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Grand Knight's Report



“God - Family - Country”

Easter and Spring. Two words that indicate new life and new beginnings. Easter, when our Lord rose from the dead giving us the birth of our Catholic Church. Spring, when the earth renews itself, bringing forth new flowers, new fruit and warmth of the sun.

This is a great time for us to renew our reasons for becoming Knights. You have a reason why you joined and if you talk to other Knights you will see many of the reasons are the same:

- My dad was a Knight
- Camaraderie
- Working together for charity
- Get closer to the Church
- Increased faith
- Believing we can make a difference
- Supporting the Church
- Helping the community
- Fighting against abortion
- Standing for our Country

Whatever your reasons for joining, it is now the time to renew your commitment and your promises. It is time to get involved and use your skills helping us make this a better world.

President Ronald Reagan once said, “Some people spend an entire lifetime wondering if they made a difference. The Marines don’t have that problem.” After 27 years as a Marine, I agree.

Funny thing about that is that I joined the Knights for the same reason as the president pointed out. “Some Catholic men spend an entire lifetime wondering if they made a difference. **We Knights of Columbus don’t have that problem!**” **We do make a difference, be part of it!**

Vivat Jesus,
Nick Klepac

Deacons Report



Dear brothers in Christ,

I ran a ministry some years ago for individuals who lost their spouse and I have spent time sitting at the hospital with individuals who just had a spouse pass away. However, it is impossible to fully understand what it is like to lose someone who has been an integral part of your life until you suffer that loss yourself.

Scripture tells us that when two people marry they need to become as one. I have been fortunate to have had that experience. However, that means that when one of the couple passes away, the other person feels that part of them has died with their partner.

Our Christian faith never promised us that we won’t experience losses and pain in our life. However, our faith in Christ does promise us that in times of loss and grief, He will be there for us to comfort us and to reassure us that we can go on not in person but through family and friends whom He sends to minister to us. I am grateful to all of you for your prayers, cards, Masses and calls. I know that Christ lives through you.

God bless,
Deacon Stan Grenn



K'Cees Korner

Our Lord has risen, Happy Easter, everyone! This event two thousand years ago was so miraculous that time started being recorded from that point, i.e. A.D. We Christians, are blessed to know we are never alone. God watches over us, even when we forget to take care of ourselves.

We’ll be celebrating a baby shower to help the Inn Ministry of Jacksonville. Our baby shower will be 2pm on June 3rd at the Hall. We will meet this month and next to work on the baby blankets and bibs to donate from us to the Inn Ministry. The exact dates will follow.

Pray a Rosary and Divine Mercy for yourselves, your family and for our country. Prayers are never a waste of time, they only help.

God Bless All,
Bernie Klepac

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, Frank Becht PGK and Lyle Stewart.

Keep in Your Prayers

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

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

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

First Friday Mass, Friday, Apr 6

Come join us for Mass followed by a potluck dinner. Please bring a dish to share.

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

Corporate Communion/Breakfast Christ The King, April 8, 11:00am

Come join us for Corporate Communion at Christ The King at the 11:00 a.m. 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.

We will serve breakfast to the parish after Mass so we need volunteers to help in the kitchen.

K of C 36th Annual Golf Tournament

Sunday, June 10, 2018 (2 pm shotgun)

Blue Sky Golf Club

Awards/dining at Miller's Ale House

(Regency) following

Details/brochures on line at our website or for pickup at our hall..






APRIL 2018

Happy Easter!



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p>1 Easter Sunday</p> 	2	3	4	5	<p>6 1st Friday Mass & potluck dinner 6:00PM</p>	<p>7 Brotherly Care 8AM @ CTK 8AM</p>
<p>8 Corporate Communion Breakfast @ CTK 11am</p>	<p>9 Walk for Life University Blvd 1pm</p>	<p>10 ACA, Business & KCee's Meetings 7pm Officers meeting 8:15pm</p>	<p>11 Walk for Life University Blvd 9:30am</p>	12	13	<p>14 Road Clean 8 ACA Cleanup</p>
<p>15 Ladies Appreciation Luncheon 10:45am Squires meeting 1:30 PM</p>	<p>16 Walk for Life University Blvd 1pm</p>	17	<p>18 Walk for Life University Blvd 9:30am</p>	19	20	<p>21 65th State Bowling Tournament Orlando, Fl.</p>
<p>22 65th State Bowling Tournament Orlando, Fl.</p>	<p>23 Walk for Life University Blvd 1pm</p>	<p>24 Admissions Degree (1st) Candidate call 7PM</p>	<p>25 Walk for Life University Blvd 9:30am</p>	26	27	28
29	<p>30 Walk for Life University Blvd 1pm</p>	May 1	<p>May 2 Walk for Life University Blvd 9:30am</p>	May 3	May 4	May 5



*Happy
Easter*



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.

April Birthdays



- 4/1 Stephen Brugnotti
- 4/5 Glenn Williams
- 4/10 Mike Shevada
- 4/16 Shuford Futch, Emile Shami
- 4/17 Peter Lamb III, Martin Polsenski Jr.
- 4/18 Randolph Davidson, Theodore Emerson,
Charles Tossone
- 4/20 Joseph Brozovich, Nick Klepac
- 4/23 Russell, Strauss,
- 4/25 John Molasso
- 4/26 Robert Hernandez
- 4/29 Michael Yarborough
- 4/30 Alfred Martin

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)

- APR 6:
- MAY 4:
- JUN 1:
- JUL 6:
- AUG 3:
- SEP 7:
- OCT 5:
- NOV 3: Memorial Mass
- DEC 7:

Financial Secretary Desk

Brothers when the last time you attended a 3rd Degree. Why not put this one on your schedule?

