



# The Pinta Log



## Grand Knight's Message to the Council

By Grand Knight, Tom Przybyla



### Brother Knights,

Our Council just completed our annual Vocations Fundraiser. Thanks to God, and to all of our donors, we had a very successful campaign this year, receiving **\$5,113**. We will distribute \$2,000 to each of 3 seminarians that we support financially to help with their education expenses. May God bring us more priests and bless us for helping these seminarians.

I was asked if the Knights could serve refreshments after all 6 masses on Sat/Sun October 15/16. It started with just 6 volunteers making coffee and lemonade for each mass. I sent an email out asking for volunteers and 2 days later, there were no replies. I then found out that we also needed to serve donuts and cookies after each mass. Now the number of volunteers increased to 20. With help from the SMM Office, I organized the activities that would be involved. I sent out another email and prayed. One of the most challenging aspects of organizing an event is not knowing if we will get enough volunteers. This then becomes a test of my faith and belief that when I ask God to provide volunteers with expectant faith, he answers my prayers. This is stressful especially when the response for volunteers comes in slowly. I know that I need to fully depend on Jesus and trust in him. So, I continued to ask and pray that the Lord would inspire Knights to volunteer. Well, God answered my prayers and we had enough volunteers to help with each Mass. I'm also learning to have faith in a dedicated group of Knights who always volunteer for our events. If you struggle with trusting in the Lord at times, perhaps these short prayers may help increase your faith.

◇ *One thing I have found helpful is to keep repeating: No fear. No worry. No doubt. Jesus is my Security now and always.*

◇ *"Lord Jesus, you have the words of everlasting life. Help me to cast aside all doubt and fear so that I may freely embrace your word with complete trust and joy. I surrender all to you. Be the Lord of my life and the Ruler of my heart. May there be nothing which hinders me from trusting in your love and following your will."*

I'm happy to report that we will be having a joint Men's Club and Knights Christmas party on Saturday December 10 in the cafeteria starting at 6 pm. We will need help in decorating and setting up the cafeteria. Unfortunately, **Frank Dailey** cannot serve as Santa Claus but he has offered his suit to anyone who would like to play Santa. Is anyone interested? Let me know.

On Tuesday, November 22 there will be a special Mass to remember our Council's deceased Knights who passed away during the year. Sadly, there are 5 deceased Knights that we will be honoring at this Mass to be held in the Chapel: **Rev James E Martinez, David W Lair, Matthew D Auken, Daniel D Focarino, and Reverend Michael W Burke**. Please attend this Mass to show our love and support to the families of these Knights.

**Tom Przybyla, Grand Knight**

### Inside This Issue:

Upcoming Calendar & Events	2 - 4
From our Faith Director	4
From our Life Director	5
Fraternal Benefits Advisor	6
Communion Mass/Breakfast	7
Serving Refreshments	8
Vocations Fundraiser Results	9
Birthdays	9
Congratulations Knights	10

### Important Dates - Looking Ahead:

- **Thu Nov 3** – Officer's Planning Meeting 7:00 pm
- **Tue Nov 8** – Council Meeting 7:00 pm
- **Fri Nov 11**– Veteran's Day
- **Sat Nov 12** – Sharing Saturday 9:00 am
- **Tue Nov 22** – Deceased Brother's Mass 7:00 pm
- **Wed Nov 23** – Coalition for the Homeless 4:30 pm
- **Tue Nov 29** – Pinta Log Content Deadline
- **Tue Dec 6** – Officer's Planning Meeting 7:00 pm
- **Wed Dec 14** – Council Meeting 7:00 pm

Photo Contributors: Tom Przybyla, John Dsa, Roger Copeland

Editor: **Tom Przybyla**

Council website: <https://www.bishopgradykofo.org/>

View pictures from Council events from **Roger Copeland's** Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/547682935400754/>

**2022 - 2023 Annual Calendar Schedule of Events:** [Annual Calendar](#)

**Upcoming Council Events:** Click on the link to view more details: [Upcoming Events](#)



## November 2022

## The Pinta Log Calendar

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 All Saint's Day	2 All Soul's Day	3 Virtual Officer's Planning Meeting	4	5
6 Daylight Saving Time Ends	7	8 ELECTION DAY Council Meeting	9	10	11 Veterans Day	12 Serve Saturday Sharing Center Serve Saturday
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22 Deceased Brothers' Mass	23 COALITION FOR THE HOMELESS OF CENTRAL FLORIDA Feed the Homeless	24 Thanksgiving	25	26
27 Advent Begins	28	29 Pinta Log Content Deadline	30			

- Check our Council's website for up-to-the-minute information on new events or changes to scheduled events. Add the site to your browser's 'Favorites' for quick access.

