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January 2025

## Grand Knight – Jerry Chabon



Brother Knights,

Happy New Year! May each of us, along with our families, be blessed with a prosperous new year filled with good health.

As we usher in 2025, I reflect on the past year with immense pride in our council's work and the contributions of time, prayers, and funds from all of you to assist those near and far. Our collective efforts have led to the defeat of Amendment 4 and the raising of funds for Brothers in distress, as well as others affected by hurricanes.

Our council has donated thousands of dollars and countless hours to numerous noble causes. We've supported the unborn through the Ultrasound Program, and our Brothers have consistently prepared meals for families in need. We've awarded seven scholarships to college students and provided 48 Coats of Kids, among other programs. The breadth of our work is vast and a source of pride for us all. We have much to celebrate and be grateful for this year, truly embodying our principle of Charity. It's an honor to be part of this brotherhood; we indeed reflect positively on one another. A summary of our achievements will be shared at an upcoming meeting.

Thanks to all who attended the Christmas Parade. Thanks to Jim Butler and Dan Wiggins for setting up and coordinating our involvement. I have been to quite a few parades over the year and this one was the busy parade yet. Tons of people along the entire parade route (see photos, page 10).



Our DGK Brian Perszyk and Treasurer Bob Conochalla attended the Palm Coast City Council meeting to discuss the Safe Haven Baby Box. The good news is that it was well received and approval should be forthcoming. Hopefully we will have final approval in January. (see article, page 9)

We also had our Annual Karaoke Singing Competition. Congrats to the winners (center photo). It certainly was a good time. And thanks to Brother Brian Taylor for leading this event. And once again, our Culinary Team delivered a fantastic meal.

Looking ahead to 2025, there remains much to be done. There will always be those less fortunate who require our aid and support. I am hopeful to see increased involvement in our programs. Our Faith in Action Program directors have planned many initiatives for the new year. While some programs demand significant manpower, others require less. I encourage you to reflect and follow your heart's call to action.

Plans for a recruitment weekend are underway, with details forthcoming. I urge each Brother to actively recruit new members for our council. Engage with the men you meet at church. Often, a simple invitation and explanation of our mission is all that's needed to welcome new members.

Mary Queen of the Knights, pray for us.

Fraternally,  
Jerry

## Council Chaplain – Fr. Manny Lopez



Brothers in Christ,

On January 3<sup>rd</sup> each year, the Church celebrates the Optional Memorial of the Most Holy Name of Jesus. The name Jesus was given to Mary by the Archangel Gabriel at the Annunciation. We can look to scripture to highlight the heavenly emphasis on the name of Jesus:

*Then the angel said to her, "Do not be afraid, Mary, for you have found favor with God. Behold, you will conceive in your womb and bear a son, and you shall name him Jesus. He will be great and will be called Son of the Most High, and the Lord God will give him the throne of David his father, and he will rule over the house of Jacob forever, and of his kingdom there will be no end." Luke 1:30-33*

*God greatly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, of those in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father. Philippians 2:9-11*

One of the hymns that you hear regularly during a weekend Mass is 'Holy is His Name'. In joyful song we reverently proclaim the holiness of the name of Jesus, our Savior. This song is based on Mary's song in the first chapter of Luke. Mary spontaneously expresses her gratitude to God in what we call 'The Magnificat' Luke 1:46-55. It is her prayer of praise to Almighty God. It was a wonderful song for Mary to sing then, but it's also a wonderful song for us to sing now, as we praise the same unchanging God.

Blessings,  
Fr. Manny

## District Deputy – Greg Gully



Brothers,

Happy New Year! We are blessed to live in the GREATEST country in the world. We are doubly blessed to be CATHOLIC, and the triple blessing is to be Brother Knights.

I have put together a District 17 LIVE exemplification team. It will be devised of the GK from Notre Dame, St Mary's and Mother Seton. I have asked Worthy FDD Kevin Ryan to be the presider and he graciously accepted. All exemplifications will be live from now on. I will speak more about this at our monthly meeting.

