



Knights News

Knights of Columbus
Fleming Island, FL
Council 11220



November 2020



<p align="center">Serving Sacred Heart Parish ***Business Meetings -- 1st Thursday of each month at 7:00pm in the Activity Center***</p>	<p align="center"><u>Sacred Heart Masses</u></p> <p>Saturday Vigil: 5:30 pm Spanish Mass: 7:30 pm (Saturday) Sunday: 8:00 am & 10:30 am Weekdays: 8:00 am (Monday thru Friday) Holy Days: 8:00 am and 7:30 pm</p>
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COUNCIL MESSAGES

Message from Grand Knight: Kirk Nicholson

Brother Knights,

We face more than one challenge to continuing our success as a council. The great importance of growing our membership numbers during these times has been made easier by extending the free membership dues until the end of December for new members. I know this isn't usually the largest reason that good Catholic men don't join, but it could help. We need to do our best to get this information out to prospective members. If we as a council can just get one gentleman a month to join and a few months get two we can reach our goal. I am aware that this is the greatest push we get as an organization every year, but I look at it as the best way to strengthen our council and a good way to help strengthen our faith with each other and within our parish. Please look at the good Catholic gentlemen in your lives who aren't a member and ask them to join us.

We are being asked by State Council and our District Warden to do a better job of advertising our Order and what we do for both our parish and our community. One of the easiest and impactful ways would be to wear our Council shirt to any event that we attend including Mass. As District Warden, Al Capone, said wearing our Council shirt allows parishioners to recognize us and presents an opportunity for them to ask more

about the KofC and thereby our recruiting efforts. Therefore, I urge every member to wear their Council shirt whenever possible.

Another great endeavor for our Council is fundraising. This allows us to support all of the charity work that we do every year. Our most recent dinner produced \$1100 and for that we are thankful. However, we missed out on a couple of good fundraising opportunities by not having our 50/50 and our bar tip jar which together usually nets us about \$500/event. That said, we have an opportunity to play catch-up by selling tickets for our Bourbon Raffle. Gentlemen please put forth some effort towards this! Tickets are only \$25 each, 5 for a \$100 and 10 for \$175.00 for over 40 chances to win...many of the bottles offered go for \$75 - 225 each. So, please sell tickets to your family and friends...heck, sell them to your enemies, if you have any.

Father Mike has given his approval for the 4th degree to place US flags on the graves of veterans on national holidays. We are trying to find out the names of veterans ashes buried in our columbarium, so we can place a flag at their marker. The flag will be placed a few days prior to the holiday and removed a few days after the holiday. Please email any names of veterans to: waselage@bellsouth.net.

Vivat Jesus!
Brother Kirk Nicholson
Grand Knight

KofC Merchandise:

License Plate Holder - \$10



If interested, please contact Mike Dezsi at 529-1502 or michael.dezsi@att.net.

KofC Shirts

If you are interested in purchasing a KofC golf shirt, you can do so at:

Logo Xpress

*2245-6 Plantation Center Dr.,
Fleming Island (across from
Fleming Island High School).
The cost will be the price of
the shirt (see their catalog)
plus embroidering. You can
also take them your own shirt
and have it embroidered for
\$12.50. To view the shirts,
go to their website,
www.logo-x-press.com.*

or

5 Star Design

*2124 Palmetto St
Middleburg, FL 32068
(904) 291-5253
Call or stop-by for pricing.*

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Knight of the Month

Bruce Mathews. Bruce is a 4th Degree Knight who supports both our Council and Parish. He helps at many of our events, drives other Knights to our meetings, etc. He is also a Eucharistic Minister. In addition, he helps with the Bereavement Ministry. He attends morning Mass and helps prepare the altar. Bruce recently became a member of the Secular Franciscan Order. Thank you for your continuous - Charity, Unity, Fraternity, and Patriotism.

Family of the Month

Joe & Viki Pourciau. Joe & Viki are both active in Council & church activities. Joe is our Council's Financial Secretary. Thank you for your continuous - Charity, Unity, Fraternity, and Patriotism.

**Waste Not Want Not
needs paper bags. You
can drop them off in the
Narthex at the Church.**

We are looking for a Retention Committee Chairman and a Recruiting Committee Chairman. Please contact me, if you are interested.

Fraternally,
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Birthdays

- 2nd – Gary Bachtell
- 4th – Chuck Cramer, Jr.
- 5th – Kort Meyer
- 6th – Berley Rodabaugh
- 7th – Charlie McGarvey
- 8th – Joy Ayala-Renta
William Curtis
- 9th – Paul Anthertz
- 11th – Charlie Steele
- 13th – Ski
- 14th – Bill Gill
- 21st – Jeremy Cramer
- 22nd – Fred Morga
Dan Judycki
- 25th – Julian Kelly
- 26th – Joe Pourciau
Matt Welch
- 29th – Scott Olivolo
Mike Male
- 30th – Jim Foley
Tom Panger
Mike Herman



HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ALL!

