



THE COMPASS

Kissimmee, Florida

September 2025

Upcoming Key Dates

September

- ♦1—Labor Day
- ♦3- Columbia Club Meeting 1700
- ♦3-Officers Meeting 1800
- ♦3- Council 6624 Meeting 1900
- ♦6- Columbiettes Chapter Meeting 0930
- ♦10- Assembly 1951 Meeting 1900
- ♦17- Social 1800
- ♦20- Columbiettes Meeting 0900

State of Florida Council of the year



1996
1997
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1999
2000

2001 2004
2010 2011

Council Hall Phone number
407-847-8549

**** Boy Scouts meeting every Thursday 1900*

Bingo Every Tuesday & Friday 3:00 PM - 9:45 PM we can always use assistance please come out and Volunteer



Editor: Tyler and James Edgcomb

September Calendar

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1 Labor Day	2 	3 5 PM Columbia Club Meeting 6pm Officers Meeting 7 PM Council Meeting	4 7pm Scout meeting	5 	6 9:30am Columbiettes Chapter meeting
7	8	9 	10 7pm Assembly Meeting	11 7pm Scout meeting	12 	13
14	15	16 	17 6:00pm SOCIAL	18 7pm Scout meeting	19 	20 9am Columbiettes meeting
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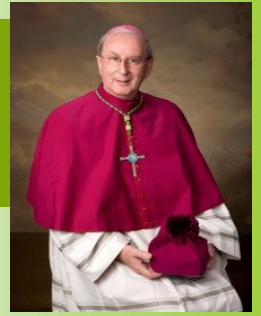
Birthdays

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| 1 William Miller | 17 Joseph Madden |
| 2 Craig Murray | 19 John Letterman Jr |
| 3 Thomas Morris | Frank Giambona |
| Thomas Borek | 24 Raymond Moist |
| 6 Barrett Cunningham | 26 Adolfo Gonzalez |
| 7 Robert Consolo JR. | 28 Anthony Costantini |
| 11 Albert Carlsen | Joseph Hardin |
| Kenneth Morrison | Joseph Wright |
| 12 Martin Chukwu | |
| 14 Joseph Porter | |
| 16 Patrick Yeung | |

Prayer List

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| Jim Varney | Jamie Hedges |
| Frank & Anna
Ruscheinsky | Kitty Choma |
| Alice & Tony Costantini | Dennis & Marlene Kent
family |
| Billy Leonard | Dick & Linda Quesnell |
| Jim Schonefeld | Doris Fortuno |
| Larry & Roberta McGrath | Luigi Rosa Family Member |
| Don Fischer
and the Family | Sopher Family |
| Ron Munsch | George Jackow |
| Stephen E. Williams | John McMahan Family |
| Frank Giambona | Francis Barney |
| | Denis Roy |

A Light Brightly Visible by *Bishop Noonan*



My Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Jesus speaks to us of treasure, but it is not treasure of earthly things. He speaks to us of the treasure of divine love; the love which He offers us in the gift of the Eucharist. The Eucharist, His Real Presence, is a salvific gift for our flourishing all our days. In the course of time, we may desire earthly treasure. I pray that people matter more to you than things because each one of you is born of God for God. If we live through, with and in God, then the treasure which Jesus describes will fill our heart until it might burst, so great is God's love for each one. Jesus leaves Himself for us in the Eucharist that we might be His Presence to one another. St. Philip Neri is known to have said that the love of God was more than "he could bear, or his heart would burst with love."

In every age, there is a turning away from God. When we read Scripture, from the Old to the New Testaments, we know of the sinfulness of the people. As we read, we might reflect upon our participation in turning away from God and how our situations may not be that different. Turn to the Sacrament of Reconciliation to mark your path toward God's treasure. We are each called to strive for holiness and justice so that we live God's Word, 24, 7, 365. In this, we serve one another as Jesus served His disciples. We become His hands of mercy, His word of comfort, His kiss of peace.

