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COMING EVENTS

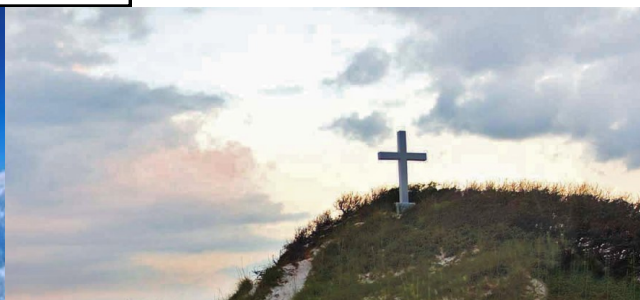
Date	Time	Event	Location
2	6:00PM	ADMISSION DEGREE	KNIGHT'S HALL
2	7:00PM	PLANNING MEETING	KNIGHT'S HALL
3	8:30AM	FIRST FRIDAY-ADORATION	CHAPEL
4	11:00AM	DISTRICT MEETING	CRESTVIEW
7	7:00PM	KOC COUNCIL AUDIT	KNIGHT'S HALL
8	8:30AM	NO VA HOT DOG DAY	PARISH HALL
9	6:00PM	VESPER	KNIGHTS HALL
9	7:00PM	KOC BUSINESS MEETING	KNIGHT'S HALL
12	8:00AM	NO KOC BREAKFAST	PARISH HALL
15	5:30 AM	Mass of Assumption	ST ROSE OF LIMA
15	6:00 AM	Feeding the Gulf Coast	PARISH HALL
15	7:00 PM	Mass of Assumption	ST ROSE OF LIMA
16	7:00PM	KOC ASSEMBLY MEETING 2823	KNIGHT'S HALL
26	8:00AM	KOC CORPORATE MASS	ST ROSE OF LIMA
26	12:00PM	NEWSLETTER DUE	ST ROSE OF LIMA
31	5:30PM	NO KOC SOCIAL	KNIGHT'S HALL

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Keepers of His House Schedule

	Team 1	Team 2	Team 3	Team 4
Month/Yr	Day	Day	Day	Day
Aug, 2018	25	4	10	17
Sep, 2018	22	1, 29	7	14
Oct, 2018	20	27	5	12

Editor's Note

It's your newsletter. Officers and committee chairmen are encouraged to submit articles. **Anyone** who would like to contribute an article please send it to 7027newsletter@gmail.com by the date noted in the calendar to be published in the next month's newsletter.



Columbia Club of Milton, Inc. (CCMI)

Annual elections of the CCMI Board of Directors and Board Officers is scheduled for the 9th of August, 2018 immediately following the KofC Council 7027 business meeting. The elections are expected to take 5-15 minutes. As the CCMI board draws its members from the general membership of the KofC Council 7027 it is important to have as many council members present at this meeting as possible. Please plan to attend.

Background. The CCMI is a not-for-profit corporation formed to own and manage the building and property located at 5470 Dogwood Drive in Milton (the "Old Knight's Hall") in support of the KofC Council 7027, its mission and that of the Order of the Knights of Columbus. Knights of Columbus councils are prohibited from owning property so the management of such property does not interfere with the goals of the Knights of Columbus.

The CCMI Board of Directors draws its members from the general membership of the KofC Council 7027 by a vote for each position on the board. There are 3 upcoming vacancies to be filled. Any member in good standing of the KofC Council 7027 that is not an elected officer of the council is eligible to serve on the CCMI board. The CCMI board consists of 7 members, 4 officers and 3 members at large. The term of service for a CCMI board member is for a minimum of 1 year but generally runs for 3 years. An attempt is made to stagger board member terms to prevent a loss of corporate knowledge.

If you are interested in holding a position on the board please contact me by phone or e-mail below.

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GRAND KNIGHT'S REPORT

Brother Knights In Christ:

August is considered the transitional month in our seasonal calendar.

As we enjoy our summer with our family and friends, let us remember to take care of one another as it has been extremely HOT! Staying hydrated and not over exerting yourself will help keep you safe.

The days of summer have provided a welcome change of pace. However, while vacations afford us the time to relax and refresh, the change of habits and routines can also have a negative impact on our spiritual lives.

This is the time of the year we begin to wind down from our summer travels and vacations and prepare for Autumn which is back to school, Fall festivals, harvest time, etc.

Introducing Faith In Action---A New Model for a New Age.

