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Grand Knight's Report



Worthy Brothers:

As we enter the Easter season, we reflect on one of the most important celebration in the Christian calendar. We contemplate on all the events embedded within the Easter Triduum. By his Resurrection, Our Lord conquered death and redeemed us from sin. May the blessings of Easter increase our faith, hope and charity. Please continue to pray for our families, the Holy Church and the U.S.A.

We are slowly bringing back some of our major events- St Patrick/Founder's Day Dinner on Sat. March 13th at 6:30 pm at the hall. As well as our Charity Presentation Dinner on Sat. April 17th at 6:30 pm in the hall. So please come and join us.

Not to exclude Corporate Communion March 7th at 9:00 am. and Bingo on March 20th at 6:30 pm. We need your ideas for future events - Golf Tournament and Religious Appreciation.

Please consider volunteering to help at events in setting up, cleaning or in any other way. Your support is crucial for the success of events. Thank you all for filling out the Annual Survey and your volunteer hours.

Just a reminder, elections will be upon us soon so start thinking about a position you would like to run for.

Vivat Jesus,
Mark Gregorio GK
In Service to One – In Service to All

Prayer for the Canonization of Blessed Michael McGivney

Let the inspiration of your servant prompt us to greater confidence in your love so that we may continue his work of caring for the needy and the outcast. We humbly ask that you glorify Blessed Michael McGivney on earth according to the design of your holy will. Through his intercession, grant the favor I now present (here make your request). Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Deacons Report



Brothers in Christ,

A popular song some years again was "Love Makes the World Go Around". It would be difficult to live in a world without love. Jesus preached a gospel of love but the kind of love preached by Jesus and practiced by Jesus is unique to Jesus. It is a love that embraces sinners and outcasts, Samaritans - even one's enemies. Jesus knew that when we practice this kind of love we are released from the confines of our ego. We are freed to find the joy of our full selves by letting go of our selfish selves.

This is the kind of love we need to practice today more than ever when there are so many divisions. When we are able to let go of our egos, listen to people with opinions that differ from ours and recognize that we aren't always right we can begin to be the person Christ calls us to be and heal those divisions.

God bless,
Deacon Stan Grenn

K'Cees Korner



We are in the holy season of Lent. "Let us rejoice and be glad in it." Try to do something extra this Lenten season – an extra weekly mass, as extra rosary, an extra call to check on a friend that you haven't talked to in a while. Jesus loves the "extra" things in our lives!

First Friday Mass in March is on the 5th at 6:30 PM. This would be a wonderful Lenten extra! We will have dinner afterwards provided by the K-Cee's. We do ask for a small donation from each to defray the cost of the food. Fr. Bodie always joins us for this meal after Mass so please come for Mass and then some time for fellowship, food and fun!

Our K-Cee meeting will be Tuesday March 9th at 7PM. On March 13th the Knights will be hosting their annual Founders Day and St Patrick's day Dinner at the hall. This is always a fun event so make plans to attend.

Our next Bingo Knight will be Saturday March 20th at 6:30PM. This is a fun evening and our only K-Cee fund raising event. Cost is \$10 plus we do have a 50/50 drawing. Hope that you can join us and bring a friend or two.

There will be no First Friday Mass on April 2nd because it is Good Friday

Easter blessings to all as we celebrate our Risen Lord on Sunday April 4th.

Love to all, To Jesus Through Mary!
Laura

Council Activities



Fourth Degree



*Knights of Columbus
Squires
Youth Organization*

Please pray for the souls of our deceased Brothers

Robert Knutson, George Morris (PGK), Tony Germano, Ward Berkey, Michael Capizzi (PGK), Charles Strauss, Howard Sell, Troupe Turner, Everett Comstock, Harry Cross, Vernon Duncan, Jim Middleton, Mark Costello Jr., Ron Laseman, Francis Becht PGK, Eugene Salzman, Thomas R. Bobo, Cass Casterlin, Mike Shevada, John Faustini, Gino Rocca, Jim Genette, Louis O'Neal, Al Rucci, Joseph Chorbak, Stanley Moore, Bruce Belet, Al Rucci, John Molasso, Stuart Pierce, Jack Larson, Robert Roche.

Keep in Your Prayers

Mike Seminario, Anthony Ferrizzi, Mary Gennette, Tammy Foxworth, Gerry Kistka, Kevin Curley, Pat Bianco, Don Thompson, Jean Sell, Sandi Frank, Mike McQuade, Bob Crabtree, Rev Thomas Cody, John Deihl, Robert Rhoden, Bruce Barker, John Porter, Frank & Maggie Villamor, William (Bill) Damato, John Smith, Raymond Ford, Joe Brozovich, Ray Tubel.

Public Relations Committee

Brother Knights, the council is always doing great things so continue to check your weekly news emails and monthly newsletters for updates and opportunities to get involved.

We are happy to continue the option for annual due payment directly through the council website via credit card or PayPal. As an added convenience, we also have the option to extend annual membership renewals up to 3 years. Donations and event payments can also be done with the click of a button.

