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Worthy Brothers,

We have completed another month of various activities. The biggest was a successful golf tournament. Thanks to: Mike, John, Terry and Ralph every thing went smoothly at the golf course. I would like to thank Nick, Gerry, Martin and Tim for everything going smoothly at the supper. With only 5 steaks left over I think the planning was great. Our First Friday Mass was better than what we had been. There is still room for many more attendees and there should be. Please join us for our October 4th Mass and bring a covered dish to share.

We have are first honor roll breakfast for this year coming up in October. It will be on a Thursday morning so we need all the help we can get. There will be more information coming out soon. Remember that Octo- ber is the month of our Mother Mary's, so let us honor her with a daily rosary in her honor.

Remember that our memorial mass will be our first Friday mass in November. What a wonderful way to honor our deceased members. Hope to see you at our October meeting.

> MARY QUEEN OF THE KNIGHTS AND MOTHER OF JESUS PRAY FOR US.

Tom



**Deacons Report** 



Dear brothers in Christ,

There's a story about an actor and a preacher both of whom were asked to speak at a large church meeting. The actor started the meeting by quoting a passage of scripture from memory. His inflection was perfect. He spoke with great eloquence. Then the preacher closed the meeting by reading a passage from scripture. He was elderly and had difficulty pronouncing some of the words. His delivery was choppy but at the end of his reading, there was hardly a dry eye in the audience.

One of the individuals attending the meeting walked over to the actor and said, "This doesn't make sense. You spoke with such eloquence but there wasn't much reaction but then the preacher who had such a difficult time reading the biblical passage left the audience in tears. The actor then said, "you don't understand. I know the words of the Master. He knows the Master." We can memorize dozens of passages from scripture, but they are only words if we don't know the Master.

God bless. Deacon Stan Grenn

#### **K'Cees Korner**



#### Hello

We are having our K'Cees meeting on October 8 @ 7:00 pm at the hall. All ladies are welcome to come and learn what the K'Cees are about. Hope to see you there.

Your sister in Christ Cathy Connell (President) 1887 Davis Rd Jacksonville, Fl. 32218 n4wya@yahoo.com 904-551-8910

# Council Activities





Fourth Degree



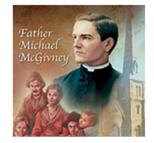
Knights of Columbus Squires Youth Organization

#### Please pray for the souls of our deceased Brothers

Robert Knutson, George Morris (PGK), Ward Berkey, Michael Capizzi (PGK), Charles Strauss, Howard Sell, Troupe Turner, Harry Cross, Jim Middleton (PGK), Ron Laseman (PGK), Francis Becht (PGK), John Faustini, Jim Gennette, Louis O'Neal, Stanley Moore, Bruce Belet, Jack Larson, Ray Tubel, Hank Pelz, Don Thompson, Joe Brozovich, Inge Morgan, Bill Damato, Al Rucci, George Morris, Bill Smith, John Robert Porter,Emile Shami, William Homer Cavanaugh, Jesse Morgan, Michael McQuade.

#### **Keep in Your Prayers**

Anthony Ferrizzi, Kevin Curley, Jean Sell, Bob Crabtree, Netito Espejo, Butch Ferrizzi, Tony Shami, Dan Costello, Deacon Stanley Grenn, Theresa Lamb, William (Homer) Cavanaugh, Larry Turner, Bubba Futch, Terry Frank, Emiel Shami, Neil Porter, Robert F. Matthews, Benjamin G. Gendive Sr, Theo Naessens, Stephen Brugnolotti, Merrill Jacobs, Daryl Johnson, Dennis Stoddard, Jose Sandoval, Joe Loughlin.



Prayer for the Canonization of Blessed Michael McGivney. Founder of the Knights of Columbus

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

#### Ponce de Leon Assembly # 0152

Meetings are the 3rd Thursday of each month at St. Matthew's Catholic Church in the old convent building next to the gym located at 1773 Blanding Boulevard, Jacksonville, Florida 32210.

#### Holy Trinity Assembly # 2368 Brother Sir Knights,

4<sup>th</sup> Degree **Dues** were <u>due as of Jan 1, 2024</u>. If you are paid up and do not have a card let Ralph Mosley know. Meetings are the 1st Tuesday of each month Blessed Trinity Church 6:30 Dinner 7:00 PM meeting. *Many still think their dues for*  $3^{rd}$  are the same, sorry 4<sup>th</sup> has their own, \$20. Due again in December.

#### Honor Guard and Color Corps

Any fourth degree member interested in joining the HG Or CC to please call Reggie Dubay 249 -6941

#### **Circle of Squires Council 2121**

The next Squires meeting will be on Sunday October 13th at 1:30PM at the Hall.