On August 15, we observe the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Our Blessed Mother leads us to be faithful. She shows us that holding firm in faith means accepting hardships, suffering, and loss without counting costs. She walks with us as we are vigilant in doing the Lord's work. We follow Mary to the heavens that we might know her Son and live in constant fiat to His call, "Come follow me."

In the words of Pope Leo XIV, "Let us ask God, by the intercession of His Mother, to bless all of you, your families, and your loved ones, and to help us all to walk together in the Church, united as the one family of God."

Sincerely yours in Christ, Most Reverend John Noonan Bishop of Orlando



Anthony Costantini
District Deputy– District 28



Worthy Brothers and Family Members

We will have the Sacred Heart of Jesus Icon starting on 9/16/2025.

Coordination with Holy Redeemer is necessary to make this a success. For churches that have overhead

screens there is a power point available for I will be sending a power point to the Grand Knight “Sacred

Heart Holy Hour. Grand Knights please be sure to fill out the log book for the events with number of attendees. Please give this the widest dissemination as possible.

Vivat Jesus

Anthony M. “Tony” Costantini– DD28- kofcdd28tony@yahoo.com



Robert Consolo

Grand Knight, Council 6624



Brother Knights All,

Greetings all, hope all my Brothers and Sisters are doing well.

Want to Congratulate our New Knight of the Month Micheal Colegrove and Family of the Month the Kitchen Crew. We have been having trouble with Volunteers to help for Bingo, and we would like to see more volunteers. Volunteers are always needed, so please come on down you will be fed and have plenty to drink. I want to remind you all that we use the income made from Bingo to maintain this building we housed in as well as donate to the various organizations we donate too.

Our next Council Meeting will be on September 3, 2025, and our Social will be on September 17, 2025.

At this meeting in September, we will have our budget prepared to show members of the Council. All donations to organizations are going to be cut in half compared to last year. This is for multiple reasons, we started the fiscal year already in the negative and with a decline in Bingo income. We still have some major projects that need to be completed at the Hall. So would like to give all organizations that need to be prepared for this at this time.

We are also talking about possibly increasing our yearly dues. The lack of Volunteering in our Bingo and other fund raisers are the reason for this currently. It's the same Brothers who volunteer their time and that is unfair to them. Again, I will ask all Brother Knights that your volunteer time is something that is part of being a Knight. We shouldn't have to ask repeatedly.

Please keep All our Brothers and Sisters who need our prayers because we have quite a few who need them currently. Let us keep special prayers going for Brother Tony Constantini, Brother Larry McGrath, Brother Jim Schoenfeld, Brother Bill Waggener, Brother Francis Barney, Brother Frankie Giambona, Brother Tommy Rosa, Brother Billy Leonard and Brother Richard Quesnell as they battle their health issues. Keep all our Brothers and Sisters in our daily prayers as we have so many who are in need and do not want to miss anyone. Also keep all the people in War torn Countries, First Responders, Military and Clergy.

Viva Jesus
Fraternally

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Robert Consolo Grand Knight, of St. Cloud -
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Michael Colegrove
the Knight of the Month



Robert Consolo Grand Knight, of St. Cloud - Kissimmee Council 6624,
Presenting
Family of the Month
The Kitchen Crew

Vinny, Wael, Angie, David, Kathy, Mary, Sherry, Maryann, and Helen

PLEASE WELCOME OUR NEWEST BROTHER KNIGHTS



Jeffery Ceglarek and Anthony Lurito

The Sacred Heart of Jesus Icon



Locations to see it:

Sept 2nd—Council 13116 Blessed Carlos Rodriguez

Sept 9th—Council 15357 St Thomas Aquinas

Sept 16th—Council 6624— Kissimmee— St Cloud



Please Congratulate

Brother and Sir Knight

Joe Hardin and his bride to be Adriana Cruz
on their Engagement to be married.



