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INCARNATION COUNCIL #15332



Grand Knight's Monthly Report

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Now that the season has ended, activities are slowing down, yet there are still plenty of things to do. As a reminder, volunteers are always welcome, and I promise it will be worthwhile and rewarding!

We had fun serving Incarnation parishioners our pancake breakfast and are looking forward to the next one in June.

On June 2nd we will be carrying the cover for the Corpus Christi Eucharistic Procession, following the 11am Mass.

On June 8th we will be serving hamburgers and hotdogs for Rev. Thomas Gregory Dougherty, following the 4:30pm Mass.

Keep an eye out for the Sign-up Genius's for these and other up coming events.

We still have Officer positions open as well as Program Director positions. If you have some time and are willing to give to these positions, I would really appreciate it.

Please note that your commitment does not have to include the entire list of duties. While traditionally it is, we can discuss dividing up some of the duties so its more manageable. Feel free to reach out to me with any questions or for more details about the duties.

I hope everyone has a great month and look

forward to seeing you around Incarnation.

Vivat Jesus!

Bryan Hoskinson
Grand Knight



ACTIVITIES AND SPECIAL EVENTS



FAITH ACTIVITIES

Holy Hour Adoration:

On May 21st the period from 5:30pm to 6:00pm was attended by 7 members of our Council and their wives.

The requirement for our members is from 5:30pm to 6:00pm on the third Tuesday of each month.

Rosary:

The next 5th Sunday Rosary will be on June 30th 2024.

Lou Kolupa,
Faith Activities Director



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FAMILY

FAMILY ACTIVITIES



Well our last Trivia is June 10th and we hope some of you can make it.

This was a very good season and we have exceeded our goal for the year with one more Trivia left in June. This has been made possible because of the great team of workers we have each month. The players like them and that makes a difference too.

A bit of info for next season, we will be having Trivia on the third Tuesday of each month, so we expect to see some new faces at Trivia and some older ones too.

It has been fun and our players are loyal. Have a safe summer and don't forget Memorial Day and those who gave their lives so we can enjoy the freedoms we still have.

God bless,

**Deacon John,
Trivia Coordinator**



COMMUNITY

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

HELP WANTED

Brothers, we need your help. We need your management skills to support our community.

I have accepted the position of Financial Secretary of the Council. Due to the time needed to fulfill the duties and responsibilities of the office, I have resigned as the Community Activities Director.

The council needs a new Community Activities Director. The duties include organizing the youth programs, the citizens with disabilities program and the helping hands program. You will have the support of the various event chairman who will remain on the team. I have been chairing the spelling bee, the essay

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Chaplain	Fr. Jim Cogan	941-921-6631
Grand Knight	Bryan Hoskinson	941-320-7111
Deputy Grand Knight	Brad Lawhead	412-952-8152
Chancellor	Ron A. Vaccaro	215-738-7618
Warden	Peter F. Gordon	941-371-1428
Recorder	Louis B. Kolupa	941-504-8808
Financial Secretary	Daniel J. Marias	219-613-7037
Treasurer	Stephen J. Malecki	941-527-9477
Advocate	Arthur K. Reilly, PGK	941-388-8647
Lecturer	Bob B. Fernander	941-921-7074
Inside Guard	John Marcinek	631-617-1152
Outside Guard	Chris Williams	412-445-7676
3-Year Trustee	Mathew G. Dowell	941-504-6418
2-Year Trustee	George Haviland	732-614-2411
1-Year Trustee	Andrew C. Alton	858-568-8593
District Deputy	Dr. Steven M. Wyer	941-330-3168
District Warden	Charlie Culkin, FDD, PGK, PFN	941-922-8726
Field Agent	Brian DeBlauw	440-669-8957



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contest, and the youth awards presentation. In addition, I have been coordinating with the school the council's participation in the flag raising ceremony and the God Bless America Ceremony.

I will be available to guide you through the organization of the events. I will not leave you hanging. Please contact the Worthy Grand Knight about your interest.

THE COUNCIL NEEDS YOU.

Dale Haas, PGK PFN
Community Activities Chair



LIFE ACTIVITIES

40 Days for Life



Incarnation serves as the coordinator for 40 Days for Life 365 at the prayerful vigil at Planned Parenthood. The April vigil was on Wednesday, May 1st.

The June vigil will be on Wednesday, June 5th from 10 AM to 4 PM. Volunteers are welcome to join the Incarnation coordinator for each hour in praying for the health and welfare of the moms arriving at Planned Parenthood and their babies, and that the Planned Parenthood workers realize that life is sacred and a gift from God that should be preserved. Please contact Brother James Kurt if you would like to participate (941) 371-

7339 or jameshkurt@gmail.com.



