



Knights of Columbus November Newsletter

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Upcoming Events:

November -

- 06: 10:00 am; LOSJ Craft Fair Knights will be grilling (Parish Center)
- 08: 6:00 pm; Bible Study - Sacraments (PC) or Zoom
- 11: Veteran's Day
- 13: Quarterly District meeting at St. Frances Cabrini Church (TBA)
- 14: Pancake Breakfast after 7:30 and 9:00 Masses (Parish Center)
- 15: 6:00 pm; Bible Study - Sacraments (PC) or Zoom
- 20: Tri District Meeting Incarnation Council (TBA)
- 25: Happy Thanksgiving!
- 29: 6:00 pm; Bible Study - Sacraments (PC) or Zoom
- 30: 7:00 pm; Officer Meeting (KC Hall)



[Grand Knight James Vanderhorst (right) with Jesse and Buzz Jacobs (left) and Rick Nohmy (center) at Family Fun Night]

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Devotion of the Month:

“See, my daughter, my Heart encircled by thorns with which ungrateful men pierce it at every moment by their blasphemies and ingratitude. Do you, at least, strive to console me? Tell them that I promise to assist at the hour of death with the graces necessary for salvation all those who, in order to make reparation to me, on the First Saturday of five successive months, go to Confession, receive Holy Communion, say five decades of the Rosary, and keep me company for a quarter of an hour, meditating on the... mysteries of the Rosary.” - *Our Lady to Sr. Lucia of Fatima*



Grand Knight Report of November:

I would like to thank the Knights that came and helped with the St. Joseph Catholic School Family Fun Night. I'm grateful to the Knights who donated the food refreshments. 11 Knights purchase, organizing, preparation, cooking, and serving over 350 hotdogs, bags of chips, and bottled water. Of these Knights 95% of them have been a Knight less than 6 years. This night would not have been possible without the hard work and support of many people.

Soccer State Challenge is this Saturday November 6 in Melbourne Fl. We have four students going to the State Soccer Competition they are Copper Potts, Connor Longo, Karol Garland, and Soleil Rojas. Congratulations to our Community Director Vince Colonnese for a job well done, running the soccer challenge as well as all the Brothers Knights who helped at the Council level, District level, Regional level all held at St. Joseph soccer field.

Spelling Bee will be held at St. Joseph School November 10 in the St. Joseph Room at 3:15 pm. we need 6 Knights to help with this let Brother Vince know if you can help.

The Women of St. Joseph will be holding a Fall Craft Fair on Saturday November 6 from 10am – 4pm at the Parish Center they have over 50 local crafters & vendors. The Knights will be selling coffee and donuts, grilling, and selling hamburgers, hotdogs, fries, chips, sodas, and water for lunch. We will need Brother Knights to help with setting up and grilling and tearing down.

Youth Group Regional Event Friday November 12, from 6:15pm -8:30pm. at St. Joseph Parish Center. They will need a few Knights to help with the traffic and parking for this event. The youth will be playing

“Black Dodge Ball” and enjoying a concession room, crafts room, and karaoke room.

Sunday, November 14th will be our first Pancake Breakfast since 2019, after the 7:30 and 9:00 Masses. Brother David Wagner is the Chairman, and he would love all the help he can get, this is a big event setting up, cooking, serving, 50/50 drawing, and cleaning up.

There is a Bible Study Monday nights in the Parish Center or on Zoom at 6 pm on “The Bible and the Sacraments.” Brother Richard Andrade will be our Tootsie Roll Chairman. He will have more information on Dates to come.

It is very important to have all your information correct on the Supreme Site such as address, phone number, email, wife and children names and birthdays. Without this information we can't pull information to put in the newsletter. If you are not sure just ask the Grand Knight James Vanderhorst or the Financial Secretary David Brown and we can tell you what may be missing and help you get it done.



[Bart and Sarah Natoli at Family Fun Night]

Joseph Scalise District Deputy Report:

We will hold our Quarterly District Meeting on November 13 at St. France Cabrini Parish. The Meeting will be held in the Parish center. The time will be 9:00 am. Recently a small charity meeting was held at Beef O'Brady's in Bradenton. The meeting was a wonderful experience for all who attended.

Encourage all members to use the Florida and Supreme Videos available online to stay up to date on training.

Items for Council to consider: Fundraiser, Food for Families, Coats for Kids Drive, Spelling Bee, Christmas poster contest.

November 9th a webinar on Best Practices of social media for Councils and Assemblies.

November 18th Statewide Fraternal Benefits Night, please review the requirements for your council to be eligible for credit.

Safe Environment training and membership. Patriotic Exemplification (live) on November 27th in Orlando.

