



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

FATHER THOMAS G LORIGAN COUNCIL 7027

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COMING EVENTS

Date	Time	Event	Location
1	12:00AM	NEW YEAR'S DAY	ST ROSE OF LIMA
3	6:00PM	CCMI Quarterly Board	KNIGHT'S HALL
3	7:00PM	KOC PLANNING MEETING	KNIGHT'S HALL
4	8:30AM	FIRST FRIDAY	CHAPEL
9	8:00AM	VA HOT DOG DAY	P'COLA OPC
9	6:00PM	ADMISSION DEGREE	KNIGHT'S HALL
10	6:00PM	VESPER	CHAPEL
10	7:00PM	KOC BUSINESS MEETING	KNIGHT'S HALL
13	8:00AM	KOC BREAKFAST (LIFE)	PARISH HALL
17	7:00PM	ASSEMBLY 2823 MEETING	KNIGHT'S HALL
19	9:00AM	FREE THROW COMPETITION	MILTON HS
21	12:00AM	MARTIN LUTHER KING	FEDERAL
25	5:30PM	KOC SOCIAL	KNIGHT'S HALL
26	12:00AM	NEWSLETTER DUE	KNIGHT'S HALL
26	9:00AM	PARK AVE CLEAN UP	PARISH HALL
27	8:00AM	CORPORATE MASS	ST ROSE OF LIMA
31	12:00AM	ANNUAL SURVEY FRAT ACTIVITY	KNIGHT'S HALL

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Holy Family



Keepers of His House Schedule

	Team 1	Team 2	Team 3	Team 4
Month/Yr	Day	Day	Day	Day
Jan, 2019	12	19	25	3
Feb, 2019	9	16	22	28
Mar, 2019	9	16	22	29





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GRAND KNIGHT'S REPORT

Brother Knights In Christ:

I want to give a special thank you to everyone who helped and contributed to making the 2018 KOC Christmas Party a success! Thank you for the fellowship, fun and enjoyment that we share with your family and friends.

As we welcome 2019, I would like to share with you some thoughts about how we can enter the coming New Year with a profound sense of God's presence. This will give us the faith to face all of the many challenges that shall come our way in this coming year. Pray that the Lord will lead us each step of this New Year. That He will guide our decisions and turn our hearts to deeply desire Him above all else. Let's ask for His wisdom, for His strength and power to be constantly present within us. Pray that He would make us strong and courageous for the road ahead.

As you look back and see how the Hand of God was at work in your deliverance, take the time to give Him thanks for all that He did. As you take the time to meditate on these things and give God thanks for His many blessings in your life, you will experience a fresh sense of His presence preparing you for what's yet ahead in this coming new year. Hold each area of your life alongside God's standards and pray to grow in faithfulness and holiness.

God's marvelous kindness is great and abundant. To those who obey Him, God will have mercy with everlasting kindness.

Mercy is the goodness and abundant grace of God to His own people. We see the Father's kindness in His sacrifice of His Son for our salvation.

Kindness has many synonyms which is love, service and charity. But I like the word kindness because it implies action. It seems like something you and I can do. Kindness can be shown in so many ways. My favorite examples of kindness come from what Jesus did. He spent his ministry searching for the weary, the sick, the poor, and the lonely, that he might show kindness toward them.

For me, kindness is an inner desire that makes us want to do good things even if we do not get anything in return. It is the joy of our life to do them. When we do good things from this inner desire, there is kindness in everything we think, say, want and do.

May you and your families be blessed by a renewal of understanding of self and the love of Christ. Do what our Lord would want of us as we all have a choice to be kind to one another or continue on another path. In the end everyone will see your heart through your actions good or bad. I pray that each one of you be touched by the Mercy of God's hand.