(Photo shows Christine Stephanie Dowell in front of Planned Parenthood)

Novena of Masses for Life



The 2024 Novena of Masses for Life May Mass was held at the 8:30 AM Mass on Saturday, May 25th. The June Novena Mass will be at the 11 AM on Tuesday, June 25th.

The Incarnation Council is partnering with the Incarnation Women's Club once again to provide the stipend for the 2024 Novena of Masses for Life.

Sarasota Medical Pregnancy Center (SMPC)



Brother Art Reilly serves as an ambassador Sarasota Medical Pregnancy Center in a variety of capacities. During May among other things, he



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- Chaired the SMPC Board's March Medical and Educational Services Committee meeting and prepared the meeting notes for the Board.
- Served also on the SMPC Board's Governance and Finance Committees and assisted donors in tours of the Center offices.
- Presented awards along with Jennifer Carey, SMPC CEO, to Brother Joe Reardon at St Patrick's on May 2nd for his many years of leading baby bottle drives and baby item drives for the St Patrick's Knights
- Spoke at the May 3rd SMPC "Earn While You Learn" (EWYL) Graduation at Grace Community Church in Lakewood Ranch for 96 women: congratulating them and their families on their completion of the extensive program of parenting classes.
- Participated on behalf of SMPC at the May 7th "Blessing of Hands" at Sarasota Memorial Hospital (SMH) during National Nurses' Week.
- Met on May 15th with Brother James Sylvester from the Our Lady of Victory (Fruitville) and Jennifer Carey to plan SMPC participation in the October 12th "Dinner for Life" that will be held at the Council #3358 Hall on Fruitville Rd, honoring SMPC and Heartbeat International.
- Participated on behalf of SMPC in a Newtown Community Ministries United May 17th Prayer Service at "Koinonia Missionary Baptist Church" in Newtown.
- Presented SMPC CEO, Jennifer Carey, with a check for \$1,700 as part of the end of fiscal year Council donations and in consideration of the Florida State Council request to support local pregnancy centers.



Photo of Brother Art present Brother Joe Reardon an award



photo of Jennifer Carey and Brother Joe Reardon



photo at the SMPC EWYL Graduation



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Photo of nurses at one of the many nurse stations at SMH

some of his family.



SOLVE MATERNITY HOMES



The Incarnation Council continued the Incarnation tradition of distributing roses on Mothers' Day to support the Solve Maternity Homes as part of the USCCB's and Diocese of Venice's "Walking with Moms in Need" program. This year's total proceeds that will go to Solve totaled \$2,353.00.



Brother Chris and Megan Williams, and Catherine Dowell



Below are photos of Brother Scott Davis and





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VOTE “NO” ON 2024 FLORIDA CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT #4

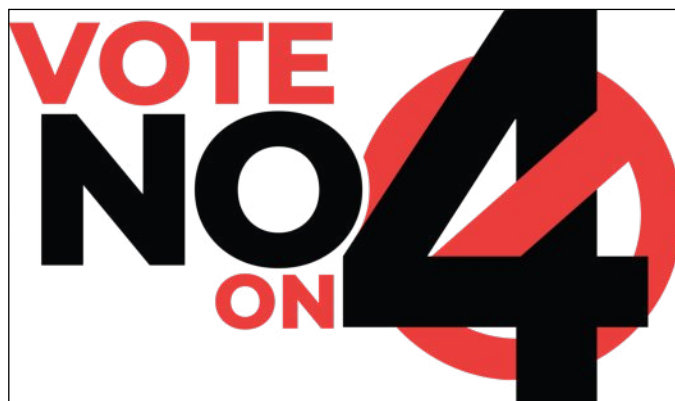
Brother Art has been working with the Diocese of Venice Respect Life Directors and other pro-life leaders in Southwest Florida to plan a Sarasota County program to educate the public that Constitutional Amendment 4 regarding abortion on the November 2024 Ballot in Florida is NOT WHAT IT SEEEMS, AND IS TOO EXTREME! Note: Many critically important terms in the Amendment ballot summary are undefined and as a result an abortion would be allowed in all three trimesters.

Art attended general planning meetings in Sarasota of “Vote No on 4” on May 13th, and of the Sarasota Coalition Executive Committee on May 24th.

The Incarnation Council has decided to make a \$5,000 donation to this cause. The details of making this end-of-fiscal year donations are still being worked by Brother Art given Supreme Council, Florida State Council, and IRS rules related to donations by KofC Councils which are tax-exempt organizations who can only make donations to other tax-exempt organizations under prescribed conditions.