Faith In Action has arrived which brings a focus on faith, family, community and life to councils worldwide. The first change of this kind since 1971, the model more fully integrates Christ-centered family programs into daily council activities. This is straightforward and easy to implement. It provides all Knights the opportunity to do what they do best which is stand shoulder to shoulder as a force for good in their home, parish, community and the world.

This is a revised program and takes effect during the 2018-2019 fraternal year replacing Surge With Service. It offers a stronger call to action, better inspiring Knights to lead their families and parishes in quality, faith-filled family programs. The new model takes its inspiration from the Domestic Church program, which focuses on creating dynamic parish-based councils. It is divided into four categories which are Faith, Family, Community and Life.

During August, we celebrate the Feast of the Transfiguration in August 6 and the Feast of the Assumption on August 15. Blessed Virgin Mary is the most perfect example of Christian

perseverance, but she is also our advocate in heaven where she is crowned Queen of Heaven and Earth on August 22.

August 27th is Mother Teresa's Birthday as she started the order, "The Missionaries of Charity" which is the order that took care of the people that no one else would care for.

I urge all of you to check on the sick, visit with an old friend, or just lend an ear. We must make ourselves available to those who are finding it hard to make it each day. A phone call, a friendly hello, or even a smile can make a difference in some one's life! Let us always ensure we are doing the works of our Lord Jesus Christ and following his path and not trying to pave our own road.

The works of this order are truly giving of one's self and I urge all of you to find a place of your passion, and do it to the best of your ability each and every day. Our next biggest event is coming upon us fast. The Fall Festival is an opportunity to assist the church in its biggest fund raiser of the year. We will be doing the raffle booth in a 50/50 format.

Now is your opportunity to try something New while still representing our council. Give what you can to as many as you can and have fun at it because every bit helps toward our goals which is Charity.

Thank you for all the fund raising you all do throughout the year to support the Church and local Charities.

May God continue to bless you and your families, My Brother Knights. Respecting one another is and shall be the standard. Let us be Catholic Gentlemen in mind, body, and spirit. Remember always, my goal and your goal is the same, we are here to serve God.

**Your Brother In Christ,
Cesar Mascardo
Grand Knight Council 7027**



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FIELD AGENT'S REPORT

In coordination with emergency agencies and first responders, the Knights of Columbus' Disaster Relief Fund supports the work of local councils' response efforts during and after a natural disaster. Following hurricanes Harvey, Irma and Maria, K of C helped those affected by providing immediate needs: food, clean water, shelter, and other necessities. In 2017 KofC raised more \$7.5 million for the victims of natural disasters. Faith In Action www.kofc.org/disaster



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DEACON'S TEACHING By Deacon Chris Christopher

The Pater Noster (The Lord's Prayer)

"The Lord's Prayer [the 'Our Father'] is the most perfect of prayers... In it we ask, not only for all the things we can rightly desire, but also in the sequence they should be desired. This prayer not only teaches us to ask for things, but also in what order we should desire them" (Thomas Aquinas, CCC 2763).

The Our Father is venerated by Christians because Jesus taught us the way to pray: *"This is how you are to pray..."* (Matthew 6:9) and *"When you pray, say..."* (Luke 11:2). The initial words on this prayer from the Catechism of the Catholic Church teach that it *"is truly the summary of the whole gospel"* (CCC 2761).

Two versions of this prayer are recorded in the gospels: a longer form in the Gospel of Matthew (6:9-13), and a shorter form in the Gospel of Luke (11:2-4). The Matthew account alone includes the *"Your will be done"* and the *"Rescue us from the evil one"* (or *"Deliver us from evil"*) petitions. Some Christians, particularly Protestants, conclude the prayer with a doxology, a later addendum appearing in some manuscripts of Matthew. This prayer is used by most Christian churches in their worship service; with few exceptions, it is the Matthew form used.

[The following **bold headings** are taken

from the Liturgy of the Hours]

Our Prayer is Communal: We do not say *"My Father, who art in heaven,"* nor *"Give me this day my daily bread."* It is not for oneself alone that each asks to be forgiven, not to be led into temptation or to be delivered from evil. Rather, we pray in public as a community for we the people of God are all one. We should bear in mind and realize that when we call God our Father we ought also to act like sons and daughters. If we are pleased to call him Father, let him in turn be pleased to call us his children.

May Your Name Be Hallowed: It is not that we think to make God holy by our prayers; rather we are asking God that his name may be made holy in us. Indeed, how could God be made holy, He who is the source of holiness? Because He himself said *"Be holy, for I am holy,"* we pray and beseech him that we who have been hallowed in baptism may persevere in what we have begun.

