Knights News

Knights of Columbus
Fleming Island, FL
Council 11220



November 2026

Serving Sacred Heart Parish

*****Business Meetings -- 1st Thursday of each month at 7:00pm in the Sullivan Hall*****

Sacred Heart Masses

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**

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- 1st – All Saints' Day
  End Daylight Savings
- 2nd – All Souls' Day
- 3rd – Election Day
- 5th – Council Meeting
- 6th – Adoration
- 7th & 8th – Ministry Fair
- 10th – 4th Degree Mtg.
- 11th – Veterans' Day
- 14th – Annual Charity Event
- 22nd – Christ the King
- 26th – Thanksgiving
- 29th – First Sunday of Advent

December
- 3rd – Council Meeting
- 4th – Adoration
- 8th – Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary
- 12th – Our Lady of Guadalupe
  Holly Ball
- 13th – Breakfast w/Santa
- 25th – Christmas
- 27th – The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary & Joseph

2026-27 Council Officers

Chaplain: Fr. Marek Dzien	**904-284-3811**
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Two Year Trustee: Pete Mockalis	**904-589-8269**
Three Year Trustee: Mike Cruz	**904-742-3205**

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Note: Newsletter input deadline is the 21st of each month.

COUNCIL MESSAGES

Message from Grand Knight: Walter Ruday

Dear Brother Knights and families,

As we enter November, we're invited to pause, give thanks, and remember those who have shaped our lives and our faith. It's also a good time to renew our commitment to serving our parish and community.

We begin the month celebrating All Saints' Day and remembering the faithful departed on All Souls' Day. Let's keep in our prayers the loved ones we've lost, as well as all who grieve. On Veterans Day, we give thanks to those who have served our country. Please join me in praying for our veterans, active-duty service members, and their families.

November also offers many opportunities to put our faith into action. Whether you can help with a parish activity, support a local family, visit someone who is homebound, or lend a hand to a fellow Knight, every act of service matters. If you're able, please consider joining us at our upcoming Council activities and inviting a Brother Knight or family member to take part.
I'm grateful for the generosity, time, and fellowship each of you brings to our Council. Our strength comes from serving together—with faith, charity, and care for one another. Thank you for all you do for our parish and community.

May God Bless you and your families with a peaceful and grateful Thanksgiving. I look forward to seeing you this month.

Vivat Jesus,
Walter Ruday Jr., Grand Knight

Charity Event Sponsors

Platinum
Bert & Karen Smith
Hard Rock Materials Inc.
Gold
Harrell & Harrell P.A.
Bob & Jenny Raspa
Silver
Black Creek Wealth Mgmt. & Investment Trainer (Cory Shrader)
St. Augustine Distillery Co. (Brandi Saldivar)
Verville Cosmetic & Implant Dentistry
Fish Window Cleaning
Scott Sheffield
Ron Warner

KofC Merchandise:

License Plate Holder - $10



If interested, please contact Scott Sheffield (954-232-1326 or sheff9@gmail.com)

KofC Name Badges
If you would like a KofC name badge for your suit jacket and/or shirt, please contact Scott Olivolo (904-710-1330). The cost is $25.

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. 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.

COUNCIL MESSAGES

Knight of the Month

Jeff Phillips. Jeff is an active 3rd Degree member of our Council and our new Council Treasurer.
Thank you for your continuous - Charity, Unity, Fraternity, and Patriotism.

Family of the Month

Doug & Janet Wilson. They run evening Adult Bible study. They also are collection counters.
Thank you for your continuous - Charity, Unity, Fraternity, and Patriotism.

Annunciation School collects aluminum can tabs. Please collect your tabs and bring them to the office or give them to Brother Zarko.

