



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

FATHER THOMAS G LORIGAN COUNCIL 7027

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COMING EVENTS

Date	Time	Until	Event	Location
1			ALL SAINTS DAY	
2			ALL SOULS DAY	
3	5:30 PM	7:00 PM	First Monday Confession	St Rose of Lima Chapel
6	6:00 PM	7:00 PM	MASS OF REMEMBRANCE	St Rose of Lima Church
6	7:00 PM	8:30 PM	Remembrance Mass Reception	Parish Hall
6	7:00 PM	8:00 PM	K of C Officer's/Planning Mtg	Knights Hall
7	8:30 AM	10:00 AM	1st Fri Adoration & Benediction	St Rose of Lima Chapel
7	6:00 PM	7:00 PM	Holy Hour w/ Benediction	St Rose of Lima Church
7	7:00 PM	8:00 PM	Spaghetti Dinner	Parish Hall
8	Noon	1:00 PM	Rosary for America	Park Ave & Dogwood
8	4:00 PM	5:00 PM	KofC Boston Butt Pre-Sales	St Rose of Lima Church
9	8:00 AM	10:00 AM	KofC Breakfast (Veterans)	Parish Hall
9	8:00 AM	5:00 PM	KofC Boston Butt Pre-Sales (all masses)	St Rose of Lima Church
11			VETERAN'S DAY	
11	6:00 PM	8:30 PM	COR - Men's Prayer/Study Grp	St Rose of Lima Room
13	6:00 PM	7:00 PM	Vespers	St Rose of Lima Chapel
13	7:00 PM	8:00 PM	KoC Council Meeting	Knights Hall
15	5:00 PM	8:00 PM	Veteran's Appreciation Dinner (by 4th Degree)	Parish Hall
18	6:00 PM	7:30 PM	KoC Assembly Meeting	Knights Hall
18	8:30 AM	5:00 PM	Christmas Decorating/ Christmas Market Set-up	Parish Hall
21	TBD	TBD	Christmas Bazaar Set up (?)	Parish Hall
22	11:00 AM	6:00 PM	Christmas Vender Market/ Polish Food-To-Go	Parish Hall
27	6:00 PM	8:00:PM	No Special Dance due to	Thanksgiving Holiday
27			THANKSGIVING DAY	
			DECEMBER	
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Grand Knight's Report

James Gaus

The October Membership Drive, held the weekend of October 18–19, was a tremendous success! Hats off to Membership Director Ivan Delabruere and Deputy Grand Knight/Program Director Mike Hamel for leading the effort and speaking at every Mass. We are also grateful to the resolute team of volunteers who distributed membership packets to each man as he arrived. Thanks to everyone's hard work and enthusiasm, we received approximately nine new e-membership applications—well done, team!

The monthly Knights Family Breakfast on October 12th was bustling with energy and fellowship. We received \$945.00 in donations to support Majella House. A big thank you to Ray Kutch and his team, and to the Ladies Auxiliary for making it such a success.

Ghoulish fun was had by all at the October Special Dance on October 23rd! With over 100 participants, the evening was filled with joy, laughter, and community spirit. Thank you to all the Knights who volunteered and to the Ladies Auxiliary for their continued support.

Interested in volunteering for future Special Dances or any parish events involving children or individuals with special needs? Please note that the Diocese's Safe Environment Program (an online course) and a background check are required. For details or to sign up, contact info@kofc7027.com.