Your kingdom come: We pray that God's kingdom will become present for us in the same way that we ask for his name to be hallowed among us, that the kingdom promised to us by God will come, the kingdom won by Christ's blood and passion. However, it could also be that the kingdom of God whose coming for which we daily wish, is Christ himself since it is his coming for which we long. He is our resurrection since we will rise again in him.

Your will be done in earth, as it is in heaven: We pray not that God should do



his will, but that we may carry out his will. How could anyone prevent the Lord from doing what He wills? Rather, in our prayer we ask that God's will be done in us because the devil throws up obstacles to prevent our mind and conduct from obeying him in all things. If we pray that his will be done in us we are acknowledging that we need his help and protection. No one can be strong enough by his own strength, save by God's mercy and forgiveness.

Give us this day our daily bread: We can understand this petition in a spiritual or in a material sense, for in the divine plan of salvation they are both helpful. Christ is the bread of life; this bread does not belong to everyone, but is ours alone. When we say, our Father, we understand that He is the father of those who know him and believe in him. In the same way we speak of our daily bread, because Christ is the bread of those who touch his body. We who live in Christ and receive his Eucharist ask for this bread every day, because otherwise, we are to abstain from this communion due to some serious sin. We therefore become separated from the body of Christ as He taught, *"I am the bread of life which has come down from heaven. Any who eats my bread will live forever and the bread that I will give is my flesh for the life of the world...If you do not eat the flesh of the Son of man and drink his blood you will have no life in you"* (John 6:51). We who live and abide in him will never be separated from his body and his grace.

And forgive us our trespasses: To be reminded that we are sinners and forced to ask forgiveness for our faults is prudent and sound. This command to pray daily for our sins reminds us that we commit sin every day. No one should complacently think of oneself as totally innocent, lest pride lead to further sin.

As we forgive those who trespass against us: Through this petition we are made aware that we cannot obtain what we ask

regarding our own trespasses unless we do the same for those who trespass against us. This is why Christ said, *"The measure with which you measure will in turn be measured out to you"* (Luke 6:38). And to the servant who, after his master forgave all his debt and refused to forgive his fellow servant is thrown into prison. We will have no excuses on the Day of Judgment, for we will be judged just as we have judged, and we'll suffer whatever we have done to others.

And lead us not into temptation: In this petition we are reminding ourselves to ask that his help may not depart from us; otherwise we could be seduced and consent to some temptation or despair and yield to it.

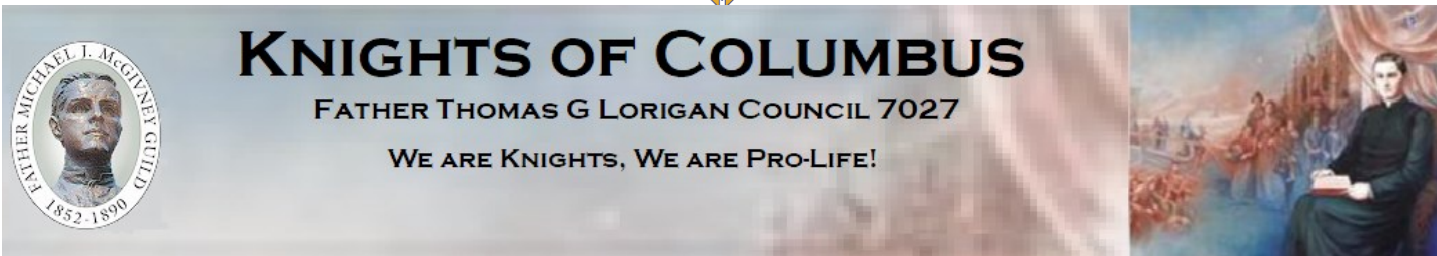
Deliver us from evil: This petition reminds us to reflect that we do not yet enjoy the state of blessedness in which we shall suffer no evil. Christians can utter cries of sorrow and shed tears, but even through them all they can still successfully conclude this prayer in hope and joy in whatever state of distress they are in.

The Lord's Prayer is the model prayer of the Church. It is an integral part of the major hours of the Divine Office and of the sacraments of Christian initiation: Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist. Integrated into the Eucharist it reveals the eschatological character of its petitions, hoping for the Lord *"until he comes"* (1 Cor 11:26).

Next month we'll look at: **Does the Church Teach Salvation by Works?**

Deacon Chris invites you to send him questions or suggested topics for the Deacon's Teaching column.

