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Grand Knight's Report



"God - Family - Country"

The new year, beginning with the birth of Jesus, and with hopeful renewal of our faith, is the perfect time to look at those dreaded New Year resolutions. I have some for you all to consider:

- ◇ Pray to God and thank Him daily
- ◇ Make time to be with your family
- ◇ Make everyone turn off their phones at dinner
- ◇ Come to K of C meetings or make a resolution to attend at least two events a year (as a helper)
- ◇ If you are tithing, great. If you aren't, crank up your donations 1%
- ◇ Laugh
- ◇ Tell your favorite person you love them, each day! Buy your favorite person a card or a flower each month!
- ◇ Hug your kids, tell them how great they are.
- ◇ If the kids aren't great, look in the mirror, maybe that is where the problem is.
- ◇ Too much time on the TV or computer, try reading a book?
- ◇ Kids watching too much TV or playing on their devices... uh, cut them off. Oh, they will complain, but if they want those devices back, they need to spend time with you first
- ◇ Go to adoration, God is waiting to talk to you
- ◇ If you see an old person struggling, talk to them, NO, actually listen to them!
- ◇ If you are old, try not to make all those around you old.
- ◇ If you are young, enjoy it, but not at everyone else's expense. You are not the center of the universe!
- ◇ Pray each night with the family before going to bed!

Those are some random thoughts that are so hard to do, but if you do them, you will be happier!

Please join us in making our 50th Annual Benefit Ball (Doc Broome ball) a success. We need some help and your will find some suggestions throughout this newsletter.

Vivat Jesus,
Nick Klepac

Deacons Report



Dear brothers in Christ,

Every organization has a mission statement. It is what drives that organization. Christ told us what His mission statement is in the Gospel of Luke when He said: "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he anointed me to preach good tidings to the poor: He hath sent me to proclaim release to the captives, and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty them that are bruised."

This is the very heart of what Christ is about. Christ is the great healer. He gives hope to those of us who are struggling to make ends meet from day to day. He can release us from those things that prevent us from having the type of relationship He wants us to have with Him. He can help those of us who aren't able to see that He is what is lacking in our life regain our spiritual sight. He can set free those of us who are bruised from struggles with poor health, money problems and family problems.

As we begin this new year, let us place our trust in Him.
God bless,
Deacon Stan Grenn

K'Cees Korner



Great food, good music and fun games sums up our Annual K'Cees' Christmas Party. The winners of our Annual K'Cees' Christmas Party Raffle are MaryAnn Sullivan who won the Christmas tree decorated with \$100 Christmas Cash, Laurel Owens won the Christmas wreath with \$50 Christmas Cash and Imogene Praxedes won the \$25 Christmas Cash on the Christmas centerpiece. Congratulate them when you see them! Our own talented Shirley Mosley created all three prizes and took the RSVPs for the party. Both Shirley and Kitty Smith creatively decorated our Hall. Santa Claus even made a visit and gave gifts to the children attending with their parents.

With the New Year, come new opportunities for individuals and families, both spiritual and physical. Make a commitment to yourself in 2018, to start something new to you. Whether it is a new year's resolution to get back into shape or an hour in front of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament, do something for you, that only you can do for you. And smile. Smiles are contagious.

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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, Dick Cashen, Ward Berkey, Michael Capizzi (PGK), Charles Strauss, Howard Sell, William Carlson, Troupe Turner, Dan Wendel, Everett Comstock, Harry Cross, George Rojics, Vernon Duncan, Jim Middleton, Fred Wheeler, Richard Scott McLeod, Larry Francis Prescott, Ron Laseman, Bill Misenheimer, Eugene Salzman, Walt Miller, Michael Powers, Thomas R. Bobo, Rick Stanfill, Joseph P Marelle PGK,

Keep in Your Prayers

Joe Chorbak, Mike Seminario, Gino Rocca., Cas Casterlin., Mickey Moneyhan, Anthony Ferrizzi, Mary Gennette, Eileen Gleason, John Faustini, Leah Prince, Maryellen Bell, Tammy Foxworth, Kevin Curley, Celia Espejo., Darlene and Louis O'Neal, Pat Bianco, Monty Horner, Frank Becht, and Don Thompson, Joe Coyle, Jean Sell, Deanna Salwei, John Klinkenberg, Michael McQuade

Public Relations Committee

Brothers: Great things are happening in the council and the Public Relations Committee is working hard to ensure you are always up to date on all council activities. As you may have seen in a recent email from the Grand Knight, we are happy to announce that **you can now pay your dues directly on the council website with your credit card or PayPal account.** As an added convenience, you also have the option to renew your membership for up to 3 years. Donations and event payments can also be done with the click of a button. A special thanks to Mike Monlezun and Ralph Mosley for working hard to provide this convenient option to our members. The council is always doing great things so continue to check your weekly news emails and monthly newsletters for updates.