Looking ahead, mark your calendars for the **3rd Annual Christmas Vendor**

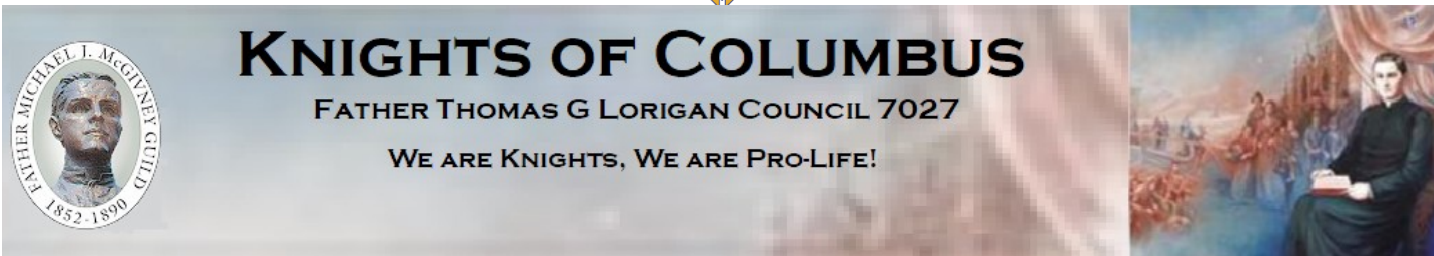
Market on Saturday, November 22nd from 11:00 AM to 6:00 PM.

This indoor/outdoor event will feature local vendors and festive cheer.

Volunteers are needed to help with tent setup and takedown, vendor assistance, and general event monitoring. To volunteer or learn more, contact Bruce Donatelli at 215-280-1077 or brucedonatelli.bd@gmail.com. More details are coming soon!

Our **Annual Knights of Columbus Christmas Party** is scheduled for **December 13th**. If you would like to help with planning or setup, please reach out to me or Deacon Jeff. Stay tuned for more information.

Finally, Advent begins on **November 30th**, inviting us into a season of reflection, anticipation, and spiritual renewal. As Knights, we are called to prepare our hearts for the coming of Christ by deepening our prayer life, attending Mass and Reconciliation, and committing to acts of charity within our families, parish, and community. Whether supporting parish Advent events, helping those in need, or setting aside quiet time for Scripture and devotion, each of us has the opportunity to lead by example—living the virtues of faith, hope, and love in joyful preparation for Christmas.



From: Grand Knight James Gaus
Request for Membership Assistance

Brother Knights,

Thank you for your continued support of our Council as we serve our Parish and Community.

Many of you have shared that with family responsibilities and work obligations, it can be difficult to attend meetings or volunteer at events as often as you would like. Please know there is still a meaningful way you can help us achieve our goals and continue supporting the charities we serve.

Each year, you will receive three donation requests:

Special Olympics in October

Vocations in December

Helping Life (return address labels) in January

By giving **\$25.00** (or whatever you can) to each appeal, together we can reach our charitable goals at Florida K of Charities (5013c Organization) and continue the work entrusted to us.

Our founder, **Blessed Fr. Michael McGivney**, envisioned the Knights of Columbus as a force to support not only Knights and their families, but also families throughout our Parish communities.

If you would like to do even more, I invite you to join our **Monthly Donation Team, all donations are through Florida KofC Charities, Inc. (5013c Organization)**. With a gift of just **\$10.00 per month**, you will be supporting *all* our charitable programs, including:

- Special Olympics
- Vocations
- Helping Life
- Ultrasound Program
- Food for Families
- Mobile Disabilities
- Disaster Relief

Yes, just \$10.00 a month will make a difference, helping us continue our mission while honoring the dream of our Founder, Blessed Fr. McGivney. Donate online click the link below or scan the QR Code



[Online Giving - Florida K of C Charities, Inc - Florida](#)

Thank you for your generosity and dedication to our mission.

Fraternally,

James D. Gaus

Grand Knight



Field Agent's Report

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5 Reasons to Purchase Life Insurance for your Child with the Knights of Columbus



Protecting their insurability. Purchasing a life insurance policy for your child can mean locking in their insurability, regardless of any future health complications that may occur later in life.

Flexibility. The Knights of Columbus offers a variety of customizable plans that provide you with the flexibility to choose the options that work best for your family.

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Riders are optional and available for an additional cost. Terms and conditions apply. Issue of rider is subject to insurability requirements.

