



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

FATHER THOMAS G LORIGAN COUNCIL 7027

WE ARE KNIGHTS, WE ARE PRO-LIFE!



COMING EVENTS

Date	Time	Event	Location
1	7:00 PM	Planning Meeting	Knight's Building
2	8:30AM	First Friday Adoration - 12:00PM	Chapel
3	12:00PM	Rosary for America	Park & Dogwood Intersection
5	5:30PM	First Monday Confession - 7:00PM	Chapel
7	8:30AM	Yard Sale Drop Off -7:00PM	Parish Hall
8	8:30AM	Yard Sale Drop Off -5:00PM	Parish hall
8	6:00 PM	Evening Prayer	Chapel
8	7:00 PM	Membership Meeting	Knight's Building
8	8:00 PM	4th Degree Installation	Knight's Building
9	7:00AM	Ladies Aux Yard Sale - 5:00PM	Parish Hall
10	7:00AM	Ladies Aux Yard Sale - 1:00PM	Parish Hall
11	8:00 AM	Hero's Breakfast	Parish Hall
11	11:30 AM	Oktoberfest Volunteer Meeting	Parish Hall
22	6:00PM	Special Dance -8:00PM	Parish Hall
24	4:00 PM	Corporate Communion Mass	St Rose of Lima Church
26		Newsletter Articles Due	
30	5:30 PM	Social Dinner	Knight's Building

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Keepers of His House Schedule

	Team 1	Team 2	Team 3	Team 4
Month/Yr	Day	Day	Day	Day
Sept, 2022	10	24	1, 30	16
Oct, 2022	8	22	28	14



Father Thomas Gerard Lorigan

(July 14, 1913—Sept. 8, 1997)



Grand Knight's Report

Michael Stafford

Welcome brothers Michael Hamel and Robert Bezick to KofC Council 7027.

How do you respond to a prayer request? Some have a prayer list they add to for daily prayers. Some may say a rosary or maybe the prayer for the canonization of Blessed McGivney, or some, when they see the request, tell themselves that I will pray but may or may not remember to do it. A suggestion, that when you see a request for prayers, is to stop right then and do it. An Our Father, Hail Mary, Glory Be or short personal prayer can be very effective and heard by our Blessed Lord. Later another form of prayer can be used. Please see our KofC prayer list following in this newsletter for those in need of our prayers. One is Sir Knight Dean Dizon who recently suffered a stroke and is undergoing rehab at Encompass in Pensacola and brother Herb Baker recovering from a stroke and other complications at Santa Rosa hospital and Herb's wife Wanda rehabbing from a stroke at Solaris Healthcare in Pensacola.

We mourn the loss of Sir Knight Jack Barrett. Jack was a 37 year knight and for many years was the council's newsletter editor. Please pray for Claudia

and the Barrett family, and for brother Ron and Laurie Livorno as they mourn the loss of their son Parker.

I draw your attention to First Friday mass at 8:00AM followed by Eucharistic Adoration in the chapel till noon on Friday the 5th of August. I know that time frame doesn't work for many working council members but if you can make it for just a short visit to the exposed Blessed Sacrament it would be well worth it. Jesus is waiting for us to keep him company if only for a few minutes.

