



Knights of Columbus
Edward A. O'Neil Assembly 1534
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The Patriot

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Meetings are held at
St. Vincent Church DePaul Center
 6350 NW 18 ST
 Margate, FL 33063
 (unless otherwise announced)
Officers Meeting
 Wed. Prior to Bus. Mtg. at 7:00 PM
Business Meeting
 Third Monday at 7:00 PM

John A. Hill #4955

St. Gabriel Church - Pompano Beach, FL
 Meetings - 2nd Monday
GK Ralph Amato
 954-650-4610

Msgr. John J. O'Looney #6590

St. Vincent Church - Margate, FL
 Meetings - 4th Tuesday
GK William Rodriguez
 954-908-9060

Coral Springs #8838

St. Andrew Church - Coral Springs, FL
 Meetings - 3rd Thursday
GK Sergio Lozano
 954-397-6111

St. Malachy #13355

St. Malachy Church - Tamarac, FL
 Meetings - 1st Tuesday
GK Todd Palgon
 954-235-6725

San Isidro #16980

San Isidro Church - Pompano Beach, FL
 Meetings - 3rd Friday
GK Edwar Aguilera
 561-562-0422

July 2024

ASSEMBLY OFFICERS - 2024-2025

Navigator	Donald "Don" Barnett, PFN	954-279-3229
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Captain	Manuel "Manny" Castano, PFN	954-670-3857
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Outer Sentinel	Frank Guido / Todd Palgon / Mike Tarr	
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Two-year Trustee	William "Willie" Rodriguez, PFN	954-908-9060
Three-year Trustee	Kenneth "Ken" Staab, PFN	954-214-4915

DIRECTORS & CHAIRMAN

Color Corps Commander	Edwar Aguilera	561-562-0422
Color Corps Lt. Commander	David Miller	954-574-7943
Veterans Committee Chairman	Peter Swanson	954-242-1777

A SALUTE TO OUR PAST FAITHFUL NAVIGATORS

1970	Walter Millar †	1996	Martin Gabriel †
1971	Earl Mills †	1997	John O'Toole
1972	Robert Dugdale †	1998	James Cunningham †
1973	Albert Vincent †	1999	Robert Young †
1974	Lindley Shipley †	2000	Martin Knecht, Jr
1975	Warren Castline †	2001	Don Vettorel
1976	Michael Zofchak †	2002	James DiStefano †
1977	Francis Bonniol †	2003	Thomas Neale
1978	Anthony Marro †	2004	Jim Daly
1979	Frank Dvorak †	2005	Ed Mottola, Jr
1980	Edward Joncas †	2006	Lou Cimaglia Jr †
1981	James Cupp †	2007	Nick Zurzolo †
1982	Richard Chisholm †	2008	Harry Whitford
1983	Carmen Caliguire †	2009	Ron Harper †
1984	Jack Spanola †	2010	Eugene Bergeron
1985	Frank Cennamo †	2011	Reyes Carrizales
1986	Rocco Bochetto †	2012	Louis Barrera
1987	Robert Collins †	2013	Manuel Castano
1988	Raymond Gauthier †	2014	Michael Cherup
1989	Thomas Armento †	2015	John Rebesch
1990	James Zilai †	2016/17	Angelo Sardo † (two terms)
1991	Adam Richter †	2018/19	William Rodriguez (two terms)
1992	Stephen Press †	2020	Donald Barnett
1993	Tim Seifert †	2021/22	Kenneth Staab (two terms)
1994	Drew Cavan †	2023	John Yardley
1995	Doug Murray †		

UPCOMING EVENTS

Event	Where	When
Youth Adoration	Saint Vincent Church	Tuesday, July 23 at 7:00 PM
Sword Investiture	Saint Vincent Church DePaul Center	Thursday, July 25 at 7:00 PM
Youth Adoration	Saint Malachy Church	Friday, July 26 at 7:00 PM
Exemplification	Saint Gabriel Parish	Saturday, July 27 at

JULY 15 BUSINESS MEETING

The upcoming Exemplification on July 27 at Saint Gabriel Parish was discussed. There has since been changes to the schedule that are as follows.

