



# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

FATHER THOMAS G LORIGAN COUNCIL 7027

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## COMING EVENTS

Date	Time	Until	Event	Location
1	12:00 Noon	1:00 PM	Rosary for America	Park Avenue & Dogwood
3	5:30 PM	7:00 PM	First Monday Confession	Chapel
3	6:00 PM	7:00 PM	CCMI Meeting	Knight's Building
6	7:00 PM	8:00 PM	Officers Planning Meeting	Knight's Building
7	8:30 AM	12:30 PM	First Friday Adoration w/ Benediction at Noon	Chapel
11	6:00 PM	7:30 PM	COR Meeting	St. Rose of Lima Classroom
13	6:00 PM	6:30 PM	Evening Prayer	Chapel
13	7:00 PM	8:30 PM	Council Membership Meeting	Knight's Building
13	8:40 PM	9:20 PM	4th Degree Assembly	Knight's Building
16			Father's Day	
18	6:00 PM	7:15 PM	Oktoberfest Meeting	St. Rose Classroom
22	4:00 PM	5:00 PM	Corporate Mass and Communion	St. Rose of Lima Church
22	5:15 PM	6:30 PM	<b>Council &amp; Assembly Officer Installation</b>	St. Rose of Lima Church
22	6:30 PM	8:30 PM	Installation Dinner	Parish Hall
27	6:00 PM	8:00 PM	Special Dance - 4th of July	Parish Hall
July				
1			New Fraternal Year 2024-2025	
1	5:30 PM	7:00 PM	First Monday Confession	Chapel
4			4th of July, Independence Day	

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**Council & Assembly Officer Installation**  
**June 22, 2024, 5:15 PM**  
**followed by Installation Dinner**  
**Dinner in the Parish Hall.**





# Grand Knight's Report

## Michael Stafford

We mourn the loss of Past Grand Knight, SK Frank Ferraro, who passed away on May 20th, 2024. Frank was a Knight of Columbus for over 32 years. A long time member of St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church, an usher, sacristan and money counter among other things. Frank rarely missed a mass - daily, Saturday and Sunday. We will miss his smile and warm welcome to St. Rose of Lima.

**COR:** Take note of the COR meeting on June 11th. COR is a faith formation program for men. Open to all men, not just knights. Gather at 6:00 PM in the St. Rose Of Lima Classroom and the program starts around 6:30 PM. Come, it will be meaningful.

**Elections:** Officer elections for the new fraternal year will be held at our membership meeting on June 13th with the installation following the 4:00 PM Corporate Mass on June 22nd in the church.

**Installation Dinner:** Dinner following the officer installation will be in the parish

hall at approximately 6:30 PM. It will be a catered event. More information will follow on menu, price etc. Please plan to attend.

**Council Family Picnic:** Save the date for July 27th. The picnic will take place at Whiting Park on the Blackwater River. Stay tuned.

**Finally:** It has been an honor to serve as your Grand Knight the past two years. It has been your support and encouragement that I am most grateful for. To all of you - I say THANK YOU!

Vivat Jesus!

**All for Jesus. All through Mary. All in imitation of you Joseph most faithful. This shall be my motto in life and in death. Amen**

St. Joseph, pray for us.

Blessed Michael McGivney, pray for us.

Mother Clelia Morning Star High School

## HOPE Campaign



Partner with us in providing HOPE for a bright and prosperous future to students with exceptionalities in Greater Pensacola and surrounding areas!

Phase Two, now under construction, is a three-classroom and administrative building, allowing for the development and expansion of the current five-year program, which includes in-depth life skills components.

Phase three will ultimately house the complete Chad-Bourne-DeMaria Foundation Life Skills Center. They will offer students hands-on opportunities to tackle daily tasks, practice workforce skills, and gain experience transitioning to adulthood and independent

**Provide Hope!**

A donation of any amount makes an impact for our students.