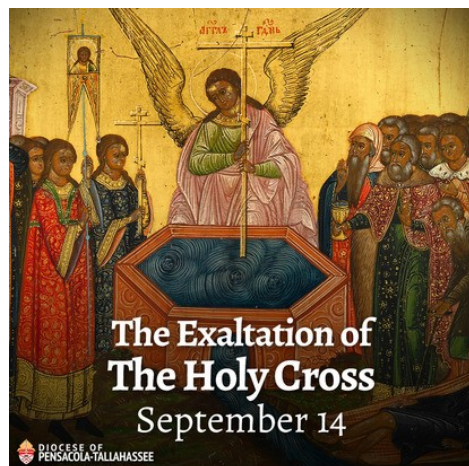
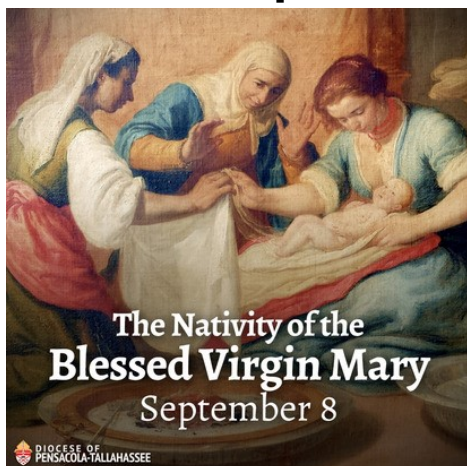
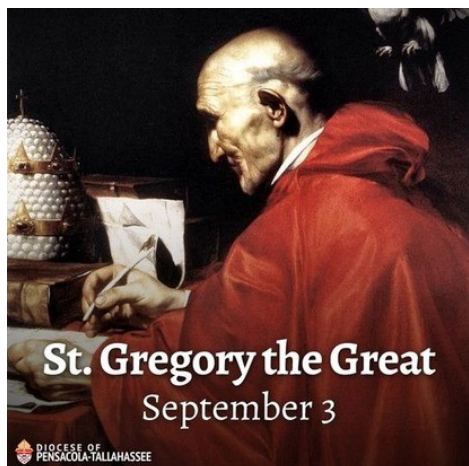
Prayer: Remember, O most pure spouse of the Virgin Mary, St. Joseph, my beloved patron, that no one ever had recourse to your protection or sought your aid, without being comforted. Confiding therefore, in your goodness, I come to you and fervently commend myself to you. Despise not my petition, dear foster father of our redeemer, but accept it graciously. Amen.

St. Joseph. Pray for us.

Blessed Michael McGivney. Pray for us.

Vivat Jesus!

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Field Agent's Report

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Every September a non-profit organization known as Life Happens coordinates the Life Insurance Awareness Month campaign. This campaign is dedicated to informing people about how important life insurance is to protect their families. Life insurance is a cornerstone of a family's future financial security. Blessed Michael McGivney certainly knew how important life insurance was to a family. But many members don't understand how involved Fr. McGivney was in developing the Order's insurance program. According to Christopher Kauffman, the author of the centennial history of the Order, Faith and Fraternalism, The History of the Knights of Columbus 1882-1982, one of Fr. McGivney's two main reasons for founding the Order was "the need to protect families during sickness and death." (pg. 17) Kauffman goes on to say that Fr. McGivney "spent his energy in promoting the insurance feature." (pg. 35) Originally, when the Order was founded, there was no such thing as an "associate member." Everyone was insured; that was one of those two primary reasons for joining. While the Order is now well known for its

charitable works and strong advocacy for the most vulnerable, strengthening men in their faith and protecting them and their families with life insurance were twin catalysts in forming the Order. While young Catholic men still seek to strengthen their faith, we know families still need protection from untimely death. This mission remains just as important today. In an attempt to make every member and every eligible Catholic man aware of how important life insurance is, the Order has made a substantial investment. The Order has provided me with a high-tech, state of the art financial needs analysis platform that can help us determine where you stand today. It can help me formulate a strategy for you and your family and offer meaningful insurance and financial solutions...a strategy specific to your family and your situation. The analysis can be done in the comfort of your home or virtually. What can life insurance provide? Peace of mind and security.

Vivat Jesus and May God bless you all,

Father Thomas Gerard Lorigan

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Born in Bandon, County Cork, Ireland, he was ordained for the Diocese of Mobile in July, 1939. He immigrated to the United States and was naturalized May 25, 1942. He spent his life in service to the people of Alabama and Northwest Florida, serving as pastor at St. Rose of Lima from June, 1970, until January, 1982. He became a charter member of the Knights of Columbus Council 7027 and was named its patron. He retired to Milton, FL., and died Sept. 8, 1997.





