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October 2025

Grand Knight — Bryant Perszyk



Worthy Brothers All,

I can't believe it is already October, three months into the fraternal year. We have accomplished a lot but we have so much more to do.

I want to thank everyone who came and participated in the Holy Hour for the Sacred Heart of Jesus. We had the honor of hosting the Pilgrim Icon of the Sacred Heart for a week in September (see article, page 8).

The 9/11 ceremony is always inspiring along with the Blue Mass. Thank you PDD Kevin Ryan for keeping this tradition alive, "Lest We Forget".

The Blessing of the Safe Haven Baby Box will take place on 30 September at 3PM at fire station 25 on Belle Terre Parkway (see invitation, page 7). This project took over 2 years to complete, thanks to all the support from the council and the parish both in prayers and financial contributions.

All men of the Parish are invited to join us for a new program sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, called Cor, which is Latin for "heart". The meetings will be in the Parish Hall and refreshments will be served. The classes are on the 2nd Wednesday of each month from 6:30pm to 8:00pm

and begin on October 8th. Please bring your Bible and Rosary! (see flyer, page 8)

Campaign for People with Intellectual Disabilities drive will take place on Oct 18/19 at the Oceanside restaurant please

sign up for a spot. That will be held during bike week and if you are into bikes there are plenty in attendance at the restaurant. We are also going to try to conduct the drive after Masses at SMdM, please sign up to help out.

The first dance of the fraternal year will be held October 25th. The dances are a fun way to socialize with members of the parish and the culinary crew always does a bang-up job of preparing a delicious meal (see flyer, page 6).

The Veteran's Day ceremony will be held on Nov 1st this year. This is when the 'Lest we Forget' awards will be presented. A number of our brothers will be honored this year; Michael Greene, Joe Celiberti, and Tony Amaral.

I want to remind everyone to keep our sick and distressed in your prayers. And if anyone knows of a brother that might need some help let us know so we can reach out.

Fraternally, Bryant

Council Chaplain - Fr. Alanny Lopes



Brothers in Christ,

The Church celebrates the Feast of the Archangels on September 29th. It is sometimes referred to as 'Michaelmas' (Michael's Mass) after the Archangel

Michael.

The Bible mentions three archangels by name: **St Michael** - whose name means "Who is like God?" **St Gabriel** - whose name means "Strength of God" **St Raphael** - whose name means "God's Healing"

The archangels are among the nine choirs of angels. They can be great intercessors for the faithful. We pray for St Michael's intercession in times of temptation and spiritual battle. The Bible says that it is St. Michael that led the

angelic choir in the defeat of Satan and the rebellious angels (Revelation 12:7-9). We pray for St Gabriel's intercession when discerning God's Will. It was St. Gabriel that informed Mary that she was chosen by God to be his mother (Luke 1:26-38). We pray for St Raphael's intercession in times of sickness. Christian tradition identified him as the angel who stirred waters in the Pool of Bethesda (John 5:2-4).

This month I ask that you meditate on these most powerful intercessors.

Mary, Queen of Angels, pray for us!

Blessings, Fr. Manny

District Deputy – Grea Gully



Wed Oct 1, 2025

Sun Oct 5, 2025

Tues Oct 7,2025

Wed Oct 8, 2025

Mon Oct 13, 2025

Tues Oct 14, 2025

Sat-Sun Oct 18-29

Tues Oct 21, 2025

Sat Oct 25, 2025

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Tues Nov 18, 2025

Tues Nov 25, 2025

Thurs Nov 27, 2025

Sun Nov 30, 2025

Tues Oct 28, 2025

Brothers,

This year is certainly speeding by. Here we are in October and preparing for the coming holiday season. As always membership and faith are our priority. Personally,

inviting a Catholic gentleman to join our order allows them to enhance their faith in fraternity

with our Brother Knights. With an eye on Charity, Unity and Fraternity. When they join the 4th degree assembly, they enhance their Patriotism. What better way to grow in faith?

