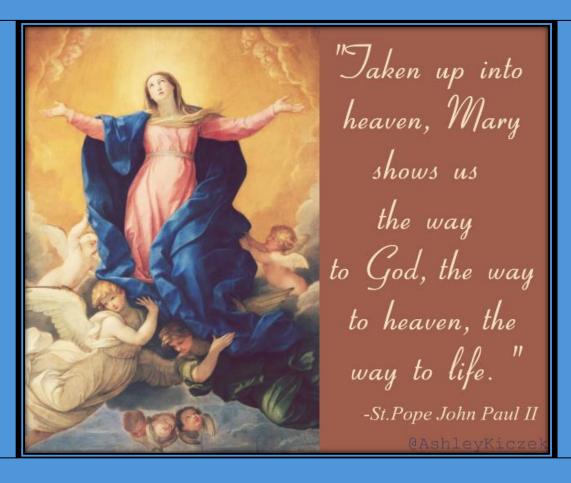


FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION

of the Blessed Virgin Mary August 15th



Founder's Feast Day of Blessed Michael McGivney August 13, 2024

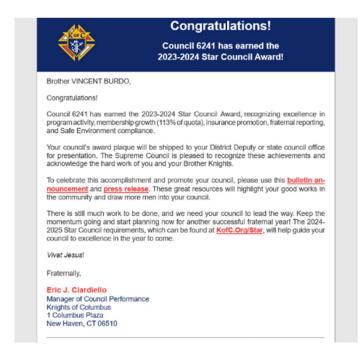


Grand Knights Message August 2024



Brother Knights family and friends,

I am honored to have been elected to a second term for our council. Through hard work and great officer leadership, we have "officially" been awarded the Star Council. I received the notice below a few days ago! I am so proud to be able to lead our council to this esteemed award.



Our budget for the upcoming year has been prepared and approved by the council. This "budget' is our guideline as to how and what we can do with our profits for the upcoming year. You must remember, a council must run like a business to be successful! Our calendar for the year has been prepared and I'll see if our publisher can insert it into the Shield.

Finally, August is a typically slow month which gives us a chance to take a breath and spend summertime with our families. But remember, please stay safe during these trying times, and prepare now for hurricane season.

This month, let us remember August 15 as the Assumption of Blessed Virgin Mary. This Catholic holy day celebrates the day Mary's body and soul ascended into heaven. Also known as Feast of the Assumption.

We will be announcing some new events this year but the upcoming work on the hall may limit us. As soon as that is clarified, we will send out the information.

May God Bless the Knights of Columbus!!

Vivat Jesus! Vinny Burdo Grand Knight



August 2024 Message

Brothers,

This is an exciting time of year for two reasons.

First, our 142nd Annual Supreme Convention is taking place in Quebec, August 6-8. Supreme Knight Patrick Kelly will lead us in celebrating the successes of our Order over the last Fraternal Year. He will announce the number of volunteer hours completed, the amount of charitable donations made, and more. That impact is only possible through our work right here on the local level. I hope that you take as much joy in being a Knight and making a difference as I do. I encourage you to watch the livestream of the Supreme Convention at kofc.org/convention. Or, if you're unable to watch live, you will be able to find news articles and videos on the website during and after the convention.

Second, I am excited as we begin a new Fraternal Year. There's much work to be done in our community as always. I pray that Blessed Michael McGivney, whose feast day we celebrate August 13, will watch over our efforts this year and that we will continue to grow in charity, unity, and fraternity. If you've benefitted over the past year from any aspect of your experience with the Knights – whether through faith-based activities, volunteer work with your brothers, getting a handle on financial matters or something else – I encourage you to invite a friend or family member into that experience with you. Let's share that brotherhood with others.

I pray, too, that through the intercession of our founder, God will bless our families abundantly this year.

As always, I am available to discuss how Knights of Columbus can help protect you and your family financially. I hope you will avail yourself of this important benefit of being a member of our Order.