Deacon's Teaching

By Deacon Chris Christopher

The Virgin's Role In Salvation History

The Catholic Church has honored Mary by proclaiming four major doctrines of faith about her based on Holy Scripture and Tradition. They are:

1. Divine Maternity. This dogma declares Mary as the mother of God (*Theotokos*, "God-Bearer"), at the third ecumenical Council of Ephesus in A.D. 431. This dogma defines that Jesus has both the Divine nature and the Human nature in one person. Hence, The Man-Christ is the God-Christ, and his mother is God's mother.

2. Perpetual Virginity. Mary's Perpetual Virginity means that before and after giving birth to Jesus, Mary was a virgin and that she remained a virgin for the rest of her life. Joseph, therefore, did not have sexual relations with her and she never physically bore any other children.

The Perpetual Virginity of Mary has never been officially defined as a Marian Dogma of the Church, but because of its universal acceptance and continued reference in Papal documents throughout the history of the Church; it has come to be accepted as a Marian Dogma. Consequently, it can be said that the perpetual virginity of Mary is a Catholic Dogma *by virtue of the ordinary and universal Magisterium*.¹ The Protestant reformers Martin Luther, John Calvin, and Ulrich Zwingli all affirmed their belief in Mary's perpetual virginity.

While the Bible does mention the "*brothers*" and "*sisters*" of Jesus ^(Matthew 13:55; Mark 6:3), they are never referred to as the sons and daughters of the

Virgin Mary – because - they are not her children. Mark ^(15:40) mentions a woman called "*Mary the mother of James the less and of Joses*". James and Joses are two of the "*brethren*" of Jesus mentioned in Matthew ^(13:55), so this woman is clearly their mother, not the Mother of Jesus. This "*other Mary*" ^(Mt 28:1) is mentioned in John ^(19:25) as "*Mary, the wife of Cleophas*", the "*sister*" of Jesus' mother ("*sister*" here probably refers to a sister-in-law, since they are both called Mary).

So, James and Joses are the sons of Cleophas and the other Mary, who are most likely Jesus' uncle and aunt on Joseph's side. Since Simon and Jude are mentioned with James and Joses, they are probably also Jesus' cousins. (There is no Hebrew word for *cousin*.)

That the Bible calls them "*brothers*" does not contradict this interpretation. In that culture, as in many Middle Eastern cultures today, the term "*brother*" was used for many relatives who were not full siblings, such as half or stepbrothers, brothers-in-law, nephews, cousins of various degrees, etc. Thus, Jesus' "*brothers and sisters*" were His cousins; Scripture calls them "*brothers and sisters*" in accord with the custom of the time. Also, the term "*brothers/sisters*" is used in referring to fellow Christians yet today, as well as fellow comrades-in-arms, or people of the same race.

3. The dogma of Immaculate Conception. This is a dogma based mainly on Christian Tradition and theological reasoning. It was defined



by Pope Pius IX as a dogma of faith through the Apostolic Constitution *Ineffabilis Deus* (Ineffable God, 'beyond expression') (December 8, 1854). It states, "From the first moment of her conception, Mary was preserved immune from original sin by the singular grace of God and by virtue of the merits of Jesus Christ, savior of the human race" (CCC #491). This means that original sanctity, innocence, and justice were conferred upon her and that she was exempted from all the evil effects of original sin - excluding sorrow, pain, disease, and death which are temporal penalties inherited through Adam's disobedience (Catholic Encyclopedia).

Munificentissimus Deus (The Most Bountiful God ^{November 1, 1950}) stating "...we pronounce, declare, and define it to be a divinely revealed dogma, that the Immaculate Mother of God, the ever-Virgin Mary, having completed the course of her earthly life, was assumed body and soul into heavenly glory." [Reference also (Elijah 2 Kings 2:1-18 and Enoch Gen 5:21-24)]

Let us thank God for the Church that his Son endowed with divine authority, for the Holy Spirit that has guided it since Pentecost, and that it continues to teach Truth about God's plan of salvation for all mankind.

