



# Knightly News



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## Grand Knight's Report



"God- Family-Country"  
Faith in Action.

We Knights offer all Catholic men the ability to lead their families in faith and put their faith into action. The new Supreme "Faith in Action" initiative is organized into four categories: Faith, Family, Community and Life. This new model brings us together to share faith, enjoy fraternity with loved ones, stand in service to the community and to defend life at all stages and in every condition.

We have just purchased and put in place the new Domestic Church Pamphlet Kiosk at both of our churches: Christ the King and Resurrection. These 15 different pamphlets (225 total) are free to everyone and will be replenished when required. Please let our parishioners know where they are located and get involved in passing them out, talking about them, and promoting them.

We have a few programs we need to jump on and we need someone to lead them. All of these only require some coordination and very little time. If you see something on this list that reaches out to you, let DGK Mark Gregorio know:

- Marian Icon Program
- Holy Hour
- Religious Appreciation Dinner
- Coats for Kids
- Global Wheelchair Mission
- Keep Christ in Christmas
- Good Friday Family Promotion
- Christian Refugee Relief
- Mass for People with Special Needs
- Novena for Life

There are many ways you serve God, your country and your family. Often we concentrate on our country and our families. Often we loose our connection to God and reduce or stop service to his Church. You, as a Knight, should be actively leading your family to God through the Church. Do you lead them in prayer, do you take them to Mass? When was the last time you turned off the phones and had a discussion about your faith and the gospel with your family actually sitting at a dinner table? Have you walked in front of an abortion clinic? Have you taken your family to First Friday Mass?

Paying your dues is fine, but being a Knight requires we get involved!

Vivat Jesus,  
Nick Klepac

## Deacons Report



Dear brothers in Christ,

I learned many things from my work with homeless individuals over the years. But the most important thing I learned is the virtue of humility. Homeless individuals are stripped of everything that most of us consider important. They are stripped of their dignity. They are stripped of material things that we all take for granted and are dependent on others for their very existence – food, clothing, shelter.

Humility is not a virtue that we talk about much today. In fact, humility is often seen as a weakness in individuals. In the Gospel of Matthew Jesus' disciples came to Him and asked, "Who is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven?" Jesus called a little child and had the child stand among them. Then He said, "I tell you the truth, unless you change and become like little children, you will never enter into the kingdom of heaven. Therefore, whoever humbles himself like this child is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven." As followers of Jesus Christ we need to adopt the humility of a little child if we want to enter the kingdom of heaven.

God bless,  
Deacon Stan Grenn

## K'Cees Korner



I hope everyone had a great Summer 2018! Now, let's work together to raise funds to help charities in our Arlington area of Jacksonville. Bunko and Christmas Raffle are just two ways we raise monies. You can complete our membership sign up form and pay your dues on the website, all at the same time! Or, print it out and bring the completed form along with the \$15 dues to our September 11 meeting. We will update your information for our roster while having a grand time sharing our tales of summer. We will plan our Christmas Party, which programs and speakers to have at our meetings and which charities we would like to donate in this next year. See you on Patriot Day 9/11, when we resume monthly meetings.

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, Mike Shevada.

### Keep in Your Prayers

Joe Chorbak, Mike Seminario, Gino Rocca, Mickey Moneyhan, Anthony Ferrizzi, Mary Gennette, John Faustini, Leah Prince, Maryellen Bell, Tammy Foxworth, Gerry Kistka, Kevin Curley, Darlene and Louis O'Neal, Pat Bianco, Don Thompson, Jean Sell, Deacon Stan Grenn, and Sandi Frank.

### 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

### Corporate Communion/Breakfast at Christ The King

#### September 9, 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. We will serve breakfast after Mass to all parishioners so please us with the cooking and serving.

### Bunco Knight at the Hall September 15

Come join us for Bunco at 6:30, \$10 per person, dinner included. Please RSVP to Bernie Klepac at 904-608-5136 or on our website - K'Cees tab.

### Jaguars Tail Gate party at the Hall Sunday

September 9, 1:00pm at the hall. Come join us for the Jaguars vs the Giants football game. Snacks and setups provided. BYOB and bring a dish to share.

### PBJs for St. Francis Soup Kitchen

September 28, 6 pm at the hall. Come join us make about 600 Peanut Butter & Jelly sandwiches for our homeless neighbors. After we finish making the sandwiches please join us for pizza at EJ's Pizza.



# SEPTEMBER 2018



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 Knights of the Brotherly Care Resurrection (8am)
2	3 Walk for Life University Blvd 8:30am	4	5 Walk for Life University Blvd 8:30am	6	7 1st Friday Mass 6:30 at the hall	8
9 Corp Communion Breakfast @ CTK 9AM Jags @ hall 1pm	10 Walk for Life University Blvd 8:30am	11 Business/ K'Cees meeting 7PM, Officer's meeting 8:15pm	12 Walk for Life University Blvd 8:30am	13	14	15 Road Cleanup (8am) Bunco Knight (6:30pm)
16 Squires Meeting (1:30pm)	17 Walk for Life University Blvd 8:30am	18 Officers Meeting (7pm)	19 Walk for Life University Blvd 8:30am	20	21	22 Tootsie Roll Drive - Churches
23 Tootsie Roll Drive - Churches	24 Walk for Life University Blvd 8:30am	25 Admission Degree (1st Degree)	26	27	28 PB&J's for soup kitchen 6:00PM	29 Tootsie Roll Drive-Publix at Townsend (All Day)
30 Tootsie Roll Drive-Publix at Atlantic (All Day)						



**Tail Gate party  
at the hall  
1pm  
Sept. 9th**



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.



