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December 2024

Grand Knight – Jerry Chabon



Brother Knights,

I hope everyone had a joyous Thanksgiving surrounded by family and friends. We indeed have much to be thankful for: the blessings bestowed upon us, the defeat of Amendment 4 in Florida, and our good health. We are fortunate to have each other as Brothers.

I am immensely proud of our Council and the work we accomplish. In response to our brother in need who lost everything, you all stepped up, and we managed to send him \$3,000 to assist with his living expenses. We often speak of our principles of Charity, Unity, and Fraternity and their importance in guiding our actions towards others. Our Council exemplifies these values. I am honored to be associated with all of you Brothers; we truly reflect well on one another.

Please note a few important dates in our December schedule. The Karaoke Singing Competition is on Saturday, December

14th, from 5:30 PM to 9:30 PM. Tickets are \$15 per adult and \$35 per family, available after all masses through the weekend of December 7th (**see page 7**). The Christmas Parade is on Saturday, December 7th, starting at 1 PM, we will muster at 12:30 PM at the church hall (**see page 6**). Detailed information will be provided at our December 4th Business Meeting. Lastly, our Parish Breakfast is on Sunday, December 29th, and we need volunteers for setup, kitchen duties, and cleanup.

Let's continue to pray for our sick, that God may comfort them, restore their health, and grant their caregivers grace and patience.

The celebration of the birth of our Lord, Jesus Christ, is fast approaching. Let's make an effort to truly put Christ back into Christmas this season. I wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Vivat Jesus!

Fraternally,
Jerry

Council Chaplain – Fr. Manny Lopez



Brothers in Christ,

FAITH - How often the Bible compels us to meditate on the meaning of faith! We might say that the Scriptures rest upon faith as one of the major cornerstones of what we are as Christians. We all remain moved at every turn by the spirit of faith in Christ.

Bishop Robert Barron describes faith as: *"Faith is an attitude of trust in the presence of God. Faith is openness to what God will reveal, do, and invite. It should be obvious that, in dealing with the infinite, all-powerful person who is God, we are never in control."*

One of the most fundamental statements of faith is this: your life is not about you. You're not in control. This is the reality, and the sooner we realize this, the deeper our FAITH in Christ will become. Let us realize, we all are part of God's great loving, salvific design. **To believe this in our bones and to act accordingly is to have faith.** When we operate out of this faith-filled vision, amazing things can happen in our lives, for we have surrendered to *"him who is able to accomplish far more than all we ask or imagine."* Even a small amount of faith makes an extraordinary difference.

The New Testament is full of examples of FAITH. Here are some:

Luke 7:1-10 says that Jesus was amazed at a Roman centurion's faith: *"I tell you, not even in Israel have I found such faith."*



Matthew 8: 5-10 states: *"When he entered Capernaum,* a centurion approached him and appealed to him, saying, 'Lord, my servant is lying at home paralyzed, suffering dreadfully.' He said to him, 'I will come and cure him.' The centurion said in reply,* 'Lord, I am not worthy to have you enter under my roof; only say the word and my servant will be healed. For I too am a person subject to authority, with soldiers subject to me. And I say to one, 'Go,' and he goes; and to another, 'Come here,' and he comes; and to my slave, 'Do this,' and he does it." When Jesus heard this, he was amazed and said to those following him, "Amen, I say to you, in no one in Israel* have I found such faith."*

Both in Luke (Luke 7:9) and Matthew (Matthew 8:10) use the Greek word *thaumazo* (thou-mad'-zo) which we translate "marveled" or "amazed" to describe Jesus' response to the centurion's faith.

Hebrews 12:2 says *"while keeping our eyes fixed on Jesus, the leader and perfecter of faith"* (NAB)

The story of the Faith of the woman with the hemorrhage, and Jesus' answer to her deep faith appears in the Gospels of Matthew 9:20-22, Mark 5:25-34, Luke 8:43-48. The answer of Jesus to the woman was the same: *"Daughter, your faith has healed you. Go in peace."*

We need to ask ourselves one question: How deep is my faith in Christ, and what is keeping me from achieving that FAITH?

Blessings,
Fr. Manny

District Deputy – Greg Gully



Brothers,

Remember the 'reason for the season'. A Savior was born in Bethlehem to give his life to grant us, sinners, eternal life. **'EVERY KNEE SHALL BEND AT HIS HOLY NAME' (Philippians 2:9-11)**. As members of our

fraternal order let us always be thankful for the gifts bestowed upon us by JESUS CHRIST. Let's always pay it forward by helping those less fortunate.