(Note: If I did not list your birthday, I apologize. I must not have you on my list; simply send me an email with your name & birthday so I can add you to the list.)

Anniversaries **CONGRATULATIONS TO:**

Kort & Paula Meyer
Scott & Leah Olivolo

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

(Note: Anyone who would like to have their anniversary mentioned in the newsletter, please send me an email with your spouse's name and your anniversary date.)

Prayer Intentions

Paul & Jenny Anthertz
Ron Warner
Ron Llewellyn
Dick & Carol Trache
Al Karolewicz
Paulette Robert
Paul Archambault
Richard Pedigo
Guy & Jeannie Gallina
Neal Hawkinson
Joe Brundage, Jr.
Tabitha Perry
Fred Morga
Amanda Spaulding
Tom Gannon
John Steinberg
Dick & Suellen Olson
Adela Marcos
John Cruz
Victor Cruz
Michael Connor
Crystal Cooke
Angela Weaver
Janet Aselage
Mary Powell
Betty Mockabee
Brenda Heck
Ed & Grace Mathews
Francesco Rapada
Joann Doherty
Connie Yearout
Mike Sullivan
Jerry Beresch
Dennis Witt
Dan Harkins (Deceased)
The Harkins Family
Ski
Marcella Molley
Pablo Flores
Jim Lynch
Ed Szymanski
Karen McCallan
Armando Carrillo

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Message from Insurance Field Agent: John F. Molley

Long-Term Care (LTC) is an Important Piece of the Puzzle

This November marks the 19th anniversary of Long-Term Care (LTC) Awareness Month. LTC Awareness month was created to shed light on the need for a long-term care plan, whether or not that plan involves insurance.

There are many financial consultants and retirement authorities who emphasize the need for a long-term care product for estate preservation and family protection especially as you near or attain the age of 60. Facing the truth about the future need for help with an extended care event is difficult for a lot of people, but studies show 70% of the people who reach age 65 will need some form of long-term care.

While many commercial life insurance companies have gotten out of the long-term care business, the Knights of Columbus considers LTC a very important piece of the family protection puzzle. The Order has been actively offering our members this product for over 15 years without a single premium increase on current policyholders. Members who wisely purchased an LTC plan from the Knights in 2000 are still paying the same premiums today. Even better, our LTC coverage is backed by the full strength of the Order, which remains rooted in our strong Catholic values. Talk about stability when it counts.

Generally, health insurance does not provide coverage for long-term care. If you're thinking that Medicare will absorb the related costs, you're wrong. Medicare only covers up to 100 days of long-term care, but only if you've previously been in a hospital for three consecutive days prior to needing long-term services. Additionally, only the first 20 days are covered in full; the remaining 80 require a daily co-payment. Medicaid, you say? Sure, but only if you're indigent — in a word, broke. If one requires extended long-term care in a nursing home, the associated uninsured expenses may lead to just that. The average cost of a semi-private room in a nursing home at \$97,090 a year, or \$266 a day. A private room is \$303 a day, or \$110,595 a year.

Yet as startling as the data are about long-term care risk and cost, both will only get worse over time. People are living longer, which increases the chance of needing long-term care at some point. And inflation guarantees that costs will rise in the future, as we've all learned from our health insurance policies.

Long-term care insurance is expressly designed to pay for an extended-care event. It is an important element of your overall financial plan. Depending upon the type of long-term care policy that you choose for your individual plan, you can receive benefits whether you are being cared for in your home or in a facility. More importantly, your family will have a viable plan to address your needs.

Remember, your age and health are factors in determining whether or not you qualify for a LTC policy. So, call me today at 904-612-6357 to schedule a FREE, no obligation discussion.



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Life Insurance as a Gift?

The initial reaction for many people when you mention life insurance as a gift is a quick step back and a questioning stare. "How morbid," they may think. While it may seem that way when you first mention it, life insurance is a really thoughtful gift that can be a financial life preserver in tough times.

The problem with life insurance is the general perception. Many think of death instead of the great benefits it provides, and the security that it offers – even while you're alive. Life insurance should be thought of as a precautionary protective measure for a family unit. The purchase of this product can mean saving your home, sending your children to college, and preserving your spouse's quality of life in the event of your death.