- If you have a story you would like to be considered for inclusion in *The Pinta Log*, please submit the article by email to:

[przybytw@cfl.rr.com](mailto:przybytw@cfl.rr.com).

The content deadline for the **December** edition is **Tuesday, November 29**.

Submission does not guarantee your article will be published.

## Officer Planning Meeting - Thu November 3

By Tom Przybyla



Our Council's next Officer's Planning meeting will occur on **Thursday**, November 3. Due to the All Saint's Day Mass on Tuesday, November 1, the meeting is moving from Tuesday to **Thursday** at 7 pm. It will be held virtually using Microsoft Teams from 7:00 - 8:00 pm. An email with the meeting link will be distributed before the meeting.

All Knights are invited to participate with this meeting. All council officers, directors and chairpersons are asked to participate with these meetings to fulfill the responsibilities of their position. Financial reports and previous meeting minutes will be presented at the monthly Officer's Planning meeting. All new business requests must be presented at the Officer's Planning meeting, discussed and if needed, voted on at the monthly general meeting.

## Council Meeting - Tue November 8

By Tom Przybyla



Our Council's next Council meeting will be held on Tuesday, **November 8** starting at 7:00 pm. We will meet at Brother **Larry Mancini's** business, "**Love Your Bath - Jacuzzi**" at [997 W. Kennedy Blvd, Suite 16 Orlando](#) at 7:00 pm (click the link to access the location on a Google map).

A Rosary will be recited starting at 6:30 pm in the lobby of Larry's business 'Love your Bath'.

Refreshments will be provided by **John Dsa** after the meeting. An email will be sent several days before the meeting announcing these details.

Please read last month's Council meeting minutes before this meeting (if you need the password to the Council's minutes page, send an email to Tom Przybyla at [przybytw@cfl.rr.com](mailto:przybytw@cfl.rr.com)) at this link :

<http://www.bishopgradykoofc.org/council-meeting-minutes.html>



**997 W. Kennedy Blvd, Suite 16**



## Serve Saturday at the Sharing Center - Sat November 12

Our Council participates with **Serve Saturday at the Sharing center** every **2nd Saturday of the month**, serving from **9:00 am – 12:00 pm Noon**.

**Serve Saturday**  
Join us for a Saturday of service  
helping our community in need!

**Our next event is November 12.** If you can attend our next event, please signup using the link below or you can email Tom Przybyla at [przybytw@cfl.rr.com](mailto:przybytw@cfl.rr.com).

Bring your family, especially teenagers who need service hours. **Sign-up link:** [volunteer signup](#)

There were 9 volunteers at the October event: **Alan Blackmon, Tom Weninger, Melissa and David Weisman, Karen and Ed Gallagher** new volunteers, Vicki and **Mike Yurso** and me. We all tagged and hung clothes in the retail store. [Click to see all the photos.](#)

The Sharing center is located at: [600 North Highway 17-92, Suite 130 Longwood, FL 32750](#) (click on the link to open a Google map)



## Mass for Deceased Brother Knights - Tue November 22



All Knights and their families are invited to attend a Mass for the intentions of our departed Brother Knights in the **SMM Chapel** on Tuesday, November 22. The Mass will start at 7:00 pm and our honorable pastor **Father Charlie Mitchell** will officiate. This annual event is a moving experience as we remember and pray for those Knights who have gone to their reward, especially those we lost during the past year: **Rev James E Martinez, David W Lair, Matthew D Aufer, Daniel D Focarino, and Reverend Michael W Burke.**

Brothers, please attend this Mass to show our love and support to the wives and family members of those loved ones we will honor at this Mass. It is also an excellent opportunity to pray for those brothers who might be in Purgatory. Refreshments will be served immediately after the Mass in the SMM Cafeteria.

