

Knights of Columbus ó Our Lady Queen of Peace Council 11680 ó Monthly Newsletter

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**April 2015** 

#### Grand Knight & Message



My Brother Knights, at the start of March it didnot look good for us with canceling the St Patrick dinner, but the breakfast on the 22nd changed our luck. We had 174 visitors and we made a nice little profit. Thank you for all that helped at the breakfast, especially to Patty Schalk, and Doris Hill two special ladies. Brothers if you donot know Patty she is the widow of brother Joe Schalk a past grand knight and founding member of the council. This shows we really are family in the knights even after our brothers leave us. We will be taking nominations for officers for the 2015-2016 year at the April and May meetings with elections in June. If interested in an officers position contact Brother Joe LaGuardia the chairman of the nominating committee.

The New Year is starting in a few months and we need to end this year on a high, so let's continue to work hard and succeed making this a great year.

Vivat Jesus Tony Nalli Grand Knight

# Pro-life

### Pray to end Abortion!!

O Mary, bright dawn of the new world, Mother of the living, to you do we entrust the *cause of life*: Look down, O Mother, upon the vast numbers of babies not allowed to be born, of the poor whose lives are made difficult, of men and women who are victims of brutal violence, of the elderly and the sick killed by indifference or out of misguided mercy. Grant that all who believe in your Son may proclaim *the Gospel of life* with honesty and love to the people of our time. Obtain for them the grace to *accept that Gospel* as a gift ever new, the *joy of celebrating* it with gratitude throughout their lives and the courage to *bear witness* to it resolutely, in order to build, together with all people of good will, the civilization of truth and love, to the praise and glory of God, the Creator and lover of life. Amen

# Chaplain's Message



Dear Brother Knights,

How fast time flies! Next week is Holy Week. We are to commemorate the passion, death and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. Free ourselves to celebrate what we believe as Christians. The Holy Week is the most sacred time of the year. All the events in Holy Week unfold the mystery of Godøs love. Let us listen to the story of Godøs love.

Easter helps us to evaluate what we believe about Jesus. The resurrection of Jesus is a historical event and not someone's imagination. We should believe in the Gospels. We, Knights, should be the guardians of this :Faith Our belief in Jesus resurrection should transform us as it did change the apostles.

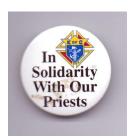
Please recall what we learnt in the catechism: "God made me to know him, to love him, and to serve him in this world, and to be happy with him forever in the next."

Be bold. Say to Jesus, õI am yoursö.

Wish you a Happy Easter!

Godøs blessings, Father Sebastian

#### **Prayer for Vocations**



Heavenly Father, Your divine Son taught us to pray to the Lord of the harvest to send Laborers into His vineyard. We earnestly beg you to bless our Diocese and our world with many priests and religious who will love you fervently, and gladly and courageously spend their lives in service to Your Son's Church under the guidance of the Holy Spirit. We pray that lives may be always centered on our Eucharistic Lord which they may be devoted sons and daughters of Mary, our mother, in making you known and loved that all may attain Heaven. Bless our families and our children and choose from our homes those whom you desire for this holy work. We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen

#### **News Letter Deadline**

Please have your Article for the May 2015 issue of the Knightly Newsletter to me by April 20<sup>th.</sup> Any Chairman of any committee that wishes to promote their projects are responsible to get their article to me. Art Ostrander, Editor

Phone Number 727-372-9437 Email <a href="mailto:arthurostrander@gmail.com">arthurostrander@gmail.com</a>

### Calendar for Council and Assembly events for April 2015

March 30, 2015, - Officer's Meeting 7:00 pm in Hall.

April 9, 2015, - Business Meeting 7:30 pm in Hall. (Nomination of Officers)

April 16, 2015, - Social Meeting 7:30 pm in Hall.

April 23, 2015, - 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Meeting 7:30 pm in the Hall.

April 26, 2015 - Blood Drive 8-11 am in parking lot.

April 26, 2015, - Breakfast 7-12 noon in the Hall.



#### Protecting Your Family... Business?

You already know that the Knight of Columbus is here for all your personal and family financial protection needs, but did you know that the Order can help secure your business too? As your Knights of Columbus field agent, I can help you protect the continuity of your business for years to come.

Business insurance is the term used in the insurance industry to describe the use of life insurance and disability income insurance to solve certain financial needs of businesses and their owners. The products offered through the Order can cover many needs, such as:

ÉEconomic loss to the business when a key employee dies

ÉDisposition of a business ownergs interest upon death or other separation from the business

If youøve worked hard to establish a business, you owe it to yourself and your family to learn about the opportunities that the Knights of Columbus can offer.

With protection for the family, the business, the farm, retirement, long term care and disability coverage, the Knight of Columbus truly is your shield for all the elements of your life.

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**KNIGHTS ON THE WEB** Thereøs a great deal of information on the World Wide Web about the Knights of Columbus. Supreme counciløs web site is: **www.kofc.org**.

Florida State Council web Site: www.floridastatecouncil.com.

Our Lady Queen of Peace Council 11680 web site: www.kofc11680.org

Note you can view the newsletter on www.kofc11680.org web site.