God Bless,
John Prince

From Our Grand Knight

Congratulations to our new members:

- * Daniel Choquette; Chris Belyea;
- * Francisco Villamor; Gleen Williams
- * Rev Fr Lam Nguyen, transferred to #4727

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

Butch Ferrizzi (641-3643). 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

Doc Broome Benefit Ball

Doc Broome 50th Benefit Ball, "Through the Decades" on January 20 Get your TICKETS as soon as you can. Buy them at our business meeting January 9, or buy them on our website using PayPal or Credit card (\$25 each, no extra fee). Tickets will also be available after Church masses beginning Jan 30 and 31. Come join us for some music, dancing and dinner on Saturday, January 20 After the 4:00 p.m. Mass at the CTK King Dome (gym). Dinner is served at 7 pm. Admission is \$25 per person (buy tickets at our meetings, on our website) Raffle Tickets \$10 Each: 1st Prize - \$500 cash 2nd Prize - HDTV - 3rd Prize Gift Card assortment.

Also - Door prizes, 50/50 Raffle and Baskets of Cheer Raffles BYOB - Setups provided.

Doc Broom Individual Sponsors

If you wish to add you and your wife to the list of Doc Broome Ball sponsors, please send an email to the Nick Klepac GK and send him/give him \$5 at the next meeting.


We need Whisky or Wine to fill our Doc Broome Baskets of Cheer to raffle off during the ball. Please call Ralph (904) 705-8623 if you are interested in donating a bottle or two.

We need door prizes for the Doc Broome ball. Re-purpose those unwanted Christmas gifts and bring to the next meeting. We will find someone to give them to!



JANUARY 2018



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 	2	3	4	5 1st Friday mass	6 Brotherly Care 8AM @ Resurrection
7	8 Walk for Life University Blvd 1pm	9 Business & KCee's Meetings 7pm Officers meet- ing 815PM	10 Resurrection Hon- or Roll Breakfast 6:30 AM Walk for Life University Blvd 9:30am	11	12 CTK Honor Roll Breakfast 6:30AM	13 Road Cleanup (8am) Bunko Night 6:30PM
14	15 Walk for Life University Blvd 1pm	16	17 Walk for Life University Blvd 9:30am	18	19	20 Doc Broome Benefit Ball 530PM @ CTK
21 Squires meeting 1:30 PM	22 Walk for Life University Blvd 1pm	23	24 Walk for Life University Blvd 9:30am	25	26 Jingle Jam @ CTK 6-9PM	27
28 K'Cees Baby Shower (2:00pm)	29 Walk for Life University Blvd 1pm	30 Admissions De- gree (1st) 7PM candidate call	31 Walk for Life University Blvd 9:30am	Feb 1	Feb 2	Feb 3



**Happy New Year
2018**



Our Flag flying above is the Council Hall is in Honor of deceased Veteran and Member Vernon Duncan presented by his wife Emma Duncan. And for all our Service Men and Women

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

January Birthdays



- 1/1 Clayborne Crabtree
- 1/9 Neil Porter
- 1/15 William Mattiace
- 1/16 John Klinkenberg, Matthew Morris
- 1/18 John Faustini
- 1/19 John Morrissey Jr.
- 1/20 Netito Espejo
- 1/21 Edgardo Aguilar, Robert Roche
- 1/22 William Lyle Jr.
- 1/24 Christopher Bodin
- 1/26 Francis Becht
- 1/27 Rev. Pawel Duda. Derrell Murphy, Donald Liebhart
- 1/29 Pasquale Bianco, Deacon George Barletta
- 1/30 Neil Bodiker
- 1/31 George Daniels Jr., Deacon James Scott

Squires Food Drive

Squires Food Drive for the Sulzbacher Center for the Homeless

The Squires will have boxes at both churches and the hall from November 26 to January 21 to collect non-perishable food items for the homeless. Please help them out!

