



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

FATHER THOMAS G LORIGAN COUNCIL 7027

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COMING EVENTS

Date	Time	Event	Location
1	5:30 PM	1st Monday Confessions	Chapel
3	10:30 AM	Rosary for SK Bob Haring	St Rose of Lima Church
3	11:00 AM	Funeral for SK Bob Haring	St Rose of Lima Church
4	7:00 PM	Planning Meeting	Knight's Building
5	Noon	Rosary for America	Park Ave & Dogwood
6	4:00 PM	First Communion Mass	St Rose of Lima Church
7	4:00 PM	High School Senior Graduation Mass	St Rose of Lima Church
11	6:00 PM	Evening Prayer	Chapel
11	7:00 PM	Membership Meeting	Knight's Building
13	11:00 AM	Ladies Tea	Parish Hall
14	Mother's Day		
14	8:00-10:00 AM	KofC Family Breakfast	Parish Hall
18	6:00 PM	4th Degree Assembly Meeting	Knight's Building
20	4:00 PM	Corporate Mass and Communion	St Rose of Lima Church
22	6:00 PM	CCMI Meeting	Knight's Building
25	6:00-8:00 PM	Special Dance	Parish Hall
26		State KofC Convention	Orlando
27		State KofC Convention	Orlando
28		State KofC Convention	Orlando
29	Memorial Day		
June			
1	7:00 PM	Planning Meeting	Knight's Building

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Holy Spirit window in St. Peter's Basilica.
Pentecost May 28, 2023



Grand Knight's Report

Michael Stafford

Welcome Brother Dr. Trevor Walker from Gainesville, Florida.

"Christ is risen, alleluia!" "He is truly risen, alleluia!" The Easter season continues this month until Pentecost Sunday the 28th of May. One other major feast day is that of the Ascension of the Lord, forty days after Easter on the 18th, however the Solemnity is transferred to the following Sunday the 21st. Another thing this month is the return of Eucharistic Adoration on First Friday, May 5th, in our chapel after the 8:00AM mass. I encourage you if at all possible to spend some time with our Lord. I realize that it is not possible for many to visit during the exposition of the Blessed Sacrament but I offer a suggestion: Wherever you work or may be during the day try to find the nearest church and stop in to visit Jesus in the Tabernacle even for just a few minutes. He is waiting for you.

We mourn the passing of Sir Knight Bob Haring on the 16th of April, 2023. Bob, a Navy Veteran, and a 21 year member of the Knights was our council's Financial Secretary for many years. His funeral is May 3rd (see event calendar). Also departed from this earth were two of our widows: Mary Ann Shonk on March 14th and Janie Shallue on March 31. Grant them all eternal rest O Lord and may Your Perpetual Light shine upon them and remain with them forever. Amen.

Couple of items to note: Our Corporate Mass and Communion is the 4:00PM Saturday mass on the 20th of May vice the 27th due to the KofC Florida State Convention in Orlando on the 26th, 27th

and 28th of May. Please take some time to pray for those on our prayer list, thank you.

Prayer: Jesus, Mary and Joseph I give you my heart and soul. Jesus, Mary and Joseph assist me in my last agony. Jesus, Mary and Joseph let my spirit breath forth in peace with you. Amen.

St. Joseph, pray for us.
Blessed Michael McGivney, pray for us.

Vivat Jesus!

Prayer for the Canonization of Blessed Michael McGivney

God, our Father, protector of the poor and defender of the widow and orphan, you called your priest, Blessed Michael McGivney, to be an apostle of Christian family life and to lead the young to the generous service of their neighbor. Through the example of his life and virtue, may we follow your Son, Jesus Christ, more closely, fulfilling his commandment of charity and building up his Body which is the Church. Let the inspiration of your servant prompt us to greater confidence in your love so that we may continue his work of caring for the needy and the outcast. We humbly ask that you glorify Blessed Michael McGivney on earth according to the design of your holy will. Through his intercession, grant the favor I now present (here make your request). Through Christ our Lord. Amen.





Deacon's Teaching

By Deacon Chris Christopher

Easter Tide

Easter is the "Solemnity of Solemnities," the greatest feast of the entire liturgical year. (CCC, 1168)

It's a feast so momentous that it cannot be confined to a single day.

Included in Easter Tide is the Octave of Easter which lasts eight days from Easter Sunday until the Second Sunday of Easter. But even then, we continue the celebration for 50 days - until the feast of Pentecost.