# Field Agent's Report

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Brothers,

This month is Father's Day. Every year at this time, I think of my father and all the father figures I've had in my life – spiritual fathers like the great priests who have helped shape me into who I am. My membership in the Knights of Columbus has given me incredible examples of men who have dedicated their lives to the service of others and, in their example, made me a better man. Being a Knight truly is to live a life of service. To give of one's self. When I think about the many ways our Order contributes to our parishes and to our communities, I'm reminded of what St. Paul tells us about giving: "Each must do as already determined, without sadness or compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver" (2 Cor 9:7). "A cheerful giver" — that perfectly describes what it means to be a Knight. As a Knights of Columbus field agent, I see in my daily life how Knights give of themselves with joy. When a brother Knight chooses to protect his family through Knights of Columbus insurance, he does so out of love. He wants to make sure his loved ones are taken care of when he's gone. And I remind him that he's not only protecting his family. He's furthering the charitable mission of our Order. That's what sets Knights of Columbus apart. Members who've purchased a Knights of Columbus insurance product or invested with Knights of Columbus Asset Advisors are doing business with an organization that aligns with their

Catholic faith. Through the business activities and the contributions of state and local councils, Knights of Columbus was able to donate more than \$185 million to charity last year alone. That doesn't even include the nearly \$21 million distributed through Knights of Columbus Charitable Fund via grants by donor clients. To be a Knight is to be part of a culture of giving – and in terms of business, it's a culture that turns insurance premiums into charitable impact. Whether it's supporting new mothers in need, delivering Coats for Kids, bringing relief after natural disasters, or supporting seminarians, the number of people who depend on our help is countless. And the extent of our reach would not be possible without our insurance program. As the Fraternal Year comes to a close, I want to congratulate you all for the many successes you've achieved as a council. When we come together under our principles of charity, unity and fraternity, we truly make a great impact. Thank you, and I wish all of the fathers here many blessings this Father's Day.

Vivat Jesus!

God bless & Stay safe



# Deacon's Teaching

By Deacon Chris Christopher

## Some Basics of Ordinary Time

In the liturgy of the Roman Rite Ordinary Time, *Tempus per annum* is that part of the liturgical year that is not part of the two Great Liturgical Seasons: Advent/Christmas or Lent/Easter. These two great seasons celebrate what could be thought of as "The Main Events in the life of the Church," namely, the Incarnation, Birth, Passion, Death, Resurrection, Ascension of Jesus, and the descent of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost.

Technically, Ordinary Time has two parts, but it remains one season. There is a short break between Christmas and Lent; then after Pentecost, it begins again until the following Advent.

Because the term *ordinary* in English most often means something that's not special or distinctive, many think that the Church's Ordinary Time refers to parts of the liturgical calendar that are less important. Not so! It's called Ordinary Time not because it is common or humdrum, but because its weeks are numbered.

Our word Ordinary originates from *ordinalis*. In Latin, *ordo* means *order* or *ordinal*: thus, we have the 1<sup>st</sup> Week of Ordinary Time, 2<sup>nd</sup> Week of Ordinary Time, 3<sup>rd</sup> Week of Ordinary Time; etc.

The Sundays are likewise so numbered, with one exception: there is no 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time because it is replaced by the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord immediately after the Christmas season ends.

Ordinary Time contains the rest of Jesus' earthly ministry and some of the major events in the Gospels we have come to know and love: the miracles, the parables, the calling of the twelve, the sermon on the mount, the bread of life

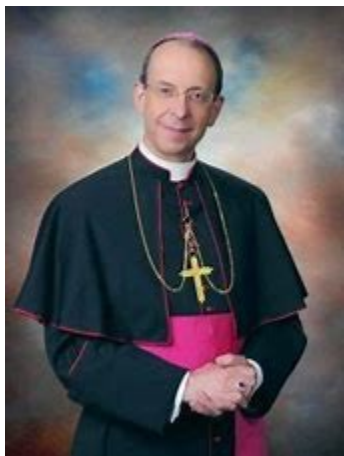
discourse...we get all that and much more during this season.