As I stated in December our primary focus will be on membership and helping your council to achieve their goals. Your council is adding new members, performing fraternal benefit events and Faith in Action programs. Star Council is the goal. However Double and Triple star are not out of reach. You do NOT need to wait for a membership drive to offer a Catholic gentleman the gift of membership. That Catholic gentleman you see in church every week is a prime candidate for the invitation to join our brotherhood. In unity and fraternity, we can accomplish this.

Every faith in action program is a membership opportunity. Your next fraternal benefits event needs to be open to the entire parish. Even if they are not KofC brothers. I have asked each GK to plan this event and our phenomenal Worthy Field Agent, Larry Kennedy, will show nonmembers the blessing of being a Brother Knight. Brother Larry is one of our best recruitment tools, second only to a non-KofC's wife!! If the wife wants the husband to become a Brother Knight, then we all know that answer.

The Supreme Council commissioned CARA, of Georgetown University, to perform a survey. Of the 10 million Catholic men surveyed they found that 7 million would become a KofC if they were asked!! We have 2.1 million men in our order internationally. Why aren't we asking men to join us?

Remember we were INVITED to be Knights. Bless a Catholic gentleman with that invitation.

Blessings to all for a healthy and prosperous 2025!

Vivat Jesus!  
Greg

### January 2025 Calendar

Wed Jan 1, 2025 All Day  
Thurs Jan 2, 2025 5:00pm – 6:00pm  
6:00pm – 7:00pm  
7:00pm – 8:15pm  
Tues Jan 7, 2025 11:30am – 3:00pm  
Tues Jan 14, 2025 11:30am – 3:00pm  
4:30pm – 6:30pm  
Sat Jan 18, 2025 6:00pm – 9:30pm  
Mon Jan 20, 2025 All Day  
Tues Jan 21, 2025 11:30am – 3:00pm  
Tues Jan 28, 2025 10:00am – 10:45am  
Sun Jan 28, 2025 11:30am – 3:00pm

Solemnity of Mary  
Officer's Meeting (SMdM Parish Hall)  
Pre-Meeting Meal (SMdM Parish Hall)  
Business Meeting (SMdM Parish Hall)  
BINGO (SMdM Parish Hall)  
BINGO (SMdM Parish Hall)  
Assembly 2810 Meeting (SMdM Parish Hall)  
Chaplain's Archdiocese Dinner/Dance  
Martin Luther King Day  
BINGO (SMdM Parish Hall)  
SMdM Parish Breakfast (Parish Hall)  
BINGO (SMdM Parish Hall)



### January 2025

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### February 2025 Calendar

Tues Feb 4, 2025 11:30am – 3:00pm  
Wed Feb 5, 2025 5:00pm – 6:00pm  
6:00pm – 7:00pm  
7:00pm – 8:15pm  
Sun Feb 9, 2025 5:00pm – 10:00pm  
Tues Feb 11, 2025 11:30am – 3:00pm  
Sat Feb 15, 2025 5:30pm – 9:00pm  
Mon Feb 17, 2025 All Day  
Tues Feb 18, 2025 11:30am – 3:00pm  
4:30pm – 6:30pm  
Sun Feb 23, 2025 10:00am – 10:45am  
Tues Feb 25, 2025 11:30am – 3:00pm

BINGO (SMdM Parish Hall)  
Officer's Meeting (SMdM Parish Hall)  
Pre-Meeting Meal (SMdM Parish Hall)  
Business Meeting (SMdM Parish Hall)  
Super Bowl Party (SMdM Parish Hall)  
BINGO (SMdM Parish Hall)  
Sweetheart Dance (SMdM Parish Hall)  
Presidents' Day  
BINGO (SMdM Parish Hall)  
Assembly 2810 Meeting (SMdM Parish Hall)  
SMdM Parish Breakfast (Parish Hall)  
BINGO (SMdM Parish Hall)

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(Editor's Note: All items or articles for the newsletter must be submitted by the 20<sup>th</sup> of the month.)



