



# Knightly News



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## Grand Knight's Report



Another busy month has gone by, and we have another one coming. We ended the month with our last honor roll breakfast for this school year. We had a good crew for this but when we start the next school year, we need more people to step up. On the 28th we had our second fish fry. We had a lot of help for this, but we always needed more. We cannot keep counting on the same people for these events. We need more people to step up. April gets no easier. On April 5th we have our Clergy appreciation supper after the 4:00 p.m. Mass. On April 6th we start the day with our monthly breakfast and finish the day with our KC golf tournament at Blue Cypress golf course. This will be a busy weekend and it is going to take all of us to step up and help. On the 19th we will be having the annual Easter egg hunt. The hunt will start at 10:00 but we need people there before that to get set up. It is a lot of work but if we all step up it can be done. We need to show everyone why we decided to become Knights.

Love each every one of you, Mary Mother of Jesus and Queen of the Knights pray for us.

Tom

## Deacons Report



Dear brothers in Christ,  
I realized that I was getting old when I asked Alexa what my life expectancy was and she changed the subject. There comes a time for all of us when we have to accept the fact that we are getting old.

It can be something we dread or it can be a blessing. It all depends on us. Instead of dreading the inevitable, we need to embrace the wisdom and experience that comes with age. Each passing year is an opportunity for further growth and learning and most importantly it is an opportunity to develop a closer relationship with our God.

God bless,  
Deacon Stan Grenn

## K'Cees Korner



Hi my fellow K'CEES

Hi everyone, I cannot believe that it is April and Easter is coming soon. We will have our meeting on the eighth at 7 pm. Hope to see you there.

Your sister in Christ  
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# Council Activities



Fourth Degree



Knights of Columbus  
Squires  
Arlington Circle 2121  
Youth Organization

## Please pray for the souls of our deceased Brothers

Robert Knutson, George Morris (PGK), Ward Berkey, Michael Capizzi (PGK), Charles Strauss, Howard Sell, Troupe Turner, Harry Cross, Jim Middleton (PGK), Ron Laseman (PGK), Francis Becht (PGK), John Faustini, Jim Gennette, Louis O'Neal, Stanley Moore, Bruce Belet, Jack Larson, Ray Tubel, Hank Pelz, Don Thompson, Joe Brozovich, Bill Damato, Al Rucci, George Morris, Bill Smith, John Robert Porter, Emile Shami, William Homer Cavanaugh, Jesse Morgan, Michael McQuade, Jose A. Sandoval.

## Keep in Your Prayers

Anthony Ferrizzi, Kevin Curley, Jean Sell, Bob Crabtree, Netito Espejo, Butch Ferrizzi, Tony Shami, Dan Costello, Deacon Stanley Grenn, Larry Turner, Bubba Futch, Terry Frank, Neil Porter, Robert F. Matthews, Benjamin G. Gendive Sr, Theo Naessens, Stephen Brugnolotti, Merrill Jacobs, Daryl Johnson, Dennis Stoddard, Joe Loughlin, Loretta Coughenour, Bernie Klepac's Mom.

## Breakfast Sunday April 6

Join us for breakfast after the 7 and 9 AM Masses on Sunday April 6. We will need help cooking and serving starting at about 6:30AM

## Easter Egg Hunt

The Easter Egg hunt will be held on Saturday April 19th at 10:00AM at CTK school. Bring a passing dish. Chicken will be provided by the Knights.



## Ponce de Leon Assembly # 0152

Meetings are the 3rd Thursday of each month at St. Matthew's Catholic Church in the old convent building next to the gym located at 1773 Blanding Boulevard, Jacksonville, Florida 32210.

## Holy Trinity Assembly # 2368

Brother Sir Knights,  
Holy Trinity Assembly #2368 4<sup>th</sup> Degree **Dues for the 4<sup>th</sup> Assembly.** A few have been suspended for lack of dues over two years. Ask you 3<sup>th</sup> Degree member did he pay his 4<sup>th</sup> degree dues. Final Notices went out via your current email. **Note: April meeting, 4/01 at Holy Spirit.**

## Honor Guard and Color Corps

Any fourth degree member interested in joining the HG Or CC to please call Reggie Dubay 904-249-6941

## Circle of Squires Council 2121

The next squires meeting is Sunday April 13th at 1:30PM at the Council Hall.

**Chief Squire:** William Manubag  
**Counselor:** Joseph Negrón  
**Council Advisor:** Father Prior, Deacon Stan Grenn  
**Grand Knight #4727** - Thomas Guggisberg  
**Past Chief Counselor:** PGK Jose Praxedes

## Financial Secretary

Welcome our new Officers, they cannot do it on their own. We need members to step up, take a part, we need chairmen,

Attendance does pay off, At the March council meeting the pot was \$91, it pays to attend,

Note: Communication today has going high Tech. We send out information info via "Christ the King-KofC" on your email. Please open it. Or you can open it on "www.council4727.com" our website. It has the monthly schedule, calendar, and more.