It is also a great time to explore the lives of the saints on their feast days. As we follow these saints' feast days, we can find how their lives can be related to our own. They were human beings just like us, warts and all!

Ordinary Time is the season for our spiritual growth in applying what we learned about Jesus in the two Great Liturgical Seasons. The goal, toward which all of history is directed, is represented by the final Sunday in Ordinary Time, the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe. Thus, for Catholics, Ordinary Time is part of the year in which Christ, the Lamb of God, walks among us and transforms our lives. There's nothing "ordinary" about that!

The liturgical color for Ordinary Time—for those days when there is no special feast—is green. Green vestments and altar cloths have traditionally been associated with the time after Pentecost, the period in which the Church founded by Christ and enlivened by the Holy Spirit began to grow and spread the Gospel to all nations. Like spring, the liturgical color green is a time of hope, new growth, and new life.

Next month we'll look at: – The hierarchical designation of a **Cardinal**



## Supreme Chaplain's Challenge

by Archbishop William E. Lori

**He took the child by the hand and said to her, "*Talitha koum*," which means, "Little girl, I say to you, arise!"** (Gospel for June 30, Mk 5:41)

Jesus restores the young girl to life by his word and touch. He restores us to life through the sacraments, particularly the sacrament of penance, with the words of absolution pronounced by his priest. We too can improve the lives of those in need around us, extending to them Christ's love through our own words and works of charity.

### Challenge by Supreme Chaplain Archbishop William E. Lori:

This month, I challenge you to find one way each day — even a small way — to concretely share Christ's love with those you meet.

### Questions for Reflection:

Do you recognize that your charitable works are an extension of Christ's mission of healing and compassion on earth? How does that awareness affect the work that you do? How might you recognize little opportunities to be a "Christ for others" to people you encounter each day?

(From [kofc.org](http://kofc.org) select "Who We Are", "Our Faith", and "Monthly Challenge")



**The Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network**

APOSTLESHIP OF PRAYER

June

UNITED STATES

### For migrants fleeing their homes

We pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys full of danger and violence, find welcome and new opportunities in the countries that receive them.

<https://www.usccb.org/prayers/popes-monthly-intentions-2024>

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## Honors of the Months

Month	Knight of the Month	Family of the Month
<b>Year 2023-24</b>		
<b>July, 2023</b>	Ralph Crago	Dennis & Maria Flores
<b>August, 2023</b>	Edward Stanislawczyk	John & Jane Garton
<b>September, 2023</b>	Michael Gengo	John & Angela Berry
<b>October, 2023</b>	Art Sobilo	Michael & Brittany Hamel
<b>November, 2023</b>	Dcn Jeff Massey	Ron & Laurie Livorno
<b>December, 2023</b>	Douglas Blau	John & Maria Thaler
<b>January, 2024</b>	Ben Urnick	Adrian & Leslie Cuyuch
<b>February, 2024</b>	Jesse Rheam	Joseph & Christine Cerezo
<b>March, 2024</b>	Sean Canning	Harve & Jan Shipllett
<b>April, 2024</b>	Dcn William Gibson	William & Audrey Gibson
<b>May, 2024</b>	Justin Paul	John & Orlean Marchal
<b>June, 2024</b>		

**Family of the Month**

Grand Knight Michael Stafford presented the Family of the Month for April is SK John & Orlean Marchal on May 18, 2024, at the 4:00 PM Mass. Pictured are John & Orlean Marchal, GK Michael Stafford, and Fr. Christian Plancher.



SK Dan Arndt is presented his Life Honary Membership card by Gk Michael Stafford at the May Council Membership meeting.