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



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FIELD AGENT'S REPORT

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Happy New Year! It's that well known time of year when we make resolutions. Have you made any yet? Maybe the realistic question is, "Have you already broken some of them yet?" Here are 10 popular New Year's resolutions from the internet along with some of my own:

1. Get in shape; for some of us this means to lose some weight, exercise more and staying fit; to stop smoking or eat healthier foods.
2. Stop procrastinating; I don't know about you, but I'm going to put this off for yet another year!
3. Improve my prayer life; there's an app for that! I've been using the Laudate app. The Laudate app claims it is the most downloaded Catholic app. It has an immense library of prayers, devotions, daily readings, podcasts and Vatican documents.
4. Improve on a skill or develop a new hobby; maybe you want to lower your golf handicap or learn to bowl.
5. Be more thankful; God has blessed me in so many ways and sometimes I forget to thank Him for all of those things...usually because I'm too busy asking for something else.
6. Spend more time with the people that matter most; sometimes I get so busy working, keeping the house up or going to some meeting, I forget the ones I do these things for. I've got to set aside more time to just be with them.
7. Reduce stress; in this sometimes hectic and seemingly crazy world, it's easy to get swallowed up in the latest tragedy and worry all the time. Cutting out those sources of stress or learning how to deal with them more effectively means a more settled life.
8. Read more; with so much on the internet, TV and radio it's easy for me to get lost in those. Reading for pleasure has become something of a lost art. Think about the last book you read.
9. Spend wisely; it's so easy to spend money on things we really don't need, buy on a whim or because we're keeping up with the Jones'. I just bought a new, O Gauge, train and now that I reflect on that I'm thinking, "Did I really need that?"
10. Review your financial health; whatever your current situation, it's always a good idea to take stock on a yearly basis.

Now this last resolution I can definitely help you keep: Resolve to meet with me this year to update your Family Service Record and see where you stand. Your financial health is critical to your family's future security. As your field agent I have so much more responsibility than a simple financial advisor or stock broker. We'll take a look at your dreams, goals and aspirations and make sure you're on track to make them become a reality. Call me.

May God bless you all,
Jeff Fischer



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DEACON'S TEACHING By Deacon Chris Christopher Do Catholics Believe in the Rapture?

When Jesus was placed on trial by the high priests and council, He quoted a stunning passage from Daniel's prophecies, identifying himself with the **"Son of Man...coming on the clouds of heaven"** in radiant glory one day to judge the world. Mt 26:63-64; Dn 7:13-14
All the Biblical references to Christ's Second Coming confirm that this event will be a magnificent public triumph, not invisible and secret, but universally visible and undeniable, **"For just as lightning comes from the east and is seen as far as the west, so will the coming of the Son of Man be."** Mt 24:27

Scripture knows nothing, then, of an "extra" coming of Christ in secret before that time – the "rapture," as many Christians call it – to snatch away true believers from the world. This notion is actually rather novel in Christian history. For the first eighteen centuries after Christ, Christian teachers of every sort – Catholic, Orthodox, Protestant – had never even heard of the idea nor found any indications of it in Scripture. Even today, the great majority of Christians worldwide, including Protestants, reject it

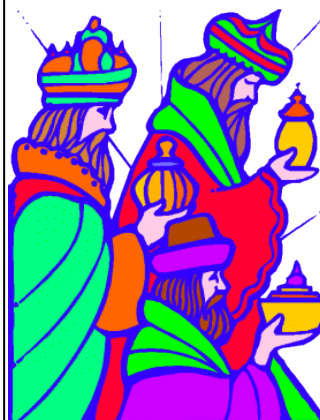
To prove their notion, rapture teachers typically cite St. Paul's words about Christians on earth being **"caught up... to meet the Lord in the air."** 1 Thes 4:17
Taken as a whole, however, the passage speaks of the Lord's **"word of command, with the voice of an**

archangel and with the trumpet of God" 1 Thes 4:16 – hardly a picture of a secret, invisible coming. Instead, this text is a clear reference to Christ's glorious Second Coming, with obvious parallels to other Biblical texts about that event. 1 Cor 15:51-52

Rapture believers may also cite our Lord's words about how, at his coming, certain people will be "taken," while others will be "left." But He also says this event will be **"as it was in the days of Noah"** when **"the flood came and carried [the wicked] all away."** So those who are "taken" are the ones to be punished – not the righteous. Mt 24:37-41

Finally, rapture teachers claim that Christians must be "snatched" from the world because God has promised them an escape from the "great tribulation" of the last days. But actually the opposite is true: Jesus promised that in that time of trial, **"the one who perseveres to the end will be saved."** Mt 24:4-22