Offer a Catholic gentleman the GIFT of becoming a Knight. Please use the e-membership function on **KOFC.ORG/JOINUS**

Brothers, we must always remember the oath we took on the day of our exemplification to the principles of our order. CHARITY is the heart of our mission. It drives us to serve our parish and community, to help those in need, and to live

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out the Gospel in our daily lives. **UNITY** reminds us that we are stronger together. Our collective efforts can accomplish far more than anyone could alone. FRATERNITY is the bond

> that unites us as Brother Knights, providing mutual support and looking out for one another in good times and bad. PATRIOTISM is our commitment to our faith and our country, proudly standing up for both. These aren't just words, they are the bedrock of who we are and

what we do. Let's continue to live out these principles, carrying on the legacy of Blessed Fr McGivney and making a difference in the world.

I truly thank you for all that you do. YOU make District 17, the statewide recognized, best district in Florida.

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

Vivat Jesus! Greg



October 2025 Calendar

(Officer's Meeting (SMdM Parish Hall)
	Pre-Meeting Meal (SMdM Parish Hall)
	Business Meeting (SMdM Parish Hall)
5	SMDM 55 th Anniversary Mass & Reception
E	BINGO (SMdM Parish Hall)
(COR Program (SMdM Parish Hall)
	Columbus Day Holiday
E	BINGO (SMdM Parish Hall)
P	Assembly 2810 Meeting (SMdM Parish Hall)
(Citizens with Disabilities Campaign
E	BINGO (SMdM Parish Hall)
P	Autumn Dinner/Dance (SMdM Parish Hall)
(SMdM Parish Breakfast (Parish Hall)

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November 2025 Calendar

Sat Nov 1, 2025	All Day	Solemnity of All Saints							
Sun Nov 2, 2025	11:00am – 12:30pm	'Lest We Forget Awards' (SMdM Church)							
Tues Nov 4, 2025	025 11:30am – 3:00pm BINGO (SMdM Parish Hall)		November 2025						
Wed Nov 5, 2025	5:00pm – 6:00pm	Officer's Meeting (SMdM Parish Hall)	26	27	28	29	30	31	1
	6:00pm – 6:40pm	Pre-Meeting Meal (SMdM Parish Hall)	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	7:00pm – 8:15pm	Business Meeting (SMdM Parish Hall)	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Fri Nov 7, 2025	8:30am – 1:00pm	Knights & Family Retreat (St. Joseph's Monastery)	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Tues Nov 11, 2025	All Day	Veteran's Day	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
	11:30am – 3:00pm	BINGO (SMdM Parish Hall)	30	1	2	3	4	5	6
Wed Nov 12, 2025	5:00pm – 7:00pm 6:30pm – 8:00pm	Mass of Remembrance – Reception (SMdM) COR Program (SMdM Parish Hall)							

BINGO (SMdM Parish Hall)

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Assembly 2810 Meeting (SMdM Parish Hall)

KofC Years of Service Luncheon (Parish Hall)

SMdM Parish Breakfast (Parish Hall)

Have something newsworthy? Send to: mboullion@hotmail.com (Editor's Note: All items or articles for the newsletter must be submitted by the 20th of the month.)

Thanksgiving Holiday

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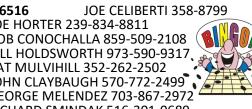
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"And so I say to you, you are Peter, and upon this rock I will build my church..." Matt 16:18 Vocations are Everybody's Business. Pray for Vocations!

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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

"... could you not watch with me for one hour?" Matt (26:40)

Members of Notre Dame Council 10514 have committed to spend one hour a month in Eucharistic Adoration. The Knights's Holy Hour takes place in the Adoration Chapel at Santa Maria del Mar Church from 11:00 AM to Noon each Friday. The request is for a volunteer to commit to either the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, or 4th Friday of each month. Any member that would like to commit to one Holy Hour per quarter, can sign up for the 5th 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

Field Agent – Larry Kennedy "Fraternal Benefits"

When Father McGivney founded our Order, a key part of his mission was to help Catholic families attain a secure financial future. In keeping with that mission, Supreme Knight Patrick Kelly recently announced updates to our member benefits.

Whether or not you are an insured Knight of Columbus, you are entitled to the Member/Spouse Fraternal Benefit. This is an accidental death benefit varies from \$1,500-\$5,000, depending on your age, whether you are insured and how long you've been a member.

The other updates I'd like to call out apply to insured members:

Family Fraternal Benefit: It's guaranteed-issue insurance up to \$10,000 to any child under age 18, regardless of physical or intellectual disabilities. This also includes an automatic \$5,000 death benefit for children who die before age 61 days, including stillbirths from at least 20 weeks after conception.