## Programs

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Do you remember the words said to you when you received your rosary at your exemplification ceremony? The words were "Carry it with you always and pray it often", right? So, my next question is, do you have a rosary in your pocket right now, or within easy reach? If you do, well done! If you do not, what steps will you take to make it a habit? In his Gospel, Saint Luke wrote: "Be alert at all times, praying that you may have the strength to escape all these things that

will take place, and to stand before the Son of Man." (21:36, NRSV-CE). The two previous verses put this verse into perspective. The bottom line is to "watch and pray". And not just to watch for the major things that happen in your daily life, but for the little things, too. Develop a habit to pray the rosary daily, even a decade will do in a pinch. Having your rosary in your pocket or within easy reach is a good way to remember to be mindful of this. Vivat Jesus!

## Sick & In Need Prayer List

Paul Hicks, Carol Cox, Ian McDonald, Claudia Barrett, Gene & Martha Skalsky, Ed McCarthy, Bill Glover, Mike Kassinger, Joan Haring, Mary-Etta Hinkle, David & Sharon Hinkle, Antonette Paterna and family, Sterling VanGrowski, Dave & Donna Byers, Jim and Marianne Richardson, Jennifer & Greg Micklos, Norm Champagne, Jim Gentry, Ben Paul, The Livorno Family, Dean Dizon, The Paschal Family, John & Margo Recke, Joe Burgos, The Massey family, Heidi Massey, Thea McDonald, Sharon Polchowski, Linda Davis & family, Walter and Christa Gross, Ed Horne, Beth & Bill McDonald,

Sharon Dipkin, Jerry Sciple, Dave McFadden, Nicole - sister of Justin Paul, Sylvia Mabley, Ronald J Gaus, James Gaus, Michael Gaus, Saveria Husslein, Robert Erisman, Bob Miller, Steve Gentry, Todd & Suzi Jones, Karen Lewis, Thatcher Kerzie, Mark Puno, Art Sobilo, The Ferraro family, Ann Smith and Family, Vinny Gallo, John Burkhalter, The Germain family, Larry Johnson, people of Ukraine, people of Israel, people of Haiti, Holy Souls in Purgatory, Pope Francis, Bishop Wack, Msgr Reed, Father Christian, our deacons, religious, and seminarians (especially Deacon William Gibson).

### **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](mailto:info@kofc7027.com)



# Life

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We are entering a new fiscal year for our council. I would encourage everyone to grab a baby bottle at St Rose and fill it with your donation to Life. Life Options received \$175,000 this last banquet. They plan to start to build a separate building next to the present one. This building is for servicing the mother's needs, and the present building will be a medical clinic for ultrasound, STD testing, pregnancy testing, and new to the center, distribute abortion reverse pill. That can reverse the effects of the abortion pill.



## Prayer to Defeat Florida's Abortion Amendment

**E**ver-living God, you give life and desire a future for all your children. Take hold of our nation, state, and community and awaken in every heart awe for the gift of life. Send your Spirit to strengthen us with wisdom and fortitude as we defend mothers and children in Florida from laws that disregard their health and safety.

Mary and Joseph trusted in you and welcomed Jesus into our broken world.

God Almighty, we ask their intercession to protect the preborn and their mothers, and to guide all parents in raising their children.

May they help us build a civilization of love by upholding the sacredness of life and accompanying pregnant women in need.

We ask this through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Our Lady, Mother of the Family, pray for us!

St. Joseph, Protector of the Unborn, pray for us!



**PROTECT  
THEM  
BOTH**





# Fourth Degree St. Teresa of Calcutta Assembly 2823

SK Cesar Mascardo, PGK, FDD, RA1



Worthy Sir Knights,  
Another fraternal year draws to a close. We accomplished much this year. As this fraternal year draws to a close, we have a busy schedule this coming fall, as alluded to in the last newsletter. Assembly 2823 held their election on Thursday, May 9th and the proposed slate of officers was elected. Our new slate of Sir Knights will take their posts on July 1st, 2024.