Next month we'll ask, **What Are relics?**





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



January is more than the beginning of a new year, it really includes the main reason for being a Catholic gentleman and a Knight, and that is service, and most importantly, service to Life. A very difficult decision was made 45 years ago about Life and we all know what that entailed. In Service, means to be in **Prayer** and **Action**. The March for Life will be held in St Augustine on January 12 and Washington DC on January 18 and they need our prayers and support. In Pensacola the Emerald Coast Coalition for Life, will hold their annual Walk for Life January 12. January 11 there will be

a vigil mass with Bishop Wack at Saint Paul's (Prayer), and the next day the walk (Action). We will have a "Life" breakfast on January 13 in place of our regular monthly breakfast. This gives us an opportunity to educate about Life. Please take this opportunity to help with the breakfast. We are planning on promoting this breakfast as a French toast or a breakfast burrito breakfast to pique more interest. We will have literature and items to purchase in support of Life. Take advantage of this time to be "In Service". You can help cook, serve, clean, or eat, but please do something to make this a success.



Robert Erisman, Robert Erisman Jr., Dan Arndt, and Ralph Crago help with interior construction at the new Milton Pregnancy Resource Center building.





Emerald Coast

JANUARY 12th 2019

Walk For Life & Rally



DR. ALVEDA KING HEADLINE SPEAKER

RALLY BEGINS AT 11:00 A.M.

WALK FOR LIFE BEGINS AT 12:15 A.M.

MARITIME PARK 301 W. MAIN ST., PENSACOLA, FL

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EMERALD COAST
COALITION FOR LIFE

Contact: www.eccfl.org 850-889-1035



Emerald Coast

Walk for Life Mass



Compassionate Love Saves Lives Be that Love!

Vigil Mass

Friday January 11th at 6:30 p.m.
St. Paul Catholic Church 3131 Hyde Park Road Ave, Pensacola

Celebrated by
Bishop Wack

**Morning Youth
Mass**

Saturday January 12th at 9:00 a.m.
St. Joseph Catholic Church 140 W. Government St. Pensacola
Mass Followed by Benediction

Celebrated by
Fr. Nicholas Schumm

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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	Ralph Crago	Michael & Debra Stafford
September, 2018	Michael Michulka	Tim & Liz Maynard
October, 2018	Bruce Donatelli	James & Marianne Richardson
November, 2018	Dale Sogor	Greg & Jennifer Micklos
December, 2018	Robert Browder	Michael & Debra Stafford
January, 2019		
February, 2019		
March, 2019		
April, 2019		
May, 2019		
June, 2019		
Year 2018-19		

Knight of the Month



Grand Knight Cesar Mascardo presented Knight of the Month for December at the 8 AM Mass on December 30, 2018. Pictured are GK Cesar Mascardo, Meg and Bob Browder & Msgr. Michael Reed.

Family of the Month

Grand Knight Cesar Mascardo presented Family of the Month for December at the 8 AM Mass on December 30, 2018. Pictured are GK Cesar Mascardo, Mike and Debra Stafford, & Msgr. Michael Reed.





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Corp. Communion & Consecration



Prayer of Consecration To The Holy Family

■ O Lord Jesus,
you lived in the home of Mary and Joseph in Nazareth.
There you grew in age, wisdom, and grace
as you prepared to fulfill your mission
as our Redeemer.
We entrust our family to you.

■ O Blessed Mary,
you are the Mother of our Savior.
At Nazareth you cared for Jesus
and nurtured him in the peace and joy of your home.
We entrust our family to you.

■ O Saint Joseph,
you provided a secure and loving home for Jesus and Mary,
and gave us a model of fatherhood
while showing us the dignity of work
We entrust our family to you.



The Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network

APOSTLESHIP OF PRAYER

UNITED STATES

JANUARY

Young People and the Example of Mary

That young people, especially in Latin America, follow the example of Mary and respond to the call of the Lord to communicate the joy of the Gospel to the world.

<http://popesprayerusa.net/popese-intentions/>



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Fourth Degree

St. Teresa of Calcutta Assembly 2823



Brothers, Blessing of Peace as we enter into 2019.

Closing out the Year...

I wish to thank all the Sir Knights and families who attended the Advent day of Reflection in the Parish Hall. Milton Christmas Parade bad weather yet again.