Keep in mind that God doesn't need these 50 days of celebration - we do! He lives in the eternal present - no yesterday or tomorrow for him - He is always celebrating right along with us. We are the ones who need these liturgical reminders to help keep our faith and devotion strong by delving more deeply into the Church's seasons.

Pentecost is Greek meaning "fiftieth." It was originally applied to the Jewish Feast of Weeks which fell on the fiftieth day after Passover [Aramaic *pashā* from which we get the Christian word "Paschal" concerning Easter or Passover].

In Acts 2:4 the Apostles were gathered celebrating the Jewish Pentecost when suddenly a great wind filled the house and tongues of fire rested on the Apostles as the Holy Spirit descended upon them. This day is now considered the birthday of the Church because from that point on the Apostles carried the message of Christ to the then-known world. Through Apostolic Succession, the authority that Christ gave those Apostles through the Holy Spirit extends to our bishops today.

As the soul gives life to the body, so also the Spirit gives life to the Church. *"The 50 days from Easter Sunday to Pentecost are celebrated in joyful exultation as one feast day, or better yet, as one 'Great Sunday.'"* (Congregation for Divine Worship, General Norms for the Liturgical Year, and the Calendar)

Since his Ascension, Jesus is no longer physically present on earth; He sent the Holy Spirit to guide us. But He hasn't abandoned us. He is still present to us in many ways, especially in his sacraments as conveyed by the Holy Spirit.

Pentecost marks the beginning of this new, sacramental era because the ministers of the sacraments (usually priests and deacons) have the power to perform them through the Holy Spirit.

The liturgical color for Pentecost is red which signifies martyrdom, but in this instance, it represents the Holy Spirit. It does so because the tongues of fire (both of which are represented by red) are associated with Pentecost.

The Paschal Greeting or Easter Acclamation is an ancient practice still used in many places to this day. One person greets another with "*Christ is risen!*" and the other replies, "*Truly, he is risen!*" or "*He is risen, indeed.*"

Next month we'll look at "Fear of the Lord."



Sick & In Need Prayer List

The Opiela family, The Cruz family, Paul Hicks, Carol Cox, Ian McDonald, The Barrett family, Gene & Martha Skalsky, Ed McCarthy, Bill Glover, Mike Kassinger, Joan Haring and the Haring family, The Baker Family, Mary-Etta Hinkle, David & Sharon Hinkle, The Hinkle Family, Joseph and Antonette Paterna, Sterling VanGrowski, Dave & Donna Byers, Jim and Marianne Richardson, Jennifer Micklos, Norm Champagne, Jim Gentry, Ben Paul, The Livorno Family, Dean Dizon, The Paschal Family, John & Margo Recke, Joe Burgos,

Dani Massey, Thea McDonald, Sharon Polchowski, Linda Davis, Walter and Christa Gross, Valerie Stanislawczyk, Ed Horne, Beth McDonald, Sharon Dipkin, Jerry Sciple, Dave McFadden, Nicole - sister of Justin Paul, Sylvia Mabley, Ronald J Gaus, James Gaus, Saveria Husslein, Robert Erisman, Bob Miller, people of Ukraine, Holy Souls in Purgatory, Pope Francis, Bishop Wack, Msgr Reed, Father Christian, our deacons, religious, and seminarians (especially 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



PENTECOST

May 28

GIFTS OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

WISDOM

To value the things of God

UNDERSTANDING

To grasp faith's mysteries

COUNSEL

To make wise decisions

FORTITUDE

To strengthen your will



KNOWLEDGE

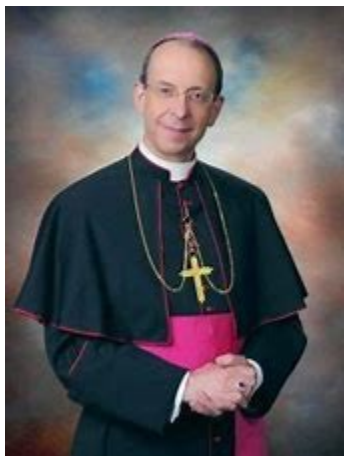
To enlighten your mind

PIETY

To love and serve God

FEAR OF THE LORD

To respect God's majesty



Supreme Chaplain's Challenge

by Archbishop William E. Lori

"I will not leave you orphans; I will come to you."