<u>Orphan Fraternal Benefit:</u> provides \$500 monthly to a member's child who has lost both parents, up to age 19. This benefit also includes up to \$5,000 per year in college scholarships, with a maximum total of \$20,000, per eligible orphan.

<u>Widow Benefit:</u> offers surviving spouses of insured Knights the opportunity to purchase Knights of Columbus products, and she and her children are eligible for scholarships.

We strive to bring Father McGivney's mission to life by offering you these valuable benefits. I would like to sit down with you to walk you through the benefits available to your family. Thank you, and I pray that Blessed Michael McGivney watches over our families this month.

All eligibility provisions of the Order's program of fraternal benefits are not included. Terms and conditions apply. Insurance members are those members who own a policy with a face value of \$15,000 or greater or with an annual premium of \$300 or greater. Other terms or restrictions may apply.

Vivat Jesus! Larry Kennedy

 Insurance products offered through Knights of Columbus, 1 Columbus Plaza, New Haven, CT 06510

For more information contact: Larry Kennedy, FICF, MDRT 407-579-9888

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Jim Cummings 10/06
Pat Mulvihill 10/06
Paul Ouellette 10/06
Dan Bach 10/07
Robert Williams 10/07
Deacon Mike Fitzgerald 10/09
Anthony Skirta 10/09
Ron Florkowski 10/11

Happy Birthday

Walter Siboroski 10/12 Frank Pelletier 10/13 Deacon Bill Senger 10/13 Jack Williamson 10/16 Louis Bianchini 10/17 Thomas Mcdonnell 10/18 Daniel Mulvenna 10/18 Pat Farley 10/20



Bill Mania 10/20 Robert Paxia 10/20 Deacon John Harvey 10/21 Peter Preiser 10/22 Jaime Miguel 10/25 Jose Dones 10/26 Ramon Marrero 10/27 Roland Salerno 10/31



Happy Anniversary

John & Margie Check 10/02/1982 Louis & Marianne Bianchini 10/05/2004 Philip & Lucille Di Nardo 10/05/1968 Edward & Joan Guy 10/10/1982 John & Lena Lulgjuraj 10/11/2015 James & Karen Butler 10/12/1991 Ronald & Deborah Limuti 10/15/1994 Bob & Susan Conochalla 10/16/2010 Paul & Christie Mucciolo 10/20/1991 Pompeo & Linda Avellino 10/21/1973 Paul & Jean Forster 10/30/2011

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

Offer a Catholic gentleman the GIFT of becoming a Knight. Please use the emembership function on KOFC.ORG/JOINUS



August Knight of the Month Nick Caruso









Autumn Dinner/Dance

Saturday, October 25, 2025 Music by Rod Matthews



Playing Variety of Hits 50's, 60's, 70's, 80's, 90's



Bob



Santa Maria del Mar Parish Hall Public Invited!!

Sponsored by KofC Council 10514

\$25.00/person - Dinner 5:30 pm - Dancing 'til 9:30 pm



Dinner Menu:

Lemon Chicken Scallopini, Garden Salad Roasted Potatoes, String Beans Almondine, Dinner Rolls, Dessert

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Make Reservations Early

Stan (386) 569-1068









Knights of Columbus[®] Florida State Council Raffle

2025-26 Charity Raffle Prizes

First Prize: \$25,000 Second Prize: \$5,000 Third Prize (2): \$1,000

\$3/ticket or \$10 per book of 4

Drawing Saturday, May 23, 2026 @ State Convention in Orlando

YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO:



SAFE HAVEN BABY BOX BLESSING

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 2025 3:00 P.M.

FIRE STATION 25
1250 BELLE TERRE PKY, PALM COAST, FL 32164



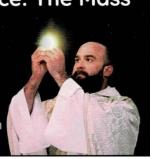
300 Club Winners (August 2025)

Dot Wuerstlin (\$50) – Ormond Beach Elvira Peckham (\$50) – Flagler Beach Norman Decoto (\$25) – Palm Coast

The Real Presence: The Mass

A 30-minute film that shows what happens visibly and invisibly at every Catholic Mass.

