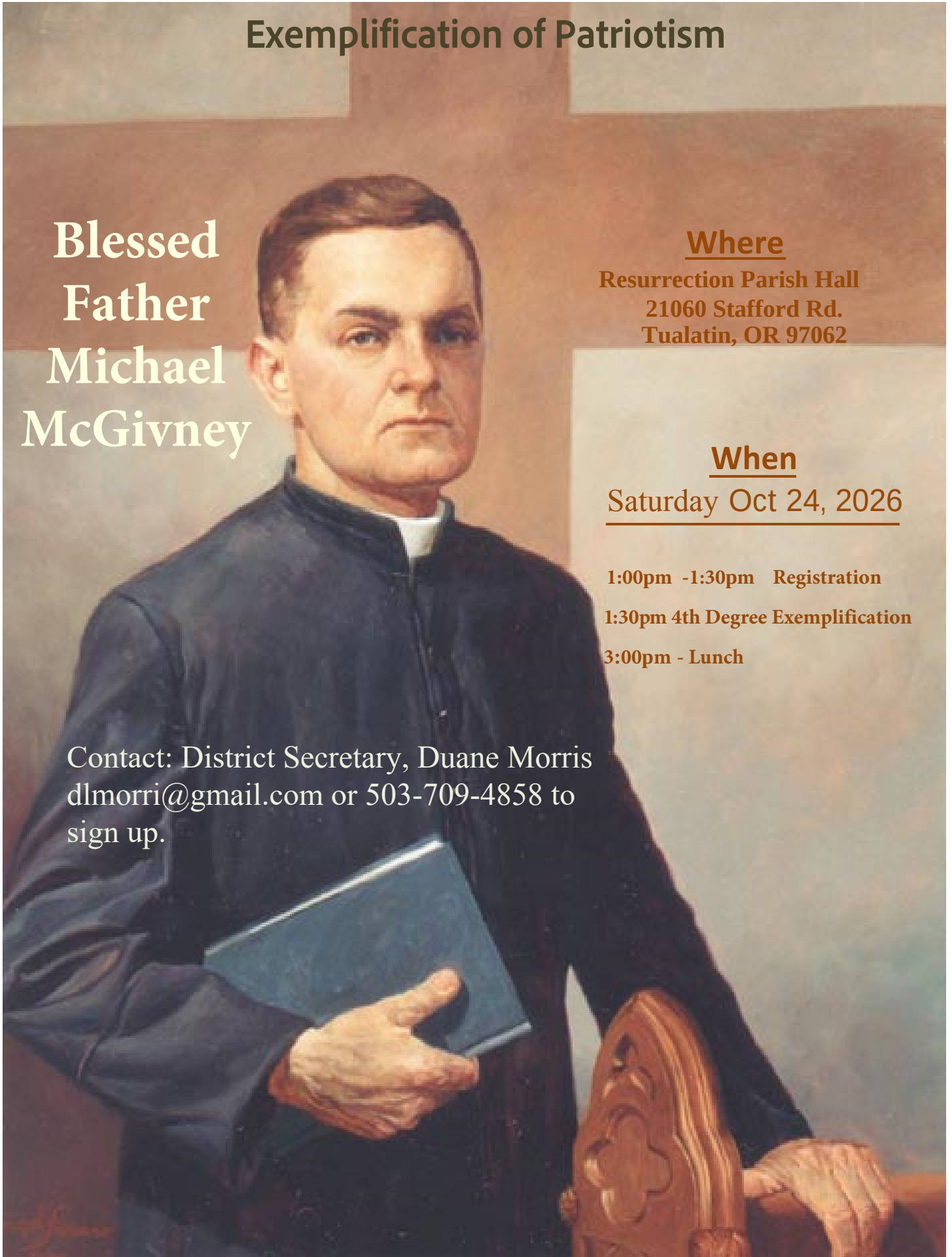
Saturday Oct 24, 2026

1:00pm -1:30pm Registration

1:30pm 4th Degree Exemplification

3:00pm - Lunch

Contact: District Secretary, Duane Morris
dlmorri@gmail.com or 503-709-4858 to
sign up.



EXEMPLIFICATION OF PATRIOTISM

Saturday Oct 24, 2026, at Tualatin Parish Hall 21060 Stafford Rd. Tualatin, OR. 97062

The degree team is the Oregon District Fourth Degree Team
Families are now invited to witness the new Exemplification of Patriotism.

EVENT TIME SCHEDULE

ACTIVITY	TIME
Registration for 4th Degree Exemplification	1:00pm - 1:30 pm
4th Degree Exemplification	1:30pm - 3:00pm
Lunch	3:00pm - 3:30pm

FEES

The exemplification fee for each candidate, except priests, is \$76.00. There is no exemplification fee for priests or religious brothers; however, their assembly will pay \$20.00 to cover the cost. The cost for lunch is \$10 and is included in the \$76 fee for candidates. Additional guests will need to pay the \$10 charge for lunch

Important Note: The exemplification fee does not cover for the candidate's name tag or annual assembly dues or fees relating to the assembly in accordance with Article XIII, Section 24(k). The exemplification is set forth by the Board of Directors under Article IX, Membership, Section 26.

ATTIRE

ARTICLE XI OFFICIAL DRESS

Section 38. Official Dress. The official dress for the Fourth Degree shall be: (a) **4th Degree uniform or plain suit and tie, dress footwear.** (b) A member serving in the armed forces of his country, full time police and firefighters shall be considered in proper attire when dressed in a Class A dress uniform.

LADIES: As men are dressed formally, most ladies prefer formal attire.



