



# KNIGHT COURIER

## Knights of Columbus

### Our Lady of Hope Council 8086

April, 2019

#### From the Desk of Grand Knight Jim Waggoner

Brothers in Christ:

First and foremost, on behalf of your Council leadership we thank you for your dedicated service to our Council and Order during past, current and future Colombian years.

As you are aware, is our Council's leadership's goal to have Council officers serve two years in their nominated and elected positions. Sometimes, as with Past Grand Knight SK Dave Dollieslager, we have been able to accomplish this objective. Other times, committed officers have, for various reasons, chosen not to pursue a second term as your Grand Knight.

Following prayer and self-reflection, I have chosen to request a second term as your Grand Knight. Respectfully, we have worthy and capable officers willing and able to move forward in our Council leadership either during this or an upcoming Colombian year. Should I be allowed to continue as your Grand Knight, it will be my goal to continue serving the Council, Parish and greater Port Orange community with dedication and commitment. The Grand Knight position is a two-term limit.

#### ***Nominating Committee's Slate of Proposed Officers for Colombian Year 2019-20***

**Grand Knight - James Waggoner; Deputy Grand Knight - John O'Malley**

**Chancellor - Roger Packard; Recorder - Pasquale Santovasi, Jr; Treasurer - Jacques Roch;**

**Advocate - Michael Mann; Warden - David Carson; Inside Guard - Steve Marchese**

**Outside Guard - Pat Everly; Board of Trustees: One Year - David Dollieslager;**

**Two Year - Ted Morrell; Three Year - Tim Mell**

In accordance with the By-Laws of Knights of Columbus Council #8086, the nominating committee presented the above slate of officers for Colombian Year 2019-2020 during our March 14<sup>th</sup> 2019 general membership meeting. The slate will again be presented to our Brothers present at the April 11<sup>th</sup> 2019 membership meeting. During the May 9<sup>th</sup> membership meeting the slate will again be read to the membership; with additional nominations for officer positions being accepted from the floor.

The election of officers shall be by ballot and a majority of all votes shall be necessary to elect. When only one candidate is proposed for a office and no further have been made from the floor, the presiding Grand Knight shall declare the individual elected by acclamation.

Please remember the fourth annual Laps for Life event to be held April 13<sup>th</sup> 8AM – 12 noon at Father Lopez Catholic High School in Daytona Beach. We need your support with assisting us that day or participating in the actual walk event!

Fraternally.

Jim Waggoner, Grand Knight Council #8086





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### Chaplain's Message

Dear Brother Knights,

Recently, the daily Mass Gospel told of the mother of James and John who wanted her sons to be on thrones in the Kingdom of Heaven. Jesus asked His disciples if they could be baptized in the same bath He would endure. They said, they could. We know those disciples ran away on Good Friday and were fearful of facing the cross that Jesus freely embraced. Yet, they were told in time they too would drink from the same chalice that Jesus drank. They would indeed suffer and die for Christ.

Jesus didn't come to this earth to establish another earthly kingdom. That would have been easy. Instead, Jesus came to show us that it is only by submitting our will to the Father that we find true freedom and peace. Jesus shows us that obedience and trust is the only way to have real joy.

The mystery of the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ is that we have a God who has not abandoned us, especially in our most vulnerable moments. He also came to show us how to be human. We human beings, since the Fall of Adam and Eve, have thought that we can be the creator instead of being the creature. Jesus is highly exalted because he showed us who God is and showed us who we can be.

The cross reminds us that God doesn't prevent bad things from happening to good people, but He sees us through it. In addition, the cross was the source of our redemption. The crosses that we bear in this life can be redemptive too. We can offer up the suffering, persecution, misunderstandings, and the like to the Lord for our sins and the sins of the world.

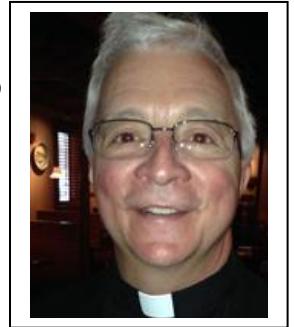
I know being a Catholic is difficult. Some have said that we have the hardest religion. It is hard because when we take the Gospel message seriously we know where it leads...to the cross. James and John thought they had it made. We know they didn't have a clue what Jesus meant. Are we that different? We usually want to run as far away from pain and suffering as quickly as possible. Yet, in this life suffering is inevitable. Jesus' message can appear to be hard, but in reality it is the only real way to live, to lay down our lives for others.