## **April 2015**

ROBERT	P	MASCHARKA
FRANKLIN		ALLEN
SCOTT	W	SCHOFFSTALL
MICHAEL	G	GRANITE
ANTHONY	J	MORTILLA
JOSEPH		PASTICK
PAUL	S	GUGLIETTA
KENNETH	Α	SCHALK



EDGAR	R	AGUIRRE
KEVIN		MC MAHON
THOMAS	J	CLEARY
MATTHEW	K	CAVINS
DONALD		FUSCO
THOMAS	E	DERRICK
JOSE		MONTANEZ-M
LOUIS	A	GALLINA

# Congratulation!!

The Family of the Month for February 2015 Brother Dennis O Daniels and his wife Tina

NO PHOTO AVAILABLE

The Knight of the Month for February 2015 Brother Maurice Batista



Reminder!
First Friday of each month the Social Committee
puts on a dinner.
Please call in for your reservation.
727-849-7521

# Sick and Distressed Prayers requested for members and their families. Prayer for Brother Prayers for the healing of Brother Scott Schoffstall. Prayers for Sir Knight Duke Margo

#### PRAYER FOR THE SICK

Father of goodness and love; hear our prayers for the sick members of our community and for all who are in need. Amid mental and physical suffering may they find consolation in your healing presence? Show your mercy as you close wounds, cure illness, make broken bodies whole and free downcast spirits. May these special people find lasting health and deliverance, and so join us in thanking you for all your gifts. We ask this through the Lord Jesus who healed those who believed. AMEN



#### Knights of Columbus Monthly Breakfast Come join us for our next breakfast on April 26, 2015

The Knights of Columbus Council 11680 at Our Lady Queen of Peace Parish has a monthly breakfast on the fourth Sunday of the month. If you are not able to help us, then please bring your family for a great breakfast at an affordable price.



#### From the Memorial Director, Brother Dan Poulter

If anyone know of a brother knight or a family member of a brother knight that is sick, distressed or has gone to be with the Lord, Please contact me at 727-376-7811.



#### **Brother Joe Toy**

When you pray for the end of the evil of abortion picture this.....
In one year the number of abortions in New York City alone
would fill an NFL football stadium. Pray at least once daily
for the end of the slaughter of our modern day Holy Innocents
Have a Wonderful & Blessed day
Pray the USA returns to
One Nation Under God!



Brother Tony Mortilla will make the Council Shirts per the order form below. Please send your order to Tony along with your check. If you have any questions please contact Tony or Eileen at the number on the order form.

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#### **Council Committee Directors**

Program Director: Danny Hanff Church Activities Chairman: Vacant Family Activities Director Tom Young Tim Giamparolo Community Activities Chairman: Blood Drive Chairman: Richard Palladino Council Activities Chairman: John Malley Lewis Morales Dance Coordinator: Joe LaGuardia, FDD Membership Director:

Admissions Chairman: John Barry Youth Activities Chairman: Tom Young

Pro-Life Chairman:

Memorial Chairman:John Dan PoulterPublic Relations Chairman:Martin MichelonSpecial Needs Chairman:Clark Hill, FDD

Activities Board: George Mountford, PGK

Church Bulletin/Newsletter: Art Ostrander
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By-Law Chairman: as needed
Carnival Chairman: Joe Fiorentino III

# **4**<sup>Th</sup> Degree Assembly Officers

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Dear Sir Knights,

I thank you for the opportunity to serve you as Faithful Navigator. It is my honor to do so.

Duke, we thank you for your dedication to and leadership of our assembly. We wish you the very best in your upcoming health challenges. Our prayers will be with you and please remember we are here to help in any way possible.

I encourage any and all suggestions as to getting our assembly more active in our church and community. Please plan to bring your ideas to our next meeting on April 23rd. Again, thank you for your confidence in me. I will work hard to help this assembly be the best we can be.

Blessings, George, FN

# Pictures taken at Tootsie Roll Drive at Our Lady Queen of Peach Parish





## Pictures from St Patrick's Day Dinner at Our Lady Queen of Peace













# Pictures of Father Gerald Powers Assembly 2882 at the Portuguese Cultural Center in Hudson. Taken in October 2014











## Note from the Editor, Brother Art Ostrander



Dear Brother Knights, Here is your chance to set up. by attending the meetings and becoming active, maybe you could run for one of the officer's position for our council year 2015/2016. As the Grand Knight wrote in his article, we have our annual election of officers on June 4, 2015. At the next meeting on April 9, 2015 we will have our first nominations for the officer's positions. The second nominations will be held on May 7, 2015. Members that wish to hold one of the Officer's positions please contact Brother

Joe LaGuardia at 727-848-1183 or email ilaquard@tampabay.rr.com



#### **TO ALL 200 CLUB MEMBERS**

The next 200 Club, due to start July 5, 2015 will be changing to 150 Club #6

We are lowering the count of tickets available to 150 which will result in some current members having to

change numbers.

Your odds will increase 25% since there will be less numbers in the jar.

The weekly prize will rise to \$50 per week and the series will run for 15 weeks with the grand prize drawing on the 16th week. GRAND PRIZE WILL BE two (2) prizes of \$250 each and two (2) prizes of \$500 each.

The cost will remain the same, \$25.00 donation for the full time.

The total payout will remain the same as it is now.

I will be sending a separate email to all to indicate if you will be keeping your same numbers, those with numbers 001 to 150. You will have three weeks to make up your mind and the remaining numbers will be open to members with numbers 151 to 200.

Hopefully all members will be prompt in letting me know the status of their numbers. It will greatly expedite this changeover.

Please reply to me at <u>tom.cleary75@gmail.com</u> or call me at <u>727-846-</u>0392

Those members without email addresses will be contact by phone.

Any questions please call me or email me.

Tom Cleary, 200/150 Club chairman

### <u>Important</u>

We are currently trying to update our records. We need your help. Please fill-in the information below and mail it back to the Financial Secretary Brother Tom Cleary 7817 Rusty Oak Dr., New Port Richey, FL 34653-4143

email: tom.cleary75@gmail.com - Phone # 727-846-0392

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First	City		
MI	State		
	Zip Code		

Wife Name	Anniversary date Month, Day, Year(xxxx)	Date of Birth	
Children Names		Age - Children Living at home	