Through the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ Amendment #4 has been defeated. The Knights have been on the front lines of life issues since their inception. Although we won this battle the war for the protection of life is not over. The baby killers are already hard at work devising another scheme to place a new constitutional amendment on the Florida ballot. Let's keep the pressure on. Remember, abortion is STILL legal in Florida.

Now my primary concentration will be on membership and helping each 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 stars 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.

Please consider creating or joining a COR group at your Church. Open to ALL Catholic men of the parish. A great way to evangelize and show men that being a Knight is truly based on our shared catholic values.

Always remember, we were INVITED to be Knights!

In closing let's pray that Worthy FDD Kevin Ryan has a safe trip on his sleigh. 'Santa' has departed for the north pole to get those lazy elves back to work!

Have a blessed Christmas season.

Vivat Jesus!
Greg

December 2024 Calendar

Tues Dec 3, 2024	11:30am – 3:00pm	BINGO (SMdM Parish Hall)
Wed Dec 4, 2024	5:00pm – 6:00pm	Officer's Meeting (SMdM Parish Hall)
	6:00pm – 7:00pm	Pre-Meeting Meal (SMdM Parish Hall)
	7:00pm – 8:15pm	Business Meeting (SMdM Parish Hall)
Sat Dec 7, 2024	1:00pm – 3:00pm	Christmas Parade (Flagler Beach)
Mon Dec 9, 2024	All Day (Holy Day)	Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception
Tues Dec 10, 2024	11:30am – 3:00pm	BINGO (SMdM Parish Hall)
Sat Dec 14, 2024	5:30pm – 9:30pm	Family Pasta Dinner – Karaoke Fundraiser
Tues Dec 17, 2024	11:30am – 3:00pm	BINGO (SMdM Parish Hall)
	4:30pm – 6:30pm	Assembly 2810 Meeting (SMdM Parish Hall)
Tues Dec 24, 2024	Christmas Eve	BINGO Cancelled
Wed Dec 25, 2024	All Day	Christmas Day
Sun Dec 29, 2024	10:00am – 10:45am	SMdM Parish Breakfast (Parish Hall)
Tues Dec 31, 2024	New Year's Eve	BINGO Cancelled



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January 2025 Calendar

Wed Jan 1, 2025	All Day	Solemnity of Mary
Thurs Jan 2, 2025	5:00pm – 6:00pm	Officer's Meeting (SMdM Parish Hall)
	6:00pm – 7:00pm	Pre-Meeting Meal (SMdM Parish Hall)
	7:00pm – 8:15pm	Business Meeting (SMdM Parish Hall)
Tues Jan 14, 2025	11:30am – 3:00pm	BINGO (SMdM Parish Hall)
Sat Jan 18, 2024	6:00pm – 9:30pm	Chaplain's Archdiocese Dinner/Dance
Mon Jan 20, 2025	All Day	Martin Luther King Day
Tues Jan 21, 2025	11:30am – 3:00pm	BINGO (SMdM Parish Hall)
	4:30pm – 6:30pm	Assembly 2810 Meeting (SMdM Parish Hall)
Tues Jan 28, 2025	10:00am – 10:45am	SMdM Parish Breakfast (Parish Hall)
Sun Jan 28, 2025	11:30am – 3:00pm	BINGO (SMdM Parish Hall)

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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.)

Pray for Vocations

"The way Jesus shows you is not easy. Rather, it is like a path winding up a mountain. Do not lose heart! The steeper the road, the faster it rises towards ever wider horizons."
St. John Paul II



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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 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 “Christmas Gifts”



Merry Christmas! To all my brothers and their families, I extend my very best wishes for a merry and a blessed Christmas. As we are celebrating the Christmas season, we give thanks that God sent his Only Begotten Son to live among us and save us! That gift from the Father sets the stage for our giving gifts at Christmas.

It seems we say it every year: “It’s Christmas; where did the year go?” Seems like a good time to look back on the year and note all the gifts given by you and our members worldwide. As Supreme Knight Patrick Kelly mentioned in his annual report this year in Nashville, Tennessee, we have much to be thankful for and much more work ahead of us.

Consider these gifts that SK Kelly mentioned. The Order gave more than \$154 million and more than 48 million hours of volunteer service. But those are the big totals. Look at these specifics: we gave the gift of warmth to more than 150,000 children through the Coats for Kids campaign. We gave 8,891 physically challenged individuals the gift of mobility this year through our wheelchair program. We raised more than \$19 million for Ukraine support and gave those families the gift of respite at Mercy Centers and

Easter packages. RSVP gave the gift of financial support to nearly 5,900 seminarians or postulants. And we had more than 450,000 members give the gift of life through donating blood.

