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MARCH FOR LIFE

March for Life St. Augustine

The 16th annual March for Life St Augustine will be held on January 15, 2022, beginning at the National Shrine of Our Lady of la Leche, 101 San Marco Ave. The theme this year is "Heal Our Wounded Culture, Choose Love Choose Life" which focuses on healing the wounds we carry as a culture by choosing the love of God and the precious gift of life. March activities begin at 9:00am with Mass celebrated by Bishop Estévez followed by music and information booths. Speakers, including Pam Stenzel and keynote Dr. Monique Ruberu take the stage at 10:20am followed by the March to the Plaza at 11:10. KOC Council #611 will host a Spaghetti Dinner at the Cathedral Parish Hall from noon until 4:00pm, all proceeds support the March. For more information visit www.marchforlifestaugustine.com

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FROM THE GRAND KNIGHT...



Brother Knights,

Well, we survived Christmas. We had a successful "Breakfast with Santa" and a "Tree Lighting Ceremony". The tree raffle was a wonderful experience. The family barely had the \$5.00 for the raffle ticket and really needed a tree. They won a fully lit & decorated tree. The Spirit at work!

We have quite a few events happening in January. We will be honoring our brother Knights who have been a Knight for 30, 35, 40, 45, 50 AND 81 - yes 81 years as a Knight. He joined at age 18 and now he's 99. Be sure to come out and congratulate these men because in a few years it will be you getting the award.

We have a planning meeting for the upcoming Fish Fry, yep, it's almost Lent already. Look for the sign up genius to help or if you can't help come and buy the dinners. This year we're offering a discount to those who go to the Stations of the Cross. We hope to get more people to go to the Stations - then buy some fish dinners.

We're on track for Star Council. We just need to bring in 10 new members. We have over 300 members in this council. Surely we can invite a minimum of 10 new men to share the Charity; Unity & Fraternity of the Knights of Columbus.

In Christ,

Bill

Bill Burns PFN
Grand Knight
Switzerland Council 12664

Knights in Action, Faith in Action

Faith

Family



Our goal is to strengthen men and their families in the Catholic faith. Formation in our faith goes beyond mere facts or religious practice to an authentic connection with a loving God and his son Jesus Christ.

- Patriotic Rosary—First Monday every month
- Vocations Program - Support our seminarians financially and spiritually
- Building the Domestic Church Kiosk. Booklets in the lobby

Father McGivney sought to strengthen the bonds of families in his parish and the Knights of Columbus. These programs, created for families by families, help us to live this call.

- Donated \$1677 of valued groceries in December to Christ Cupboard & St Francis House
- Family of the Month - The Miles Family
- St Mark's Mission Round Table Collected Food, Clothing, Toys and Household items. Donated to St Francis House and Catholic Charities

Community

Life



Knights are called to serve others. Our first principle is Charity – at home with our families and in our communities. When Knights of Columbus members come together they accomplish great things.

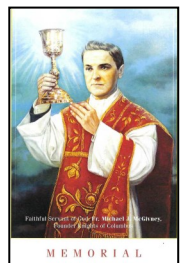
- Soccer Challenge 1/22/22

The Knights of Columbus vigorously defends the dignity of each human being at every stage of life.

- Rosary - First Sunday of the month
- Pro Life Rosary First Friday every month followed by Adoration



We are praying for your healing to get well soon. Toni Bilello, Nancy Perrone, Val & Caroline Hietter, Bill Burns, Riley Cooley, Jason Chlopek family, Dave Yontz, Chuck Lowry, Ana Ramos, John Schuller,



On Sunday December 12th, Brothers & Family members gathering together to share in the Holy Eucharistic in Corporate Communion. There were twenty-eight that were in attendance. We thank Father Tony for Celebrating the Mass and a special thank you to Marywood for another outstanding breakfast.

Ray Link, Father Booth, Steve Wright, Ray Link, David Yontz, Dewey Detruide, Tom Cherry, The Pirrung Family, Matt Fiorentino and Kathy Baracz.

In Loving Memory of Mark Wrigley who passed away. Eternal Rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. And may the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace, Amen

KNIGHTS IN ACTION



Knight of the Month
Danny Cassini
L/r Danny Cassini and GK Bill Burns



November 2021

Knight of the Month

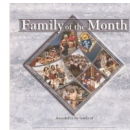
Danny Cassini

Family of the Month

The Miles Family



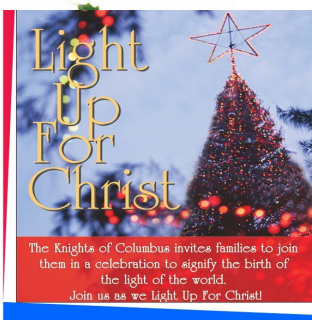
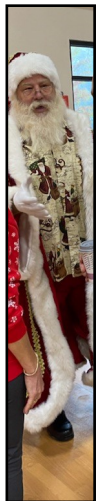
Family of the Month
The Miles Family



With the help of Sons and Daughters of San Juan del Rio, Ladies Auxiliary, Brother Knights and the team leaders Lou Bilello and Brian Voorhees, Breakfast with Santa was an immense success.

There were fifty-eight families that attended in total two hundred people. Many thanks to Kevin Mason who played Santa Claus. The Christmas tree was raffled off and the winner was the Rueda Family.

In the photo are volunteers: the Sons and Daughters of San Juan del Rio & Brother Knights



On Sunday December 5th after the 5pm Mass, the presentation of the Light up for Christ. Brother knights Lou Bilello and Brain Voorhees led the ceremony along with Father Dilip. Joyce Svoboda facilitated the singing of Christmas Carols.