So for 2018...Weather 2 : Parades 0
I also wish to thank all Sir Knights for attending our annual K of C Christmas party. Many hands, ladies included, helped cook, decorate, cleanup, making the event fun for all who attended.

Looking toward 2019

For the past 6 months, yes it has been that long, we have been opening our meeting with the "Knights Prayer"

"Grant me the gift of Divine Grace to protect and conquer my Five Senses, that I may carry out the Seven Works of Mercy, believe in the Twelve Articles of our Faith, practice the Ten Commandments of the Law and, finally, be delivered from the seven capital sins to the last day of my life."

Breaking this down further, the "Five Senses" refers to the five traditionally recognized methods of perception, or sense:

Taste, Sight, Touch, Smell, Sound.

Mouth, Eyes, Skin, Nose, Ears.

Some may be more sensitive or keen

than others, some may have diminished capacity because of age, injury or infirmity.

But our 2019 challenge as Sir Knights, is how to best use them as we enter 2019, to be better Knights, regardless of capacity.

This is only possible if we open ourselves more fully to the Divine Grace that God wants to pour out upon us this new year.

Grace from the Sacraments, Grace from Service to God and neighbor. Grace to moderate in their use, all the perceptions we receive from our senses, so as to not injure or allow a Charity to invade our dealings and relationships with others.

We would do well to reflect on how to better use them to discern God's will in our lives. And thus bring and share the joy and light of Christ and the Gospel with others.

I Hope and Pray that all have a Blessed, Grace Filled 2019

Until our next appointed meeting 17 January.

In Service

**Sir Knight Deacon Jeff Massey
Faithful Navigator, Assembly
2823**



Faith in Action

George Elliott

Deputy Grand Knight/Program Director



An Invitation to Be an Usher

Would you please consider serving as an usher at St. Rose of Lima? Our parish needs more ushers to perform the traditional duties and to assume new responsibilities.

Our ushers are often the first face parishioners and visitors see, and there should be enough ushers at each Mass to greet and assist as many people as possible. Ushers traditionally help people find seats, take up the collections, and help with the procession to Communion. They are also often called upon to answer questions and give directions to the parish hall, nursery, and other locations.

In addition to those duties, ushers are called upon more and more to assist in other ways. We need ushers who are ready to respond as the need arises. If someone in the Church becomes ill, or in the event of a fire, our ushers are usually in the best position to respond quickly and appropriately. And these days, unfortunately, ushers need to be the eyes and ears of the parish, alert to possible threats to our security. To meet the expanding scope of work, we need more ushers.

We currently have a great group of ushers that do an amazing job. We provide the training, and we work around your schedule. We'd love to have you join us.

You don't have to be a Knight of Columbus to be an usher. And many of you are already actively serving in other ministries. But if you're coming to Mass, and you're not serving in another ministry at that Mass, would you please consider being an usher, whether it's once a week, once a month, or whenever?

Please contact me to learn more or to volunteer. My cell phone is 908-487-8622, and my email address is grejr13@gmail.com.

See you there!
Vivat Jesus!





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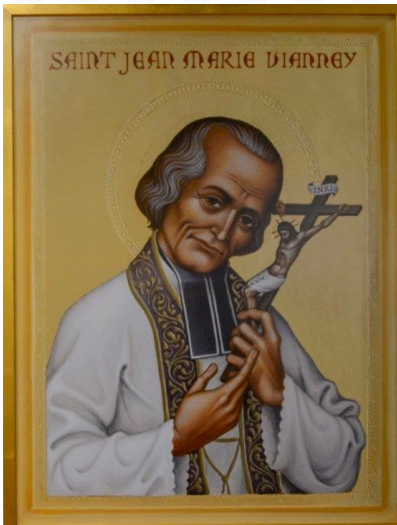
BIRTHDAYS

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



KENNETH ARNDT	01/16	SCOTT GOLEY	01/31
RONALD BRADBERRY	01/29	PAUL HICKS	01/23
SEAN CANNING	01/29	CHRISTOPHER MANOR	01/01
MICHAEL CANZONIERO	01/01	CHARLES NEWLAN JR	01/28
BRIAN CASEY	01/11	DONALD TOMER	01/23
RALPH CRAGO	01/09		

St. John Vianney Relic





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Christmas Party

