








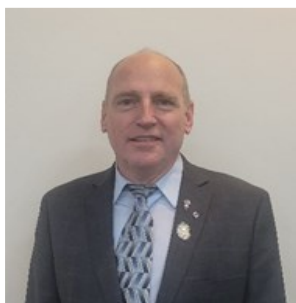
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Thanks for everyone's support in the month of Oct. It was a very busy month with the Knights leading the parish in the America Needs Fatima Public Rosary and manning the table at the Parrish Fall Festival at the United Methodist Church. We had two kids, Brycen and Breelyn Bosso, represent St Francis Cabrini Church and our council at the District Soccer Challenge Championship – and they both won! We conducted a hugely successful fish fry serving 231 meals and we served 250 hamburgers and 120 hot dogs to the parish during the annual Trunk or Treat gathering. By the time you read this, we will have conducted a roadside cleanup, a 5th Sunday Rosary/Recruitment Weekend and Corporate Communion. If all went well, we'll have more new members to become Knight's during our Nov Exemplification. Again, thanks for all your help and support.

**Fraternally,
John T. Kreger IV, Grand Knight**

November is a month of remembrance for the Catholic Church. It is a time when we pray for the souls of our loved ones who have passed on and are in purgatory. The Holy Souls in purgatory are those who have died in a state of grace but are not yet ready to enter heaven. We are encouraged to offer our prayers, sacrifices, and good works for their souls. In doing so, we show our love and concern for our departed loved ones and help them on their journey to eternal life. Let us take this opportunity to pray for the Holy Souls in purgatory and ask for their intercession.



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Benefits Advisor

Dear Brothers,

This week I visited with our Brother "John and Mary" in their home. After spending some quality time getting to know each other, I asked them if they had any concerns they wanted to talk about. Immediately, Mary shouted, "Yes, me! I'm concerned about me!" "Will I be OK if something happens to John?"

Understandably, many of our member's spouses have the same fear. (They just do not shout it out like Mary). This was my perfect opportunity to tell the story of Father McGivney and how the Knights were founded to protect widows and their children. I explained that is still my role 140 years later, to protect our members and their spouses from financial disasters.

"Mary asked again "How can we protect ME?" I pulled out a Family Service Record and explained to Mary, this document serves two particularly important purposes. First, if something should ever happen to John, I would have this complete record of you financial and family situation. I would be there for her to help her through those difficult times by guiding her through any issues she may have, K of C related or otherwise. Second, after we complete this record, if I see any ways, I can assist you in securing your financial future, "would you want to know what that is?" Mary said "Of course".

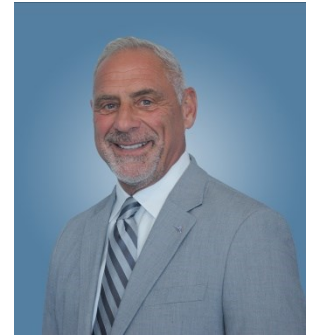
I told Mary that after we complete the form, I will complete a thorough financial analysis based on your unique situation. Together, we will review the plan focusing on four things:

Your current Cash Flow, would you be OK if John should pass? (And vice versa), would you and John be OK if you both lived a wonderful life into your 90s? and what are the effects of Long-Term Care on your financial assets. Mary never realized that the Knights of Columbus would do all that for her.

We scheduled another appointment to review the results and more importantly, to relieve Mary of all her anxieties about the future.

Brother Knights...I am here for your Mary and you!

Fraternally, Ron Moliterno Field Agent



Life



Blood Donor HONOR ROLL

Thank you for participating in the blood drive at
St. Frances Cabrini Church on Sunday, October 15, 2023

We are pleased to share with you that the recent blood drive resulted in 18 units of blood. Remember, each donation can save up to three lives, so that means 54 patients could benefit from the lifesaving efforts of blood donors from your organization. We encourage you to share the drive results with the rest of your team and please pass along our gratitude. The next scheduled blood drive is December 10, 2023.