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**Jesus Needs You, Don't Say No!**  
**Vocations are *Everybody's* Business. Pray for Vocations!**





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So also faith of itself, if it does not have works, is dead. **James 2:17**



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## Eucharistic Adoration

Members of Notre Dame Council 10514 have committed to spend one hour each Friday in Eucharistic Adoration. The Holy Hour takes place in the Adoration Chapel at Santa Maria del Mar Church from 11:00 AM to Noon. The request is for a volunteer to commit to either the 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, or 4<sup>th</sup> Friday of each month. Any member that would like to commit to one Holy Hour per quarter, can sign up for the 5<sup>th</sup> Friday of the month. The Knight's Holy Hour times and reminders will be available through the Ministry Scheduler online program. Members can also volunteer for times other than on Friday morning. Although not required, members are asked to wear their green Notre Dame Council shirt to Adoration. Contact Bob Conochalla: (859) 509-2108 or [bconochalla@gmail.com](mailto:bconochalla@gmail.com)

## Field Agent – Larry Kennedy “New Year Resolutions”



Happy New Year! I hope all of you had a joyous and merry Christmas.

All of us start the new year afresh. We make resolutions. Let's plan now to look back at the end of 2024 and be able to say, "I kept those resolutions to improve myself, to improve my relationship with my family and friends, and my relationship with God!" An improved prayer life is the goal of many. I know I've made that resolution almost every year. Some years I do better than others.

But here are few things I've found about making resolutions that helped me.

First, I don't want to make a resolution that is not possible to keep. I've got to be realistic. I can't go to an extreme. For example, to improve my prayer life, I can't go from praying for 15 minutes in the morning to reading a chapter of the Bible, attending daily Mass, reciting the rosary, and saying the Liturgy of the Hours each day. For me, that's too much of a jump. I'm going to follow that for a day or two and then something will get me off track. Myself, I need to take baby steps. Maybe start with saying the rosary each day. I've got to make my resolution achievable.

The same is true of all those other resolutions we make.

I can't go from being a couch potato to running six miles a day...but I could start by walking a mile each day as an achievable step in that direction.

I can't starve myself trying to lose weight...but I could cut out snacks between meals as a start. Again, an achievable step.

I might want to read more, so I can start by reading a chapter a day in a book.

You get the idea. The resolution has to be reasonable, achievable, and specific.

Now here is one resolution that is reasonable, achievable, and specific: Resolve to meet with me to update the information on your family's financial needs analysis. (Or maybe you need to complete a financial needs analysis.) Let's see where you stand. Your financial health is critical to your family's future security. As your field agent I'm charged to meet with each of my members each year. We can take a look at your goals and aspirations and make sure you're on track to keep your family appropriately protected.

I'll contact you soon to see if an appointment should be our next step.

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Larry Kennedy

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### Happy Birthday



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Alfred Lo Monaco 1/1  
John Mc Gowan 1/1  
Pat Derita 1/3  
Charles Kidd 1/3  
Fr. Kaz Ligeza 1/3  
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Michael Mule 1/4  
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William Barrow 1/8  
Dennis Raffaelli 1/10

James Szymanski 1/10  
Dennis Ilic 1/11  
David Verdugo 1/11  
Dr. Paul Mucciolo 1/15  
Paul Dries 1/16  
Cedric Early 1/16  
Deacon Mike Moody 1/18  
Richard Rider 1/19  
Byron Jacobs 1/20  
Marty Klein 1/20  
Paul Forster 1/21  
Anthony Piccirilli 1/21

Mark Ziegler 1/21  
Anthony Trocchia 1/22  
Frank Cotton 1/23  
Jon Mollman 1/23  
Gasper Casimiro 1/24  
David Harris 1/24  
Joseph Chiarello 1/25  
Sebastiao Martins 1/26  
Wil Neubauer 1/26  
David Mazzone 1/28