Council Officers

Grand Knight - James Vanderhorst

Financial Secretary - David Brown

Deputy Grand Knight - Thomas Hanket

Chancellor - Paul De Lorenzo

Recorder - Andrew Minor

Treasurer - Vincent Colonnese Jr

Advocate - Michael Sutherland

Warden - David Wagner

Inside Guard - Bart Natoli

Outside Guard - Giordano Scarano

One Year Trustee - Michael Cotter

Two Year Trustee - Thomas Reese

Three Year Trustee - Alfred Connizzo

Chaplain - Fr. Rafal Igenza

Lecturer - Antonino Cane

District Deputy - Joe Scalice

Field Agent - Ron Moliterno

Council Program Directors

Program Director - Diego Estigarribia

Community Director - Vincent Colonnese

Faith Director - Willard McCracken III

Family Director - Bart Natoli

Vocations Chairman - Alfred Connizzo

Public Relations - Matthew Lesak

Membership Director - James Vanderhorst

Congrats to our Honoraries!

Family of the Year - Vince and Carlee Colonnese

Family of the Month - Paul and Denise DeLorenzo

Knight of the Year - Will McCracken

Knight of the Month - Bart Natoli

Birthdays

- Robert Harris 11/3
- Philip Nardomarinio 11/3
- Daniel Cornely 11/5
- Charles Ripple 11/7
- Walter Ridgeway 11/8
- Ian Forrest 11/11
- Michael Sutherland 11/11
- Rick Woo 11/11, Theresa Woo 11/23
- Jerome Leete 11/15, Marilyn Leete 11/16
- Vincent Colonnese Jr 11/16
- Diego Estigarribia 11/16
- John Baker 11/21
- Harlan Newton 11/21
- John Pfeifer 11/22
- Theodore Taylor 11/23
- Charles La Rocca 11/25
- Thomas McGill 11/25
- Jean Regis 11/25
- Fred Livingstone 11/29

Anniversaries

- Theodore and Barbara Taylor 11/12
- Andrew and Michelle Powers 11/17
- Jose and Paige Estigarribia 11/22
- Alexander and Carla Kuizon 11/22

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Of

Saint Joseph Church



Bradenton, Florida

1929..... And Into the Future

A Bit of Background from the History of St. Joseph:

In pioneer days, Catholic families were visited from time to time by priests from Key West, Jacksonville, and Tampa. In 1884 two and a half acres of land along 1st Avenue at 31st Street West were donated to the Bishop of St. Augustine as the site of a Catholic Church, and in 1888 a chapel was built and dedicated to the Sacred Heart. A second mission chapel, St. Joseph, was built in 1915 at 6th Avenue and 8th Street West to meet Bradenton's growth; in 1926 it was moved to 12th Avenue and 15th Street West. Although the small Church was split, separated, and doubled in capacity in 1942, it was still inadequate, despite the establishment of parishes in Palmetto, Holmes Beach, and the Whitfield area. A Catholic school and convent were built on 26th Street West in 1954. Plans for a new Church near the school reached fruition and the parish was dedicated to Saint Joseph in 1958. (Interestingly, the long-term plan for the Church building was to use it as a gymnasium pending the building of a more suitable structure behind the school.) The old chapel on 12th Avenue West became the new parish of Sacred Heart on 1968. In 1975, the improvement of the 26th Street grounds was begun. A parish office was built on 33rd Avenue West, paving and landscaping were intensified, stained glass windows were installed in the church, and following a fire, the sanctuary was completely remodeled in 1978. In 1979 a rectory, administration office, and parish center (complete with gymnasium) were constructed. In October of 1984 the Diocese of St. Petersburg was divided. St. Joseph Parish was now part of the Diocese of Venice, and the Most Rev. John J. Nevins was its first bishop. Two years later St. Joseph Parish was divided again, giving birth to the parish Ss. Peter and Paul the Apostles. Due to the aging of the Church,

structural deterioration, and recent liturgical renewal, plans to update and remodel Saint Joseph Church culminated in a groundbreaking ceremony on Palm Sunday 1993, and the reconstruction was complete eight months later. The original stained-glass windows, altar, baptismal font, tabernacle, pews, and altar furniture were all retained and refurbished for use in the newly created liturgical space. A massive bell tower with a century old bell was added to the front of the Church over a new Eucharist Chapel and a chapel for daily Mass, small weddings and funerals became the front of the Church. The north and south walls were demolished and moved outward and rest rooms, bride's room, a new sacristy, reconciliation room, choir room, minister's room, usher's room, and more adequate storage facilities were added to the Church. Also new to the liturgical space is a large baptismal pool embraced within the original font. The new font, with flowing water, is designed for baptisms of infants as well as adults. The choir loft was demolished, and the organ, piano, and choir were moved downstairs in keeping with current liturgical norms. A memorial garden was added to the south of the main nave.



[Serafina, Carlee, and Nicholas Colonnese at Family Fun Night]

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