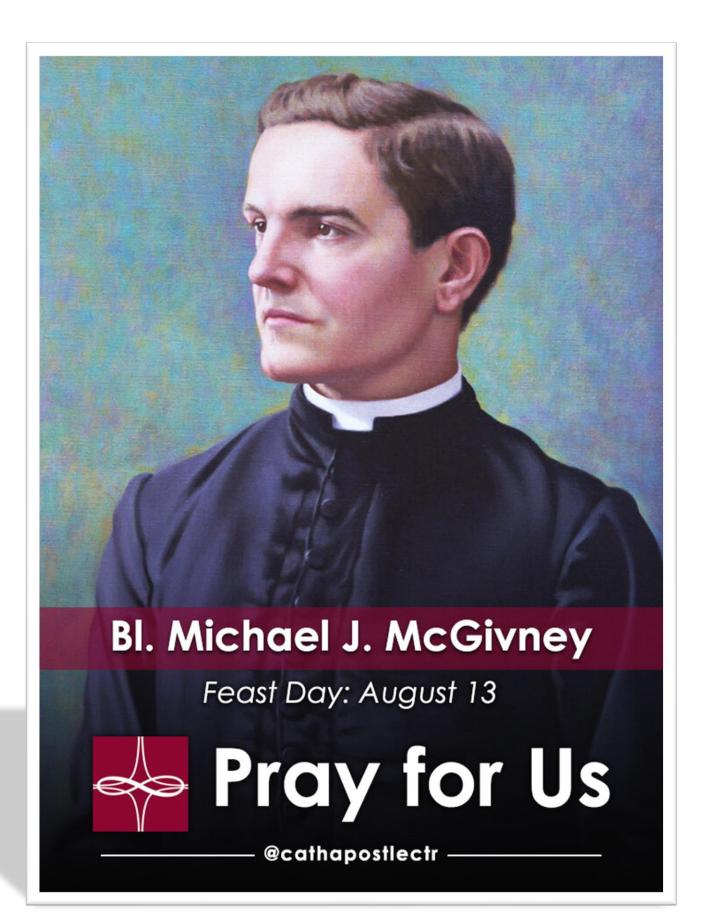
Vivat Jesus!











Installation of Officers 2024 Fraternal Year



Installation ceremony was held at our July meeting. An abbreviated council meeting, followed by the installation and a light dinner. It's a moment when leadership transitions take place, and the torch is passed to the officers who will guide the council during the 2024 fraternal year. Wives were in attendance, adding a wonderful touch—it's a reminder that the Knights of Columbus is not just an organization for its members but also a community that involves families and loved ones.

Left to Right Officer & wife:

Trustee James & Kathy Pritchard, Outside Guard Pasqual & Susan Volpe, Inside Guard Connor Montell, Financial Sec. Mark Valerio, Warden Anthony & Lisa Lutz, Treasure Frank & Juli Polis, Trustee Don & June Sheetz, GK Vincent & Rita Burdo, Trustee Joe & Diane Hessling, Recorder Lou & Patty D'Ambrosio, DGK Kevin & Marie Madden, DD Eric & Linda Wolf, Chaplain Rev Marty Dunne III, DD Jesse Nasianceno, Advocate Dr. Rafael & Teresa Fanjul, not in picture Chancellor Larry Bonadeo.

As the officers begin their journey, encourage them to support one another, collaborate, and work together toward the common goals of service, faith, and community. May this fraternal year be filled with meaningful initiatives, camaraderie, and positive impact.



Bingo Update



Bingo for summer is in progress, and we are averaging about 62 players per session. Currently Bingo is slated for all Sundays in August except for August 11. We did receive some information concerning hall repair. It is expected that all materials are due to be onsite by the end of August. If that comes to fruition, the hall will be shut down for repairs for at least part of September. Once repairs begin, Bingo may have to be put on hold until it is safe to do so (sort of like repairs complete and accepted by the Dioceses and Building Inspector). It is for the Safety of our players and staff that the hall be closed until conditions are validated to be safe. Still not sure of duration, though.

Bingo equipment update: We have had the maintenance Tech out a few times troubleshooting why the ball monitor display stops. After a few hours of waiting for the system to heat up, it appears that a router switch that determines where the ball monitor is getting a signal from is overheating and stops functioning. That part is being ordered and will be replaced when it arrives. Good thing it is under warranty. The bad thing is that it wasn't available right away. I will say the callers have done a very good job changing how the game is called, and the players for understanding.

