



Knights of Columbus
Edward A. O'Neil Assembly 1534
 Post Office Box 590146
 Tamarac, Florida 33359-0146



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 Catholic Church - Pompano Beach, FL
 Meetings 1st & 2nd Mondays

GK Ralph Amato

954-650-4610

Msgr. John J. O'Looney #6590

St. Vincent Catholic Church - Margate, FL
 Meetings 2nd & 4th Tuesdays

GK William Rodriguez

954-908-9060

Coral Springs #8838

St. Andrew Catholic Church - Coral Springs, FL
 Meetings 2nd, 3rd & last Thursdays

GK Sergio Lozano

954-397-6111

St. Malachy #13355

St. Malachy Catholic Church - Tamarac, FL
 Meetings 1st & 3rd Tuesdays

GK Jeffrey Rock

561-325-0667

San Isidro #16980

San Isidro Catholic Church - Pompano Beach, FL
 Meetings 1st & 3rd Wednesdays

GK Edwar Aguilera

561-562-0422

June 2024

ASSEMBLY OFFICERS - 2023-2024

| | | |
|--------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------|
| Navigator | John Yardley | 954-798-8596 |
| Friar | Rev. Wilfredo Contreras | |
| Captain | Donald "Don" Barnett, PFN | 954-279-3229 |
| Admiral | Kenneth "Ken" Staab, PFN | 954-214-4915 |
| Pilot | Todd Palgon | 954-235-6725 |
| Comptroller | Joseph Silvers | 954-721-2564 |
| Scribe | Marvin Persaud | 754-307-9407 |
| Purser | Jeffrey "Jeff" Rock | 561-325-0667 |
| Inner Sentinel | Louis Barrera, PFN / David Miller | |
| Outer Sentinel | Jose Bedoya / Kurt Kohler | |
| Three-year Trustee | Mike Tarr | 845-793-0957 |
| Two-year Trustee | Peter Swanson | 943-242-1777 |
| One-year Trustee | William "Willie" Rodriguez, PFN | 954-908-9060 |

DIRECTORS & CHAIRMAN

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|---------------------------|----------------|--------------|
| Color Corps Commander | VACANT | |
| Color Corps Lt. Commander | Edwar Aguilera | 561-562-0422 |

A SALUTE TO OUR PAST FAITHFUL NAVIGATORS

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|------|--------------------|---------|-------------------------------|
| 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 † | | |
| 1995 | Doug Murray † | | |

UPCOMING EVENTS

| Event | Where | When |
|-----------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Youth Adoration | Our Lady Help of Christians Church | Friday, June 28 at 7:00 PM |
| Public Rosary | Our Lady Queen of Heaven Parish | Saturday, June 29 at 11:00 AM |
| Youth Adoration | Saint Malachy Church | Friday, July 19 at 7:00 PM |
| Exemplification | Saint Gabriel Parish | Saturday, July 27 at 9:00 AM |

JUNE 17 BUSINESS MEETING

Election of officers concluded at the May 20 Business meeting. Since then, Color Corps Commander and then Faithful Caption-Elect SK Christopher Wolff relocated to Clearwater causing a slightly modified slate of officers to be enacted for the 2024-2025 fraternal year at the June 17 Business Meeting as follows.

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| Navigator: | Donald Barnett, PFN | Council 6590 |
| Friar: | Rev. Wilfredo Contreras | Council 16980 |
| Captain: | Manuel Castano, PFN | Council 13355 |
| Admiral: | John Yardley | Council 4955 |
| Scribe: | Kevin Harris | Council 6590 |
| Comptroller: | Joseph Silvers | Council 13355 |
| Purser: | Jeffrey Rock | Council 13355 |
| Pilot: | David Miller | Council 4955 |
| Inner Sentinel: | Lou Barrera, PFN | Council 8838 |
| Inner Sentinel: | Jose Bedoya | Council 16980 |
| Inner Sentinel: | Kurt Kohler | Council 4955 |
| Outer Sentinel: | Frank Guido | Council 6590 |
| Outer Sentinel: | Todd Palgon | Council 13355 |
| Outer Sentinel: | Mike Tarr | Council 4955 |
| 1-Year Trustee: | Peter Swanson | Council 8838 |
| 2-Year Trustee: | William Rodriquez, PFN | Council 6590 |
| 3-Year Trustee: | Kenneth Staab, PFN | Council 4955 |
| CC Commander: | Edwar Aguilera | Council 16980 |
| CC Lt. Commander | David Miller | Council 4955 |
| CC Lt. Commander | Kevin Harris | Council 6590 |