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Knights of Columbus Bingo

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



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Calling All Catholic Men of Santa Maria del Mar

All men of the Parish are invited to join us for a new program sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, called Cor, which is Latin for "heart".

The mission of Cor is to refocus Catholic men on Jesus Christ and to form and strengthen them in faith and virtue through a brotherhood committed to prayer, formation, and fraternity.

We will meet and have refreshments in the Parish Hall on the 2nd Wednesday of each month from 6:30pm to 8:00pm. Please bring your Bible and Rosary! The topics of the first three meetings are:

- October 8: The Rosary using Scripture
- November 12: Lectio Divina for the upcoming Sunday Gospel
- December 10: The Chaplet of Divine Mercy

To join Cor, please contact one of the following members:

John Pires, 904-333-3070 Pat Farley, 515-669-9481 Jeff Riecks, 443-617-4876 Jeff Vorholt, 513-673-3851

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For more information, please visit the website www.kofc.org/cor

Council 10514 Holds Sacred Heart Holy Hour



A Sacred Heart Holy Hour Program was conducted in the Adoration Chapel of Santa Maria del Mar Church. The prayer service was conducted during Eucharistic Adoration on the First Friday of September. The Sacred Heart travelling Icon was on display during the service.

Grand Knight, Bryant Perszyk,

offered the opening prayer. Faith Director Doug Hill and PGK Bob Conochalla assisted with the readings, Responsorial Psalm, Reflections, and Intercessions as outlined in the 'Sacred Heart Holy Hour' Booklet (#5050) obtained from the Supreme Council. Brother Doug Hill recited the Chaplet of Divine Mercy with the attendees.

After the recitation of the 'Litany of the Sacred Heart of Jesus', GK Perszyk led the participants in the singing of the Tantum Ergo. The Blessed Sacrament was then reposed in the tabernacle.

Notre Dame Council has committed to having members signed-up for Eucharistic Adoration each Friday from 11:00 AM - Noon. Eucharistic Adoration was extended by Pastor and Chaplain Fr. Manny Lopez to accommodate the 'Sacred Heart Holy Hour' Program.

The framed 'Sacred Heart Icon' portrait was placed on the Santa Maria del Mar altar for a week prior to being transferred to the next council that will host the 'Sacred Heart Holy Hour' program.









9-11 Remembrance Ceremony & Blue Mass (September 11, 2025) Veteran's Park - Flagler Beach, FL





















Mass of Remembrance for Deceased Brother Knights



Date: Wednesday, Nov. 12, 2025

Time: 5:00 PM Mass 6:15 PM Lite Dinner Reception (Parish Hall)

For More Information Contact: Doug Hill 484-614-7954

"It is therefore a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead, that they may be loosed from sins."
2 Maccabees 12:46

OPEN INVITATION FOR ALL FAMILY MEMBERS, FRIENDS, AND PARISHIONERS

On Wednesday, November 12, 2025 at 5:00 PM, Notre Dame Council 10514 and Corpus Christi Assembly 2810 will be honoring our deceased brother Knights with a Memorial Mass. Our Pastor & Chaplain, Father Manny Lopez, will be the Celebrant and we will have a roll call of all Knights of Columbus members who have transferred to our Heavenly Council.

All Knights of Columbus family members, including those of deceased members, along with friends and parishioners are invited to share this memorial. All are invited to a lite dinner reception in the Parish Hall following Mass.





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Faith

Knights of Columbus Council 10514 Scholarship Awards

Notre Dame Knights of Columbus Council 10514 will be offering a minimum of four scholarship awards of \$1,000 each for the 2025 – 26 school year. The grants will be awarded in April 2026.

Applicant must be a member of Santa Maria del Mar Parish and looking to pursue undergraduate studies in a two or four year college or technical school. Applicant may be an entering freshman or upper classman.

Each applicant will be asked to write an essay to include:

- What school or schools are you looking to attend
- What is your intended course of study
- What are the goals you hope to achieve
- What activities have you been involved in:
 - Parish

Faith in Action

- o School
- Community
- Free time (hobbies)
- How would the grant monies be used

SCHOLARSHIP Program

Submit your essay along with two letters of recommendation; one from the parish and one from a friend or relative over the age of 18. Submission should be received by December 1, 2025.