Ralph

## Family dinner

April 22nd @ 6:00 pm at the council Hall.  
Please RSVP. Ralph Mosley, FS  
904-705-8623

## Golf @ Blue Cypress April 6

Join us for the 9 hole charity golf tournament. Shotgun start at 3PM at Blue Cypress Golf Course.

## Fish Fry at CTK April 11

Friday April 11. We will need help cooking from 2:30 to 9 pm. We will serve from 5-7 p.m.



# APRIL 2025



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4 No 1st Friday Mass	5 Religious Appreciation Night 6:30PM
6 Breakfast at CTK after 7am & 9am Masses. KC Golf @ Blue Cypress 3PM	7 Stand for Life University Blvd 8:30AM	8 ACA, Business, Meeting Officer Nominations, K'Cees Meeting 7PM	9	10	11 Fish Fry @CTK 5-7pm. Need help 2:30 to 9PM	12
13 Squires Meeting 1:30PM	14 Stand for Life University Blvd 8:30AM	15	16	17 Holy Thursday	18 Good Friday	19 Easter Egg Hunt 10:00AM 
20 Easter Sunday 	21 Stand for Life University Blvd 8:30AM	22 Family Dinner Night 6:00 pm at the Hall	23	24	26	26 KC State Bowling Tournament Exemplification Degree 4PM
27 KC State Bowling Tournament	28 Stand for Life University Blvd 8:30AM	29	30	May 1	May 2 1st Friday Mass @ hall 6:30PM	May 3 Squires Spaghetti Dinner 5:30PM



**KC - 9-Hole Golf  
Tournament, April  
6 at Blue Cyprus  
Golf Course, 3  
p.m. Shotgun  
start**



**K of C Florida  
State Bowling  
Tournament  
April 26th and  
27th Kissimmee,  
Florida**



**Family Dinner  
Night Tuesday  
April 22nd  
6:00 pm at the hall**



Our Flag is flying above the Council Hall in Honor of all Military Personnel.

**Note:** If you have a flag and wish to honor a love one with it flying over the hall call Ralph Mosley (904) 705-8623.

### Happy April Birthdays



- 01 Stephen Brugnolotti
- 02 Tim Giles
- 17 Peter Lamb III, Martin Polsenski Jr.
- 18 Charles Tossone
- 20 Henry (Nick) Klepac
- 23 Russell, Strauss
- 24 Joseph F Birch
- 29 Michael Yarborough
- 30 Alfred Martin

### Home Visitation

Do you know of a Brother or family member of a Brother that can't make it to Church and still wants to receive the Body of our Lord Jesus? Do you know of any Brother that needs a brotherly visit or help because they are home bound or too sick to go it alone? Brothers, please contact Michael Derr (PGK) at 912-655-7513

### Want to communicate something to your fellow Knights?

If your group has any special announcements you would like distributed to all Brothers currently registered to receive council emails, please contact Nick Klepac ([kofc4727@ctkcatholic.com](mailto:kofc4727@ctkcatholic.com)/904-608-5135) to have it included in our regular distributions.

### Family dinner

**Family dinner:** Check your email, please try to RSVP early for the **April 22nd dinner**. Look for "eCatholic(NO REPLY) message in your inbox/ or go on our site [www.council4727.com](http://www.council4727.com) and look for **activities**. Or call me,. Ralph 904-705-8623.

**Thank you, John. We have had great turn outs, hey guys a chance to take that love one out to dinner. Camaraderie Definition: good fellowship, its all of this, come join us.**

### 1st Friday Mass Requests

It is pious and praiseworthy custom for the faithful to have Masses offered for their particular intentions, and especially for departed friends and loved ones. Requests should be made in advance if it's to be published in the Knightly News.

The suggested stipend is \$10.00. Point of Contact: Ralph Mosley 904 705 8623

Email: [rtn7048@yahoo.com](mailto:rtn7048@yahoo.com)

Note: At the discretion of the Grand Knight, intentions for the good of the order may be added anytime.



### FIRST FRIDAY MASSES 2025

**Come join us for Mass:**

- **April 4:** First Friday Mass cancelled
- **May 2:** Robert Knutson requested by Liz Knutson
- **June 6:** Bernadette Ferrizzi requested by Liz Knutson
- **July 4:**
- **August 1:**
- **September 5:**
- **October 3:**
- **November 7:**
- **December 5:**

. It is wonderful to join together for the Lord's Supper. The Devotion of nine consecutive 1st Fridays of the month offers special promises of The Sacred Heart made to Margaret Mary. These include:

**"I promise you, in the excessive mercy of my Heart that my all powerful love will grant to all those who receive Holy Communion on the first Friday for nine consecutive months, the grace of final repentance; they shall not die in my disgrace nor without receiving the sacraments; my divine Heart shall be their safe refuge in that last moment." — Our Lord to St. Margaret Mary**

Note: If for some reason a priest is not available to celebrate mass, we will pray a rosary instead.