Holy Trinity Assembly # 2368

All 4th Degree members mark your calendar for Feb 24, 2018 Past Faithful Navigator dinner.

RSVP a must, call 705-8623 or see Ralph Mosley.

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. Request should be made at least two weeks before the mass. The suggested stipend is \$10.00. Point of Contact: Netito L. Espejo Cell: 616-4560 Email: etito.espejo@navy.mil Note: At the discretion of the Grand Knight, intentions for the good of the order may be added anytime.

FIRST FRIDAY MASSES (2018)

- JAN 05: +Vernon Duncan by Emma Duncan
- FEB 2:
- FEB 10: Religious Appreciation Night
- MAR 2:
- APR 6:
- MAY 4:
- JUN 1:
- JUL 6:
- AUG 3:
- SEP 7:
- OCT 5:
- NOV 3: Memorial Mass
- DEC 7:

First Friday Mass

Friday, January 5, 6:30 Pm

Please join us for Mass and potluck dinner at our hall. The K'Cees will be presenting their Christmas Raffle winnings to Morning Star School and L'Arche Harbor House.

Financial Secretary Desk

Past Grand Knights page in the Doc Broome Program booklet

If you are a Past Grand Knight and wish to be added to the Past Grand Knight sponsor page in the Doc Broome program booklet, please send or give \$5 to Ralph Mosley, FS. You can send an email to him and provide the money later.



**Squires Food Drive
November 26th to January 21st.**



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- Ed & Pat Aguilar
- E. Aguilar
- Frank PGK & Betty Becht
- *In Memory* Dolores Bianco by Pasquale Bianco PGK
- James Bonitatibus PGK
- *In Memory* George Boyko by Ann Boyko
- *In Memory* Doc Broome
- *In Memory* Harry J Burke by Marjorie Burke
- *In Memory* Mike Capizzi PGK by Irene Capizzi
- Cas & Dolly Casterlin
- Ananias Condino
- Bob & Ellen Crabtree
- *In Memory* Vernon Duncan by Emma Duncan
- Netito & Celia Espejo
- John & Doris Faustini
- Albert J. Ferraro
- Butch PGK & Bernadette Ferrizzi
- *In memory* Anthony & Sarah Germano
- *In memory* LeRoss Hulcher by Dick Hulcher
- Nick & Bernie Klepac
- Peter & John C. Lamb
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- James & Lolita Massengill
- Thomas & Beverly McGivney
- *In Memory* Hugh McStay PGK by Audrey McStay
- *In Memory* Leo Mercado by Remy Mercado
- *In Memory* Jim Middleton PGK by Maryann Middleton
- *In Memory* Mary Misenheimer by Bill Misenheimer
- Jesse & Inge Morgan
- Ralph PGK & Shirley Mosley
- Jose PGK & Imogene Praxedes
- Al Rucci & Emily Rucci
- Jose & Rosario Sandoval
- *In Memory* Howard Sell by Jean Sell
- Antoine & Rosemary Shami
- Deacon Elias K & Diane Shami
- Emiel & Sami Shami
- Mike & LouAnne Shevada
- Bill & Kitty Smith
- *In memory* Bud Stiles by Marge Stiles
- Charles & Genie Strauss
- Don & JoAnne Thompson

Knightly News Sponsors

Renew you sponsorship now for 2018

- 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

**Family of the Month
January 2018**



Occasionally, we are blessed with a member that jumps in to solve problems and get things running. This is the case of our Squire's Counselor Nick Hymes when our former Chief Squire retired and our new Chief Squire got sick. We have a temporary Chief Squire, Greg Harden who is doing a great job and Nick is there providing support, organizing, mentoring and most importantly making sure all their reporting is on track. His wife Anita also supports the Squires by cooking for them and when Nick is away for work, she volunteers to transport them around as needed. Anita is also active with the K'Cees. **Please join me in congratulating Nick and Anita Hymes as our January Family of the Month.**

**Knight of the Month
January 2018**



Sometimes we have a member that we don't see at our meetings but their contributions are many. Bruce fixed our air-conditioning problem in the K'Cees' room volunteering his Saturday to get it done, putting in new vents and a return. He also cooks and serves for our Honor Roll breakfasts and other breakfasts (Feast of Christ the King, Teacher's retirements, etc.) that we put on at both Christ the King and Resurrection. He also assists with the Squires when called on. **Please join me in congratulating Bruce Crutchfield as our January Knight of the Month.**