9:30 AM - Registration Opens
10:15 AM - Patriotic Rosary
11:45 AM - Master to Enter Antechamber
12:00 PM - Parade of Candidates
12:15 PM - 2:00 PM - Exemplification
2:30 PM - 3:30 PM - Social Hour
4:00 PM - Mass
6:00 PM - Banquet

Columbiettes Auxiliary 4995 will be hosting the Ladies Tea during the Exemplification at the Emerald Condos across from the church and need help with table and chair setup. If you can assist, please contact Michelle Greene at 954-325-7885 or mgsprit33@icloud.com.

Sir Knight David Miller was presented with his purple sash since being appointed Color Corps Lt. Commander.



FAITHFUL NAVIGATOR'S REPORT

SK Don Barnett, PFN
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Worthy Brothers,

This is shaping up to be a banner year for the Assembly. We have been honored with hosting an Exemplification, we are in the groove for Star Assembly, plus the events I have in mind to raise funds.

The evening of July 15 was my first meeting as Navigator. Did you like the opening and closing ceremonies? If you did let me know and we will continue them. Remember this is your Assembly, and I believe in getting as much feedback from you so my Officers and I can serve you well.

Vivat Jesus!

SK Donald J. Barnett, PFN
Faithful Navigator

FAITHFUL CAPTAIN'S REPORT

SK Manny Castano, PFN
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Worthy Sir Knights,

Well, it is a new Assembly fraternal year and a new team of seasoned officers.

I want to extend my appreciation to the new officers and the Assembly in general for choosing me as your Faithful Captain, and allowing me to serve in that capacity.

In conjunction with the rest of the officers, we will work diligently to make it a fun and memorable year as well as making Assembly 1534 a pillar of our order. As the visible arm we are bound to reach out in the patriotic way as a whole and not just as the few, we are here to serve.

Vivat Jesus!
Manny Castano
Faithful Captain

FAITHFUL ADMIRAL'S REPORT

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FAITHFUL COMPTROLLER'S REPORT

SK Joseph Silvers
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Sir Knights and Friends,

I'm very proud to serve as the Faithful Admiral of the Assembly and to support a group dedicated to Patriotism, an ideal that all Americans should strive to foster and encourage.

Each degree of the Knights of Columbus is associated with a particular virtue, the Fourth being Patriotism. Consequently, the Fourth Degree is often known as 'The Patriotic Degree' and we have a vital service to perform for our nation and order as Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus.

The Fourth Degree of Knighthood is not to be considered as only an honorary title, but should rather be thought of in terms of service to church and country. The goals of the Fourth Degree can be summarized as the promotion of the ideals of Catholicism and Patriotism side-by-side.

We see Fourth Degree Knights participating visibly in church events such as Eucharistic processions and liturgical services honoring our Church and the fallen. And we find these patriotic Knights in the community standing up for the unborn and the elderly at Pro-Life events, and commemorating the sacrifices of previous generations.

At this time when our way of life is being challenged both locally and globally, it is important that we ask all Knights to rise up and answer the call of becoming a Fourth Degree member to show that we will publicly defend both our rights and religious freedoms.

Vivat Jesus!

John Yardley
Faithful Admiral

Worthy Sir Knights,

Our membership to date is 231.

148 members have paid and 81 are delinquent. If you have not yet paid your dues, please do so.

As a reminder, the dues you pay the Assembly (every calendar year around January) as a Sir Knight in the Fourth Degree is separate from the dues you pay your Council (every fraternal year around July) as a Brother Knight in the Third Degree.

I have been finding after calling many members who had not paid their dues yet that they did not receive the initial Dues Notice e-mail from no-reply@kofc.org that I send through the Supreme website.

It is an indication your e-mail host or client is falsely classifying them as SPAM on an infrequent basis due to how it is being sent as multiple recipients are contained within the e-mail header.

