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Grand Knight's Report



“God - Family - Country”

The end of the fraternal year! I think it is fair to say “We did good!”

Our year was of course filled with numerous activities and most noteworthy was reintroducing “Honor Roll” breakfasts at Resurrection! Much thanks to Bruce Belet who headed these events and made it successful. Over all we prepared over 300 meals! At Christ the King, the “Honor Roll” breakfasts continued with us preparing about 260 meals!

We had a great Memorial Mass and Religious Appreciation mass/dinner. Our 50th Doc Broome Charity ball netted over \$3,000.00 and coupled with last years charity events, we donated \$16,900.00 to local charities and seminarians, including \$2,874 for the Handicap (Tootsie Roll Drive). Additionally, we added “Trunk or Treat” and “Thanks and Giving.” We were also able to provide Hurricane relief (rain/wind damage) to Resurrection, coupled with financial assistance from Council 9113, Marmora, NJ.

The hardest part this year was the loss of brothers that are now enjoying the presence of our Lord in heaven: Frank Becht PGK, Dr. Vincent Canepa, Lyle Stewart, Thomas Bobo, Rick Stanfill, George Ernst, John Fredricks Sr, Cass Casterlin, Thomas Williams III, Mark Costello Jr., Mike Powers, and Paul McGowan. We miss you and remember you and your families in our prayers.

Let’s look forward to the new fraternal year and GET INVOLVED, DO SOMETHING! We have almost 300 members and the work is being done by less than 25. Imagine if all 300 volunteered got involved! You are Knights, let us show the world what we can do!

Vivat Jesus,
Nick Klepac

Deacons Report



Dear brothers in Christ,

Pope Francis released his third apostolic exhortation, Gaudete et Exsultate, (rejoice and be glad) in March of this year. In it the pope addresses the call of all of us to holiness. He reminds us that we can achieve holiness right where we are. We don’t have to become a missionary or join a monastery as a pathway to holiness. It’s doing the little things for the right reason that can move us toward holiness.

St. Therese the little flower is a good example. Her path to holiness was accomplished by doing ordinary things with extraordinary love. Those sacrifices we make for our children or our spouses--taking the kids to soccer practice when we would rather be on the golf course or listening with patience to our spouse tell us about the terrible day they had when we’re trying to recover from our own terrible day. When all these little sacrifices are done out of love for others they become a step to holiness.

God bless,
Deacon Stan Grenn



K'Cees Korner

Thank you to all the ladies that helped tie knots creating the baby blankets we'll give to the Inn Ministry at the baby shower on June 3 at 2pm. We have received many items from the Country Store of Christ the King Church and School, including a baby carrier, a baby swing, clothing and linens. Possibly, the items we collected will help facilitate the Family Enrichment program which helps and guides the young families toward building a strong future. We are hoping to have a few resident mothers from the Inn Ministry at our baby shower, but they may have to work. Maintaining a stable environment for their families is these young mothers top priority.

Thanks to our continuing fundraiser of quarterly Bunko, we are able to purchase an infant to toddler car seat for the Inn Ministry to shuttle babies to and from doctors' appointments.

When the Knights meet on the second Tuesday of the month during the summer, we K'Cees can get together to brainstorm about upcoming events. A membership social in August, Christmas Party planning?

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, Mark Costello Jr., Larry Francis Prescott, George Ernst, John Fredricks, Sr., Paul McGowan, Ron Laseman, Thomas Williams III, Bill Misenheimer, Dr. Vincent Canepa, Francis Becht PGK, Eugene Salzman, Walt Miller, Michael Powers, Thomas R. Bobo, Rick Stanfill, Cass Casterlin, Lyle Stewart.

Keep in Your Prayers

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

K'Ceas Baby Shower Sunday, June 3

The K'Ceas are hosting a baby shower for the Inn Ministry at the Knights of Columbus Hall. The Inn Ministry is a sanctuary for pregnant women in the greater Jacksonville area. The Inn's primary purpose is to be a ministry that helps a women choose life at a moment in her life where she is forced to make a choice. Think of items a mom would like with a baby on the way or a baby already here. Diapers (size 2, 3 or 4) and wipes are the constant need. No need to wrap them.

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

Bishop W. Thomas Larkin Council 4727 36th

Annual Charity Golf Tournament

- Sunday, June 10, 2018
- 2:00 p.m. shotgun
- Blue Sky Golf Club
- 1700 Monument Rd
- Jacksonville, FL

Fellow Knights, please help us get sponsors and players for this, our largest annual fund raiser. We also need prizes and help during the event. Brochures can be obtained from the hall or on our website or see Jim Bonnie. Please call Jim at 904-699-0307 and help us make this our largest tournament yet. Dinner will be at the Millers Ale House following the Tournament.


Installation Dinner for New Officers, Friday, June 15

We will install our new officers on Friday June 15. We will begin with Social Hour at 6:30pm with wine, beer, tea coffee, etc. Heavy hours d'oeuvres will be served. The council will cover the cost. The installation of Officers will begin at 7:30pm. Awards ceremony will follow.