### Happy Anniversary

Jose & Ana Dones 1/15/1966

Byron & Jeanne Jacobs 1/24/1987

Does your spouse know that you haven't given us your anniversary information?? If your anniversary is not listed, please email your information to our financial secretary, Mike Greene: [OLPLPCouncil@gmail.com](mailto:OLPLPCouncil@gmail.com)



## Knights of Columbus Bingo

EVERY TUESDAY AT SANTA MARIA DEL MAR PARISH HALL  
SMdM PARISH HALL DOORS OPEN AT 10:30 AM  
A FREE LUNCH IS SERVED AT 11:15AM WHEN YOU BUY A  
BINGO PACK FOR ONLY \$15.00  
BINGO STARTS PROMPTLY AT 12:00 PM  
JACKPOT UP TO \$200.00  
Contact John at 225-4456 or Tim at 904-710-6516



**November Knight of the Month  
John Check**



**November Family of the Month  
Ray and Patrica Swansiger**



**Santa Maria del Mar**  
— EVERYONE IS WELCOME • YOU ARE GOD'S BELOVED! —

## Knights of Columbus & Santa Maria del Mar Wine and Cheese Social

**Date:** Saturday, January 11th, 2025

**Time:** 5:00 – 6:00 PM (After 4:00 PM Mass)

**Location:** SMdM Parish Hall

**Cost:** No charge (donations accepted)

**Theme:** Come meet and greet fellow parishioners

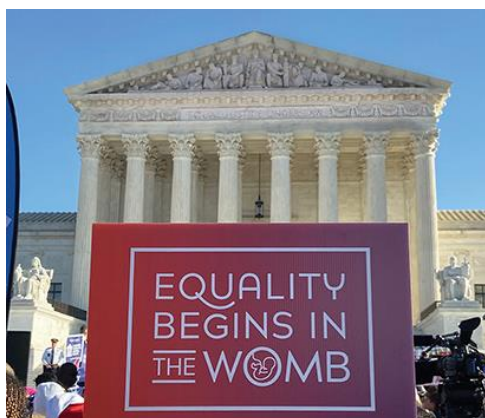
**Details:** Enjoy a delightful social hour of wine and cheese while connecting with members of our parish. **All parishioners are invited!**



*Life  
is  
Precious*

Respect  
L i f e

**LOVE  
SAVES LIVES**





## Florida District #17 Councils Distribute 'Coats for Kids'

District Deputy Greg Gully invited all of District #17 councils to participate in the Supreme Council 'Coats for Kids' Program. The 'Coats for Kids' is a featured community program under the Knight's Faith in Action Model Program. DD Gully announced that the Supreme Council was offering a 'Buy One Get One' (BOGO) promotion in October. The promotion stated that for each case of 24 coats that a council ordered, they would get an additional case of 24 coats at no additional charge. All councils in the district participated, including Notre Dame Council 10514 (Flagler Beach), St. Mary's Council 11961 (Korona), and Mother Seton Council 17480 Mother Seton (Palm Coast). District #17 Warden, Owen Thompson, assisted DD Gully in administering the BOGO program for the district.

Grand Knight Ralph Esposito of Mother Seton Council 17480 and Grand Knight Darren Maloney of St. Mary's Council 11961 teamed up to distribute coats at the St. Elizabeth Parish Hall in Palm Coast. Brothers Mike VanHeusen and Dennis Boucher coordinated the coat distribution. A special \$500 donation was made by Cable Works USA to help fund the local coat program in Palm Coast. The focus of the St. Elizabeth Ann Seton coat distribution were the individuals that come to the parish's outreach mission (see photo at bottom of page).