¹ A teaching on which all bishops (including the Pope) universally agree and is also considered infallible.

4. Mary's Assumption into Heaven. Pope Pius XII defined the dogma

Next month we'll ask, "**Theotokos**" (Greek, for *Mother of God Incarnate*)

A BIT OF TRIVIA: Papal Infallibility

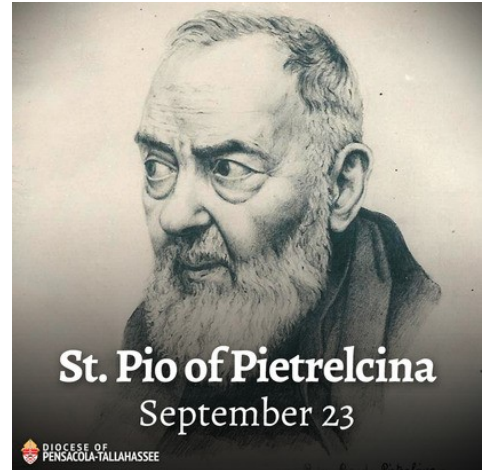
How many times in the Church's two-thousand-year history has Papal Infallibility been invoked?

Trick question: What were those only two Infallible dogmas?
[See #3 and #4 above]

ANSWERS (Only twice!):

- #3. *Ineffabilis Deus* (Ineffable God, 'beyond expression') (December 8, 1854), The dogma of Immaculate Conception
- #4. *Munificentissimus Deus* (The Most Bountiful God) ^{November 1, 1950}, The dogma of Mary's Assumption into Heaven

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Knights' Social Night





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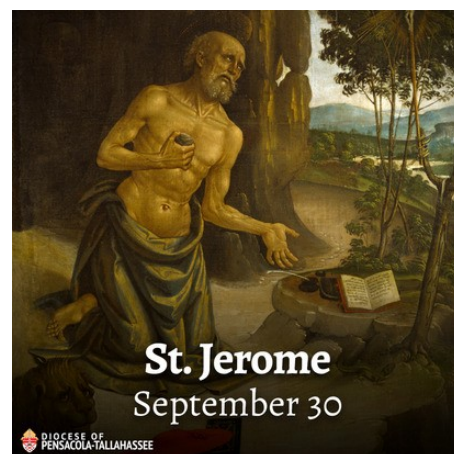
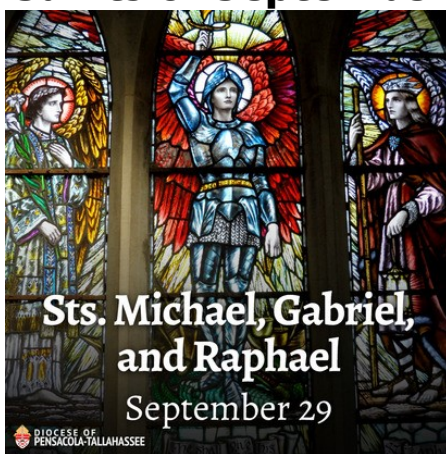
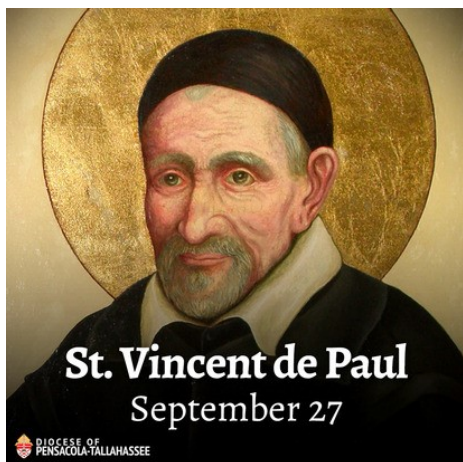


