

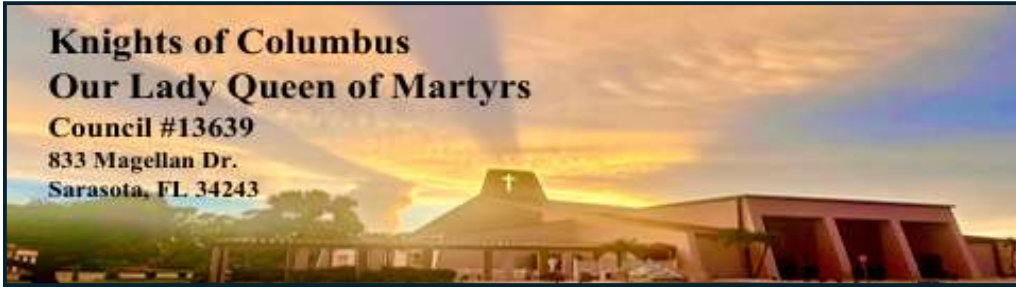
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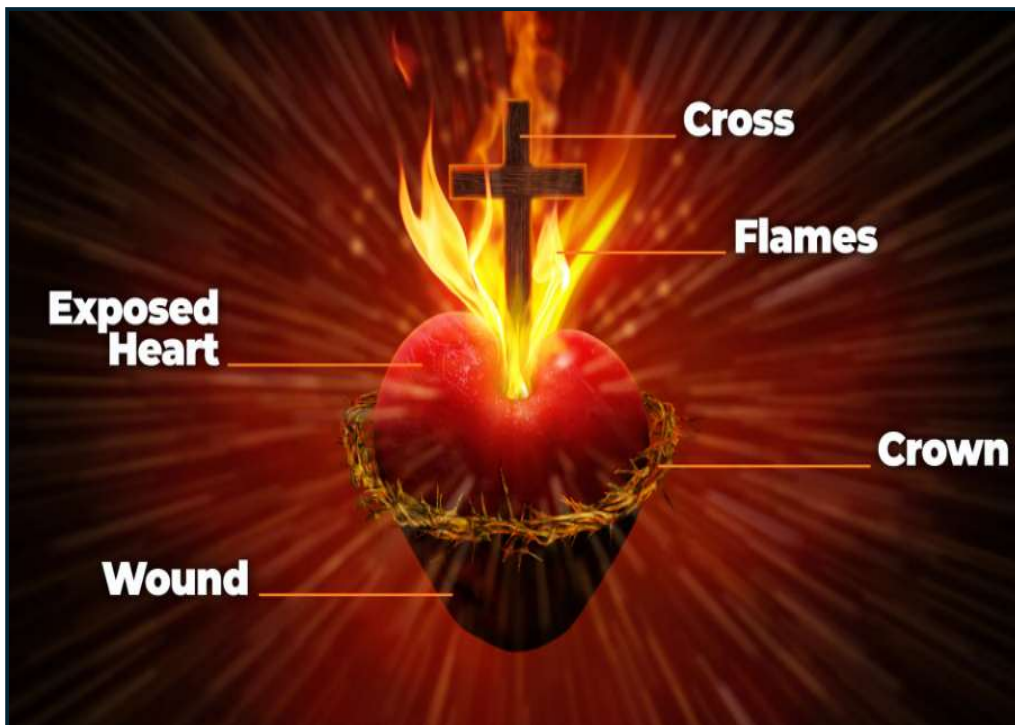
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What Are the Five Symbols of the Sacred Heart?

The image of the Sacred Heart of Jesus is rich with symbolism. The exposed Heart, often depicted with a crown of thorns, represents Jesus' suffering and his immense love for humanity. The flames emanating from the Heart signify the transformative and purifying power of his love, while the cross above the Heart is a reminder of his redemptive sacrifice for the sins of the whole world. The wound in the side of his Heart represents the wound inflicted on him by both the Roman soldier and by all human beings through their sins.







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June

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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June Events

**Adoration Every Monday Night.
Starts 6pm**

Tuesday, June 2

Officers Meeting (6:30pm / Rm 10)

Thursday, June 11

Council / Business Meeting (6:30pm / Flynn Hall)

Saturday, June 20

TRIVIA NIGHT! (5:45pm / Flynn Hall)

Tuesday, June 23

Rosary for the Unborn (6:30pm / Fountain)
Pot Luck afterwards

Thursday, June 25

Fourth Degree Meeting (6:15pm / Flynn Hall)

Pope Leo Designates New Bishop for Diocese of Venice

**Statement of Cardinal Robert McElroy, Archbishop of Washington,
on the appointment of Bishop-elect Emilio Biosca Agüero, OFM Cap.
as Bishop of Venice**

WASHINGTON, D.C. – Our Holy Father, Pope Leo XIV, has given a great gift of grace and leadership to the people of the Diocese of Venice.

Bishop-elect Biosca is one of the finest pastors in the Archdiocese of Washington. He has the faith and witness which attracts men and women to the person of Jesus Christ. He piercingly preaches the Gospel in its integrity and makes the call to conversion real and engaging.

The Bishop-elect has the tender heart of a true Shepherd and has made the Shrine of the Sacred Heart a true haven of compassion. A skilled administrative leader and a defender of his flock, he has been unwavering in reaching out to the poor and the marginalized, and the undocumented. He is also a bridgebuilder who reaches across the boundaries of polarization to forge real solidarity in the family of God.

Saint Francis burns in the heart of Father Emilio, and while I will miss him profoundly in Washington, I know clearly that God is at work in his new mission in Florida, and I give thanks.



Bishop-elect Emilio Biosca Agüero

Bishop Frank Dewane

Grand Knight's Corner



Worthy Brothers,

Congratulations to the new officers for the 2026-2027 Fraternal Year:
They are as follows:

Grand Knight – Sal Antonicelli

Deputy Grand Knight – Mario Gallo Jr

Financial Secretary (*Appointed*) – Pat Thielen, PGK

Chancellor – Steve Dardinski, PGK

Warden – Bob Petrelli

Recorder – Joseph De Stefano, PGK, PFN, FDD

Treasurer – Vince Fusco

Advocate – Chris Maffettone, PGK, PFN

Inside Guard – Franco Gagliardi

Outside Guard – Mike Schum

One Year Trustee – Eddy Zappacosta

Two Year Trustee – Tony Vingelli

Three Year Trustee – Jack McNeeley, PGK

Lecturer (*Appointed*) – Don Daly

Chaplain (*Appointed*) – Fr. John Hoang

District Deputy (*Appointed*) – Kirk Brown, PGK, PFN

Benefits Advisor (*Appointed*) – Brian De Blauw

As we close out the 2025-2026 fraternal year, we are on track to accomplish Star Council for the second year in a row. Good job to all Knights who participated.

Some highlights of our achievements are:

- St. Joe's food bank, we donated over 3,000 lbs. of dry food
- Intellectual Disability tootsie roll drive; we raised over \$4,900
- ASAP (Aid & Support After Pregnancy) we donated over \$3,500 in baby clothes and other items

I look forward to leading the Knights and our Council to another successful year!

VIVTA JESUS!

Salvatore Antonicelli

Grand Knight
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June Birthdays!



Marcel Prive	1
Brian Wiggins	4
Stephen Kurutz	7
Vincent Devine	11
Keith Kehoe	11
Ron Moliterno	12
Harold Donladson	13

Arland Dunbar	15
Rick Larson	15
John Beggy	21
Deacon Bill Doer	21
Anthony Nuccitelli	23
Ed Barton	27
John Elsner	30