We will be having the Installation Ceremony on June 22, 2024, after the 4:00pm mass at St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church followed by dinner at the Parish Hall. Our worthy Vice District Marshal SK Anthony Jette will be the presiding officer for the installation of the Assembly Officers. Please plan to attend the event and congratulate our new officers.

### Officers for Fraternal Year 2024-2025

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|----------------------|-----------------------|
| Faithful Friar       | SK Msgr. Michael Reed |
| Faithful Navigator   | SK Cesar Mascardo     |
| Faithful Captain     | SK Bruce Mabley       |
| Faithful Pilot       | SK Brian McGuire      |
| Faithful Admiral     | SK Joey Davis         |
| Faithful Comptroller | SK Bill McDonald      |
| Faithful Purser      | SK James Hull         |
| Faithful Scribe      | SK Michael Hamel      |
| Inner Sentinel       | SK George Elliott     |
| Outer Sentinel       | SK Bob Bezick         |
| Trustee 3-Year       | SK John Recke         |
| Trustee 2-Year       | SK Stephen Schaffter  |
| Trustee 1-Year       | SK James Gaus         |

The next live exemplification for the Florida District will be on Saturday, June 1, 2024, at Church of the Little Flower Comber Hall, 2711 Indian Mound Trail, Coral Gables, FL. 33134.

At the regular business meeting on June 13, we will be voting on the Sir Knight of the Year.

Remember, the true value in the giving is in the experience of the giving of your time, your talent and often your treasure to fulfill God's plan for you in this life.

So, I thank you all for all you do, Sir Knights for your dedication and time for the good of the Order.





# 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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Council 7027 Officer Fraternal Year 2023-2024		Assembly 2823 Officers Fraternal Year 2023-2024	
Chaplain	Msgr Michael Reed	Faithful Friar	Msgr Michael Reed
Grand Knight	Michael Stafford	Faithful Navigator	SK Cesar Mascardo
Deputy Grand Knight	James Gaus	Faithful Captain	SK Bruce Mabley
Chancellor	Mike Hamel	Faithful Pilot	SK Brian McGuire
Recorder	Thomas Kubalewski	Faithful Admiral	SK John Recke
Treasurer	Dale Sogor	Faithful Comptroller	SK Bill McDonald
Financial Secretary	Bill McDonald	Faithful Purser	SK Dale Sogor
Advocate	Walter Gross	Faithful Scribe	SK Thomas Kubalewski
Warden	Justin Paul	Faithful Inner Sentinel	SK George Elliott
Inside Guard	Doug Blau	Faithful Outer Sentinel	SK James Hull
Outside Guard	Michael Gaus	Faithful Outer Sentinel	SK Michael Hamel
Lecturer	Dcn Phillip Czajkowski	Color Guard Commander	SK John Recke
One Year Trustee	Raymond Kutch	Patriotic Liaison	SK Joey Davis
Two Year Trusteed	George Elliott	Trustee 3 Year	SK Stephen Schaffter
Three Year Trustee	Ben Urnick	Trustee 2 Year	SK James Gaus
		Trustee 1 Year	SK Bruce Donatelli

### BIRTHDAYS

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



Don Massey	06-01	James Jones	06-15	Daniel Nolan	06-21
Michael Aldridg	06-02	Jesse Rheam	06-15	Roger Smith	06-21
Rocque Gartland	06-04	Ray Eldridge	06-16	Jerry Vasquez	06-21
Austin Vauiso	06-04	David Everett	06-16	George Pfeiffer	06-22
Jared Zetterlund	06-05	Dcn Jeffrey Massey	06-16	James Winn	06-23
Christopher Reasner	06-08	Walter Gross	06-18	Larry Johnson	06-24
Patrick Vacha	06-09	Barry Bergsneider	06-19	John Thaler	06-27
William Field	06-10	Clyde Shonk	06-20	Michael Hamel	06-29
Mario Bantique	06-13	Michael Jones	06-21	Robert Fulle	06-30
George Elliott Jr	06-13	Rev James Leibold	06-21		