### Happy September Birthdays

- 9/1 Raymond Tubel
- 9/2 Jack Brown. Major Michael Masters, Tien Nguyen
- 9/5 Gerry Kistka
- 9/6 Rev James Boddie
- 9/8 Barrie Snyder
- 9/11 Robert Rhoden, Jiggs Jose
- 9/12 Raymond Corriveau, Stephen McGuigan
- 9/14 Joseph Coyle
- 9/16 John Fuata Jr.
- 9/17 Stephen Letro
- 9/18 Albert Ferraro, Bryan Guggisberg, Dennis Stoddard
- 9/21 Louis O'Neal
- 9/22 Stephen Bell, Gary Foxworth, Brian Heusinger
- 9/25 Robert Boyd, Cazimir Park, Eduardo Santamaria



**Tootsie Roll Drive  
Churches  
Weekend of 22nd  
& 23rd.  
Publix stores  
Weekend of 29th  
& 30th**

### 1<sup>st</sup> 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)

SEP 7: Frank Becht

OCT 5:

NOV 3: Memorial Mass

DEC 7: Penny Guggisberg & Hugh McStay

### First Friday Mass, Friday, September 7th

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.

### Brother Can You Spare A Kidney?

God in His infinite wisdom has provided all of us with a spare kidney. A long time Brother Knight is in need to borrow one. One benefit of this donation would be a complete head to toe physical at Mayo Clinic free of charge. If you know of anyone that might be willing to share this gift please call Gerry at (904) 673-7440.



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



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- 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  
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Information for the newsletter can be sent via E-mail to Tom or Gerry by the 24th of the month.  
Tom Heusinger 477-6519  
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Gerry Kistka 396-9897  
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**Family of the Month  
September 2018**



We are blessed with several families that get involved with the Knights and the Church. Our September Family of the month is a such a family. Mike, Staci and daughter Hannah seem to do it all. All three are involved at Christ the King and the Knights. Mike has been our Council director and now moves to being our Community director. Mike is also active in the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Assembly as part of the Honor Guard. Staci is the Diocese CCW President, runs the CTK Ministry of Hope and is the K'Cees' Treasurer. Hannah goes to school and works part time, finding the time to help her parents at church and with the Knights. All three attend our activities, helping with setup, serving, cleanup and actively promoting what we do. **Please join me in congratulating the Mike and Staci Duncan family as our September Family of the Month.**

**Knight of the Month  
September 2018**



Our Knight of the month has been a Knight for 36 years. He served as our Grand Knight from 1995- 1997 and is the Captain of our 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Assembly. At the state level, Tom has served as a District Deputy and is currently our Regional Retention director. Tom is very active in our council responsible for running our Admission Degree, participates as a member of our Charity Committee and assists us in many early morning Honor Roll/Teacher breakfasts. **Please join me in congratulating Tom Guggisberg as our September Knight of the Month.**

**Financial Secretary Desk**

Please check your membership card. If it does not show 2018-2019 you are not current. Dues were due as of July 1, 2018. See me or email me at if you have questions.  
Ralph Mosley, FS

**Together in Holiness**

Come join a wonderful marriage enrichment conference coming to St. Joseph's in Jacksonville on Saturday, September 15, just three weeks away! This year's Together in Holiness features Fr. Richard Pagano, national speakers Dr. John and Mrs. Claire Grabowski, and Mary Caprio, M.T.S., C.F.C.P. of the St. John Paul II Foundation. All of this, plus Holy Mass, availability of the Sacrament of Reconciliation, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, and inexpensive, on-site childcare with the Servant Sisters of the Home of the Mother. It is a marvelous day for couples - a chance to take time for themselves and start talking about what matters most. For more information on the day, and to register, just click the title to visit the website: <http://forlifeandfamily.org/events/th18-saf/>

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## Upcoming Events - 2018

10/5 First Friday Mass ( 6:30pm)  
10/6 Knights of the Brotherly Care - CTK (8am)  
10/6 Holy Rosary Procession & Mass – CTK (8am)  
10/9 Business & K'Cees Meetings(7pm)  
10/13 Road Cleanup (8am)  
10/21 Squires Meeting (1:30pm)  
10/23 Admissions Degree (1<sup>st</sup> Degree) (7pm)  
11/3 Annual Memorial Mass at CTK (4:00pm)  
11/3 Knights of the Brotherly Care - Res (8am)  
11/11 Jaguars at the hall vs Colts (Noon)  
11/13 Business Meeting/K'Cees (7pm)  
11/17 Road Cleanup (8:00am) , Bunco Knight (6:30pm)  
11/18 Squire's Meeting (1:30pm)  
11/20 Formation Degree (2<sup>nd</sup>) (7pm candidate call )  
11/25 Jaguars at the hall vs Bills (Noon)  
11/27 Charity Presentation Dinner (6:00pm)  
Each Monday walk for life University Blvd (8:30am)  
Each Wednesday walk for life University Blvd (8:30am)

**"Current Resident or "**

## Culture of LIFE September 2018



Dear Knights and Families for Life:

Our times for standing in front of the AWC abortion clinic on University has changed to coincide when mother's come to their abortion appointment.

- CTK/Knights of Columbus stands on Mondays at AWC from 8:30 - 9:30am.
- Resurrection/Knights of Columbus stands on Wednesdays at AWC from 8:30 - 9:30am.

Bernie and I are usually out there on Mondays, weather permitting. This is also a much cooler time of the day to stand for life and join Father Conrad in the Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet. Everyone is welcome.

If you cannot stand during the week then let us know and we will find a time slot for you on the weekend.

Nick and Bernie Klepac, Culture of Life couple