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Culture of Life by Dan Arndt — prolifeman53@gmail.com

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As many of you may know, Supreme has established a new Service Program, Faith in Action and in it is Faith, Family, Community and Life. Of course I would like to reflect on Life. They have designated select programs as featured programs and when councils conduct them they received two credits. Additionally a council is required to conduct one required program to qualify for the Columbian award.

Featured programs include: March for Life, Special Olympics, and Ultrasound Program and Required Program is to hold a Novena for Life. Please keep these programs in mind. The March for Life can be local, state, or Washington DC. If

anyone would like to plan a trip to Washington DC in January we need to plan now. There is also a march in Saint Augustine and one in Pensacola.

Another program we can do is Special Olympics. I will check to see what we can do locally. I also encourage you to follow Best Buddies on Facebook. It is a great organization that helps the people with Special Needs.

I would like to thank everyone that participated in our last Baby bottle fundraiser. It is a great way to collect needed funds for our pregnancy resource centers.



The Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network

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Families, Schools of Human Growth

That families, through their life of prayer and love, become ever more clearly "schools of true human growth".

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Honors of the Months



Month	Knight of the Month	Family of the Month
July, 2018	Kevin Tully	Robert & Tammy Erisman
August, 2018		
September, 2018		
October, 2018		
November, 2018		
December, 2018		
January, 2019		
February, 2019		
March, 2019		
April, 2019		
May, 2019		
June, 2019		
Year 2018-19		

Knight of the Month

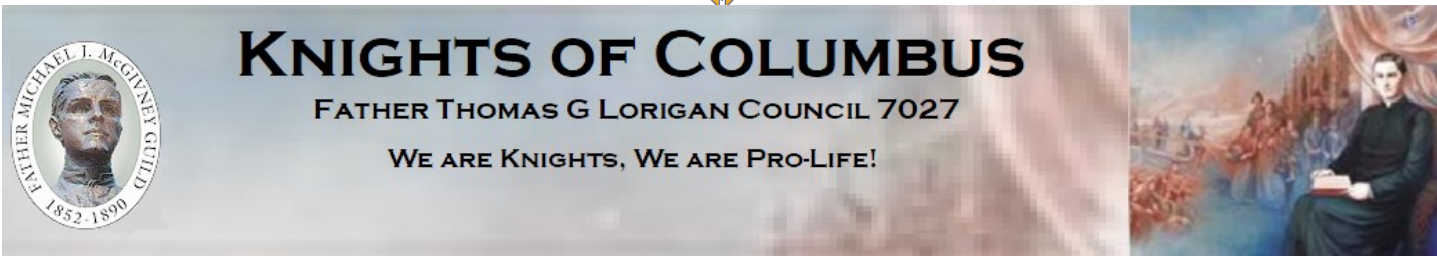


Msgr. Michael Reed,
Kevin Tully,
GK Cesar Mascardo

Family of the Month



GK Cesar Mascardo,
Tammy & Robert
Erisman,
Msgr. Michael Reed



Fourth Degree St. Teresa of Calcutta Assembly 2823



Sir Knights,

Welcome to the new Fraternal Year 2018-2019

I wish thank all who attended our July Meeting, thanks as well for the warm welcome given to all the new Officers.

The fall is a busy time for us, with Oktoberfest on October 20th, then November which includes Veteran's Dinner and Parade on November 10th, pushing into in December the Milton Christmas Parade. VA Hotdogs will start up soon after its Summer hiatus.

Things we are also working on include dates for the above events, as well as a new Assembly 2823 email KofC2823@gmail.com.

As always my goal for this Fraternal Year is to grow in Faith as Sir Knights, supporting Patriotism as well as have fun with events and activities.

Vivat Jesus,
Deacon Jeff Massey
Faithful Navigator, Assembly 2823



Sir Knight of the Month

SK John Recke, July Sir Knight of the Month.

Pull Tabs for the Ronald McDonald House

**Last contribution 51,216 tabs
 33 pounds**

**Total contributions 2,244,026 tabs
 2,397 pounds**

Kevin Tully coordinator



Helping Our Neighbors



MOBILE FOOD PANTRY

St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church

Wednesday August 15, 2018 7:00 am

(Unload Truck 6:00 am after 5:30 am Mass of the Assumption)



The Mobile Food Pantry Program helps serve clients in areas of high need by offering a single day mass food distribution to agencies in rural counties that may not have regular access to the food bank, do not have a large storage area, or have a higher need in their communities.