GK Jerry Chabon and Community Director Dan Wiggins worked with the Flagler County Education Foundation to distribute coats purchased by Notre Dame Council 10514 through their S.T.U.F.F. Bus Initiative. The S.T.U.F.F. Bus, which stands for Supplying Things U Find Fundamental, provides essential supplies and clothing to students and their families experiencing economic difficulties. Supplies include, but are not limited to: new and gently used clothing, jackets, hygiene products, shoes, undergarments, and school supplies. **(Pictured below with S.T.U.F.F. Bus representatives are: (L-R) Knights Dan Wiggins, Nick Caruso, Tim Postemski, GK Jerry Chabon, Joe Celiberti, & Bob Conochalla)**

A total of 192 coats were distributed from the councils in District #17 to benefit kids in need.

Since 'Coats for Kids' launched in 2009, Knights have distributed coats in all 50 U.S. states and all 10 Canadian provinces — including on U.S. military bases and Native American and First Nation reservations in the U.S. and Canada. Internationally, Knights of Columbus councils currently distribute approximately 200,000 coats to children in need each year. Coats for Kids exemplifies the Knights of Columbus' mission of charity and providing for the most vulnerable members of society.



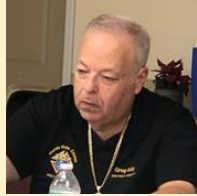


## Notre Dame Council 10514 Hosts District #17 Mid-Year Meeting

District Deputy Greg Gully (**center photo**) invited the District #17 Grand Knights, Deputy Grand Knights, Financial Secretaries, Program Directors, and Membership Directors to a Mid-Year Meeting. The meeting was held at the Santa Maria del Mar Parish Hall on December 10<sup>th</sup>. Also in attendance was Florida State Membership Director Dan McIntyre.

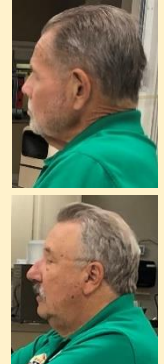
DD Gully began the meeting with an update on each council's progress towards Star Council. State Membership Director, Dan McIntyre, outlined the resources and procedures for inviting men to join the Order. Added

emphasis was made on the e-membership program which has greatly streamlined the onboarding of new members.



Each council provided updates on programs developed in their respective council for Faith in Action activities. The meeting attendees also had an open discussion on best practices concerning membership, evangelization, and use of social media. The 'how-to' on submission of articles for the Florida State Council Invocation newsletter was discussed.

(Photos below L-R: 11961 GK Darren Molony, 17480 GK Ralph Esposito & DGK Joseph Paul, FL. State Membership Director Dan McIntyre, 10514 GK Jerry Chabon & DGK Bryant Perszyk)





# Chaplain's Archdiocese Dinner Dance

## Saturday, January 18, 2025

### Dinner - Dancing 6:00 - 9:30 PM

## Santa Maria del Mar Parish Hall

## Flagler Beach, FL

### Music Featuring

## Tim Rippey, CBS Recording Artist

### Chicken or Salmon Dinner

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**\$35**  
per person

 50/50 Drawing

 AUCTION



## Safe Haven Baby Box

DGK Bryant Perszyk joined Palm Coast Fire Chief Kyle Berryhill as they made a formal presentation to the Palm Coast City Council. Brother Perszyk explained to the council and the purpose of the Safe Haven Baby Box and how the funding would be administered. Fire Chief Berryhill outlined the technical aspects of how the Safe Haven Baby Box would be installed and monitored. He explained how it would tie into the current Florida Safe Haven law.



constructing and installing the box will cost \$24,650. Notre Dame Council 10514 will cover 100% of these costs. Bro. Perszyk stressed the fact that all of the Knights of Columbus councils in Flagler County as well as organizations across the city fundraised for the box. Specifically, the Kiwanis Club and the Belle Terre Elementary School's Kiwanis K-Kids have fundraised for and donated funds to help make the baby box funding possible.