Art is also working with retired Pastor Rod Myers who chairs the SMPC “Pastors for Life” group and co-chairs the SMPC “Champions for Life” group on how SMPC and these groups can organize events and distribute materials to educate the many local churches that support SMPC as well as other pastors, ministers and lay people in other church of multi-

denominations on Amendment 4, its deception and the implications in terms of an increase in the number of abortions, as well as its adverse impact on the health and wellbeing of women.



Life Activities Director
Art Reilly, PGK



COUNCIL EVENTS

PANCAKE BREAKFAST

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Our ninth Pancake Breakfast of the fiscal year was held on May 19th.

We unfortunately only served 71 adults and 11 children. It was our lowest turnout of the year.

In addition to the ticket sales, we brought in



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\$41.00 in donations, and realized \$60.00 from the 50-50 raffle.

As usual Brother Knight Paul Turner led the way in preparing and serving a very delicious breakfast, for which we received many compliments.

Helping out were Leah and Dan Marias, Peter Gordon, Joan Turner, Tom O'Loughlin, Ron Vaccaro and his friend Maggi, Lou "Purdue" Kolupa, Louie Conetta, Bryan Hoskinson, Pat Shanahan, Nancy and Phil Riordan, Kevin Dalldorf, Bryan Pham and Art Reilly.





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He loves us without limit, and offers Himself to us in the Holy Sacrament of the Eucharist. Can we not give Jesus a few minutes of love and adoration in return?

On the third Tuesday of each month, our Council participates in the Eucharistic Adoration at the Church Chapel. We are assigned the 5:30 to 6:00 pm time period. The Council's next Eucharistic Adoration will be June 18th, 2024.

Our final Pancake Breakfast of the fiscal year will be held on June 16th. If you can't work the event, please come out and support it.



Knights Praying for Knights' Intentions

Current list of those in need

Marilyn B. Kloo, Norman Gibertini, Phil Riordan, Bryan Hoskinson, Erin Alton, Patrick Shanahan, Nancy Riordan, Tony Tambini, Daniel Ochs & Family, Brad Lawhead, Ron Vaccarro, Chris Brancato, Jym Agen, Dave Katz, Robert Roland, Thomas Pagano, Sherry Brown, Dr. Steve Wyer, Pete Gordon, Dan Marias, Tommy Fey, Lisa Thornsberry, Rilyn Jones, The Walker Family, Kevin Daldorf, Tom McCarthy, Paul & Terri Koppie, Frank Canelli, Jesse Witman, Kelli Lawhead, Lana Mouschat, Davin Brock, Bruce Doorly, Michael Summa, Ellen & Warren Lossee, Kay Schmitt, Victoria Erquiaga, Thomas W. Dolan, Jr., Maryanne Danzi Kelly, Brian O'Brien, Karen Mulenkamp, Barbara Jendrysik, Steve Gage, Pauline Pantaleo, Jim Larkin, Mary Alice Christie, Lou Ortiz & Family, Ed Sedillo, Jim Costa, Anita Kincade, Orlando Rubiano, John Bobinger, Steve & Claudia Malecki, Deacon Bill Cassidy, Paul Turner, Bob Fernander, Kathy Rainey, Mary Kurt, Dave & Shirley Jenkins, Stephen Burns, Pat Calhoon, Edward & Nora Goddard, Jane Baker, John Pollard, Shirley Surdich, Doris Barger, Frank Giasone, Louise Parsons, Cindi Culkin, Tim Vanetta, Stephanie Recob Malecki, Jane Listwan, Jim Duggan, Mike Bavaro, Mary McCarthy, Arlene Kolupa, Noelle Bourdeau, all of our Brother Knights, our priests and all of our seminarians.

WE'RE HERE FOR YOU!



MAKE A PRAYER REQUEST

If you are aware of a Brother or their family member who are ill or in need of support, please contact Brother Phil Riordan at 941-809-2350.



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DONATIONS MADE

The following donations were made during the month of May:

1. ICS Teachers (20 @ \$100.00) \$2,000.00
2. Family Promise of Sarasota \$2,000.00
3. Sarasota Medical Pregnancy Center \$1,700.00 (Note that our donation is being matched by an anonymous donor)
4. Solve Maternity Homes \$1,853.00 (Proceeds from Rose Sale on Mothers Day weekend. Note that an additional check to Solve for \$500.00 was made anonymously)
5. Incarnation Catholic Church \$2,000.00

Council Activities Dan Marias, FS

OFFICER NOMINATION REPORT

We will be accepting nominations at our next membership meeting in June with the vote to elect in The June Meeting.