JUNE 2018



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 1st Friday Mass 6:30 at the hall	2 Brotherly Care 8am @ CTK
3 K'Cees baby shower 2pm	4 Walk for Life University Blvd 1pm	5	6 Walk for Life University Blvd 9:30am	7	8	9
10 Annual Charity Golf Tournament 2pm	11 Walk for Life University Blvd 1pm	12 Business Meet- ings 7pm Officers meet- ing 8:15pm	13 Walk for Life University Blvd 9:30am	14 Flag Day 	15 Squire's camping trip Officer's Installation 6:30pm	16 Road Clean up 8am
17 Squires Mtg 1:30 pm Father's Day	18 Walk for Life University Blvd 1pm	19	20 Walk for Life University Blvd 9:30am	21 First Day of Summer	22	23
24 31	25 Walk for Life University Blvd 1pm	26	27 Walk for Life University Blvd 9:30am	28	29 PB&J for soup kitchen 6:30pm	30



**First Day of
Summer June
21st.**



**Bishop Larkin
36th Annual
Charity Golf
Tournament
Sunday
June 10th
Blue Sky Golf
Club**



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.



- 1 Victor David, Michael Derr, Michael Duncan, Ralph Mosley
- 2 George Coseo
- 3 Michael Monlezun, Donald Thompson
- 6 John Porter
- 7 Joseph Chorbak, Edward Sigl, Michael Warwin
- 8 Alton Briscoe
- 9 George Rodriguez
- 10 Randolph Reyes
- 12 Emil Handzel
- 16 Roland Ferrizzi Jr.
- 18 John Belkowski
- 20 James Gennette
- 21 Kevin Thomas
- 23 Rev Brian Carey, Robert Sullivan
- 25 James Bonitatibus, Mariusz Drozdowski
- 26 Christopher Barker
- 29 Jose Praxedes
- 30 W. Marshall Fowler, Nicholas Gagnon

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)

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

First Friday Mass, Friday, June 1st

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

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

**PBJs for St Francis soup kitchen
Friday, June 29**

Join us at the Hall @ 6:00 pm to make sandwiches for the homeless.

You are welcome to join us for Pizza at EJ's afterwards.



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



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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
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**Family of the Month
June 2018**

You all know this family and what they have done for our council. Steve is a Past Grand Knight, current 4th Degree Faithful Navigator, current State “Knights on Bikes” President and our 3 year Trustee. Maryellen is active with the K’Cees and is the choir leader at Resurrection. Both are our current Culture of Life Family, providing us with monthly pro-life events updates in the Jacksonville Area. Both attend many of our events and always stay to the end helping us break down and clean-up.

Please join me in congratulating Steve and Maryellen Bell as our June Family of the Month.



**Knight of the Month
June 2018**

Many of you know this Knight of the Month. Charles is an active member of the Resurrection Men’s Group. He is also very active in helping us cook/setup/serve/breakdown the many meals we serve at Resurrection: School Honor roll, teacher retirements, Trunk or Treat, Corporate Communion Parish breakfasts, etc. The great thing about Charlie is you don’t have ask, he mysteriously shows up and helps in every task of the event. Charles is also very active in helping those most in need. A great example of his generosity and caring for others was when we were in need of a handicap ramp for a Vietnamese family at CTK. He heard of the requirement and with no hesitation donated the one he had and volunteered to help move it.

Please join me in congratulating Charles Tossone as our June Knight of the Month.

Financial Secretary Desk

Dues notices will go out as of June 15th for the July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019 year. Use our web site and PayPal it make my job easier. There is a \$2.00 convenience fee. I can bill 1/2 year if that helps. If you don't get a notice see me.

Ralph Mosley, FS

4th Degree Exemplification

Location: Jacksonville
Date: Saturday August 18, 2018
See your Financial Secretary

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Upcoming Events - 2018

7/7 Knights of the Brotherly Care - Resurrection (8am)
7/10 Business Meeting (7pm)
7/14 Road Cleanup (8am)
7/14 Bunco Knight (6:30pm)
7/15 Squires Meeting (1:30pm)
7/24 Admission Degree (1st Degree) (7pm)
8/3 First Friday Mass (6:30pm)
8/4 Knights of the Brotherly Care - CTK (8am)
8/9 Formation Degree (2nd) - Candidate call (7pm)
8/14 Business Meeting (7pm)
8/18 Road Cleanup (8am)
8/19 Squires Meeting (1:30pm)
8/28 Admission Degree (1st Degree) (7pm)
Each Monday walk for life University Blvd (1:00pm)
Each Wednesday walk for life University Blvd (9:30am)

"Current Resident or "

Culture of LIFE June 2018



Brothers and Sisters, we leave you with our final article. The following excerpt was taken from the *Be Not Afraid* pamphlet published by the USCCB.

“When battered by life’s storms or immersed in a dense fog of suffering and uncertainty, we may feel alone and unequipped to handle the circumstances. Yet with words that echo through thousands of years into the corners of our hearts, the Lord says to us, *Do not fear: I am with you.* {Isaiah 4:10}

“He is always with us. Jesus promised this when he gave the disciples the same mission he gives to each of us: *GO.*”

“Go be my hands and feet to a world enslaved by fear. Go to the woman who is unexpectedly pregnant and fears her future. Go to your friend who fears reprisal at work because he takes a stand for protection of human life. Go to your aging parent in failing health who fears being a burden. And go to others, too, for their support.”

“We don’t need to have everything figured out. We can simply follow the guidance of our Blessed Mother, the first disciple: *Do whatever he tells you.*” {John 2:5}

“Walk with each other. Do not be afraid to embrace God’s gift of life. Whatever the storms or trials we face, we are not alone. He is with us.”

“*Behold, I am with you always until the end of the age.*” {Matthew 28:20}

We have been happy to have been your Pro-life couple for this Fraternal Year. May God Bless You and may his Peace find its way into your heart.

Steve and Maryellen Bell