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- Emiel & Sami Shami
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- *In Memory* Tim Stack (PGK), requested by Sue & Bruce Pastorini
- *In Memory* Bud Stiles by Marge Stiles
- DJ (PGK) & Linda Stoddard
- Charles & Genie Strauss

**Knightly News Sponsors**

**Renew your sponsorship now for 2025-2026!**  
*This is due now if you haven't already renewed.*

- Knight & Spouse - \$20 ( Jack & Sally Smith)
- Knight only \$10 ( Ben Smith PGK)
- In Memory of - \$20 (In Memory - Jack Smith)

Please indicate your choice, if you have already paid please indicate that. Check made to council & mail to:

Ralph Mosley FS  
 6030 Arlington Expressway  
 Jacksonville, FL 32211

Information for the newsletter can be sent via E-mail to Tom or Gerry before the 20th of the month.

Tom Heusinger 904-477-6519  
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**Questions & Answers**

Do you remember “Queen of Peace Radio” now its **Relevant Radio**, and it’s on your AM dial at 1460. Better yet try their APP, “relevant .app” in your Play Store, great listening.



**We would like to sincerely thank our Sponsors, our Knight of the Month, and our Family of the month.**

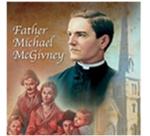


**Fish Fry  
 April 11th  
 @ CTK  
 5-7pm**



**Family of the Month  
 April 2025**

**The family of the month is one of our newest members. Henry and Josephine Kroom.** Henry has been invaluable help in the kitchen with every event since he joined. Josephine has helped the KC’s in their events. Thanks to both of you for joining our family and getting involved.



**Knight of the Month  
 April 2025**

**Knight of the month is Tim Wright.** Tim is always there to help with all of the events and stays till every thing is cleaned up. Thanks Tim for all your support.

**Will You Share Your Spare Kidney?**

Our own D.J. Stoddard is in need of a kidney transplant. Would you or someone you know be willing to share a kidney? Even if your blood type is not the same, there is a process called “paired donation” that allows you to donate a kidney to another person and that person will get a donated kidney for DJ. What a wonderful way to share God’s gift of a spare that He has provided for us.

***Plus the potential donor will get a head to toe physical for free.***

Please email to [DJS5964@comcast.net](mailto:DJS5964@comcast.net) to donate or with any questions.

**Please share this request with everyone!!**

MY FAVORITE HUMAN  
NEEDS A KIDNEY!!



WILL YOU  
SHARE  
YOUR  
SPARE?

DJ Stoddard needs your spare kidney.  
O positive blood type.

Email [djs5964@comcast.net](mailto:djs5964@comcast.net)

Bentley with his human, DJ Stoddard

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## Upcoming Events - 2025

### May

2 1st Friday Mass 6:30PM  
3 Squires Spaghetti Dinner 5:30PM  
13 Business, Elect Officers, K'Cees Mtgs 7:00PM  
17 Road Cleanup 8:00AM  
17 Bunko Knight 6:30PM  
18 Squires Meeting 1:30PM  
23 State Convention  
27 Family Dinner Night 6:00PM  
31 Exemplification Degree 5:00PM

### June

6 1st Friday Mass 6:30PM  
10 Business, Elect Officers, K'Cees Mtgs 7:00PM  
14 Road Cleanup 8:00AM  
14 Bunko Knight 6:30PM  
15 Squires Meeting 1:30PM  
24 Family Dinner Night 6:00PM  
28 Exemplification Degree 5:00PM

*Every Monday; Stand for Life at University Blvd  
Abortion Clinic, 8:30AM*

**"Current Resident or "**



Picture provided through the courtesy of Pam Kildea



## Culture of Life Prayer for Life

- ◇ “The hairsplitting difference between formed and unformed makes no difference to us. Whoever deliberately commits abortion is subject to the penalty for homicide.” St. Basil the Great (329-379), Father and Doctor of the Church
- ◇ “Beautiful is God, the Word with God... He is beautiful in Heaven, beautiful on earth; beautiful in the womb, beautiful in His parents’ arms, beautiful in His miracles, beautiful in His sufferings; beautiful in inviting to life, beautiful in not worrying about death, beautiful in giving up His life and beautiful in taking it up again; He is beautiful on the Cross, beautiful in the tomb, beautiful in heaven. Listen to the song with understanding, and let not the weakness of the flesh distract your eyes from the splendor of His beauty.” St. Augustine of Hippo

***Come out and stand in front of the abortion clinic on University Avenue, each Monday from 8:30 to 9:30 a.m.***