The best way around this would be for every Knight to whitelist no-reply@kofc.org as a safe sender to prevent future communication gaps. This would apply not just with dues notices, but also with other correspondence concerning meetings and events. It would not hurt to also add the Assembly general e-mail address assembly1534kofc@gmail.com.

I found an article that may help on how to at <https://blog.hubspot.com/marketing/email-whitelist>.

God Bless you and your family.

Vivat Jesus!

Fraternally,
Joseph Silvers
Faithful Comptroller

FAITHFUL PURSER'S REPORT

SK Jeff Rock
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We currently have just enough funds to make it through to the end of this year.

If you have not paid your dues please do so, we need the funds.

If anyone has ideas on how we could make more money, please bring your ideas up at the next meeting.

Thank you,
Jeff Rock
Purser

COLOR CORPS COMMANDER'S REPORT

SK Edwar Aguilera
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I want to thank all the SK CC brothers for always being willing and attentive to provide these Liturgical services in these different communities of Broward. Helping to evangelize men through Assembly 1534 and attracting more Catholic brothers to join us in this mission entrusted by Our Lord and encouraged all other SK CC brothers to become active in these beautiful services in our communities.



Vivat Jesús!

Edwar Aguilera
Color Corps Commander

HONOR A VETERAN

WWII * KOREA * VIETNAM
**and those who served in-between*
**WITH A
TRIP OF A LIFETIME**

Help us locate and honor our Senior Veterans

We are asking for help finding every willing and able Veteran in South Florida who served anytime from the start of World War II to the end of the Vietnam War, so we can take them to Washington DC at *no cost* to them, to visit and experience the Memorials built to honor their service and sacrifice.

Visit our website and click the Veteran tab to fill out an on-line application or call our phone number and we'll mail an application to you. We want our senior Veterans to know we shall never forget their service to our country.



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Knights of Columbus

Fourth Degree

Florida District – DeSoto Province



Fourth Degree Exemplification, July 27, 2024

St. Gabriel Church, Parish Hall
731 N. Ocean Blvd.

Pompano Beach, FL, 33062

The Honoree is Rev. Father Dominick O'Dwyer
Retired Pastor of St. Malachy Church

July 27, Exemplification Schedule

9:30am Registration opens

10:15am Patriotic Rosary (possible Confession)

11:45am Master enters Antechamber

12:00pm Parade of Candidates

12:15pm - 2:00pm Exemplification

12:15pm Ladies Tea

2:30pm - 3:30pm Social Hour

4:00pm attend Mass

6:00pm Awards & Banquet

Fees

\$50.00 Priest Candidates

\$90.00 Candidates (includes Banquet)

\$50.00 Candidate Family & Friends, SK Observers

\$10.00 Ladies Tea

All paperwork to the Master

John J. O'Toole

Headcount for Banquet & Tea to

VM Donald Barnett PGK, PFN

Faithful Captain

Manny Castano PFN

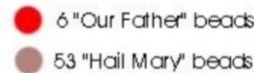
ALL SCHEDULES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE AND WILL BE CORRECTED VIA FUTURE NOTICES.

Form 4 - <https://files.stablerack.com/webfiles/87730/FillableForm4.pdf>

Candidate Registration Form <https://files.stablerack.com/webfiles/87730/AssemblycandidatesregistrationVirtual.xlsx>

4th Degree Exemplification Certificate Form ###

St. Vincent 10/25/2024 @ 7:00pm



Our Lady Queen of Heaven
1400 S. State Road 7
N. Lauderdale, FL
ST. Vincent
6350 NW 18th Street
Margate , FL

Pray and worship

Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament

"This is the wonderful truth, my dear friends: the Word, which became flesh two thousand years ago, is present today in the Eucharist".

Pope John Paul



- Mary Help of Christians:

Friday, June 28th
7:00 – 8:00 PM Main Church

- St Malachy:

Friday, July 26th†
7:00 – 8:00 PM Main Church

- St Vincent:

Friday, August 23rd
7:00 – 8:00 PM Main Church



YOUTH EUCHARIST ADORATION

"Everyone is welcomed"