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From the Deacon's Bench

By Deacon Jeff Massey
Falling into December



Greeting brothers as we begin the Month of November.

Turning the clock back we also turn our attention to:

All Hallows Eve or Halloween
 The word Halloween or Hallowe'en ('Saints' evening) is of Christian origin; a term equivalent to 'All Hallows Eve' as attested in Old English.

The word hallowe[']en comes from the Scots

(not to be confused with Scottish Gaelic)

form of All Hallows' Eve (the evening before All Hallows' Day):

"even" is the Scots term for 'eve' or 'evening',
 contracted to e'en or een; (All) Hallow(s) E(v)en became Hallowe'en.

Now with that out of the way, it is important for us to understand how all this flows together.

All Hollows Eve, is night **before** the Feasts of All Hollows or Saints, also known as Solemnity of All Saints...

Which is then followed All Souls day: Halloween □ All Saint's □ All Soul's Got it!

Historically, from the 4th century, feasts commemorating all Christian martyrs were held in various places, often on various dates near Easter and Pentecost. At some point in the 9th century, some churches in the British Isles began holding the commemoration of all saints on 1 November. Then, Pope Gregory IV, also in the 9th century, extended

the Feast to the Universal Catholic Church.

Thus, for us, in the Roman Rite, the liturgical celebration begins with Vespers on the evening of 31 October.

All Hallows' Eve (All Saints' Eve or "Halloween"), ends with Compline on 1 November. All of which happens the day **before** All Souls' Day which commemorates the faithful departed. Why????

Because...

From our Catholic Teaching and Tradition the celebration of All Saints' Day and All Souls' Day stems from the knowledge that there is a Divinely powerful spiritual bond between the three states that make up the Church; as part of the Mystical Body of Christ. (CCC954)

1. Church Triumphant -- Latin: Ecclesia Triumphans

(those Souls in Heaven)

2. Church Militant -- Latin: Ecclesia Militans

(those still living here on Earth, fighting against sin)

3. Church Penitent -- Latin: Ecclesia Poenitens

(those faithful departed Souls in Purgatory)

Keeping all of this in mind, I encourage all who can, please attend Saint Rose's Mass of Remembrance, 6 November, 2025 at 6pm and with a reception to follow in the Parish Hall.

Also, remember that Individual Mass intentions are **not** taken during the month of November. We remember



and pray for **ALL** deceased loved ones throughout the month of November.

I close with Paragraph 962 from the Catechism:

"We believe in the communion of all the faithful of Christ, those who are pilgrims on earth, the dead who are being purified, and the blessed in heaven, all together forming one Church; and we believe that in this communion, the merciful love of God and his saints is always [attentive] to our prayers"

(Paul VI, CPG # 30; Now Saint Pope Paul IV, Feast 29 May)
Apostolic Letter In The Form Of Motu Proprio, June 30, 1968
Solemni Hac Liturgia (Credo Of The People Of God)

Pax

SK Deacon Jeff Massey



Prayer for the Canonization of Blessed Michael McGivney

Founder of the Knights of Columbus

God, our Father, protector of the poor and defender of the widow and orphan, you called your priest, Blessed Michael McGivney, to be an apostle of Christian family life and to lead the young to the generous service of their neighbor. Through the example of his life and virtue, may we follow your Son, Jesus Christ, more closely, fulfilling his commandment of charity and building up his Body which is the Church. Let the inspiration of your servant prompt us to greater confidence in your love so that we may continue his work of caring for the needy and the outcast. We humbly ask that you glorify Blessed Michael McGivney on earth according to the design of your holy will. Through his intercession, grant the favor I now present (*here make your request*). Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Please report all favors received:

The Father McGivney Guild
1 Columbus Plaza
New Haven, CT 06510-3326 • USA
www.fathermcgivney.org

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Life

PGK Dan Arndt
prolifeman53@gmail.com



In November we celebrate our veterans and their commitment to defending our country and freedom. We also recognize everyone who defends Life. Life from womb to tomb. We also celebrate Thanksgiving and thank all who help promote Life. As we have mentioned for the last few months, Life Options clinic is in need of an ultrasound machine. Anything you can do to help raise funds would be appreciated. In November, we also prepare for the celebration of Life of

our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. The most important Life event of all civilization.