Hope Barnhart - Account Representative



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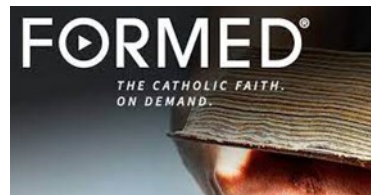
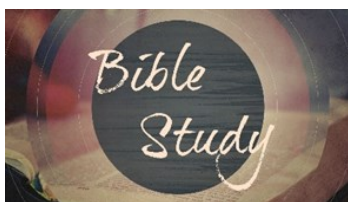


There are many ways here at St. Frances Cabrini to learn more about your faith. The opportunities available are:



Faith

Bible Study is available Friday mornings after Mass. There is also a young adult study group (18-33yrs old) on Tuesday evenings. Divine Mercy Cenacle is available Wednesday morning after Mass and Monday evenings at 6:30pm. That Man Is You every Saturday morning at 7am. Formed available by streaming, to gain access to all of FORMED's content, follow these simple steps: Go to <https://signup.formed.org/> Enter our parish's zip code Enter your name and your email address.



Peace—Paul Dadowski, Faith Director

"America Needs Fatima Public Rosary"

On Oct 14th, 38 people joined the Knights in praying the America Needs Fatima Public Rosary at the same time as 22,000+ other prayer groups and over 1,000,000 people across the country prayed. This is the 4th year in a row the Knight's have taken the lead locally and we'll do so again on Oct 12, 2024. See you then."

John T. Kreger IV, Grand Knight



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Faithful Navigator

Brother Knights,
As we continue to be active in our Church, I see big changes in the spirit of the Knights. Every day I see more people joining with us to help by volunteering or asking to join our council and assembly. Take the time to talk about what we do and try to help them decide to join us and make us even better. The Knights have shown what a team can do and continue to be a spiritual inspiration for all.



On October 7th & 8th, we handed out flag pencils, symbolic of:

Christopher Columbus: B: 1451 Genoa, Italy / D: 5/20/1506, Valladolid, Spain. Christopher Columbus was an Italian explorer and navigator from the Republic of Genoa who completed four Spanish-based voyages across the Atlantic Ocean sponsored by the Catholic Monarchs, opening the way for the widespread European exploration and European colonization of the Americas. Columbus believed, as a devout Christian that being on the spiritual path of

Christ was the only way to live in life. It was his duty to save the souls of those non-Christians in order to keep them from the gates of hell.

Saturday, 4 Nov - there is a Patriotic Ball at IMG. Cocktail hour begins at 5pm followed by the opening ceremony and dinner at 6pm. There will be dancing. Tickets are \$50 per person. If you would like more information please contact or see me.

God Bless, Kevin Almengual I FN



Community

Road side Cleanup:



Want to thank all the brothers that worked or volunteered for the 28th roadside cleanup which was very successful with over 30 bags of trash and other miscellaneous items picked up. Per the crew, this was the fastest that the two-mile stretch of US 301 had ever been done! Again, thanks for everyone's great job and help with this activity for keeping our community looking great!



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The Parish United Methodist Church Fall Festival was a resounding success, with over 2000 people attending the event. Father Joseph led the Knights. Several parishioners also joined us. One of the most popular attractions was Brother Ed's sun scope, which drew a large crowd. Five different churches were represented at the festival, and many attendees asked about our upcoming car show in January. The festival

was an excellent opportunity for the community to unite and enjoy food, games, and fellowship. We look forward to participating in similar events in the future.





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Family

The faith formation Trunk or Treat event was a huge success with over 250 parishioners in attendance. The event featured 21 creatively decorated cars, providing a fun and safe environment for children to trick or treat. The Knights of Columbus generously provided food for the event, serving up 150 burgers and over 120 hotdogs. The event was a great opportunity for families to come together and celebrate the Halloween season while also strengthening their faith community. A big thank you goes out to all the Knights who helped make the event possible and contributed to its success.



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2023 - 2024 Officers

Chaplain	Fr Joseph Gates	941-776-9097	Outside Guard	Osiel Villarreal	941-405-6207
Grand Knight	John T. Kreger IV	941-993-9988	3-Year Trustee	Hector Morales	412-478-1264
Dep Grand Knight	Ron Merigold	941-417-9766	2-Year Trustee	Tom Bradley	941-524-5264
Chancellor	Wayne Waletich	763-381-2923	1-Year Trustee	Thomas Januszka	732-690-8391
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Lecturer	Hank Stefanski	216-276-1402	Family Director	Ray Parker	813-748-9064
Inside Guard	Samuel Villarreal	941-243-2022	Life Director	Tom Bradley	941-524-5264
			Faith Director	Paul Dadowski	412-849-1592