Thank you to the Ladies Auxiliary for serving hot chocolate and cookies and many thanks to all the volunteers who participated.



KNIGHTS IN ACTION

Knights of Columbus Cordially Invites you

**VALENTINE DINNER & DANCE
AT MARYWOOD RETREAT
& CONFERENCE CENTER**

Sunday February 6, 2022 - 6:30pm - 10pm

We Invite our Parish Community

*Knight &
Family of the Year*

*Roses to all
the Ladies*



*6:30pm - Social
Cash Bar*

7:15pm - Dinner

8:00m - Awards

8:30pm - Dancing

10pm - End

Valentine Menu

Salad - Rolls

Pork Loin

Chicken Marsala

Atlantic Salmon

Whipped Potatoes

Vegetable Mèlange

Assorted Pastries

*Dance to the
Music
By DJ
Smilin Tom*

*50/50
Raffle*

Mark your Calendar

Outstanding Menu 3 Entrees

Suggested Donation \$40 per Person

To make Reservations

Click on the link:

[https://www.signupgenius.com/
go/10C0E44AAAB2DA46-knights3](https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E44AAAB2DA46-knights3)

Knights will be outside the Church
Weekends January 22nd & 29th.

Make Check Payable to

Knights of Columbus

Contact: Sal Santapola

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KNIGHTS IN ACTION



St Mark's Roundtable Food & Clothing Drive

By Sr Knight Mike Aiken



On December 12, St. Mark's Catholic Mission Roundtable sponsored it's first clothing and food drive. The drive was coordinated by Knights Scott Reneau and Jim O'Brien. We partnered with Patriot Oaks Academy, whose facilities we use for Mass, to collect 2585 pounds of food, 1280 pounds of clothing, 380 toys and 80 pounds of household and miscellaneous items. Collected items were donated to Catholic Charities and St. Francis House.



Volunteers along with Knight Dave LaPlante on the right, helping out stacking collections of food, clothing, toys and miscellaneous items that were donated to Catholic Charities and St. Francis House.

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16TH ANNUAL
MARCH FOR LIFE
ST. AUGUSTINE

HEAL OUR
WOUNDED CULTURE
CHOOSE LOVE...CHOOSE LIFE

10:30 MARCH BEGINS
MAIN EVENT: JAN 15, 2022
Speakers, Music & Activities!

National Shrine of Our Lady of La Leche, 101 San Marco Ave.
9AM - Mass with Bishop Felipe Estevez
Mass outside (weather permitting)
March Speakers begin at 10AM
March Speakers begin at 10AM
KOC #611 Spaghetti Dinner - Noon to 4PM
259 St. George Street - Benefits the March

FRIDAY KICK-OFF!
SHRINE
2-4PM - Leadership Training
Workshop for College Students
6PM - Adoration & Praise and Worship Music
6PM - Mass followed by Rosary
DINNER: We recommend dining at one
of the many restaurants that downtown
St. Augustine has to offer.

SPEAKERS
DR. MONIQUE RUBERU, M.D.
PAM STENZEL, COMMUNITY PREGNANCY CENTER
SARA DEJULIO, APR
ANDY SECOLA, STUDENTS FOR LIFE FL

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HELP OUR PREGNANCY
CARE CENTERS
IN NEED

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TRUCK WITH
DIA PERS!
ALL SIZES
ALL 2245

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Meetings 4th Tuesday of the Month at 7:00PM Family Center/Gym

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| Trustee 3 Years | Joe Bishop |

Meetings 2nd Tuesday of the Month at 7.00pm Family Center/Gym

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DATES TO REMEMBER

January

- 1-New Year's Day
- 2-Rosary First Sunday of the month
- 3- Patriotic Rosary 7pm
- 7-Pro Life Rosary 9:30am followed by Adoration First Friday of the month
- 11-4th Degree Meeting - 7pm
- 15-March for Life Dinner 6:30pm
Ladies Auxiliary to participate - Proceeds to Emergency Pregnancy Centers
- 21- Silent Auction—Marywood 6:30pm
- 22-Free Throw Contest 10am
- 25-3rd Degree Meeting - 7pm
- 29- 4th Degree Virtual Watch 10am

February

- 4- Pro life Rosary 9:30am followed Adoration first Friday of he month.
- 5-Field of Dreams 10am
- 6-Rosary First Sunday of the month
- 6- Valentine Dinner and Dance Marywood 6:30pm
- 7- Patriotic Rosary 7pm
- 8-4th Degree Meeting 7pm
- 13-Super Bowl
- 20-Blood Drive
- 22-3rd Degree Meeting - 7pm

March

- 3-Ash Wednesday
- 4- Pro Life Rosary 9:30am followed Adoration First Friday of the month
- 4-Fish Fry 6:30pm
- 6-Rosary First Sunday of the month
- 7-Patriotic Rosary 7pm
- 8- 4th Degree Meeting - 7pm
- 11-Fish Fry 6:30pm
- 17-St.Patrick's Day Dinner 6:30pm
- 18-Fish Fry 6:30pm
- 22-4th Degree Meeting 7pm
- 25-Fish Fry 6:30pm
- 29-Open House—Membership Drive 7pm

Special points of interest:

- ◆ January 15th—march for Life Dinner 6:30pm
- ◆ January 22nd- Free Throw Contest 10am
- ◆ January 29th - 4th Degree Virtual Watch 10am
- ◆ February 6th —Valentine Dinner & Dance Marywood 6:30pm
- ◆ February 20- Blood Drive
- ◆ March 4,11, 18 & 25 Fish Fry 6:30pm
- ◆ March 17th—St Patrick's Day Dinner 6:30pm

GOD BLESS AMERICA!

"...one Nation, under God,
indivisible with liberty and justice for
all."

