



# Knights News




Knights of Columbus  
Fleming Island, FL  
Council 11220



## September 2023



<p align="center"><b>Serving Sacred Heart Parish</b> ***Business Meetings -- 1<sup>st</sup> 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 &amp; 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: Scott Sheffield

Hello, Brothers!

Thank you to our new slate of Officers, who were installed on Aug 27, and thank you to our continuing Program Directors! Their leadership is critical to the success of the Council and I am grateful for their service.

A big thank you goes out to Scott Olivolo, who recently volunteered to fill our vacant Community Director chair. Scott has been a supportive, hard-working Knight for the Council and I know his organizational skills will be an asset to this program. Let him know if you can lend him a hand!

Our big event in September is the Ministry Fair. We're scheduled for a table Sep 9-10...please wear your KofC shirt or badge and come a little early and stay a little late after Mass to tell the men of the parish all about the Knights. We are also having a Day of Service on Saturday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> (details to follow).

Pat Beckham will have more details at our next meeting about the Knights' "Into the Breach" initiative (you can check it out on [kofc.org](http://kofc.org)). We're looking to form some small groups that explore what it means to be a Catholic man in today's world, and how we can make it better.

Thank you to those that supported the Youth with their breakfast on Aug 6...it was a successful event.

Mark your calendars for Oct 14...our Oktoberfest will have an all-new look and feel and should be a lot of fun!

We still need a Membership Director to help serve the Council. It's not a lot of hard work and the basics are already in place. Let me know if you'd like to join the leadership of the Council!

As always, please try to help our Brothers in need and if you know of someone or their family member (parishioner or non-parishioner) that is in need, please let us know so we can help.

Vivat Jesus!  
Brother Scott Sheffield, Grand Knight

PS. Please contact one of the officers if you need help due to Hurricane Idalia.

## KofC Merchandise:

License Plate Holder - \$10



*If interested, please contact Mike Dezsi at 529-1502 or [michael.dezsi@att.net](mailto: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](http://www.logo-xpress.com).*

*or*

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

## KofC Name Badges

*If you would like a KofC  
name badge, please contact  
GK Scott Sheffield. The cost  
is \$15.*

# COUNCIL MESSAGES

## Knights of the Month

**Scott Olivolo.** Scott is a long-time active member of our Council and our parish. Scott in our new Community Director and a Catechist. Thank you for your continuous - Charity, Unity, Fraternity, and Patriotism.

## Family of the Month

**Jeremy, Katrina, Cecilia & CJ Cramer.** The Cramers are active in our Council and parish. They are active in many youth activities. They led our recent Youth-sponsored Pancake Breakfast. Cecilia & CJ are alter servers. Thank you for your continuous - Charity, Unity, Fraternity, and Patriotism.

**If you are in need of pressure washing services, please contact Brother Knight and PGK Ron Warner at 904-887-3566.**

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

**Annunciation School collects aluminum can tabs. Please collect your tabs and give them to Brother Zarko.**



- 3<sup>rd</sup> – Dennis Witt
- 9<sup>th</sup> – Tom Brennan
- 16<sup>th</sup> – Rich Hay
- 18<sup>th</sup> – Bill Dawson
- 20<sup>th</sup> – Bob Olson
- 21<sup>st</sup> – Tony Dean  
Paul Zauner
- 24<sup>th</sup> – Paul Archambault
- 26<sup>th</sup> – Robert Natalie  
Jose Corriera  
Richard Rohloff
- 27<sup>th</sup> – David Steinberg
- 28<sup>th</sup> – Bill Scott  
Joe Helinski

### **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.)



### **CONGRATULATIONS TO:**

- Zarko & Suzanne Vecerkovic
- Bill & Alma Scott
- Curtis & Jennifer Stubbs
- Bob & Rachel Sroka
- John & Mary Ann Steinberg
- Noel & Paula David
- Bill & Debra Beyrle