These are gifts that change lives. Real people, real individuals benefited from these gifts.

As I consider Christmas I think of the gift of support and encouragement that you have given me. I appreciate the opportunity to work with you and your families this past year and I look forward to a new year and renewing connections with you.

Again, a very Merry and Blessed Christmas!

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Larry Kennedy

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Happy Birthday

Edward Quesenberry 12/1
David Kriceri 12/5
Tony Roberti 12/6
Bill Holdsworth 12/7
Thomas Liston 12/7
Anthony Rizzo 12/9
Michael Monlezun 12/11
Bobby Ewing 12/13

Deacon Dan Rindge 12/14
Ralph Santore, III 12/14
Andrew Graff 12/18
Eugene Killeen 12/18
Jose Papa 12/18
Stephen Waters 12/19
Ron Hamaty 12/20
Richard Plank 12/20



Jose Vazquez 12/20
Edward Polak 12/21
James Stasicky 12/22
Robert Will 12/27
Santiago Martin 12/28
Ramon Silva 12/30



Happy Anniversary

Joe & Carole Celiberti 12/11/1982
Sean & Linda Liston 12/11/2004
Donald & Linda White 12/16/1978

Patrick & Rose Enright 12/18/1999
Michael & Nancy Greene 12/27/1989

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



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



**October Knight of the Month
Deacon John Harvey**



**October Family of the Month
Bob & Susan Conochalla**



**Knights of Columbus Float
Flagler Beach
Christmas Parade 2024**



Walk or Ride the Parade Route

Saturday, December 7, 2024 Parade Starts at 1:00 PM

{* Muster at 12:30 PM for Parade Participants}

(Wear Your Green Council 10514 KofC Shirt!)

Open to all Council 10514 Members and their Family

Hot Dogs, Hamburgers, Refreshments (No Charge)

Santa Maria del Mar Parish Hall (before the Parade, 11:30 AM-12:30 PM)



**If you are planning to attend, please contact:
Jerry Chabon 913-515-8208 or
Jim Butler 386-503-7822**



300 Club Winners (October 2024)

**Tony Dos Santos (\$50) – Palm Coast
Judy Robibero (\$50) – Palm Coast
Barry Spraggins (\$25) – Palm Coast**

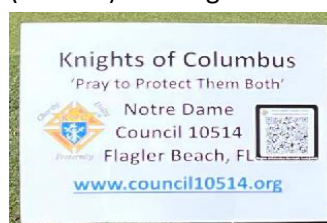
**Knights of Columbus
Keep Christ
in Christmas**



St. Mary Knights of Columbus Council 11961 First Annual Golf Tournament



Council 11961 held its first Annual Golf Tournament at Halifax Plantation Golf and Country Club. Notre Dame Council supported the tournament with golf participants as well as being hole sponsors and sponsoring the beverage cart. Proceeds benefited the St. Joseph Monastery (Bunnell) Building Fund.





Family Pasta Dinner Karaoke Singing Competition



Come one, come all to a Karaoke Singing Competition. All individuals, duos and groups (especially young folks through high school age) are encouraged to enter. Winners will be determined by a panel of judges.

The top 3 vote getters will be awarded prizes (gift cards).

We have many categories with song selections from which to choose or you may bring your own Karaoke music.

Sponsored by Knights of Columbus Notre Dame Council 10514.



DATE: Saturday, December 14, 2024

TIME: 5:30 – 9:30 pm

PLACE: Fr. O'Flaherty Hall (SMdM)

COST: \$15.00 Adults*
\$35.00 Family Ticket (w/ 2 Adults)

MENU: Pasta
Meatballs
Salad
Bread and butter
Refreshments/coffee
Please bring a dessert to share

Proceeds Benefit Council 10514

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*Tickets may be purchased after Masses in November or by calling:
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Diocese of St. Augustine Updates The Holy Fathers' New Encyclical Letter

Pope Francis' new encyclical, [Dilexit Nos](#), calls the faithful to open their hearts to the love of Christ through devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Archbishop Timothy P. Broglio, president of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops, emphasizes that this devotion offers a "simple and powerful cure" for modern society's challenges. The encyclical, released from the Vatican Oct. 23, invites prayerful reflection and encourages sharing Christ's light through service.

Read Catholic News Service's story on Dilexit Nos [here](#).

From the Director of Liturgy (DOSL)

The Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception

This is notification that the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception – observed this year on December 9 – IS a Holy Day of Obligation.