One of the times you may want to purchase life insurance for someone is when a family has a new baby. It's a great, low-cost way to set money aside for the future (i.e. college tuition, housing, business start-up, etc.). Of greater importance, it ensures these children will have insurance as adults, in case an illness later in life makes him/her uninsurable.

Newlyweds are also ideal recipients for life insurance. As they join their lives and financial responsibilities, young couples need to make sure that their early investments are fully protected. If something were to happen to one of them, the other may be faced with serious financial hardship. A life insurance policy is an ideal way to ensure their future and protect their assets.

As nontraditional as it may be, life insurance is a wise and caring gift.



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YOUR SHIELD FOR LIFE

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Life Insurance • Long-Term Care Insurance
Retirement Annuities • Disability Income Insurance

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November 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 All Saints' Day	2 All Souls' Day	3 Election Day	4	5 Business Meeting (7:00pm)	6	7
8	9	10 4th Degree Meeting	11	12	13 Bourbon Raffle with Happy Hour at 6:30PM and Raffle at 7:30PM	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22 Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe	23	24	25	26 Thanksgiving	27	28
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Charity Raffle Event
November 13, 2020 in Sullivan Hall
Happy Hour at 6:30 & Raffle at 7:30

Sample of items available

1. Horse Soldiers Premium 45%
2. Horse Soldiers
3. Horse Soldiers Sing by the true original soldiers
4. Eagle Rare Store Pick Select
5. Eagle Rare
6. Buffalo Trace Store Pick Select
7. Whistle Pig Store Pick Select
8. Blanton's Store Pick
9. Willett Select
10. Woodford Reserve
11. Mount Gray 1703 Rum
12. Kraken Black Rum
13. Bushmills Irish Whiskey 1608 Select
14. Colonel E.H. Taylor Jr. 1st and only small batch
15. Dewar's 15 Year Old Scotch
16. Lagavulin Islay 12 year Single Malt Scotch
17. Jack Daniels Gift Pack
18. Johnnie Walker Gift Pack
(includes Black Label, Double Black, Gold Reserve & Blue)

Plus many more and baskets of wine

Winners need not be present (need name & phone #)

Limited # of tickets available

Tickets may be purchased on line at our website:
(sacred-heart-knights-of-columbus.square.site)

1 Ticket for only \$25

5 Tickets for only \$100

10 tickets for only \$175



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KofC Bourbon Raffle Event
Additional Bottles

Blantons (Store pick)
E.H. Taylor single barrel (Store Pick)
Eagle Rare (Store Pick)
Buffalo Trace (Store pick)
Whistle Pig 10
Whistle Pig 12
Makers (Store pick)
Russle's Reserve (Store pick)
Kentucky Spirits (Store pick)
HighWest Fume Blanc (Store pick)



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2020 Knights of Columbus Charitable Fund Raising
Top Shelf Bourbon Raffle
November 13, 2020

To whom it may concern:

Thank you for taking time out of your day to consider sponsoring the Knights of Columbus. Since 1882 the Knights have been supporting our communities through one of our founding principles: Charity. Our local outreach efforts directly affect people in need within your community...together we can continue making a difference!

This year we have set a \$3500 goal.

On November 13, 2020, we are planning to host our top shelf Bourbon auction and fundraising event at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Sullivan Hall. At this event, we provide an evening of entertainment circling around brotherhood, service and most importantly Charity. On the night of the event we raise funds through ticket sales for a raffle. However, we believe our efforts would go even farther with your support as an official sponsor in this role and advertising in our newsletter. Your business would provide a monetary donation, and in turn we would promote your company as an event sponsor. With local businesses and philanthropists by our side at this upcoming event, we're sure to achieve this season's fundraising goal and serve our community well.

There will be two levels of Sponsorship.

\$200, includes 12 raffle tickets (\$300 value).

\$500, includes 30 raffle tickets (\$750 value).

If your company is interested in being our official event sponsor, please feel free to call: 904-887-3566 or send an e-mail to: frogman.jax@gmail.com.

We can't wait to hear back!

Ron Warner, Program Director



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2020 Knights of Columbus

Below is a list of organizations that directly benefit from KofC charitable donations:

- Annunciation Scholarship Fund
- Challenge Enterprise
- Clay County Council on the Aging
- Food Pantry of Green Cove Springs
- Donor Appreciation and gifts
- Pro-Life
- RSVP Seminarian Fund
- Scholarship (College Tuition)
- VA Fund - Program support
- Vocations
- Waste Not Want Not (Donations to help fight hunger)
- The Way Clinic (Free healthcare clinic)
- Wheelchair Mission
- Youth Programs
- Disaster Relief (Hurricanes)

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