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

Prayer Intentions - continued
Jeff "Bo" Bowman
Ed Doherty
Jenna Leigh Doherty
David Miller
Emma Miller
Deloris Garcia



2nd – Gary Bachtell
Joshua Watkins
4th – Chuck Cramer
Carlos Cruz
5th – Kort Meyer
7th – Charlie McGarvey
Gianni Santone
8th – Joy Ayala-Renta
William Curtis
13th – Ski Wojciechowski
14th – Bill Gill
17th – Adam Foley
21st – Jeremy Cramer
22nd – Dan Judycki
26th – Joe Pourciau
Matt Welch
27th – Leon Cameron
Alan Johnson
29th – Scott Olivolo
Mike Male
30th – Jim Foley

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:

Scott & Leah Olivolo
Bill & Marty Hesgard
Jeff & Kathy Phillips

(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

Ski & Gemma Wojciechowski
Dick & Carol Trache
Pat & Len Winkeler
AC Fairbrother
Joe & Bonnie Brundage
Fr. Mike Pendergraft
Ron Warner
Brian Warner & Family
Al Karolewicz
Dennis Witt
Patric Patterson
Bob Sedam
Paul Zauner
Jeremy Cramer
Dennis DeCocker
Ed Szymanski
Becky Szymanski
Charlie McGarvey
Joe Helinski
Bill Pappas & Family
Jim Foley & Family
Tom Foley
GK Walter Ruday
Pete Mockalis
Susan Elwood
Eileen Elwood
Amanda Spaulding
Bruce Wright
Lilli Moniot
Toi Jefferson
JoAnn LaTorre
Everett & Janet Frye
Michael Connor
Mary Powell
Vanessa Vega-Torres
David Dowd
Faith Onoda
Clonie Yearout
Jim Kidwell
Alyssa Burris
Clare Sears
Paula Meyer
Dr. Carla Pardo
Caleb Jett
Victor Cruz, Jr. (deceased)
The Cruz family
Dominic Nullet
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Family: Mike Cruz zurc1967@yahoo.com
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If you'd like to serve on one of the Committees, please email the Chairman directly.



Knight of the Month,DGK Rod Marcos with PDGK John Molley


District Deputy Brian Werring giving PGK Mike Cruz 2025-26 Star Council Award


District Deputy Brian Werring with PGK Mike Cruz and other 2025-2026 Officers

COUNCIL PICTURES



PGK Ron Warner, PGK Mike Cruz & Brother Joe Pourciau serving dinner at our October Council meeting



Welcoming group for Honor Flight returnee Brother Ski



Brothers Ron Warner and Chris Castelli with winners of KofC basket at Pat's Climb Back fundraiser event



KofC Community Service Day crew



Brothers Chris Castelli and Mike Cruz loaded for a dump run



Brothers Paul Werring, Mike Dezsi, & Joe Pourciau



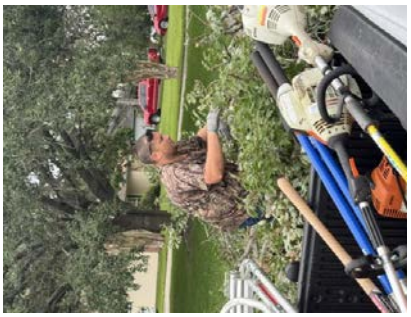
Brothers Paul Werring & Mike Dezsi



After picture from Brothers Paul Werring, Mike Dezsi & Joe Pourciau (Note: The fence was totally buried.)



Brothers Mike Cruz, Jeff Doherty & Ron Warner



Brother Josh Doherty Loading up for a dump run



Brother Bill Scott cooked lunch (Cheesesteaks) for the crew



November 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 All Saints' Day --- Daylight Savings Ends	2 All Souls' Day	3 Election Day	4	5 Council Meeting	6 Adoration	7 Ministry Fair
8 Ministry Fair	9	10 4th Degree Mtg.	11 Veterans' Day	12	13	14 Charity Event
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22 Christ the King	23	24	25	26 Thanksgiving	27	28
29 First Sunday of Advent	30					