In a memorandum received from the Holy See last week, the Dicastery for Legislative Texts responded to the question posed by the USCCB concerning when a holy day of obligation occurs on a Sunday in Advent,

Lent, or Easter and the observance is transferred to Monday, does the obligation to participate in Mass also transfer?

The Dicastery responded "the feast must be observed as a day of obligation to which it is transferred."

Therefore, the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception (Monday, Dec. 9, 2024) **is to be observed as a holy day of obligation.**



Autumn Dinner/Dance Photos

Youth Activities Fundraiser

Notre Dame Co. 10514 – October 26, 2024



Fraternal Benefits Night

Field Agent Larry Kennedy conducted a Legacy Planning seminar prior to the November Council 10514 Business Meeting. FA Kennedy focused on strategies to maximize the size of your estate while minimizing taxes for beneficiaries of your estate. The seminar was open to

members and guests. Prior to the seminar, everyone shared a meal prepared by the council's culinary crew. For more information contact:

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Mass of Remembrance



On Wednesday, November 13, 2024 Notre Dame Council 10514 and Corpus Christi Assembly 2810 honored our deceased brother Knights with a Memorial Mass. Our Pastor & Chaplain, Father Manny Lopez, celebrated Mass assisted by Deacon Stephen Labrie (**Photo below**). A roll call of all Knights of Columbus members who have passed to their eternal reward from both the council and assembly was read. All Knights of Columbus family members, including those of deceased members, along with friends and parishioners were invited to the Mass. Everyone in attendance was invited to a 'lite' dinner reception in the Parish Hall following Mass.



Notre Dame Council 10514 Presented 2023-24 Star Council Award

District Deputy Greg Gully presented Council 10514 the 2023-24 Star Council Award. The Star Council Award recognizes outstanding achievement in membership, insurance and programming. In order to achieve the Star Council Award, a council must earn the Father McGivney, Founders', and Columbian Awards. Additionally, the council must submit both the Annual Survey of Fraternal Activity (#1728) and Service Program Personnel Report (#365). The council must also be fully compliant with applicable safe environment requirements.

PGK Bob Conochalla received the award on behalf of Notre Dame Council. The award was earned during his term as Grand Knight. Also recognized was FDD Kevin Ryan who served as District Deputy during the award time frame.

Pictured (L-R): FDD Kevin Ryan, PGK Bob Conochalla, & DD Greg Gully



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.
Makes a great Christmas, birthday or anniversary gift too!

For more detailed information, visit <https://council10514.org/binco-affle/>

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Did You Know?

You can go online to get all of the latest KofC news from around the state of Florida. Want to find out about other KofC council activities? You can find an events page, council newsletters, and more! The Florida State Council Invocation newsletter tab provides a link to the current issue as well as links to back issues. Visit: www.floridakofc.org



Council Spotlight



Knight of the Month

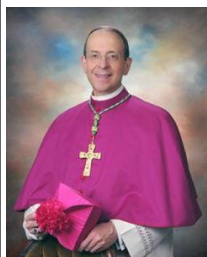
July Doug Hill
August Mark Fuglsang
Sept. Drew Hoffman
Oct. Deacon John Harvey
Nov. John Check

Family of the Month

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

Supreme Chaplain's Challenge (December)

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



"Be vigilant at all times and pray that you have the strength to escape the tribulations that are imminent and to stand before the Son of Man." (Gospel for Dec. 1, Lk 21:36)

To remain watchful is a frequent exhortation of Jesus, for we do not know when the end will come. For most people, their end will come at the moment of their death. We trust in God's grace, but grace requires our response: We must not grow lax and presume we have plenty of time to repent. We must pursue holiness and seek God's will at all times so that we stand ready to meet him at any time.

This month, in which we celebrate the birth of Jesus, I challenge you to meditate on the poor shepherds who watched over their flocks on the night he was born and identify one way you can better incorporate watchfulness into your own life.

Questions for Reflection:

- Do you maintain a practice of daily prayer, regular examination of conscience and frequent confession, or do you sometimes grow spiritually lazy?
- Do you commit yourself to steady growth in holiness and virtue as preparation for the final judgment?
- Do you teach and encourage your loved ones to do the same?

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

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Deacon Mike Fitzgerald (2)
Brother Jim Butler (2)
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Marion Mulvenna, wife of Brother Dan Mulvenna (1)
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Brother Anthony Cataline (P)

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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 Paul Gloekler (12/23)
Joyce Pawlowski, wife of Bro. Alan Pawlowski (12/23)
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)



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



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