Program Specifics: Each mobile food pantry provides an assortment of critical need items, feeding up to 100 families in need in a single distribution. The truck will deliver the food the morning of the distribution, relieving the need for our parish to store food. All food will be distributed the same day. The food bank sources perishable food through their Retail Store Level Pickup Program, and supplements the donated food items with food they buy in bulk opportunities. Typical loads include: fresh produce (fruits and vegetables) and bakery items (breads and pastries); frozen meat (varies); shelf stable items (canned and dry goods); and beverages and dairy products.

We Are In Need of Many Volunteers!

Call Karen in the office 623-3600 ext. 20 to sign up! Thank you!

AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

On behalf of your Council's Brother Knights, we wish you a very Happy Birthday.



Table with 4 columns: Name, Birthdate, Name, Birthdate. Lists birthdays for August including Robert Boykn, Brian Bucher, Michael Kassinger, Nathaniel Klein, Ralph Kohlenhoefer, Nils Matolay, Juan Mores, John Pfeiffer, John Recke, Stephen Rhodes, Edward Rouse, Brian Sanborn, Michael Thompson, and Victor Vangrowski.



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The Silver Rose Icon One of the Knights of Columbus Silver Rose Icons is now traveling the United States as it wends its way to Mexico. This is a commemorative Icon of the apparition of the Virgin Mother, Our Lady of Guadalupe, when she appeared to a peasant Indian, Juan Diego. She appeared to him twice, once on December 9 and again on December 12, 1531 on Tepeyac Hill, near Mexico City. She made a request of Juan Diego, "Build me a shrine on this hill". He went to see the Bishop who did not believe his story, without proof. When Juan Diego did return to the vision, he relayed the words of the Bishop to the Virgin Mary. She instructed him to go up on top of the hill and pick the roses, not in season in December, and bring them to her. He did so and she arranged them in his cloak, telling him to take the cloak full of roses to the bishop. When he arrived to see the bishop and opened his cloak to show him the roses, the bishop was awestruck at the colorful impression of the Blessed Mary the roses had made on the cloak.

This shrine in Mexico City is one of the

most visited in our faith, and the cloak of Juan Diego is on display in the Basilica, perfectly preserved with the wondrous image of the Virgin Mary that had been miraculously made by the roses.

Thus, the Silver Rose is a symbol of that miracle, our most revered Mother, to all Knights and Catholics.



July 8, 2018, with Bishop William Wack presiding at the Spanish mass in St. John's Parish in Pensacola, the Silver Rose Icon was transferred to the Alabama Knights of Columbus jurisdiction, received by FDD Larry Hyland from Mobile.



Region 1 Director Ronald Winn and FDD Larry Hyland are surrounded by 16 Sir Knights at St John's Parish on July 8th.



2018-19 Seminarians of the Pensacola-Tallahasee Diocese

Our diocese is continuing to be well-represented for the 2018-19 seminary year. We currently have five seminarians in the major seminary and five in the college seminary.

St. Vincent de Paul Regional Seminary is the major seminary located in Boynton Beach, where Jacob Jaks, Hunter Ernde, Troy Fulford, Richard Graham and Raymond Herard are studying Theology. At St. John Vianney College Seminary in Miami, we have Austin Mall, Terry Gastauer, Peter Jutras, Grant Sennott, and our own William "Woody" Gibson.



Several of these seminarians, including Woody, appear in a photo with Bishop Wack and Msgr. David Toups in the July *Columbia* magazine. The article features in interview with Msgr. Toups, the rector at St. Vincent de Paul.

We will be once again blessed to have a seminarian spend his pastoral year at St. Rose of Lima Church.

Ray Herard will be joining us this fall and will be with us for several months. I know everyone will do their best to welcome Ray and get to know him.

Please pray for these and all seminarians that they receive all God wants to give them, and that they be ordained for God's greater glory.

-George Elliott, Vocations Chairman



First Annual Guadalupe Radio Network "Fishers of Men" Tournament



On Saturday, July 21, 2018, the first fishing tournament to support our local Catholic radio network was run out of South Winds Marina, just off Gulf Beach Highway. Eleven fished in the morning run, and brought in some nice red snapper. The largest was just over 18 lbs. More were scheduled to fish in the afternoon, but the forecast one foot waves turned in to five foot waves during the morning run. Joe Patti's Seafood provided the prizes. Father Collins and Holy Spirit Church welcomed the participants on Friday night for the Captain's Dinner, which was cooked on the traveling smoker by Ivan and Jim of Smokin' In the Square. Look forward to a bigger and better tournament next year.