Always remember " We are Knights and we are ProLife ".

Sick & In Need Prayer List

We hold the following individuals in prayer, asking for healing, peace, and strength in their time of need. If you know someone who should be added to this list—or if a name listed here needs to be updated—please let us know at

info@kofc7027.com:

Jack Arndt. Claudia Barrett, Emily Botner, Rusty Bradberry, Emily Botner, Rusty Bradberry, Joe Burgos, John Burkhalter, Dave & Donna Byers, Norm Champagne, Richard & Hilda Connolly, Mother of Joey Davis, Leanna Delabruere, Sharon Dipkin, Dean Dizon, Louise Egler, Robert Erisman, JP Fane, Vinny Gallo, Ben/Paul Gentry Steve Gentry, Bill Glover, Walter Gross, Joan Haring,

Paul Hicks, David & Sharon Hinkle, MaryEtta Hinkle, Ed Horne, Saveria Husslein, Larry Johnson, Todd & Suzi Jones, John Juul, Mike Kassinger, Thatcher Kerzie, Karen Lewis, Ron Livorno, Sylvia Mabley, Paul Madifila, Barbara Mason. Heidi Massey, Ed McCarthy. Beth & Bill McDonald, Ian McDonald, Susan McDonald, Thea McDonald, Jennifer & Greg Micklos, Bob Miller, Nicole - sister of Justin Paul, Tom Peck, Mark Puno, John & Margo Recke, Jim and Marianne Richardson. Jerry Sciple Art Sobilo, Gene & Martha Skalsky, Dale Sorgor and family, Ed Stanislawczyk, Sterling VanGrowski, Carol Waugh.

Let us pray:

O Heavenly Father, God of Love, You gave us Your Son Jesus to be not only Physician of our souls but also Healer of our bodies and minds. Lord Jesus, We turn to You in this time of illness. Please come to us now, and lay Your healing hand on us and all who are in need of your Mercy. Let the warmth, peace and healing power of Your Spirit fill all of us now with Your life and love. We receive You, Lord Jesus!

Heal us according to Your Divine Will, Lord Jesus, and enable us to serve You with a healthy body, soul, and spirit. May Your Joy, O Lord, be our strength this day.
Amen.



Honors of the Months

Month	Knight of the Month	Family of the Month
Year 2025-26		
July, 2025	Robert Browder	John & Jane Garton
August, 2025	Richard Sturgis	James & Marianne Richardson
September, 2025	Barry Gooden	Ivan and Alicia Rosado
October, 2025	Ivan Delabruere	David & Roxanna Lambert
November, 2025		
December, 2025		
January, 2026		
February, 2026		
March, 2026		
April, 2026		
May, 2026		
June, 2026		



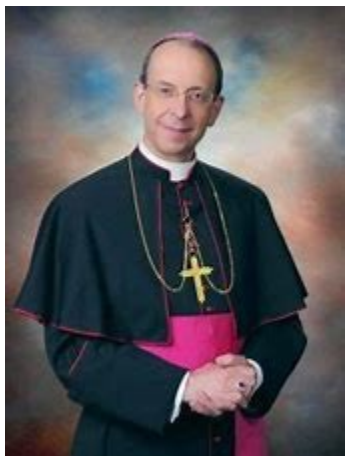
Barry Gooden – September 2025 Knight of the Month. Presented at the KofC Family Breakfast on 10/12/2025.



Ivan and Alicia Rosado. September 2025 Family of the Month. Presented on 10/12/2025 at Sunday 4pm Mass.