The plan is for the Baby Box to be installed at Fire Station 25, located at 1250 Belle Terre Parkway, since it is considered to be the most centrally located in Palm Coast. The total cost of the purchase and installation of the box is \$40,956, with an annual fee of \$500. Purchasing and shipping the box to Palm Coast will cost \$16,306 while

The Palm Coast 'Observer' posted an article on the Palm Coast meeting:

<https://www.observerlocalnews.com/news/2024/dec/10/palm-coast-knights-of-columbus-donates-41000-for-citys-first-safe-haven-baby-box/>



# Sweetheart Dinner/Dance



## Saturday, February 15, 2025

Music by: Carl Monte

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# Christmas PARADE

## Flagler Beach Christmas Parade Photos (2024)

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## Council Spotlight



### Knight of the Month

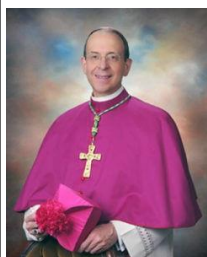
July Doug Hill  
August Mark Fuglsang  
Sept. Drew Hoffman  
Oct. Deacon John Harvey  
Nov. John Check  
Dec. Dan Wiggins

### Family of the Month

July Norman and Gracie Smith  
August Ricardo and Cora Declaro  
Sept. Gregg and Gail Wilson  
Oct. Bob & Susan Conochalla  
Nov. Ray and Patrica Swansiger  
Dec. Tony and Carla Amaral

### Supreme Chaplain's Challenge (January)

A monthly reflection and practical challenge from Supreme Chaplain Archbishop William E. Lori



**"[A]nd on entering the house they saw the child with Mary his mother. They prostrated themselves and did him homage." (Gospel for Jan. 5, Mt 2:11a)**

The solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord recalls the visit of the Magi to the infant Jesus. The Magi recognize the newborn king and offer him homage. This great feast occurs during the liturgical season of

Christmas, which begins on Christmas Eve and continues through the feast of the Baptism of the Lord. During Christmas time, we all remember and celebrate the reality that God assumed our human nature and became a little child. May this

season also remind us to recognize the dignity of all children — including unborn children — today.

This month, I challenge you to work toward greater recognition of the sanctity of unborn human life by participating in a peaceful pro-life demonstration or supporting a pregnancy resource center.

#### Questions for Reflection:

- Do you look upon the lives of children — and all people — with respect, recognizing the dignity of human life?
- What more can you personally do to protect and support life wherever it is threatened or in need?
- Are there ways you can witness to others — in word or deed — to foster awareness of the sanctity of life?

### Mary, Queen of the Knights, intercede to Jesus for those in need of his healing

**SICK** (Listing is for 3 months, but can be renewed for another 3 month period by notifying newsletter editor)

Deacon Mike Fitzgerald (3)  
Brother Jim Butler (2)  
Jacqui Gallagher wife of Bro. Matt Gallagher (2)  
Marion Mulvenna, wife of Brother Dan Mulvenna (2)  
Brother Pat Enright (1)  
Shane Ryan, son of Bro. Kevin Ryan (1)  
Brother Ray Ruggiere (1)  
Brother Anthony Santagata (1)

Brother David Rogers (P)  
Brother Anthony Cataline (P)  
Linda White, wife of Bro. Don White (P)  
Maureen Ruggiere, wife of Brother Ray Ruggiere (P)  
Deacon Brother Bill Senger (P)  
Brother Alan Pawlowski (P)  
Terri Slattery, mother-in-law of Bro. Rob Mariani (P)  
Barbara Elias, mother of Bro. Dave Elias (P)

### **BEREAVED** (Listing is for one year)

Brother James Brogan (3/24)  
Marianne Preiser, wife of Bro. Pete Preiser (3/24)  
Brother Mario Petrella (3/24)  
Marie Giliberti, wife of Bro. Art Giliberti (4/24)  
Brother Doug Fourman (5/24)  
Brother Rosario Di Bella (6/24)  
Frank Tamberino, father-in-law of Bro. Brian Taylor (6/24)