If you know of someone who would be interested and committed to becoming an Officer in our Council please make your nomination known. We have several openings available as well as a proposed list. Please note the following proposed list and the openings for positions:

Proposed Officers 2024-2025	
Position	Nominee
Grand Knight	Bryan Hoskinson
Deputy Grand Knight	Ron Vaccaro

Cancellor	Open
Recorder	Lou Kolupa
Financial Secretary	Dale Haas
Treasurer	Steve Malecki
Warden	Chris Williams
Advocate	Art Reilly PGK
Inside Guard	John Marcinek
Outside Guard	Lou Conetta Jr.
Lecturer	Dcn John Crescitelli
Trustee 3Yr	Thomas A. Pagano
Trustee 2Yr	Matt Dowell
Trustee 1Yr	George Haviland Sr.

Please note, as all positions are instrumental to the success of our Council, there is an opening that is extremely important, that being the Chancellor.

Please click the following link for a list of the duties and responsibilities of each Position:
https://kofc15332.org/index_html_files/News_Views_May_2024.pdf





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MEMBER RECOGNITION

Knight of the Month for April: Louis Conetta. Since joining the Knights, Brother Louis has attended every volunteer opportunity he has been in town for. He has pitched in and done whatever needed to be done, no questions asked! Now he has stepped up and is willing to be a Guard for next year. We need more Knights like Brother Louis!



Kight of the Month April 2024
Brother Louis Conetta

Family of The Month for April: Brother Pete Gordon and Wife Dawn.

They work at all of the Trivia Nights, they are Prayer Warriors at Planned Parenthood every Tuesday, help with all collection and or distributions after Masses. Most recently Mothers Day Rose sales. They are regulars in helping with pancake breakfasts and Fish Fry's. They are an inspiration to us all.



Family of the Month April 2024
Brother Pete and wife Dawn Gordon

Congratulations Lou, Pete and Dawn!

JUNE MONTH OF THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS





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KNIGHTS BIRTHDAYS LIST OF THIS MONTHS BIRTHDAYS

Rev John M. Belmonte	O6/O3/1963
Bryan Pham	O6/O3/2004
Kenneth L. Wainwright	O6/O3/1932
Edward R. Goddard	O6/O6/1925
Rev. Kenneth E. Oldenski	O6/O9/1940
Philip L. Schultz	O6/O9/1952
John F. Suppa	O6/11/1956
Anthony L. Tambini	O6/13/1935
James H. Kurt	O6/18/1960
Dr. Kyle Runnels	O6/21/1973
James D. Baker	O6/24/1956
Gordon L. Sapp	O6/24/1953
Christopher P. Brancato	O6/25/1960
John A. Crescitelli	O6/25/1946
Paul A. Turner	O6/26/1950

ONE MEMBER, PER COUNCIL, PER MONTH

Membership growth is essential to the success of the Knights of Columbus. With the addition of each new member, the Order can better serve the Church, local communities and particularly those in need. But it isn't just the Order that benefits from a new member. Each new Knight benefits also.

Since its beginnings, the organization has promoted the principles of charity, unity, fraternity and patriotism. Knights contribute to the welfare of their parishes and communities, and seek to help the needy through financial and volunteer support.

In addition to the fellowship and faith development that Knights enjoy through their affiliation, the Knights offer a top-rated and competitively priced insurance program for the security of member families.

Please do your part as a member of Incarnation Council #15332 to recruit a new Knight.



INCARNATION COUNCIL #15332 WEBSITE

Don't forget to check out our website for more information on Incarnation Council at www.kofc15332.org. You can also get a copy of this newsletter there under the membership tab at the top of the home page.

Well, that's it for this edition of the NEWS and VIEWS!

VIVAT JESUS!!!

Phil Riordan, Editor
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June 2024

LEGEND

C=Church-CL=Chapel -CH=Church Hall-FC=Finegan
Center-FCC=Finegan Center Conference Room-
FCP=Finegan Center Portico-RDR=Rectory Dining Room

June 2024

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
May 26	27	28	29	30	31	Jun 1
2 Corpus Christi Ceremony (11:00 am) (Church) 	3	4 Council Business Meeting (7:00 pm) FCC 	5	6	7	8
9	10 Trivia Night (7:00 pm) (FC) 	11 Council Membership Meeting (7:00 pm) (FC) 	12 New Officer's Orientation Meeting (7:00 pm) (Finegan Conference Room)	13	14	15
16 Pancake Breakfast (8:00 – 1:00 pm)(FC) 	17	18 Eucharist Adoration (5:30 – 6:00 pm)(CL) 	19	20	21	22
23	24	25  Novena of Masses for Life (7:00am) (CL)	26	27	28	29
30 5th Sunday Rosary 10:20 AM Church 	Jul 1	2	3	4	5	6