If you look at the bingo schedule in the shield, you will find some holes we would like to fill, as well as folks doing double duty. With over 300 members, I am quite sure we can fill a lot of the open holes. Remember, if it weren't for Bingo, our charities would not be funded by the Knights of Columbus, meaning someone may be going without. Over 90 percent of our charitable budget comes from Bingo, including the 500 to 700 meals we provide to shut-ins and less fortunate people on Thanksgiving.

If you can help, even once a month, it allows us to release people who volunteer WEEK AFTER WEEK. Please let me know. Again, other than the caller and main cashier, there is very little training that needs to be done – like 5 minutes per station. If you are there, and there is only one cook in the kitchen, please lend a hand to him after bingo starts. Grill must be cooled and cleaned, supplies stored, and floor cleaned. And if you want to learn to call or cashier, we can always have standby's. Please help us keep alive the first pillar of the Knights of Columbus – Charity.

God Bless.

Joe Hessling - 772-486-0533 (call or text)

Council Donations



Presentation ceremony at St. Joseph's.

Rev. Noel McGraph is presented

with a check for \$50,000 from
Brother Ed Ciancone to assist
with St. Joseph's capital
campaign.
In attendance were brothers
(L-R) Connor Mortell, Ed,
Vincent Burdo, Fr. Noel, Jesse
Nasianceno, Jonathan Knaus

and Rafael Fanjul.



July 15, 2024

Knights of Columbus, Martin Council Corp 7251 SW Gaines Avenue Stuart, FL, 34997

To Whom It May Concern,

I would like to thank you for your generous donation on June 25, 2024 with check number 424 in the amount of \$50,000.00 towards our Capital Campaign. It is greatly appreciated. May God reward your generosity in the spirit of justice.

With best personal regards and prayers for you and your intentions, I remain

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Reverend Noel McGrath Pastor

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P.S St. Joseph Catholic Church is a nonprofit organization. Your contribution is tax-deductible to the extent allowed by law. No goods or services were provided in exchange for your generous financial donation.

Thank You Note from Fr. Noel McGraph

Presentations July



Family of the Month: Kevin and Marie Madden



Knight of the Month Award:
Tony Lutz



Long and Faithful Service 70 Years Arti Birke



Brother Arti Birke's commitment to the Knights of Columbus is truly remarkable! Seventy years of service—that's an incredible legacy. It's heartwarming to hear about his dedication and love for the organization.

At the age of eighty-eight he volunteered to be the grill man. Being a grill man for Bingo Team D sounds like quite the task! Short order cooking, scrubbing grills, mopping floors, and keeping the kitchen spotless—it's no wonder it's considered strenuous work. But it's evident that Brother Arti's passion, devotion and love for the Knights kept him going all those years.



DD Eric Wolf presents GK Vincent Burdo with a copy of "The Knights of Columbus an illustrated history" for his leadership in guiding the Council in achieving

"Star Council"



GK Vincent Burdo presents GK Jesus Perez, of San Jose Council, with the iconic copy of Our Lady of Guadalupe. The image of Our Lady of Guadalupe has a rich history and deep spiritual meaning. According to tradition, the Virgin Mary appeared to Juan Diego in Mexico in 1531, leaving her image imprinted on his cloak (known as a tilma). The image is a powerful symbol of faith, hope, and unity.

Members Corner

Do you have an interesting story to tell your brother Knights? Something that happened at the council or in your private life that would be interesting to council members, ex significant anniversary, birthday, grandchild did something fabulous or an observation of a brother Knight's kindness. Submit them to 4puttt@gmail.com (Editor) for review.

2025 Budget was Approved. Also, our Revised Calendar 2024 is attached. Review at your leisure and plan to participate in one or more events in support of our council.

Council Web Page – kofc6241.org, we need a webpage manager to maintain our Web page. If interested contact Shield editor 207-807-2514

Who, Belongs to these socks? Tex your answer to 207-807-2514 -don't forget to ID who you are. These socks belong to council member



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Connor Mortell recognized Jonathan's socks. Kudos to Conner. He was surprised to see who Jonathan and Ed were poising with.