Fourth Degree Membership Document

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS – A SOCIETY OF CATHOLIC MEN

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1	LAST NAME		FIRST NAME		MIDDLE INITIAL		TITLE	
	STREET		CITY		ST / PROV		POSTAL CODE / COUNTRY	
	HOME PHONE		DATE OF BIRTH		MARITAL STATUS		1st DEGREE DATE	
2	CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY?		BY BIRTH OR NATURALIZATION?		IF NATURALIZATION HAVE FINAL PAPERS BEEN RECEIVED?		YES NO	
	IF YOU WERE PREVIOUSLY INITIATED IN THE FOURTH DEGREE, GIVE: INITIATION		TERMINATION		ASSEMBLY NUMBER		CITY ST/PROV.	
3	DATE OF							
	REASON FOR TERMINATION							
4	PARISH		NEW OR PRESENT		NUMBER		CITY ST/PROV	
	FORMER							
	I HEREBY DECLARE THAT THE ABOVE IS TRUE AND CORRECT AND THAT I AM A PRACTICAL CATHOLIC IN COMMUNION WITH THE HOLY SEE.							
	I CERTIFY THAT THE APPLICANT IS A THIRD DEGREE MEMBER IN GOOD STANDING IN							
5	SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT		DATE		COUNCIL NO.		LOCATION	
	SIGNATURE OF PROPOSER		ASSEMBLY		DATE		SIGNATURE OF FINANCIAL SECRETARY	
	PROPOSER MEMBER NUMBER (REQUIRED)							
5	FAITHFUL NAVIGATOR		DATE		RECEIVED FEES OF \$		DATE	
	FAITHFUL COMPTROLLER		DATE		APPLICANT INITIATED AT		DATE	
				SIGNATURE OF MASTER (REQUIRED FOR NEW MEMBERS ONLY)				

MEMBERSHIP NUMBER _____

☐ NEW MEMBER

☐ RESTORATION

☐ TRANSFER

☐ HONORARY MEMBERSHIP

☐ HONORARY LIFE MEMBERSHIP

☐ DATA CHANGE

☐ SUSPENSION _____ reason _____

☐ DEATH _____ mo day yr

SUPREME SECRETARY COPY

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES

The sponsor will ensure that all information is legibly printed on the Form 4. The applicant, his sponsor, and the applicant's Council FS will sign the Form 4. Ensure the candidate's 3rd degree is updated with Supreme, so the Form 4 does not get kicked back. After the assembly's Admission Committee's action, the FN and FC will sign the Form 4. The FC will forward the signed Form 4 (all copies) and the applicant's check to the District Master. After the degree, the District Master will sign and send the Form 4 to Supreme.

*** MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENTS***

ARTICLE IX MEMBERSHIP

Section 25. Eligibility for Membership. (a) Applications for membership in the Fourth Degree may be made to any Assembly provided the applicant is: (i) Over eighteen years of age. (ii) A citizen of the country in which he resides, or with permission of the Master of the District over the area where he claims citizenship, with the understanding that if permission is granted the pledge of allegiance will be to the country of citizenship. (iii) A Third Degree member in good standing in his council. (iv) A former member whose membership was terminated for failure to pay dues or by a withdrawal card if he has been readmitted to good standing in his council. (v) A practical Catholic in union with the Holy See.

Form 4 Procedures

All form 4's should be sent to the District Master completed as exemplified below. The form should be complete with all attached copies. No reason for FC/FS/FN to remove any copies. The form is not completed till I sign them. I will send an electronic copy to the FS/FC/FN when requested. I keep all forms digitally. The Supreme Secretary Copy MUST be present. I expect FC/FN ensure the Form 4 is filled out correctly using the above example and sent to the District Master two weeks prior to the exemplification in accordance with the Laws and Rules Governing the 4th Degree. FN/FC are to call the District Master directly for candidates with short notice.

FOURTH DEGREE MEMBERSHIP DOCUMENT
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PLEASE PRINT

1 LAST NAME: JOHNS, FIRST NAME: Adam, MIDDLE INITIAL: D, TITLE: [blank]
2 STREET: 555 Knight St., Leavenworth, WA 98509
3 CITY: Leavenworth, STATE: WA, ZIP: 98509
4 COUNTRY: USA, BIRTH: 9-24-74, SEX: M, AGE: 34, COUNCIL NO: 3414
5 I CERTIFY THAT THE APPLICANT IS A THIRD DEGREE MEMBER IN GOOD STANDING
6 SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT: Adam John, DATE: 12-1-16
7 SIGNATURE OF SPONSOR: [blank], DATE: [blank]
8 SIGNATURE OF COUNCIL MASTER: [blank], DATE: [blank]
9 SIGNATURE OF DISTRICT MASTER: [blank], DATE: [blank]

Supreme Secretary Copy

Related Web Sites

- KofC Supplies (The English Company)
- 4th Degree Uniform (The Supply Room)

<http://www.kofcsupplies.com>

<http://www.kofcuniform.com>

Seven Reasons Why Knights Should Join the Fourth Degree

1. The Fourth Degree is a group of outstanding Knights of Columbus dedicated to promoting patriotism enlightened by the Catholic Faith.
2. We work for the application of Christian principles in all levels of democratic government.
3. We call upon our members to distinguish themselves with heroic deeds for God, Country, and Order.
4. We support religious, civic, and charitable causes that are consistent with our Order's high ideals.
5. We oppose the institution and development of forces averse to good Christian government.
6. We educate our members and the world-at-large to be defenders of our democratic institutions.
7. The Fourth Degree, the highest degree in the Knights of Columbus, provides members with a greater knowledge and appreciation of our Catholic heritage.