Joe is the son of PGK and PFN John and Cindy Hardin





Harry Rother,
Faithful Navigator ,
Fr. Holmes Assembly 1951



Worthy Sir Knights,

Mark your calendars: I was privileged to meet Fr. Jose Munoz, our new Pastor at Holy Redeemer. He had a close relationship with his previous parishes, and I told him that our Assembly is here to support him.

Father requested that Brother Knights and Sir Knights from Council 6624 and our Assembly attend the 9:00 am Mass, on September 14, 2025, at Holy Redeemer if possible. He will welcome us and give the Knights and their families a special blessing. Please wear your Council or Assembly shirt to Mass. Fr. Jose also plans to attend the Council 6624 Social on Wednesday, September 17, 2025, so please come and get to know our Pastor in a more personal setting.

I would like to thank Richard and Sharon Sikorski, Gerry Yeung, our Color Corps Commander, Ron Abner, Bruce Winner, and all the Brother Sir Knights, who attended the Memorial Mass for Brother James Needham at Holy Redeemer. We had a good turn out and showing support for lost Brothers is fundamental to our Order. There continues to be a number of requests for the Color Corps so anyone who has regalia please consider helping out. If you are interested, contact Gerry Yeung or me.

Thank you, Sir Knights, who attended our last Assembly meeting. We approved our budget for FY 2025-2026, and I introduced a few new ideas for the Assembly, including forming a Veterans Committee and a Fundraising Committee. I asked the Veterans Committee to prioritize all our Veterans programs for the year within our approved budget. Any new veteran initiatives should go to the Veterans Committee. Likewise, I asked the Fundraising Committee to investigate ways to fund programs or initiatives not already in our budget. If you have any interest in serving on one of these committees, please let me know.

Finally, the Pilgrim Icon of the Sacred Heart is coming to District 28 in September. I would like our Assembly members to participate in these prayer services, especially since they expand to include the parishes of Holy Cross Catholic Church and St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church. Stay tuned for more information.

Vivat Jesus!

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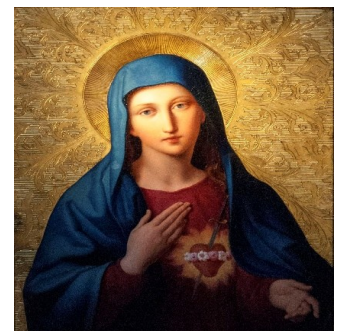
My Sister Columbiettes and all:

I hope everyone enjoyed their summertime off from our auxiliary meetings this past two months. As you know we start up again this month with a full schedule of events for this fiscal year, we will be having an initiation at our first meeting with two or more new candidates on the 20th of this month at nine thirty in the morning with the meeting to follow at 10 am, so please come and make these ladies feel welcomed into our auxiliary. Our first Chapter meeting will be held on the 27th of this month in Hanes City at the Knights Hall. If you are a Chapter delegate or alternate, please try and attend and any auxiliary member who wishes to go are welcome to attend also, meeting starts at 10:30 am. October 18th is the State Regional meeting all Officers must attend we will be carpooling; it will be held at the Holy Spirit Church Parish Center in Lake Wales; I hope to receive more information from the FL State Columbiettes by the time we have our first meeting.

This past July our fifth Tuesday was a disaster we only had six ladies showed up to help, two in the kitchen, one working the table, Kitty doing her regular job, I was calling bingo, and our new auxiliary member was on the floor all by herself until I was finished calling. The Grand Knight was very disappointed about the turnout, we need more ladies to step up and to show our help to the Knights at bingo, so if you could please let me know what bingo nights you can offer your help. When we have a special event like our fifth Tuesday at Bingo or a bake sale or any event that involves Columbiettes please wear your Columbiette shirt. I hope to see more of our ladies at the meetings that are coming up real soon.

Please keep Linda Quesnell and her husband Dick whose health is failing in your prayers, and please don't forget our brother Knights and Sister Columbiettes who are at home sick or cannot get out. May God Bless us all for good health and many more years to come. I will keep you all in my prayers and may God Bless you all.

Blessed Virgin Mary
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Blessed Virgin

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