If you have a committee that needs advertising, then please contact me, Ryan Gallagher at 904-329-6652 or ryankellygallagher@gmail.com

Ponce de Leon Assembly # 0152

Meetings are the 3rd Thursday of each month at St. Matthew's Catholic Church in the old convent building next to the gym located at 1773 Blanding Boulevard, Jacksonville, Florida 32210.

Holy Trinity Assembly # 2368

Bill Smith. Meetings are the 1st Tuesday of each month Blessed Trinity Church 7:30 PM

Honor Guard and Color Corps

Any fourth degree member interested in joining the HG Or CC to please call Reggie Dubay 249-6941

Holy Trinity Sponsors

Holy Trinity Assembly # 2368 All the Degree old and New members. If you would like to become a Sponsor for 2021, it's only \$10.00 for a single person, \$15.00 for a Family of 4. See Ralph Mosley. Check to: Holy Trinity Assembly # 2368

Want to communicate something to your fellow Knights?

If your group has any special announcements you would like distributed to all brothers currently registered to receive council emails, please contact Tim McClellan (fbtjax@gmail.com / 904-728-2205) to have it included in our regular distributions.

Home Visitation

Do you know of a Brother or family member of a Brother that can't make it to Church and still wants to receive the Body of our Lord Jesus? Do you know of any Brother that needs a brotherly visit or help because they are home bound or too sick to go it alone? Brothers, call me at 904-535-8205 or email me at:

md12848@yahoo.com. Vivat Jesus,
Dennis Scobie.



MARCH 2021



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Walk for Life University Blvd 8:30AM	2	3	4	5 1st Friday mass 6:30 PM @ hall/pizza	6 Brotherly Care 8AM @ CTK
7 Corporate Communion & To Go Breakfast at CTK 9:00 AM	8 Walk for Life University Blvd 8:30AM	9 Business, K-Cee's Meetings 7PM	10	11	12	13 Road Clean 8AM ACA Clean 9AM St Patty's Day Dinner 6:30 @ hall
14 Daylight Saving Time Begins	15 Walk for Life University Blvd 8:30AM	16	17 St Patrick's Day 	18	19	20 Bingo Night 6:30PM
21 Squires Meeting 1:30PM	22 Walk for Life University Blvd 8:30AM	23 Exemplifica- tion Degree (7pm)	24	25	26	27
28 Palm Sunday	29 Walk for Life University Blvd 8:30AM	30	31	Apr 1 April Fool's Day	Apr 2 Good Friday. No 1st Friday Mass/	Apr 3 Holy Saturday



Daylight Savings begins March 14th



Our Flag flying above the Council Hall is In Honor of PGK James J. Middleton.

Note: If you have a flag and wish to honor a love one with it flying over the hall call.

Happy March Birthdays



- 2 Robert F Matthews, Michael McQuade
- 3 Mark Lacey
- 7 Juan Moreno
- 8 William Damato, Lawrence P Turner
- 11 Bruce B Pastorini, Thomas W Wildes
- 12 James E Fizzell
- 17 Thomas Heusinger, Joseph P Marelle
- 18 Jose A Sandoval
- 24 Scott D Oberst
- 28 Patrick J Middleton
- 29 Michael Carraway, George Schweitzer, Michael Thompson
- 30 Patrick A Rossano



March 28th

1st Friday Mass Requests

It is pious and praiseworthy custom for the faithful to have Masses offered for their particular intentions, and especially for departed friends and loved ones. Requests should be made in advance if it's to be published in the Knighly News.

The suggested stipend is \$10.00. Point of Contact: Ralph Mosley 904 705 8623
Email: rtm7048@yahoo.com

Note: At the discretion of the Grand Knight, intentions for the good of the order may be added anytime.

FIRST FRIDAY MASSES 2021



Come join us for Mass:
=> **March 5th**

***** MASKS WILL BE REQUIRED******

Note: if for some reason a priest is not available to celebrate mass, we will pray a rosary instead.

**Corporate Communion Mass
March 7 at Christ the King
at the 9:00am Mass**

Please dress in your Council Shirt or a suit/jacket with K of C pin. If you have name tag, please wear it also. To-Go Breakfast will be available for Sale after Mass.

Road Cleanup

Road Clean-up will be on Saturday
March 13th.