David, Roxanna and Amanda Lambert – October 2025 Family of the Month. Presented on 10/26/2025 at Sunday 1030am Mass.



Supreme Chaplain's Challenge

by Archbishop William E. Lori

"You will be hated by all because of my name, but not a hair on your head will be destroyed. By your perseverance you will secure your lives."

(Gospel for Nov. 16, Lk 21:17-19)

Jesus promised his faithful disciples many things — that he will always be with us, that we will receive if we ask, and that he would give us rest. He also promised that we would be hated and that we would be persecuted for the sake of his name. We must persevere and remain faithful despite the hardships we suffer for our faith. May we always put into action St. Paul's admonition: "Rejoice in hope, endure in affliction, persevere in prayer" (Rom 12:12).

Challenge by Supreme Chaplain Archbishop William E. Lori:

This month, I challenge you to learn more about the lives of the saints by selecting one or more martyrs to read about and then reflecting on how you can imitate his or her perseverance and hope.

Questions for Reflection:

Have you ever struggled with hope when life has brought challenges? Have you ever experienced bigotry, rejection, hostility or hatred on account of your Catholic faith? What are some concrete ways you can seek to grow in perseverance to face life's difficulties?

(From kofc.org select "Who We Are", "Our Faith", and "Monthly Challenge")



The Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network

APOSTLESHP OF PRAYER

November

UNITED STATES

For the prevention of suicide

Let us pray that those who are struggling with suicidal thoughts might find the support, care, and love they need in their community, and be open to the beauty of life.

<https://www.usccb.org/prayers/popes-monthly-intentions-2025>



Fourth Degree

St. Teresa of Calcutta Assembly 2823

SK Cesar Mascardo, PGK, FDD, RA1



Sir Knights,

In November, several awareness months are recognized which includes Native American Heritage Month, Movember (Men's Health Awareness), Diabetes Awareness Month, Epilepsy Awareness Month and National Homeless Youth Awareness Month. These months focus on health and education.

November brings remembrance of those who have passed away, those from our Parish, St. Rose, as well as our Veterans. November 6 is Mass of Remembrance, at 6pm. We have lost several Sir Knights, so please plan to attend if possible.

11th November is Milton Veterans Day Parade. Color Corp Commander Bruce Mabley is the contact for this event. All Sir Knights are welcome to march as this helps identify who we are. We will need to meet at Milton High School at 8:30 am on Tuesday which is the parade lineup time. And ends at Veterans Memorial Plaza, 5191 Willing Street in Milton. We will be participating in the wreath-laying ceremony as we have a wreath to donate.

On 15th November is Veteran's Dinner as we are honoring our Veterans. Social at 5:30 pm and dinner start at 6 pm. Please join the Knights of Columbus Assembly 2823 for our Veterans Day Appreciation Dinner at the Parish Hall. All Veterans and their families are invited to attend and be our guests for an evening of food, fellowship, and gratitude. The cost is free for all Veterans; price per person for all others—donation appreciated. To ensure an accurate headcount and how much food to prepare, please RSVP by 10th November, contact Cesar Mascardo, Faithful Navigator at (850)748-8788 or

email cmascardo@aol.com.

Sir Knight Michael Hamel was presented the Sir Knight of the Quarter at the corporate mass on 25th October. He was presented a certificate and commemorative coin gift that was given to new fourth degree members at the ceremonial in which they celebrated the historical celebration at St. Patrick's Cathedral in New York City on February 22, 2025. This year marks the 125th anniversary of the Fourth Degree.



VA Hot Dog is the 2nd Wednesday of the month which is 12th November.

With such a busy first part of the month, I hope that Thanksgiving Day finds you thankful and humbled by all the blessings received and prayerfully remembering those who have passed on to Judgement, and are no longer with us, as we continue our pilgrim journey.

Sir Knights, I appreciate and thank you all for all you do.

Our next meeting is on 18th November which is the 3rd Tuesday of the month.

Vivat Jesus!