The Faithful Friar, Color Corps Commander, and Color Corps Lieutenant Commander are appointed positions.

FAITHFUL NAVIGATOR'S REPORT

SK John Yardley
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Sir Knights and Friends,

Our fraternal year ends on June 30 and I greatly enjoyed serving as your Faithful Navigator!

I made many new friends and learned a great deal from our affiliated councils and Sir Knights. I humbly thank you and all our members for having confidence and trust in my ability to lead the Assembly. Together with God's help we had another successful year and I am grateful for your efforts and support for Edward A. O'Neil Assembly 1534. I also offer my apologies to anyone I have might have offended along the way, it certainly wasn't my intention and I hope that if this is the case that you would forgive my error. I am honored to be elected as your Faithful Admiral in the upcoming fraternal year and I look forward to serving the Assembly and assisting our new team as we continue our patriotic mission.

Vivat Jesus!

John Yardley
Faithful Navigator

FAITHFUL CAPTAIN'S REPORT

SK Don Barnett, PFN
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Worthy Brothers,

This is not my original report, I have to tell you of an experience I had this evening. Mary and I attended a viewing of **Jesus Thirsts: The Miracle of the Eucharist**. It was inspirational and reinforced my belief in the power of the Eucharist. After the main film, Supreme Knight Patrick Kelly introduced a short film about the Virgin of Guadalupe. If you should get a chance to see this film, run, do not walk!

Vivat Jesus!

SK Donald Barnett, PFN
Faithful Captain

FAITHFUL ADMIRAL'S REPORT

SK Ken Staab, PFN
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FAITHFUL COMPTROLLER'S REPORT

SK Joseph Silvers
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Worthy Sir Knights,

Many practicing Catholics are familiar with the Eucharistic Revival underway and our historic call to evangelize. Much has been said and written about how best to achieve these worthy goals.

Thanks to the work of many faithful Catholics and others dedicated to sharing the Good News, June 2024 saw the launch of two films designed to educate and remind Catholics of our beautiful religion. The movie **Jesus Thirsts: The Miracle of The Eucharist** evokes a range of emotion. The film is educational, thought provoking, historic, current, futuristic and personal. The film was available on limited dates, June 4, 5, 6, 18 and 19. For those fortunate to have seen the film, all would likely agree the film touched them and attendees left with new information and a renewed commitment to be evangelist and advocates of and for the Holy Eucharist. An added bonus was the film **Our Lady of Guadalupe: Woman of the Eucharist**. The Knights of Columbus organization leaders and membership was present in both films.

Thanks to the creative vision of the film's directors and Catholic organizations that collaborated, all Catholics have access to instructional material and the ability to offer the films in parish settings. In many ways, the films serve as a call to action, a starting point for greater dialog about the path forward.

I encourage you to take some time and review the film trailers. Interviews of the producers and collaborators reveal interesting personal testimony. All share the desire to share the Good News with others.

See jesusthirstsfilm.com and other sites for additional information.

Thank you in advance for your consideration.

Vivat Jesus!

Regards,
Ken, PFN
Faithful Admiral

Worthy Sir Knights,

Our membership to date is 232. The fourteen Brother Knights who advanced to the Fourth Degree on April 27 were finally added to the roster on May 28.

146 members have paid and 86 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.

The annual audit was completed on May 23 and submitted to the Supreme Master on June 20.