(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
- Chuck Brown
- Stephen Mayette
- Ninfa Flores
- Al Karolewicz
- Paulette Robert
- Paul Archambault
- Ski & Gemma Wojciechowski
- Pat Winkeler
- Dennis Witt
- Dennis DeCocker
- AC Fairbrother
- Joe Brundage
- Charles McGarvey
- Jim Foley
- Tom Foley
- Clonnie Yearout
- Dick & Suellen Olsen
- Adela Marcos
- Ed & Grace Mathews
- Joshua Elwood
- Susan Elwood
- Sally Judycki
- Becky Szymanski
- Karen McCallan
- Amanda Spaulding
- Rachel Vatlerott
- Michele Schoonmaker
- Mary Powell
- Susan Beckham
- Paul Roebuck
- Eilene Della Pena
- Victor Cruz
- Eileen Dellapena
- Tara Warner
- David & Pat Osteen
- Ruby Gillispie
- John Molley (Editor's Father)
- Joseph Molley

# COUNCIL MESSAGES

**Message from Insurance Field Agent:  
John F. Molley**

## ***Raising Awareness About Life Insurance***

Each September since 2003 has been designated as Life Insurance Awareness Month. Like most awareness-raising campaigns, Life Insurance Awareness Month was created because there is an overwhelming lack of understanding of life insurance, its uses, its benefits, and its variations among the general public. Each year, the Life Insurance Market Research Association (LIMRA) puts out the results from a recent survey, and unfortunately, the numbers they report continue to be discouraging.

A recent survey found that 76% of people polled did not have a personal financial advisor even though 68% of them said their opinion of the current economic conditions was only somewhat favorable or worse.

In other words, a majority of those surveyed were only somewhat comfortable or worse with the economy and the uncertainty it brings, yet they did not seek professional assistance. Maybe they spoke with their friends and family. Maybe they hoped the instability would go away on its own. Maybe they did not know to whom to turn.

If you fall into this last category, please remember that as a member of the Knights of Columbus, you have a full-time, professional agent that you can call your own. My primary responsibility is the care and service of your family's life insurance, retirement and long-term care needs. I'll answer your questions because I want your decisions to be informed ones. **I want and am here to help.**

Another LIMRA statistic said that 43% of people did not buy life insurance because they worry about "making the wrong decision." Scheduling a no cost, no obligation appointment with me will give you the answers you need to make the right decision. So, call me today at 904-612-6357.

## ***Caring for Our Own***

The Knights of Columbus isn't just an insurance company. It's a brotherhood, and so we do things differently.

For starters, we extend to each of our members an Accidental Death benefit for free, just by virtue of their membership in the Knights of Columbus. The program – which is only available in insurance jurisdictions – provides a benefit of \$1,000 - \$2,500 upon the accidental death of any member or his spouse (subject to certain age restrictions).

In addition to the Accidental Death benefit, the Knights of Columbus offer a number of free services to our members and their families.

First and foremost, we agents are committed to providing survivor assistance to widows and families left behind after the loss of a loved one.

Secondarily, we offer additional services to help Knights' families plan. For example, Profiles & Forecaster is a comprehensive and complimentary tool that helps you evaluate your family's financial situation, and to determine what insurance protection – if any – may be needed.

To our insurance members, we offer 2 additional programs: the Family Fraternal Benefit Program, and the Orphan Fraternal Benefit Program.

Please contact me today at 904-612-6357 to schedule an appointment to find out more about these and all of the fraternal benefits that you are entitled.



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If you'd like to serve as one of the "NEEDED" Committee Chairmen, please email DGK Scott Sheffield at [sheff9@gmail.com](mailto:sheff9@gmail.com). If you'd like to serve on one of the Committees, please email the Chair directly.



GK Scott Sheffield and August Knight of the Month, Kirk Nicholson.



2023-24 Officers

# September 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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3	4 <b>Labor Day</b>	5	6	7 Council Meeting	8	9
10	11	12 4th Degree Meeting	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23 Day of Service
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