Financial Secretary's Report: Mark Valerio stated all 2025 Dues were due on June 30. Please make any delinquent payment ASAP. Remember you as a member of this Council have a responsibility to your brothers to pay your annual dues and continue to support the Council

\$1, OOO MINIMUM WILL BE DONATED TO THE Council PER CLOSED TRANSACTION! Please refer any customer to our firm Labella Real Estate. If, they build, buy, or sell a home and it closes; we will donate a minimum of \$1,000 to the K of C in your name' Make sure the referral mentions your name. Gregory Makozy is the Real Estate Broker for Labella Real Estate, 561-445-7023



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Florida Bishops Oppose Extreme Abortion Amendment Vote No on Amendment 4

Florida Amendment 4, which will appear on Florida's November 2024 ballot, is an extreme proposal that legalizes fullterm abortion with no protections for the preborn child, including when the child is capable of feeling pain. This proposed amendment to our state constitution would prohibit all restrictions on abortion before viability and create a broad exception that any healthcare provider could exploit to allow abortion up to birth.

Furthermore, the amendment would effectively overturn or seriously jeopardize common-sense state laws that have regulated abortion for years. These include basic health and safety requirements for clinics where abortions are performed, requiring a physician to perform abortions, informed consent requirements, laws limiting public funding of abortion, and parental consent requirements before a minor's abortion. These risks demonstrate the extreme nature of the amendment.

We urge all Floridians of goodwill to stand against the legalization of late-term abortion and oppose the abortion amendment. In doing so, we will not only protect the weakest, most innocent, and defenseless of human life among us but also countless women throughout the state from the harms of abortion.

Human life is sacred. The dignity of the human person is the foundation of a moral vision of society. Direct attacks on innocent persons are never morally acceptable, at any stage or in any condition. In our state, human life is repeatedly being destroyed by abortion. Over 84,000 vulnerable and voiceless children were aborted in Florida in 2023.

This matter concerning the respect for human dignity and the fundamental value of human life is of grave importance to both our Church and our state. The threat of abortion remains our pre-eminent public policy priority. Therefore, we support a coordinated campaign to mobilize against the proposed amendment. To this end, we offer this prayer to defeat Amendment 4:

Ever-living God, you give life and desire a future for all your children. Take hold of our nation, state and community and awaken in every heart awe for the gift of life. Send your Spirit to strengthen us with wisdom and fortitude as we defend mothers and children in Florida from laws that disregard their health and safety.

Mary and Joseph trusted in you and welcomed Jesus into our broken world. God Almighty, we ask their intercession to protect the preborn and their mothers, and to guide all parents in raising their children. May they help us build a civilization of love by upholding the sacredness of life and accompanying pregnant women in need.

We ask this through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Our Lady, Mother of the Family, pray for us! St. Joseph, Protector of the Unborn, pray for us!

Most Rev. Thomas G. Wenski Archdiocese of Miami

Most Rev. Gerald M. Barbarito Diocese of Palm Beach

Most Rev. Frank J. Dewane Diocese of Venice

Most Rev. John G. Noonan Diocese of Orlando

Most Rev. Gregory L. Parkes Diocese of St. Petersburg

Most Rev. William A. Wack, CSC Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee

Diocese of St. Augustine

Most Rev. Erik T. Pohlmeier Most Rev. Enrique E. Delgado Archdiocese of Miami

i Florida law distinguishes between parental consent prior to a minor's abortion (Ch. 390.01114(5)), which would be invalidated by Amendment 4, and parental notice of a minor's abortion (Ch. 390.01114(4)), which would be retained.



FLORIDA'S PRO-ABORTION AMENDMENT EXPLAINED

Why Floridians Should Vote NO on Amendment 4

Titled "Amendment to Limit Government Interference with Abortion," Amendment 4 would enshrine UNREGULATED ABORTION in our state constitution, making Florida one of the MOST PRO-ABORTION states in the nation. The amendment language is MISLEADING, and its proposed outcomes are DANGEROUS.