K'Cees Korner (cont'd)

**Twinkle, twinkle, tiny light
little eyes that shine so bright
A precious baby from heaven above
to fill our hearts with so much love**

Please join us for a baby shower to support The INN Ministry. The Inn is a sanctuary for pre and postpartum mothers in a crisis. Their mission is to follow His Vision by offering an alternative to abortion and making room at The INN when there was no room for Him two thousand years ago. We ask that you come with gifts for babies and new moms on January 28 at 2PM in our Hall. We will have cake and celebrate babies. Watch the Weekly Email for more information.

God Bless All,
Bernie Klepac

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



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Upcoming Events - 2018

- 2/2 First Friday Mass and Pot Luck Dinner (6:00pm)
- 2/3 Knights of the Brotherly Care - CTK (8am)
- 2/10 Religious Appreciation Night - CTK (5:30pm)
- 2/13 Business/K'Ceas Meeting (7pm), Officers Meeting (8:15pm)
- 2/16 A Day for Men Set up @ Res
- 2/17 Road Cleanup (8:00am), A Day for Men @ Res
- 2/18 Squire's Meeting (1:30pm)
- 2/24 A Day for Woman @ Res
- 2/27 Formation Degree (2nd) (7:00pm candidate call)
- 3/2 First Friday Mass (6:30pm)
- 3/3 Knights of the Brotherly Care - Res (8:00am)
- 3/10 Bunco Night (6:30pm)
- 3/13 Business/K'Ceas Meeting (7pm), Officers Meeting (8:15pm)
- 3/16 or 3/17 St. Patrick's Day Dinner & Founders Day
- 3/17 Road Cleanup (8:00am), ACA Cleanup
- 3/18 Squire's Meeting (1:30pm)
- 3/20 CTK Honor Roll Breakfast (6:30am)
- 3/26 Resurrection Honor Roll Breakfast (6:30am)
- 3/27 Admissions Degree (1st) (7:00pm candidate call)
- 3/30 PBJ for Soup Kitchen (6:00pm)
- 3/31 Easter Egg Hunt (11:00am)

"Current Resident or "



Culture of LIFE January 2018



Happy New Year Brothers and Sisters,

Did you know that 5,400 Unknown Unborn Children Were Aborted in Jacksonville in 2017?

Do you care?

If you do, there are many upcoming opportunities for you in the month of January.

Respect Life Collection - Jan 20 - 21 Help turn the crisis of unplanned pregnancy into life-saving caring and support by participating in the 2018 Respect Life Collection, January 20-21. Proceeds directly benefit your Parish Respect Life Ministry, 24 Pregnancy Resource Centers & 4 Maternity Homes, and the Diocesan Office of Human Life & Dignity. To donate, use the envelope in your church pew or give online through your parish online donation system. Your support saves lives.

45th Anniversary of Roe v. Wade January 22

Jan 12, 5:00PM - March for Life St Augustine Kick-Off, Mass at the Shrine of Our Lady of le Leche, 6:00PM Illuminated Living Rosary, 7:30PM Trafficking Workshop at Shrine Church and a Praise and Worship Concert for youth on the Shrine grounds.

Jan 13, 9:00am Mass at the Shrine before March for Life celebrated by Bishop Felipe Estevez, music, testimonies, March to the Plaza for keynote Stephanie Gray.

Jan 19, National March for Life Washington DC- please pray for the 220+ pilgrims traveling from our diocese! Watch live coverage on EWTN.

Jan 22, noon - 1:00 Stand for Life at the Jacksonville Federal Courthouse (300 N Hogan St., Jacksonville). For more info. 904-318-3517.

Jan 2018 - Diocesan-wide Youth Respect Life Contest

Pray with US Bishops to end abortion! Jan 18 - 26 Join thousands of Catholics across the country coming together in prayer for a "culture of life" from Thurs. Jan 18- Fri. Jan 26. Visit www.9daysforlife.com

Catholic Days at the Capitol January 30-31 For more information and to register, visit dcfl.org

God Bless You, your pro-life couple, Steve and Maryellen Bell

Steve and Maryellen Bell, Culture of Life Couple