Brother Art Giliberti (8/24)  
Amy Provan, daughter of Bro. Ken Peckham (8/24)  
Brother Gerard Sweeney (9/24)  
John Berman, father-in-law of Bro. Bob Conochalla (9/24)  
Brother Matt Gallagher (11/24)  
John Ryan, father of Bro. Kevin Ryan (11/24)  
Brother Tom Donaghy (11/24)



MARY QUEEN OF THE KNIGHTS  
PRAY FOR US

### **Prayer for the Healing of Loved Ones**

Almighty God, look with mercy and kindness on our loved ones who are sick, especially those listed here. Grant them good health. Send your holy Angels to watch over them. Protect them from danger, and keep them safe from lasting injury or harm. May the life-giving grace of Your Divine Son relieve their suffering and bring them to a full recovery. Embrace them with Your constant love, and with the power of Christ's healing presence, that Your bountiful goodness may be their source of comfort, strength and joy. Amen.

### **Prayer for the Faithful Departed**

O Loving Father, Source of all life, please accompany Your servants, listed here, from this earth, to the Kingdom of heavenly peace, rest and eternal life that You have prepared for us. Forgive any sins that have been committed, and welcome these departed souls into the joyful embrace of Your never-ending love. Amen



## Knights of Columbus Council 10514 '300 Club'



The Knights of Columbus are selling '300 Club' tickets for the 2025 calendar year. The cost is \$25 per ticket and is available to all parishioners and the public. A maximum of 300 tickets will be sold!! Ticket sales begin on the week-end of November 9-10, 2024.

Starting in January and throughout 2025, Notre Dame Council 10514 will have a drawing every month on the last Sunday of the month. The drawing will be in the Parish Hall after the 9:00 AM Mass at Santa Maria del Mar Church during the Parish Breakfast.

- Each month three winners will be drawn. The first two tickets drawn will win \$50\* & the third ticket drawn will win \$25\*.
- Bonus Drawing: an additional ticket will be drawn each quarter. The first ticket drawn will win \$100\*. The second and third ticket drawn will win \$50\* & the fourth ticket drawn will win \$25\*. The \$100 bonus drawing will be held in March, June, & September.
- In December, an additional ticket will be drawn. The first ticket drawn will win \$500\*. The second and third ticket drawn will win \$50\* & the fourth ticket drawn will win \$25\*.

\* Each ticket holder is eligible to win multiple times during the year (12 monthly drawings a year, ticket holders are eligible to win once each month).



You can get your tickets from any Knight of Columbus (just look for the green KofC shirts)!  
Tickets are also available at the SMdM Parish Office (T-F).  
**Must be 18 years of age or older to purchase tickets.**  
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### Florida State Council Vocations Charity Fund

**From GK Jerry Chabon:** I participated in the District Deputy mid-year meeting in December where we discussed the funding challenges facing various Vocations programs, which are currently at a critical juncture. You should have received a letter and a Vocations Fund Commitment Form from Worthy Rich Dahn, Chairman of Florida KofC Charities, Inc., via mail.

I urge you to review the letter carefully and allow your heart to guide your contribution to this vital charity. Vocations are essential in "Keeping the Faith Alive" by supporting new priests, bishops' special projects, military clergy, and those entering religious life.  
**(Vocations are *Everybody's* Business. Pray for Vocations!)**



### 300 Club Winners (November 2024)

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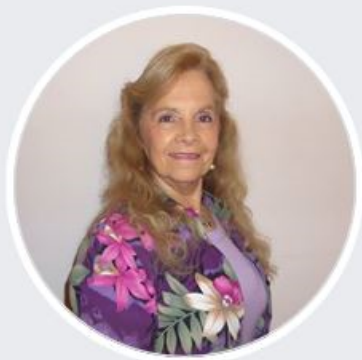
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