Location:

San Jose Parish Hall, 3619 Toledo Rd

Date: May 19, 2018

Time: Candidate call 10:30am

Dress: Church Attire, Coat, Tie, Dress Slacks and Shirt.

If you were a sponsor, call your Knight offer to take him.

Ralph Mosley, FS

Ladies Appreciation Luncheon

Please come and join us at the River City Brewing Company, Sunday, April 15 at 10:45 am. Take your better half out for a great meal and camaraderie.

RSVPs are a must for this event. No RSVP, no entrance.

Please provide Ralph Mosley the number in your party no later than April 8. Cost is \$22.95 per person, \$21.95 per person for seniors. Tax and tips not included.



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



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Renew your 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
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Information for the newsletter can be sent via E-mail to Tom or Gerry by the 24th of the month.
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**Family of the Month
April 2018**



Being a Knight requires strong belief in God, a love for family and supporting our country and way of life. Being chosen as the Family of Month requires a strong commitment to those ideals and participation not only by the Knight, but also by his family. As our Family Director, Bruce and his wife, Bertha, embody all of those characteristics. Bruce has quickly moved in as our “go to” cook at Resurrection and not surprising he can also be found cooking/assisting at CTK and at our hall. He is very active in cooking/assisting in all of our Honor Roll breakfasts at both churches, ensuring all the food we need is ordered and delivered on time. Bertha is an active K’Ceas member and joins Bruce in the kitchen helping at many events. Both also are very active in our Peanut Butter & Jelly sandwich making for the St. Francis Soup Kitchen. Additionally, Bruce is a Sacristan and Bertha is a EMHC at Resurrection. **Please join me in congratulating Bruce and Bertha Belet as our April Family of the Month.**

**Knight of the Month
April 2018**



How a brother volunteers his time and talent in our council is a personal choice. Our current Knight of the month is a perfect example of how “random acts of kindness” sets a great example and provides much appreciated help. He is a rather silent Knight, quietly stepping in at nearly every major function we have by simply asking “Do you need help?” He loves to volunteer and unless you really pay attention you may miss him. Bill is very active in cooking, serving and washing dishes at many of our events and notably our Catholic schools Honor Roll breakfasts. He is also quick in helping cleanup and tear down at our social events. Thank you Bill for all you do! **Please join me in congratulating Bill Mattiace as our April Knight of the Month.**

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Upcoming Events - 2018

- 5/4 First Friday Mass (6:30pm)
- 5/5 Knights of the Brotherly Care - CTK (8:00am)
- 5/5 Holy Rosary Procession & Mass - CTK (8:00am)
- 5/8 Business/K'Cees Meeting (7pm)
- 5/8 Officers Meeting (8:15pm)
- 5/12 Road Cleanup (8:00a m)
- 5/12 Bunco Knight (6:30pm)
- 5/19 Squire's Spaghetti Dinner (6:30pm)
- 5/20 Corporate Communion/Breakfast - RES (8:30am)
- 5/20 Squire's Meeting (1:30pm)
- 5/22 Formation Degree (2nd) (7:00pm candidate call)
- 5/25-27 State Convention
- 5/28 Father Boddie Memorial Day Picnic (10:00am)
- 6/1 First Friday Mass (6:30pm)
- 6/2 Knights of the Brotherly Care - Christ the King (8am)
- 6/3 K'Cees Baby Shower (2:00pm)
- 6/10 Bonnie Invitational open
- 6/12 Business/K'Cees Meeting (7pm)
- 6/12 Officers Meeting (8:15pm)
- 6/15 Squires Camping Trip
- 6/16 Road Cleanup (8am)
- 6/17 Squires Meeting (1:30pm)

"Current Resident or "

Culture of LIFE April 2018



TWO special events this **HOLY WEEK** at TWO different abortuaries:

1. Good Friday morning, 3/30/18 the **Way of the Cross** three times (8:30, 9:30 and 10:30) at **Planned Parenthood, 5978 Powers Ave** (Note change of abortuary from last year!)
2. Holy Saturday morning, 3/31/18 **Liturgy for the Unborn** from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. at **A Woman's Choice of Jacksonville, 4131 University Blvd. S.**

On a bleak Friday afternoon, 2000 years ago, our Savior Jesus Christ was crucified at Golgotha, "the place of the skull."

We have our own Golgothas right here in Jacksonville: **Planned Parenthood and A Woman's Choice of Jacksonville**, where Jesus' image is violently destroyed again and again by abortion.

So, it is fitting that we solemnize Jesus' suffering and death in connection with the pro-LIFE ministry He has entrusted to us.

On Good Friday, three **Roman Catholic** clergy will pray the Way of the Cross on the public sidewalk in front of Planned Parenthood three times: 8:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

On Holy Saturday, **Charismatic Episcopal Church** clergy will lead us in the Liturgy for the Unborn from 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Yes, there will be abortions on Good Friday.

Yes, Family for LIFE will be there for the babies and their parents!

Please come and pray with us!