Chief Counselor: William Manubag Counselor: Joseph Negron Council Advisor: Father Prior, Deacon Stan Grenn

Grand Knight #4727 - Thomas Guggisberg Past Chief Counselor: PGK Jose Praxedes

#### **Financial Secretary**

Welcome our new Officers, they cannot do it on their own. We need members to step up, take a part, we need chairmen,

#### **Dues Dues:** Dues:

Knight Alert went out Aug 16th via US Mail. Please Brothers do not put it off, go to our web site use PayPal, or bring to meeting. You know someone having problems, sick, or other circumstances let me know, I will work it out.

Note: We have so far collected from all but around 12. US Mail went out it get didn't return but still no answer or call, and have not paid. Of this 6 who did not pay last year, but we did not suspend.

**Note:** Communication today has going high Tech, we send out information via info via "Christ the King-KofC", on your email, please open it. Or you can open "www.council4727.com" our web site, schedule, candler, and more.

Ralph Mosley, FS 904-705-8623

### Knightly News



**OCTOBER 2024** 



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4 1st Friday Mass @ hall 6:30PM	5
6 Breakfast at CTK 6:30AM	7 Stand for Life University Blvd 8:30AM Rosary Proces- sion for Mary	8 ACA, Business, Officer's, K'Cees Meetings 7PM	9	10	11	12
13 Squires Meeting 1:30	14 Stand for Life University Blvd 8:30AM Columbus Day	15	16	17	18	19
20	21 Stand for Life University Blvd 8:30AM	22 Family Dinner Night 6:00PM	23	24	25	26 Exemplifica- tion Degree 4:00PM
27	28 Stand for Life University Blvd 8:30AM	29	30	31 Halloween	Nov 1 1st Friday Mass @ hall 6:30PM	Nov 2 Memorial Mass @ hall

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Our Flag is flying above the Council Hall in Honor of Michael McQuade.

**Note:** If you have a flag and wish to honor a love one with it flying over the hall call Ralph Mosley (904) 705-8623.

#### Happy October Birthdays

- 10/2 Scott D Lutheran
- 10/3 Bandele M Onasanya
- 10/5 John Porter
- 10/8 Raymond Rosario
- 10/10 Michael O'Connell
- 10/20 Tom Guggisberg, John S Lewis
- 10/21 Msgr Vincent J Haut
- 10/27 James Nackley, Noah Ferrizzi 10/28 Benjamin C. Gendive Jr.

#### **Home Visitation**

Do you know of a Brother or family member of a Brother that can't make it to Church and still wants to receive the Body of our Lord Jesus? Do you know of any Brother that needs a brotherly visit or help because they are home bound or too sick to go it alone? Brothers, please contact Michael Derr (GK) at 912-655-7513

#### October 14th



# Want to communicate something to your fellow Knights?

If your group has any special announcements you would like distributed to all Brothers currently registered to receive council emails, please contact Nick Klepac (<u>kofc4727@ctkcatholic.com/904-608-5135</u>) to have it included in our regular distributions.

#### Family dinner

Family dinner: Check your email, please try to RSVP for the October 22nd Look for "eCatholic (NO REPLY) message in your inbox/ or go on our site <u>www.council4727.com</u> and look for <u>activities</u>. Or call me,. Ralph

#### **1st Friday Mass Requests**

It is pious and praiseworthy custom for the faithful to have Masses offered for their particular intentions, and especially for departed friends and loved ones. Requests should be made in advance if it's to be published in the Knightly News.

The suggested stipend is \$10.00. Point of Contact: Ralph Mosley 904 705 8623

Email: rtm7048@yahoo.com

Note: At the discretion of the Grand Knight, intentions for the good of the order may be added anytime.



#### FIRST FRIDAY MASSES 2024 Come join us for Mass:

- **October 4:** Bernadette; by the Ferrizzi Family
- ♦ November 1: Annual Memorial Mass for our deceased Members.
- **Or December 6:**

Please join us for the First Friday mass on October 4th. It is wonderful to join together for the Lord's Supper. The Devotion of nine consecutive 1st Fridays of the month offers special promises of The Sacred Heart made to Margaret Mary. These include:

"I promise you, in the excessive mercy of my Heart that my all powerful love will grant to all those who receive Holy Communion on the first Friday for nine consecutive months, the grace of final repentance; they shall not die in my disgrace nor without receiving the sacraments; my divine Heart shall be their safe refuge in that last moment." — Our Lord to St. Margaret Mary

Note: If for some reason a priest is not available to celebrate mass, we will pray a rosary instead.

