



KNIGHT COURIER

Knights of Columbus

Our Lady of Hope Council 8086

September 2020

From the Desk of the Grand Knight

Worthy Brothers All:

I would like to extend a special invitation to all Knights to attend our next Council Membership meeting on Thursday, Sept. 10, at 7 p.m. Unfortunately, it will not be an in-person meeting due to diocesan restrictions, but Zoom instructions will be sent to all Knights.

KofC Supreme recently mandated that our membership meetings become more enjoyable for all members. The agenda should take no more than an hour, and is designed to get everyone up to speed on the many projects our Council undertakes. The meetings also include the Field Agent, District Deputy, Chaplain's report and the Lecturer's Good of the Order.

Since we are unable to have person-to-person meetings, the second half will be "virtual beer and pizza." The floor is open, and everyone will have the opportunity to talk and share experiences with the membership.

Supreme also mandated a monthly officers' business meeting. This meeting takes on much of the character of our former Council meetings. It will include all of the reports — including Financial Secretary and Treasurer. This will be the time to plan our upcoming events—such as the Duck Derby and Blessing of the Pets — that will then be summarized in the membership meeting. It will also include the report of the Fourth Degree. While all officers are urged to attend this meeting, it is also open to the general membership. This month's meeting will be on Thursday — also on Zoom — and the link will be distributed to the membership.

A few Knights have stepped up with new projects for our Council. SK Lou Greci came up with the idea of a dinner raffle limited to Knights only. The prize is a dinner for eight — great food and a wine tasting — at the Malibu Grill. Tickets are \$20, and all proceeds go directly to the Council. Lou is also the POC for the Florida State Raffle, with books of 10 tickets for \$10. Tickets for both raffles are going fast.

SK Ernie Jackson also came up with the idea of a blessing of the pets, set for the first weekend in October, to be held in the OLOH parking lot near the Stations of the Cross.

Also, SK Tim Mell has come up with a new date for the Duck Derby. Our biggest annual fund raiser will be held on Sunday, November 1. This is where we come up with the funds to purchase Coats for Kids and other Council projects. Details to be discussed at Thursday's Business Meeting, and then rolled out to the membership at our Sept. 10 meeting.

Sure, we face many restrictions and inconveniences. But the Florida State Council of the Year remains very active, and we want you to play an important role in our activities. If you have problems getting on Zoom, please contact me (jomalley1@cfl.rr.com) and we will help you get set up so you can participate.

Finally, be sure to participate in KofC Benefits Night, set for Wednesday, Sept. 23, at 7:30 p.m. on Zoom. World renowned economist, speaker and author Tom Hegna will be the guest speaker. tyPlease pre-register at: Register.FLKOFc.com.

Welcome Chaplain Father Matt!

We would like to welcome SK Father Matt Mello, our new Chaplain for Council 8086.

Father Matt became Pastor of Our Lady of Hope on August 1, and looks forward to working with the Knights.

In the coming months, Father Matt's message will appear on this page. We look forward to his contributions.



Father Matt blesses the medals of office at the recent joint exemplification.

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2020-2021 Council Officers

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Happy Birthday!

4	Theodore Michellini	15	John King	22	Steve Casserly
4	Jacques Roch	16	Rene Paquette	23	Ed Le May
4	Chase Heather	16	Dan Brownsberger	23	Art Lungi
6	Frank Boanno	17	Walter Smith	24	Joe McCauley
7	Anthony De Milio	19	Juan Junco	25	David Santaniello
11	Gregory Johnson	21	Daniel Smith	27	Thomas Gould
12	Elia Nader	21	Mark Roberts	28	Mike Kennedy
13	Joe Fazzie	21	Roger Sullivan	28	Dan Blake
13	Michael Marchese	21	Joseph Decilla	30	Ryan Brown
15	Donald Miller				

Please pray for our ill and distressed Brothers, parishioners, family members and caregivers

John O'Connor	Mike McMurray	Jim Waggoner	Michelle Greci	Michael Smatt
Janet Gruscaskas	Mary MacNamara	Robert Lungi	Bill Piper	Michael Lang
Dan Kliment	Roger Klaus	Jack Bowkus	Betty Dowd	Bob Thomas
Sam Tedesco	John Kliment	Jack Mastroilli	Ronnie Santovasi	Linda Morrell
Jane Miese	John Martens	Nancy Rosa	Rich Struder	Angela Gallagher
Stoney Fraley	Ed Swanson	Al Almalfitano family	Tim Walters' granddaughter	

September Events

- 3 Council 8086 Officers Business Meeting 7 p.m., Zoom
- 10 Council 8086 Membership Meeting 7 p.m. Zoom
- 22 Coastal Laps for Life
- 23 KofC Benefit Night, 7:30 p.m., Zoom
- 24 Assembly 2794 meeting, 7 p.m. Zoom



Officers of Council 8086 (left) and Assembly 2794 line up to receive their jewels of office from District 20 Warden SK Dave Dolieslager during our recent joint Exemplification of Officers at Our Lady of Hope.

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If you haven't emailed it, please bring your **Monthly Activity Report** to the Council Meeting, or file it on Knights8086.com. List all your volunteer hours for both you and your wife/family.

Please send your email to eapbss77@gmail.com or John Hoag so that Tony can run the numbers for us.



Ryland Brady recently received the Altar Server of the Year Award, and was presented with a beautiful statue at a recent Mass at Our Lady of Hope. He's joined by OLPH Pastor Father Matt Mello, Council Youth Director Deacon Mike Rosolino, his parents Brother Knight Corey and Tanya, and Grand Knight John O'Malley. Photo by Tim Mell.

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