WHAT IT SAYS

No law shall prohibit, penalize, delay, or restrict abortion

before viability

or when necessary to protect the patient's health,

as determined by the patient's healthcare provider.

This amendment does not change the Legislature's constitutional authority to require notification to a parent or guardian before a minor has an abortion.

WHAT IT DOES

PUTS WOMEN AT RISK

Amendment 4 would jeopardize existing laws and prohibit new ones that voters on both sides of the abortion issue support, including health and safety laws that protect women.

ALLOWS SECOND AND THIRD TRIMESTER ABORTIONS

Though not defined in the amendment, "viability" is defined in Florida law as the stage of development when the life of a fetus is sustainable outside the womb (Ch. 390.011(15)), generally accepted to be 22-24 weeks of pregnancy, or about 6 months.

CREATES A BROAD "HEALTH" LOOPHOLE

"Patient's health" is not defined in the amendment, allowing post-viability, extremely late-term abortions for treatable, temporary health concerns. Emotional health would justify an abortion when a child could survive outside the womb.

WEAKENS MEDICAL DOCTOR REQUIREMENT

"Healthcare providers" – not just physicians – could determine if an abortion is "necessary" to protect the mother's "health." Even some employees of abortion clinics, such as nurses and counselors, could approve late-term abortions.

ELIMINATES PARENTAL CONSENT

While preserving parental *notification* in our state constitution (Article X, Section 22), the amendment would invalidate the current law that requires parental *consent* for a minor to have an abortion (Ch. 390.01114(5)), making abortion the only medical decision for which parents have no say.



Scan to learn more:





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HRCC K/C Bingo 2024

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Aug 11 (NO BINGO)

Aug 18 (Sunday)

Aug 25 (Sunday)

Sep 1 (Sunday)

Balance of Sep depends on Hall Repair

Sep 8 (Sunday)

Sep 15 (Sunday)

Sep 22 (Sunday)

Sep 29 (Sunday)

Beginning October doors open Noon Games begin 1pm

Oct 6 (Sunday)

Oct 20 (Sunday)

Oct 27 (Sunday)

Nov 10 (Sunday)

Nov 24 (Sunday)

Dec 1 (Sunday)

Dec 15 (Sunday)

Dec 22 (Sunday)

Dec 29 (Sunday)

Catholic Business Networking with Club Pacioli

Join Club Pacioli for a Catholic Business Networking event where likeminded professionals come together to connect, collaborate, and grow their businesses in line with their Catholic faith!

We're hosting a new event, and we'd love to see you there. Join us for Catholic Business Networking with Club Pacioli, August 8, 2024 at 8:00 AM. Register soon because space is limited.





Welcome to the **Catholic Business Networking** event with **Club Pacioli!** Join us for a morning of networking, collaboration, and inspiration with fellow Catholic business professionals over a delicious breakfast. This in-person event will be held at the **Our Lady of Florida Spiritual Center**, providing a serene and conducive environment for meaningful connections. Don't miss this opportunity to expand your network and grow your business while staying true to your Catholic values. Agenda:

8:00am - Daily Mass in the beautiful chapel at Our Lady of Florida Spiritual Center

8:30am - Delicious breakfast with coffee

8:45am - Introductions & referrals

9:15am - Presentation by one of our businesses

9:25am - Questions & Answers to presenter

9:30am - Meeting closes

This is a networking event so bring your business cards, your organization's literature, pens and notepads – and of course, your appetite – you're going to need them all!

Club Pacioli brings together Catholic Businesses and related organizations to celebrate the Eucharist and share a meal while engaging in person-to-person networking. It is not a platform for political agendas.

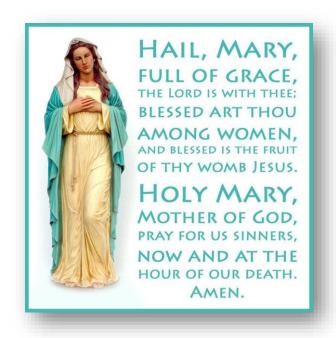
<u>Fra.</u> Luca Bartolomeo de Pacioli (c. 1447 – 19 June 1517) was an Italian <u>mathematician</u>, <u>Franciscan friar</u>, collaborator with <u>Leonardo da Vinci</u>, and an early contributor to the field now known as <u>accounting</u>.