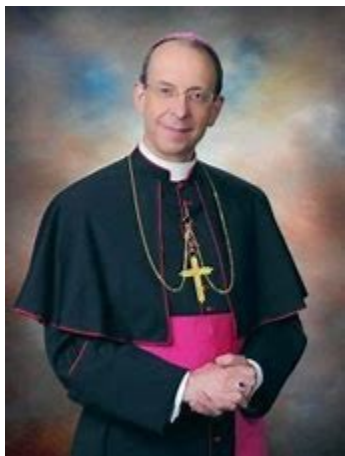
SILVER ROSE

Each year, from early March through mid-December, Silver Roses are stewarded by Knights of Columbus councils along routes from Canada to Mexico. Every stop the Silver Rose makes throughout the pilgrimage is a rosary-centered occasion for Knights, parishioners and community members to pray for respect for life, for the spiritual renewal of each nation, and for the advancement of the message of Our Lady of Guadalupe. The Silver Rose was hosted by Council 7027 at St. Rose of Lima on August 30 with a prayer service including hymns, the rosary, Litany of Our Lady, and a short talk by Msgr. Michael Reed.



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Supreme Chaplain's Challenge

by Archbishop William E. Lori

"I tell you, in just the same way there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous people who have no need of repentance." (Gospel for Sept. 11, Lk 15:7)

This Gospel reading links the parable of the lost sheep with the parable of the prodigal son. Together these parables remind us that God constantly seeks us whenever we go astray. We are all sinners, and like the prodigal son we must wake up, repent and return to the Father. When we do this, we find that he runs to meet us. My brother Knights, let us create some joy in heaven. Let us recognize that we are sinners in need of repentance and ask the Father for his forgiveness.

Challenge by Supreme Chaplain Archbishop William E. Lori:

This month, I challenge you to watch the "Sacramental Life" episode of the *Into the Breach* video series, particularly reflecting on the importance of the sacrament of reconciliation. Second, I challenge you to participate in the Faith in Action Sacramental Gifts program.

Questions for Reflection:

Are there ways you see yourself as a lost sheep, a prodigal son? What concrete steps can you take to overcome sinful habits and avoid temptations? Do you "come home" to the Father to receive his mercy and forgiveness in the sacrament of reconciliation?

(From kofc.org select "Who We Are", "Our Faith", and "Monthly Challenge")



The Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network
APOSTLESHIP OF PRAYER
UNITED STATES

SEPTEMBER

For the abolition of the death penalty

We pray that the death penalty, which attacks the dignity of the human person, may be legally abolished in every country.

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



Honors of the Months

Month	Knight of the Month	Family of the Month
Year 2022-23		
July, 2022	Dean Dizon	John & Aine' Canning
August, 2022	John Recke	Jeff & Rose Fischer
September, 2022		
October, 2022		
November, 2022		
December, 2022		
January, 2023		
February, 2023		
March, 2023		
April, 2023		
May, 2023		
June, 2023		

Knight of the Month

Grand Knight Michael Stafford presented the Knight of the Month for July to Dean Dizon on August 30, 2022. Pictured are GK Michael Stafford and Dean Dizon.



Family of the Month

Grand Knight Michael Stafford presented the Family of the Month for August to Jeff & Rose Fischer at the 4:00 PM Mass on August 27, 2022. Pictured are GK Michael Stafford, Jeff Fischer, Msgr. Michael Reed, and Rose Fischer.





Fourth Degree

St. Teresa of Calcutta Assembly 2823
SK James Fane



The Vice Marshal of the Fourth Degree, **SK Tony Jette**, will be conducting Saint Teresa of Calcutta Assembly 2823 installation of officers for the 2022-2023 fraternal year on September 8, 2022 at 8:00pm which is after the Council 7027 general membership meeting in the Knights Hall. All Fourth Degree Members are encouraged to attend. Officer dress is the new regalia or dark suite with baldric.