KofC 7027 Membership Milestones

November 2025 Honorees: Celebrating Years of Faithful Service

We gratefully recognize the following members of Knights of Columbus Council 7027 who mark their anniversary of joining in the month of November. Their years of dedication reflect a legacy of fraternal commitment and service to our parish and community.

Name	Years of Service	Joined
Eugene Skalsky	57	1968
Patrick Cooley	38	1987
Michael Stafford	38	1987
William Glover	35	1990
Sidney J Roussell Jr	31	1994
Msgr Stephen Bosso	30	1995
Constantino Del Rosario	29	1996
Jeffrey Fischer	26	1999
Rupert Fairfield	23	2002
George Pfeiffer	20	2005
Ruben Mallarino	15	2010
Jared Zetterlund	12	2013
Jason Ybarra	8	2017
Robert Erisman	8	2017
Michael Michulka	8	2017
Dr Trevor Walker	8	2017
Thomas Peck	6	2019
Joseph Maschal	4	2021
Joseph Leone	3	2022

BIRTHDAYS

On behalf of your Council's Brother Knights, we wish you a very Happy Birthday.



Lawrence Tynes	11/01	Cory J Wilson	11/08	John Stoltman	11/19
Vincent Rose	11/02	James A Poggi	11/10	Kelly Recke	11/20
David Lambert	11/04	Robert M Browder	11/11	Paul Mangiafico	11/21
Christopher Root	11/05	Benjamin Paul	11/12	Hugh McCaffery	11/26
Ray Martinez	11/06	John Doherty	11/14	Adam Rapach	11/30
Robert J Browder	11/08	Richard Sturgis	11/14		
Rupert Fairfield	11/08	Timothy Uecker	11/16		



Council and Assembly Officers

Council 7027 Officer Fraternal Year 2024-2025		Assembly 2823 Officers Fraternal Year 2025-2026	
Chaplain	Msgr Michael Reed	Faithful Friar	Msgr Michael Reed
Grand Knight	James Gaus	Faithful Navigator	SK Cesar Mascardo
Deputy Grand Knight	Mike Hamel	Faithful Captain	SK Bruce Mabley
Chancellor	Michael Gaus	Faithful Pilot	SK Gilbert Saenz
Recorder	Bernie Schlutz	Faithful Admiral	SK Joey Davis
Treasurer	Ray Kutch	Faithful Comptroller	SK Bill McDonald
Financial Secretary	Bill McDonald	Faithful Purser	SK Brian McGuire
Advocate	Dcn Jeff Massey	Faithful Scribe	SK Arturo Ojeda
Warden	Justin Paul	Faithful Inner Sentinel	SK Joe Pascal
Inside Guard	Vincent Mauro	Faithful Outer Sentinel	SK Bob Bezick
Outside Guard	Alex Wilson	Color Guard Commander	SK Bruce Mabley
Lecturer	Walter Gross	Patriotic Liaison	SK Joey Davis
One Year Trustee	Ben Urnick	Trustee 3 Year	SK Dan Walker
Two Year Trustee	Mike Stafford	Trustee 2 Year	SK John Recke
Three Year Trustee	Mike Simoneaux	Trustee 1 Year	SK Stephen Schaffter

Knights of Columbus Online Resources

Council 7027 web site has important information such as calendar, newsletters, and member only information.

<http://www.kofc7027.com>

State Council has important information about Knights in Florida.

<https://floridakofc.org/>

Supreme contains something for everyone.

<http://kofc.org>

Knights Gear is clothing and accessories K of C branded.

<http://www.knightsgear.com>

Knightline is a monthly publication with important information for leaders and members.

<http://kofc.org/knightline>

Invocations monthly publication of the Florida State Council.

<https://www.floridakofc.org/Invocation-State-Newsletter>

Knightcast An inspirational video series forming men on their journey to be better husbands, fathers, citizens, and Catholics. <http://kofc.org/knightcast>

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