Financial Secretary:

If you haven't already please do: The Fraternal Survey form of our volunteer hours is now available. You can download it at: [https:// council4727.com/fraternal-survey](https://council4727.com/fraternal-survey) and click on Submit Survey



Knightly News Sponsors

- Ed & Pat Aguilar
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- *In Memory* Vernon Duncan by Emma Duncan
- *In Memory* Joseph Ervolino by Genevieve
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- The McGivney family
- *In Memory* Hugh McStay PGK & Audrey & Mike Lang Sr by Mrs Lang
- *In Memory* Jim Middleton PGK by Maryann Middleton
- Jesse & Inge Morgan
- Ralph PGK & Shirley Mosley
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- *In Memory* Mike Shevada by LouAnne Shevada
- Bill & Kitty Smith
- *In Memory* Bud Stiles by Marge Stiles
- DJ PGK & Linda Stoddard
- Charles and Genie Strauss
- Don and JoAnn Thompson

Knightly News Sponsors

Renew you sponsorship now for 2021

- Knight & Spouse - \$20 (Jack & Sally Smith)
- Knight only \$10 (Ben Smith PGK)
- In Memory of - \$20 (In Memory - Jack Smith)

Please indicate your choice, if you have already paid please indicate that. Check made to council & mail to:
 Ralph Mosley FS
 6030 Arlington Expressway
 Jacksonville, FL 32211

Information for the newsletter can be sent via E-mail to Tom or Gerry by the 24th of the month.
 Tom Heusinger 477-6519
 email: heuy@aol.com
 Gerry Kistka 396-9897
 email: gkistka@gmail.com

Wheel Walker

Needed used four wheel walker, good friend needs for daughter. Type with seat & handlebar brakes,
 Please Contact Ralph Mosley 904-705-8623

**Family of the Month
 March 2021**



Our Family of the Month are no strangers to providing services to our Council. As a Past Grand Knight, he continues to be active as our cook for the take-out dinners and other events. John is one of the first to lend a hand during events and the last to leave. John and Wendi were continually active leaders of the Christ the King Youth Group. Currently they are busy raising their adopted niece and nephew.

Please join me in congratulating this month's Family of the Month- John and Wendi Klinkenberg!

**Knight of the Month
 March 2021**



This month I would like to recognize a Knight whose dedication and commitment is always evident and visible. He is currently serving as our Council Warden. Mike is dedicated to help whenever possible during events and meetings. He also serves as Head Usher at Chris the King and assist the Church and this council.

Please join me in congratulating Mike Duncan as our March Knight of the Month.

Bingo Knight

March 20, 2021 at 6:30 pm

Come join us for fun & Dinner. Open to all
 Call Laura Morris at 904-874-7100 to reserve your seat & dinner, or go on line to our website at <https://council4727.com/kcees-rsvp-page> to RSVP or buy tickets. No later than March 15.

****Please bring your masks****

**St. Patrick's Day/Founder's Day
 Celebration, Saturday, March 13**

Please join us for dinner (Corn beef and cabbage, soda bread, etc.), Irish music and green beer at 6:30 pm at our hall. Dress in green!

If you are interested in helping during this event, please call The Grand Knight. We need a few volunteers for setup and in the kitchen of course.

We would like to sincerely thank our Sponsors, our Knight of the Month, and our Family of the Month.



**March 20th
 6:30 PM**

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Upcoming Events - 2021

Date	Event
4/2	First Friday Mass (6:30pm)
4/3	Knights of the Brotherly Care - CTK (8am)
4/3	Easter Egg Hunt (11:00am) TBA
4/13	Business/Officers/K-Cee's Meetings/Officer's (7pm)
4/17	Road Cleanup (8am)
4/17	Charity Presentation Dinner (6:30pm)
4/18	Squires' Meeting (1:30pm)
4/24-25	State Bowling Tournament (Orlando Florida)
4/24	Squires Spaghetti Dinner (6:30pm)
4/27	Exemplification Degree (7:00pm candidate call)
5/1	Knights of the Brotherly Care - CTK (8am)
5/7	First Friday Mass (6:30pm)
5/8	Knights of the Brotherly Care - CTK (8am)
5/9	Annual Charity Golf Tournament (TBA)
5/11	Business/Officers/K-Cee's Meetings, Elect Officers (7pm)
5/15	Road Cleanup (8am), Bingo Knight (6:30pm)
5/16	Squires' Meeting (1:30pm)
5/26	Exemplification Degree (7:00pm candidate call)
5/28-29	State Convention (VIRTUAL)

"Current Resident or "



Culture of LIFE - March 2021

From the USCCB

From the U.S. Catholic Bishops

"Action Alert

The Equality Act discriminates against people of faith and threatens unborn life. Tell your elected officials to oppose it!"

"Everyone deserves to be treated with respect and dignity. The Equality Act, which is being voted on in the U.S. House of Representatives soon, in many ways does the opposite and needs to be opposed. Instead of respecting differences in beliefs about marriage and sexuality, the Equality Act would discriminate against people of faith. The Equality Act would: punish faith-based organizations, such as charities and schools who serve everyone in their communities, simply because of their beliefs; force girls and women to compete against boys and men for limited opportunities in sports, and to share locker rooms and shower spaces with biological males who identify as women; risk mandating taxpayers to fund abortions; force people in everyday life, and especially health care workers, to support gender transition; and expand what the government considers a "public" place, forcing even some parish halls to host functions that conflict with Catholic beliefs."

"Let your voice be heard, go to <https://www.votervoice.net/USCCB/Campaigns/80967/Respond>"

Please pray for our country and especially for our Church!

Nick & Bernie Klepac
Culture of Life Family