Sick & In Need Prayer List

Richard Opiela, The Cruz family, Paul Hicks, Carol Cox, Ian McDonald, Bruce Donatelli, The Barrett family, Gene Skalsky, Ed McCarthy, Bill Glover, Mike Kassinger, Bob & Joan Haring, Herb & Wanda Baker, Bill and Mary Etta Hinkle, David & Sharon Hinkle, Joseph and Antonette Paterna, Sterling VanGrowski (Vic's Grandson), Dave & Donna Byers, Jim and Marianne

Richardson, Jennifer Micklos, Norm Champagne, Jim Gentry, Ben and David Paul, Father Pete's family, The Livorno Family, Dean Dizon, Zemina Paschal, John Recke, Joe Burgos, Dani Massey, people of Ukraine, Holy Souls in Purgatory, Pope Francis, Bishop Wack, Msgr Reed, Father Christian, our deacons, religious, and seminarians.

Let us pray:

*O Heavenly Father, God of Love, You gave us Your Son Jesus to be not only Physician of our souls but also Healer of our bodies and minds. Lord Jesus, We turn to You in this time of illness. Please come to us now, and lay Your healing hand on us and all who are in need of your Mercy. Let the warmth, peace and healing power of Your Spirit fill all of us now with Your life and love. We receive You, Lord Jesus!
Heal us according to Your Divine Will, Lord Jesus, and enable us to serve You with a healthy body, soul, and spirit. May Your Joy, O Lord, be our strength this day.*

Amen.

To submit a prayer request to be included here please send an email to info@kofc7027.com



Council and Assembly Officers

Knights of Columbus Online Resources

Council 7027 web site has important information such as calendar, newsletters, and member only information.
<http://www.kofc7027.com>

State Council has important information about Knights in Florida.
<https://floridakofc.org/>

Supreme contains something for everyone.
<http://kofc.org>

Knights Gear is clothing and accessories K of C branded.
<http://www.knightsgear.com>

Knightline is a monthly publication with important information for leaders and members.
<http://kofc.org/knightline>

Invocations monthly publication of the Florida State Council.
<https://www.floridakofc.org/Invocation-State-Newsletter>

Knightcast An inspirational video series forming men on their journey to be better husbands, fathers, citizens, and Catholics.
<http://kofc.org/knightcast>

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K of C Council 7027 2021-22 Officer Elections		Assembly 2823 Officers Fraternal Year 2021-2022	
Chaplain	Msgr Michael Reed	Faithful Navigator	SK James Fane
Grand Knight	Michael Stafford	Faithful Captain	SK Sid Roussel
Deputy Grand Knight	Douglas Blau	Faithful Pilot	SK John Recke
Chancellor	Tom Kubalewski	Faithful Admiral	SK Daniel Arndt
Recorder	Larry Burkhalter	Faithful Comptroller	SK Bill McDonald
Treasurer	Dale Sogor	Faithful Purser	SK Dale Sogor
Financial Secretary	Bill McDonald	Faithful Scribe	
Advocate	Walter Gross	Faithful Inner Sentinel	SK George Elliott
Warden	Justin Paul	Faithful Outer Sentinel	
Inside Guard	James Gaus	Trustee 3 Year	SK James Gaus
Outside Guard	Michael Gaus	Trustee 2 Year	SK Bruce Donatelli
Lecturer	Dcn Phillip Czajkowski	Trustee 1 Year	SK Michael Stafford
One Year Trustee	Greg Micklos		
Two Year Trustee	Raymond Kutch		
Three Year Trustee	George Elliott		

BIRTHDAYS

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



Gerald Langille	09-01	Norman Champagne	09-16	Jack Wilson Jr	09-24
Richard Opiela	09-08	John James	09-16	Cecil Higginbotham	09-25
Charles Smith	09-08	John Berry	09-18	James Baker	09-27
Hugh McCaffery Jr	09-10	Thomas Tergliafera	09-18	James Hull	09-28
Ronald Wark	09-14	Erik Vangrowski	09-19	Anthony Szary	09-30
Clayton Gremillion	09-15	Robert Erisman	09-20		