The live Exemplification that was planned for June 1 was canceled. A new live Exemplification has been scheduled for **July 27 at Saint Gabriel Church, 731 North Ocean Boulevard in Pompano Beach**. The **candidate fee is \$90.00** which includes the banquet. The **candidate fee for a Priest is \$50.00**. The **banquet fee for existing Sir Knights, family, and friends is \$50.00**. The **Ladies' Tea Luncheon fee is \$20.00**. Checks are to be made out to **Edward A. O'Neil Assembly 1534** and handed over to either Vice Marshal Don Barnett, Past Faithful Navigator Manny Castano, or me along with a completed Form 4 and signed Dress Code Acknowledgement. The deadline is **Wednesday, July 10**.

God Bless you and your family.

Vivat Jesus!

Fraternally,
Joseph Silvers
Faithful Comptroller

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**and those who served in-between*
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Fourth Degree Exemplification

Saturday, July 27, 2024

Deadline, July 10, 2024



*St. Gabriel Church
731 N. Ocean Blvd.
Pompano Beach, FL*

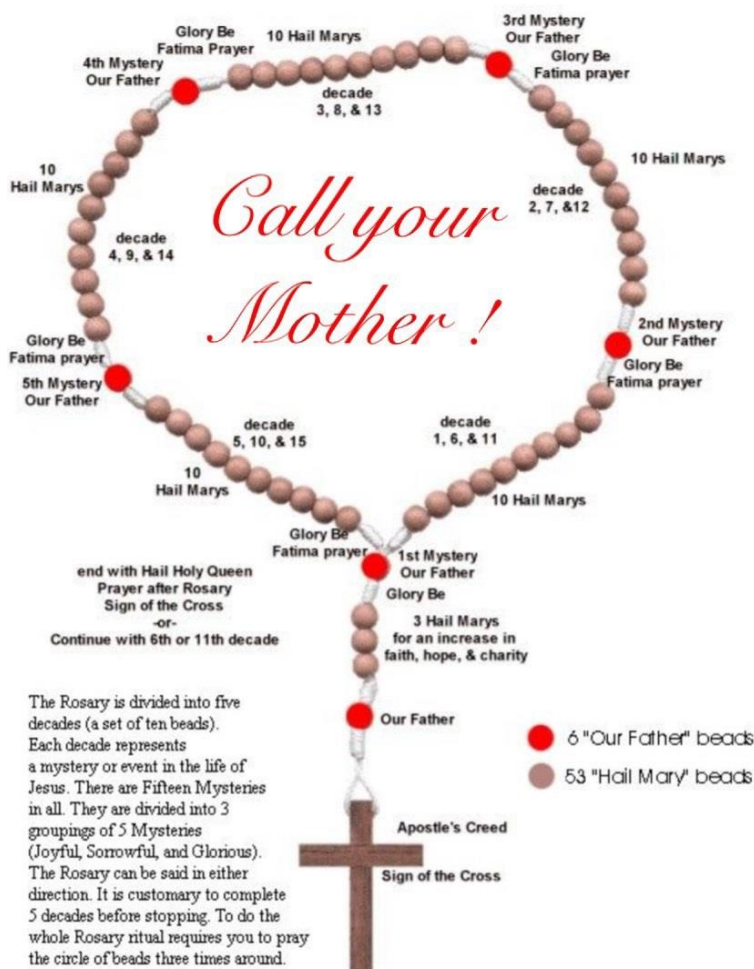
Public Rosaries

OLQH 6/29/2024 @ 11:00am

OLQH 8/31/2024 @ 11:00am

OLQH 12/28/2024 @ 11:00am

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 19th
7:00 – 8:00 PM Main Church

- St. Vincent:
Friday, August 23rd
7:00 – 8:00 PM Main Church



YOUTH EUCCHARIST ADORATION

"Everyone is welcomed"

- St. Andrew:
Friday, May 17th
7:00 – 8:00 PM
Main Church