Hosted by Jonathan Knaus, Knights of Columbus, cell: 561-603-8303, clubpacioli@gmail.com

Good of the Order

For the Soul of: Pat Breen, Tom (Luke) Schweizer) and Jeff Johns.

For Healing: Tommy Madden,
Diane Hessling, Pam and Paul
Nelson, Eric Wolf, Bud Duggan, Arti
& Dottie Burke, Tom Massar, and
Greg Gollhofer, Eli Robinson, JoAnn
Praksac, Tom Polis, Michael Polis,
Stella Fanjul, the Marcantonio family.



Culture of Life



DAILY PRAYER TO END ABORTION

Lord God, I thank you today for the gift of my life, and for the lives of all my brothers and sisters. I know there is nothing that destroys more life than abortion, yet I rejoice that you have conquered death, by the Resurrection of Your Son. I am ready to do my part in ending abortion. Today I commit myself never to be silent, never to be passive, and never to be forgetful of the unborn. I commit myself to be active in the Treasure Coast pro-life movement, and never to stop defending life until all my brothers and sisters are protected, and our nation once again becomes a nation with liberty and justice not just for some, but for all.

Through Christ Our Lord, Amen.

Who would like to win some money?

Come to our monthly council meetings for your chance to win the attendance award. Must be present to win!



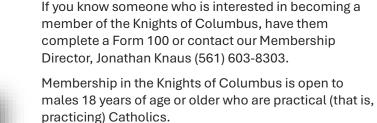
Drawing for July

No Drawing for July.

Attendance award worth \$203.00

50/50 No Drawing

New Members



What is a practical Catholic?

A practical Catholic accepts the teaching authority of the Catholic Church on matters of faith and morals, aspires to live in accord with the precepts of the Catholic Church, and is in good standing in the Catholic Church.



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Bingo Program Director Joe Hessling (772) 486-0533

	Team A		Team B		Team C		Team D	
Captain	Ed Ciancone	772-214-7440	Greg Makozy	954-218-2947	Don Sheetz	203-252-0275	Jim Pritchard	772-267-4611
Caller	Mark Cestaro	772-210-6148	Larry Bonedeo	772-341-4108	Joe Hessling	772-486-0533	Walter Adley	508-254-9500
Cashier	Ed Ciancone	772-214-7440	Greg Makozy	954-218-2947	Don Sheetz	203-252-0275	Jim Pritchard	772-267-4611
Grill	Vinnie Burdo	561-685-2930	Kevin Madden	412-719-7586	Lou D'Ambosio	772-530-2782	Arti Birke	347-325-1310
Card Sales(12-2)	Don Sheetz	203-252-0275	Jim Pritchard	772-267-4611	Ed Ciancone	772-214-7440	Greg Makozy	954-218-2947
Card Sales(12-2)	Jack Schmidt	802-356-0361	Pat Volpe	561-723-5279	Jack Schmidt	802-356-0361	Pat Volpe	561-723-5279
Card Sales(12-2)	Tom Massar	772-349-4804	Tom Massar	772-349-4804	Tom Massar	772-349-4804	Tom Massar	772-349-4804
Floor Early (12-2)	Mark Cestaro	772-210-6148	John Praksac	772-286-0237	Joe Hessling	772-486-0533	Walter Adley	508-254-9500
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Floor Late (2-5)	Joe Hessling	772-486-0533	Walter Adley	508-254-9500	Jack Schmidt	802-356-0361	John Praksac	772-286-0237
Floor Late (2-5)	Dave Merklin	772-262-9157	John Praksac	772-286-0237	Mark Cestaro	772-210-6148	Dave Merklin	772-262-9157
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Food Sales	Louis Cestaro	914-649-0060	'	786-3903240	HRCC Womens Guil		HRCC Womens Guild	
Food Sales	Mary Karol	//2-485-/184	HRCC Womens Guild		HRCC Womens Guild HRCC Womens G		HRCC Womens Guild	

Bingo encourages Unity and Fraternalism while working to raise money for Charity – Join in the camaraderie of brotherhood.