(Gospel for May 14, Jn 14:18)

Jesus keeps his promises to us. He does not leave us orphans. He appeared to the disciples several times after he rose from the dead. He gave us the Eucharist, his real presence, to nourish us until the end of time. He said he would return at his Second Coming. And there's another way he did not leave us orphans: He gave us his own mother to be ours. Let us turn to the Blessed Mother often with our needs and prayers of intercession.

Challenge by Supreme Chaplain Archbishop William E. Lori:

This month: During this month of Mary, I challenge you to draw closer to Our Lady by offering one decade of the rosary each day for her motherly aid and help. Second, I challenge you to participate in the Faith in Action Rosary program in your parish.

Questions for Reflection:

Do you really think of Mary as your mother? How can you better seek out her help — as a mother — in all your needs and problems? Do you understand the power of the rosary and seek to honor your mother's request to pray it regularly?

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



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

MAY

For church movements and groups

We pray that Church movements and groups may rediscover their mission of evangelisation each day, placing their own charisms at the service of needs in the world.
<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	Richard Connolly	Michael & Brittany Hamel
October, 2022	Tom Peck	Ed & Valerie Stanislawczyk
November, 2022	Walter Gross	James & Rachel Hull
December, 2022	Larry Hehr	Ben & Margaret Urnick
January, 2023	Sid Roussell	Ernie & Mary Beth Cyr
February, 2023	Bruce Donatelli	Todd & Sue Jones
March, 2023	Raymond Kutch	Joey & Linda Davis
April, 2023	Brian McGuire	Carl & Lauren Antoine
May, 2023		
June, 2023		

Knight of the Month Grand Knight Michael Stafford presented the Knight of the Month for April to Brian McGuire on April 29, 2023, at the 4:00 PM Mass. Pictured are GK Michael Stafford, Brian & Sandra McGuire, and Msgr Michael Reed.



Family of the Month Grand Knight Michael Stafford presented the Family of the Month for April to Carl & Lauren Antoine at the 4:00 PM Mass on April 29, 2023. Pictured are GK Michael Stafford, Lauren Antoine and children, and Msgr Michael Reed.





Fourth Degree
St. Teresa of Calcutta Assembly 2823
SK James Fane
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Dear Brothers,

I am pleased to state that we did have a quorum for this meeting. We conducted the meeting with little business to conduct.

As per our By-Laws we are required to hold our annual election of officers at our next meeting (May 18th, 6:00 PM). We need to fill all positions. Currently we are short an Outer Sentinel, Second and Third year trustees. The position of Trustee is one that we must really focus on.

The duties of Trustee are as follows: The Trustees shall before each meeting carefully examine all bills and present same to the Assembly with their recommendation. The approval of at least two members of the Board of Trustees shall be required for the payment of any bills or statements. The Trustees shall

annually during the first ten days of July make an audit of the books of the Faithful Comptroller and Faithful Purser, as of each June 30, and report their finding to the Assembly and file the same with the Assembly not later than the next regular meeting of the Assembly following such audit. The Faithful Navigator shall be chairman of the Board of Trustees.

All positions are available, please think about it. I can't express strongly enough how important this next meeting is so *please put it on your calendar.*

We also discussed that instead of buying wreaths for Barrancas Cemetery we should purchase them for Serenity Cemetery here in Milton and hold a ceremony placing them.

Vivat Jesus, JP

2023 Knights of Columbus Council 7027 \$1,500 Annual Scholarship

The Knights will be offering three \$1,500 college scholarships to high school seniors who are registered members of St. Rose of Lima parish, and who will be attending college in the fall of 2023. Application packets can be picked up at the parish office and on the church website. The application packet must be completed and dropped off at the office or receive by mail no later than April 22, 2023 to be considered. Scholarship winners will be notified by phone. Call Cesar Mascardo/Scholarship Chairman at (850)748-8788 or email at cmascardo@aol.com for more details.



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	SK Thomas Kubalewski
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.



Stephen Fisher	05-01	August Huter III	05-12	David Glendinning	05-26
Stephen Flowers	05-01	Jason Landry	05-12	Martin Mosio	05-29
Dcn. Thomas Kennell	05-01	Adelbert Lozano	05-16	Msgr. Michael Reed	05-29
Jose Salamanca	05-08	James Richardson	05-16	James Gaus	05-30
Justin Paul	05-09	David Morres	05-20	John Marchal	05-30
Thomas Peck	05-11	Msgr. Stephen Bosso	05-21		