#### **Golf Tournament**

12 Teams, 45 Golfers. We had a great time, even if you do not Golf you can always volunteer to help. The Dinner was great many complements to our kitchen help. Volunteers that did not Golf but did their part in making this event a success. Be part of it next time.

Ralph

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We would like to sincerely thank our Sponsors, our Knight of the Month, and our Family of the Month.

> UNEXPECTED KINDNESS IS THE MOST POWERFUL, LEAST COSTLY, AND MOST UNDERRATED AGENT OF HUMAN CHANGE 800 KERREY

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**Knightly News Sponsors** 

Knightly News Sponsors Renew you sponsorship now for 2024-2025! This is due now if you haven't already renewed within the last month.

- Knight & Spouse \$20 ( Jack & Sally Smith)
- Knight only \$10 (Ben Smith PGK)
- In Memory of \$20 (In Memory Jack Smith)

Please indicate your choice, if you have already paid please indicate that. Check made to council & mail to: Ralph Mosley FS

6030 Arlington Expressway Jacksonville, FL 32211

Information for the newsletter can be sent via E-mail to Tom or Gerry before the 20th of the month.

Tom Heusinger 477-6519 email: heuy@aol.com Gerry Kistka 904-673-7440 email: gkistka@gmail.com

#### **Questions & Answers**

Do you remember "Queen of Peace Radio" now its **Relevant Radio**, and it's on your AM dial at 1460. Better yet try their APP, "relevant .app" in your Play Store, great listening.

#### Family of the Month October 2024



Family of the month is Mike and Leah Stirna. Mike was the main person promoting and organizing the Knights golf tournament and Leah helped out at the golf course. Thank both of you for all you do for our council. **Congratulations to Mike and Leah for being** 

October's Family of the Month.

Knight of the Month October 2024



Knight of the month is Martin Kpessou Martin is always there to help in any way he can and always asking questions to take over as Grand Knight. When he feels ready I believe he will make a very good Grand Knight. Congratulations and thank you Martin for being the October Knight of the Month.

#### Will You Share Your Spare Kidney?

Our own D.J. Stoddard is in need of a kidney transplant. Would you or someone you know be willing to share a kidney? Even if your blood type is not the same, there is a process called "paired donation" that allows you to donate a kidney to another person and that person will get a donated kidney for DJ. What a wonderful way to share God's gift of a spare that He has provided for us.

# Plus the potential donor will get a head to toe physical for free.

Please email to DJS5964@comcast.net to donate or with any questions.



DJ Stoddard needs your spare kidney. O positive blood type.

Bentley with his human, DJ Stoddard

Email djs5964@comcast.net

Please share this request with everyone!!

## **Knightly News**

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#### **Upcoming Events - 2024**

#### November

2 Annual Memorial Mass at Hall 4:00PM 3 Breakfast at CTK 6:30am 12 Business, Officer's, K'Cees Meetings 7:00pm 16 Road Cleanup 8:00am 16 Bunko Knight 6:30pm 16 Exemplification Degree 4:00pm 17 Squires Meeting 1:30pm 23 CTK Feast Day 26 Family Dinner Night/Charity Presentation 6:00pm December 6 First Friday Mass @ hall 6:30PM 7 K'Cees Christmas Party 2:00PM 8 Breakfast @ CTK 6:30ÅM 10 Business, Officer's, K'Cees Meetings 7:00pm 14 Squires Christmas Party 1:30PM Every Monday; Stand for Life at University Blvd

Abortion Clinic, 8:30AM

### "Current Resident or "





Picture provided through the courtesy of Pam Kildea



#### Culture of Life Prayer for Life Life Quotes on the Value of Life 21-23

 $\cdot$  21. "Abortion kills twice. It kills the body of the baby and it kills the conscience of the mother. Abortion is profoundly anti-woman. Three-quarters of its victims are women: Half the babies and all the mothers." — Mother Teresa

· 22. "The first feminists were pro-life. Elizabeth C. Stanton called abortion 'evil.' Sarah F. Norton called abortion a 'crime.' Susan B. Anthony called abortion 'child murder.' Alice Paul called abortion 'child murder.' Alice Paul called abortion the "ultimate exploitation of women.'" — Lisa Rose

 $\cdot$  23. "Abortion and racism are both symptoms of a fundamental human error. The error is thinking that when someone stands in the way of our wants, we can justify getting that person out of our lives. Abortion and racism stem from the same poisonous root, selfishness." — Alveda King

What do you believe? Come out and stand in front of the abortion clinic on University Avenue, each Monday from 8:30 to 9:30 a.m.