Hopefully, this Lent you are growing closer to the Lord and that as you lay your life down for others you become what Christ created you to be. May the Easter season increase the grace and blessing of Christ for you and your family.

Peace,

*Fr. Chris*

Father Chris Hoffmann, Chaplain



Council 8086 volunteers recently spent two days painting at Father Chris Hoffmann's resident – taking care of both the inside and outside. SK John Hoag was the Point of Contact. Pictured are Brother Knights Roger Packard, Joe McCauley, George Cline, Ted Morrell, Dave Dollieslager and Jim Baskin, shown with his assistant.

**April Calendar of Events**

- 4-11 Council meeting
- 4-13 Coastal Laps for Life, FLCHS
- 4-14 Pancakes
- 4-25 Assembly meeting

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**Happy Birthday!**

**Come to our April 11 meeting and enjoy cake with your brother Knights**

- 1 Ken Hansen
- 1 Dominick Provenzano
- 1 Kevin Middleton
- 3 Mark Provenzano
- 4 Anthony Manzolillo
- 4 Robert Murray
- 9 Michael Murphy
- 12 Ronald Fenner
- 13 Phil Callea
- 14 Aaron Lilly

- 17 Alexander Bulach
- 17 Curtis Lapiere
- 17 Chris Lavender
- 17 John Heim
- 19 Thomas Bartlett
- 20 Dave Carson
- 20 Thomas Eisenschmidt
- 21 Matthew Eppolito
- 21 Robert Milholland

- 21 Richard Soltes
- 23 John O'Malley
- 27 Andrew Wong
- 29 Felix Mendez II
- 29 Douglas Gillikin
- 29 Ted Morrell
- 29 Bob Gillikin
- 29 Brando Clig
- 30 Danny McDevitt

**Please pray for our ill and distressed Brothers, parishioners, their family members and caregivers**

Bob Barker	Charles Cheshire	Mike Klement
Michelle Baskin	June Lavallee	Angelina Messino
Tom Kruse	Teri Roberts	Father Raymond O'Leary
Hank Nolan	Rick Lorenzo	Mario Locascio
Frances Pettit	Milo Clark	Dwight Van Duyne

John Thomas received the certificate for his Shining Armor Award at the March meeting. John received the Third Degree in November 2017, making him eligible for the award, and has made a nice recovery from health issues since then. It's great to see our Brother Knight from Elmira, N.Y. back in action!



If you haven't emailed it, please bring your **Monthly Activity Report** to the Council Meeting. List all your volunteer hours for both you and your wife/family. Please send your email to [t.manzolillo58@gmail.com](mailto:t.manzolillo58@gmail.com) or John Hoag so that Tony can run the numbers for us.

### **Ask Eligible Men to Join**

Today, I want to address the growth of the Order. Membership growth is the fuel that keeps this great fraternal engine running. All of our charitable works at the council, state, national and international level are thanks to our hard-working members. And more members equals more charity.

We know that the membership blitz is a tried and true way for councils to get more men to join. We see these pushes often in March, in celebration of Founder's Day, and again in October. These drives are successful because brother Knights have increased visibility speaking or presenting during and after Masses and at special events. We must remember that we have a duty to ask each and every Catholic gentleman to join our ranks for the good of the Church, the community and the Order.

During the rest of the year, we often "forget" to ask men to join and to bring their families into the Knights of Columbus family. You probably know an eligible Catholic man you could ask today. What if the only reason he hasn't joined is because no one has asked him yet?

When telling a prospect about the strengths of the Order, don't forget our greatest fraternal benefit: our insurance program. This is often a "selling point" to a potential member who is on the fence. Many members become Knights simply to be able to buy coverage to protect their family. Soon after, they realize the good our charitable works do for their community, and they are proud to be members.

As your professional Knights of Columbus insurance agent, I look forward to helping us grow in fraternity in any way that I can.



Tim Krafft received his Third Degree certificate at the March Council meeting from Grand Knight Jim Waggoner and Chancellor Roger Packard.

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