Essay and recommendation letter should be submitted in a sealed envelope addressed to "KofC 10514, Attention: Scholarship Committee". Please leave the envelope in the SMdM church office. Please include your phone number and email address with the submission.



Council Spotlight



Knight of the Month

July Jerry & Carol Chabon

July Pat Farley August Nick Caruso Sept. Tony Miller

August John & Jill Bangert
Sept. Ron & Emily Holland Schnellbacher

Family of the Month

Supreme Chaplain's Challenge (October)

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



"But the tax collector stood off at a distance and would not even raise his eyes to heaven but beat his breast and prayed, 'O God, be merciful to me a sinner." (Gospel for Oct. 26, Lk 18:13)

The parable of the Pharisee and the Tax Collector relates back to our August monthly challenge about humility. The Pharisee exalts himself before God,

extolling his superiority and keeping of the law. Meanwhile, the tax collector prays with humility, seeking mercy for his sins. Our culture stresses the importance of "self-esteem," but we must also remember that all of us are sinners in need of God's mercy. We should never approach God in a

spirit of pride, but always humbly on our knees — confident of his loving mercy.

This month, the month dedicated to the holy rosary, I challenge you to pray five decades of the rosary daily, asking God for humility and mercy.

Questions for Reflection:

- Have there been times in your life when you pridefully compared yourself to others, like the Pharisee in this parable?
- Do you perform a regular and careful examination of conscience so as to remain humbly aware of your sinfulness?
- What other steps can you take to become more like the tax collector in this parable?

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)

Mark Hoffman, son of Bro. Drew Hoffman (3)

Brother Kevin Ryan (3)

Brother Dennis Raffaelli (2)

Brother Tony Santagata (2)

Sherry Boullion, wife of Bro. Michael Boullion (2)

Shane Ryan, son of Bro. Kevin Ryan (1)

Janice Scifo, wife of Bro. Steve Scifo (1)

Michael Melendez, son of Bro. George Melendez (1)

Brother Buddy Anderson (1)

BEREAVED (Listing is for one year)

Brother Matt Gallagher (11/24)

John Ryan, father of Bro. Kevin Ryan (11/24)

Brother Tom Donaghy (11/24)

Maureen Ruggiere, wife of Bro. Ray Ruggiere (12/24)

Brother Denis De Souza (1/25)

Brother Richard Smull (2/25)

Brother Bill Mania (1)
Brother David Rogers (P)
Brother Anthony Cataline (P)
Linda White, wife of Bro. Don White (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)
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Brother Tom Wegleitner (3/25) Gina Rinalli, mother of Bro. Don Rinalli (3/25) Duane Berreth (3/25) Brother Anthony Trocchia (5/25) Bro. Robert Lepri, father of Bro. Alex Boullion (6/25) Deacon William 'Mike' Moody (9/25)

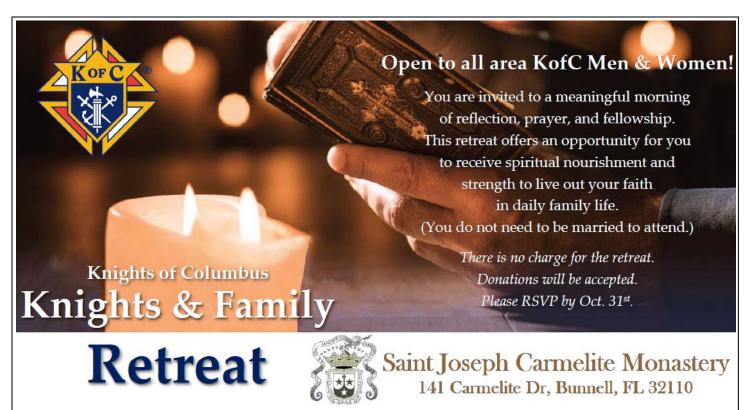


Prayer for the Healing of Loved Ones

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



Time: 8:30 AM (St. Joseph Monastery) *Date*: Friday, Nov. 7, 2025

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Retreat

Confession (optional) Mass and Holy Hour Social Break

7:30 - 8:30 AM

8:30 - 9:45 AM 9:45 - 10:15 AM

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10:15 - 11:00 AM 11:10 AM - Noon Noon

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