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Thanks to all those who showed up to help with the fish fry - it was a huge success. My best guess is that we served 231 meals. We sold out of fish and shrimp and were done by 6:30pm. Top Three special thanks to DGK Ron Merigold for making sure we had plenty of volunteers. Special thanks to Lecturer Hank Stefanski for set up, making sure the friers worked and smooth flow of traffic and meal orders. Special thanks to Brother Lou Dumais for doing all he does - setup, food prep, thawing fish during the fish fry, making more cocktail sauce, etc. - he was tonight's Most Valuable Brother (MVB)

Vivat Jesus — John T. Kreger IV, PFN, PGN

Grand Knight Mother Cabrini Council 12155



Knights News



Council

Congratulations to Milton and Michelle Ziegler for being selected Family of the Month. Michelle's a lector for the 4 p.m. Saturday Vigil Mass and will be leading the congregation in praying the rosary in October. Milton is a Sacristan and Altar Server for the same mass. In fact, Milton served four weekend masses in the month of September alone. Thank you both for all you do for St. Frances Cabrini Church and as a member of the Knights of Columbus.



Sal Curcio has been selected as Knight of the Month. Sal is a passionate muscle car enthusiast who brought years of experience as both an organizer and participant to help organize our car show. In addition to his love for cars, Sal is also a member of the Faith Formation Food Service Team, serving the Church Community. Sal's commitment to the council doesn't stop there, serving as an officer with the title of Warden. Congratulations to Sal Curcio for his outstanding contributions to the Council and the Church Community.



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Notes / Calendars

Council 12155 is excited to announce its third exemplification of this fraternal year, to be held on November 14th. There will be a Rosary at 5pm and Mass at 5:30. Candidates will meet in the Cabrini Center after mass (approximately, 6:10pm). The ceremony will begin promptly at 6:30pm. A short Business Meeting will follow and conclude by 8:00pm. Proper attire for candidates is a coat and tie or business suit. If you know of someone wishing to become a Knight, they can pre-join on-line at KofC.org. If you have questions, see a brother Knight. We invite everyone to join us for this special occasion. This is a great opportunity to welcome in our new brothers and celebrate the values of our organization.

Ron Merigold, Deputy Grand Knight



Friday, 1 December

Fish Fry

From 5 to 7 pm

Outdoor Seating

Tootsie Roll Drive:

Brothers, The upcoming Tootsie Roll drive is just around the corner on January 19th and 20th. This great cause benefits the Special Olympics of Manatee County, and I highly recommend signing up to help out. You can see Brother Hank to get involved and make a difference in the lives of people with disabilities in our community. Thank you for your support!

November Birthdays to the fellow Brothers !

MILTON	ZIEGLER	1
RAY	PARKER	8
PAUL	ECKLEY	9
STEPHEN	KENNEY	9
ALFRED	MELITO	12
GIULIO	MUSCIANO	12
JOHN	STEVENS, II	13
JONATHAN	ALBANO	15
MICHAEL	JONES	15
EDWARD	CAMPBELL	16
RICHARD	ARBIZZANI	17
ARTHUR	HANSEN	26
JACK	WAGNER	27
STEPHEN	HOVANEK	29
ROGER	RODRIGUEZ	29



Veterans Day Memorial Mass:

Sarasota National Cemetery
Opening ceremonies start at
2:45pm

Celebrant: Bishop Frank J. Dewane

For details: ar-

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or 941-484-9534

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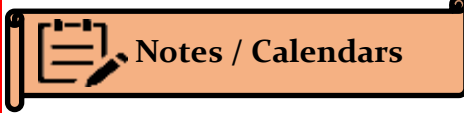
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Remember to mark your calendars for the upcoming meetings at The Mother Cabrini Center! Third-degree meetings will be held on the 4th Tuesday of the month, while fourth-degree meetings will be held on the 3rd Tuesday of the month. Both meetings start at 7 pm sharp, so be sure to arrive on time. See you there!

November 2023

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wen	Thru	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4 <i>Patriotic Ball @ IMG Academy 5pm</i>
5	6	7	8	9	10	11 <i>Veterans Day Recognition</i> 
12	13	14 <i>Exemplification 6:30 3rd degree meeting 7:15 pm, MCC</i>	15	16	17	18
19 <i>Family Faith Formation Lunch - Pot Luck</i>	20	21 <i>4th degree meeting 7pm, Mother Cabrini Center</i>	22	23 <i>Happy Thanksgiving</i> 	24	25 <i>4th Degree Exemplification, Orlando, FL</i>
26	27	28 <i>3rd degree meeting</i> CANCELED	29	30		