Upcoming Events

August 2024

	July '24						Se	pte	mb	er	'24		
S	M	Т	W	Т	F	S	S	M	Т	W	Т	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
28	29	30	31				29	30					

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28	29	30	31	1	2	3
Doors Open Noon Games Begin 2pm Team D	5	6 Transfiguration	7	8	9	10
No Bingo	12	13 Officers Meeting 6pm Council Meeting 7pm Founders Feast Day	14	15 4th Degree Food 6pm Meeting 7pm Assumption Blessed Mary	16	17
Doors Open Noon Games Begin 2pm	19	20	21	22	23	24
Doors Open Noon Games Begin 2pm Team B	26	27	28	29	30	31
1	2	Notes				Templates by Vertex42 ertex42.com/calendars/

September 2024

August '24						0	ctc	be	r '2	4			
S	M	Т	W	Т	F	S	S	M	Т	W	Т	F	S
				1	2	3			1	2	3	4	5
4	5	6	7	8	9	10	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
25	26	27	28	29	30	31	27	28	29	30	31		

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Doors Open Noon Games begain 2pm Team C	2	3	4	5	6	7
Doors Open Noon Games begain 2pm Team D	9	10 Officers Meeting 6pm Council Meeting 7pm	11	12	13	14
Doors Open Noon Games begain 2pm Team A	16	17	18	4th Degree Food 6pm Meeting 7pm	20	21
Doors Open Noon Games begain 2pm Team B	23	24	25	26	27	28
Doors Open Noon Games begain 2pm Team C	30	1	2	3	4	5
6	7	Notes				Templates by Vertex42 ertex42.com/calendars/

Revised Calendar Final 2024-2025

July 2024	August 2024	September 2024
-		Soccer Challenge 9/20
Installation of Officers with families	Fr McGivney Feast	St Joes
7pm 7/9	1	Council BBQ 9/8 ????
	No Bingo 8-11	1
Exemplification 7/31 Chapel		Exemplification 9/26 Chapel
	OPEN ???	
	J. 2	1 st Family Rosary and prayer 9/10
		T tourist toods for a far after after
October 2024	November 2024	December 2024
		1
Membership Drive	1 st Fraternal Benefits Night 11/12	Stuart Christmas Parade 12/6
HRCC & St Joe 10/13		
St Andrews 10/20	Memorial Mass at HR Tues. 11-26	B. W. S. HR – 12/8
Striidiens 15, 25	Confirm Date with F M 7PM	HR & SA kids
*Order Keep Christ in Christmas	Bob Ward Thanksgiving meals at	III & SA KIUS
•	St Joes Kitchen 11-28-24	Christmas Dinner 12/21
magnets	3t Jues Kilthen 11-20-24	·
	Francisco 14 24 Changl	St Andrews Christmas
	Exemplification 11-21 Chapel	tree angel donations
	1	2 nd Family Prayer Night 12/10
January 2025	February 2025	March 2025
	1	St Patrick Dinner Dance
Basketball free throw St Joes. 1/10	Tootsie Rolls	Sat 3-15 6 to 11pm
	HRCC 2/8-9	
	St Joes 2/15-16	Hockey Challenge 3//8
Exemplification 1/30 chapel	St Andrews 2/22-23	Halpatiokee Rink
		3 rd Family Prayer Night 3-11
		chapel
		Founders Day March 25
April 2025	May 2025	June 2025
Palm Sunday 4/13	11147 2020	3011C 2023
Easter 4/20	2 nd Fraternal Benefits night 5-13	Election of Officers 6/10
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Awards Night 4/30	Start calendar for 2024	4 th Family Prayer Night 6-10
St Joe or HRCC ??	Send to all churches.	4 Tulling Flager Night 0 10
State of fince ??	Sena to an charciles.	
Maminatina Cammittae 3/11	Evenulification 5/20 change	
Nominating Committee 3/11	Exemplification 5/29 chapel	
U.D. Diamia hala 2/22		
H R Picnic help 3/??	<u> </u>	

Special Events Blue is at HRCC Special Events Red is at St Joes

* Means added

Exemplifications are "if we need them" basis.

Revised August 2024