## Next Coalition Dinner - Wed November 23

By John Dsa



Our Council normally serves dinner at the Coalition for the Homeless in downtown Orlando on the fourth Wednesday of each month. **The next dinner is Wednesday, November 23 and arrival time at the kitchen is 4:30 pm.**

There were 8 volunteers who served at the October dinner: (from left) Dorothy, Ferosa D'Abreu, **John Dsa, George Sheldon, Jim Pandolphi, Tom Weninger, Pat Braun** and Walt Dinger. They served dinner to around 250 people. Thank you for serving the poor and the homeless of our community.

**John Dsa** chairs these dinners. If you would like to volunteer for this dinner, please contact John at [johnpauldsa@gmail.com](mailto:johnpauldsa@gmail.com) or 407-733-7063.

The **Coalition for the Homeless** is located at 639 W. Central Blvd in Orlando (located between Terry Ave and Parramore Ave). For a map of their location, click on [map](#).



# Knights & Men's Club Christmas Party - Sat December 10



Mark your calendars for the Knights of Columbus Council 5618 and SMM Men's Club Christmas party to be held on Saturday, December 10 at 6:00 pm in the SMM Cafeteria! Our Council will provide a main dish of smoked pork which will be prepared by **Les Philip** and dessert from Scotchie's Cakes. This will be a pot luck dinner with each person bringing a covered dish (suggestions are: appetizers, fruit platters, hot or cold platters of veggies and potato and rice dishes, but no desserts).

To cover the cost of the main dish and dessert, there will be a charge of \$5.00 per adult; children 12 and under is \$3.00. If you have a larger family (mom, dad and 4 or more children), the cost is \$20.00.

**Tom Przybyla** will send emails that will contain: 1) a link to RSVP so we can get a count; 2) the ability to provide a description of your side dish so we don't have multiples of a dish; 3) a link to pay online; and 4) instructions for paying with a check or cash. You can also RSVP and pay at our November 8 Council meeting.

The deadline to RSVP and make your payment will be Tuesday, December 6.

## From Our Faith Director

By Les Philip



### My Brother Knights,

I was running a bit late in getting my thoughts put together so that our Grand Knight could finish publishing our Pinta Log newsletter with my article. For some reason the 1980s came to mind and I started thinking what television programs and music we listened to back 40 short years ago. It wasn't that long ago but it was the era of Michael Jackson, Aerosmith, Journey, Queen, Kiss, Chicago, Rolling Stones and so many others. TV programs like Cheers, Miami Vice, Hill Street Blues, Happy Days and Laverne & Shirley. Back then, and it wasn't that long ago, a new home in this area was around \$47,000. You could buy a gallon of gas for \$1.19 and a dozen eggs would cost you less than \$1.00. Yes, in many ways, things have changed and especially now between the COVID pandemic and our current financial situation. Back in the 80's, that year the world population was about 4.6 billion people. I know that number doesn't seem very exciting but consider that 4.6 billion people are using social media worldwide today.

The hunger to see and be seen has in many minds infected our world. People want to know how many followers they have, how many likes. They're on Facebook, Instagram and other programs. It seems that our addiction to social media is on the rise while our attention spans are on the decline. On any given day, you can go to a restaurant and if there are eight people sitting down for lunch or dinner you can be sure at least 50% of them are on their cell phones texting or looking up data. I do realize that parents of young children have lost their ability to convince them to use the little coloring book and crayons rather than bringing in their iPad.

And in the midst of all of this, we are losing our sense of identity. We all know that Jesus invites us to a better way, to a life more abundantly. Take a moment and think about his 12 Apostles. Sure, we know a few of them like Peter, James, John, Matthew, and Bartholomew. Most of us couldn't list all of them at our age yet their cohort turned "the world upside down." Check out acts 17:6.

My Brother Knights, we don't need to be famous, we only need to be faithful. We don't need cultural visibility. We need to walk boldly in our identity as sons and daughters of Jesus Christ. We all know that he paid the ransom for us.

When you get a chance, read about the miraculous catch of fish in John chapter 21. You will read that the apostles caught 153 fish. What's so significant about 153 fish? Well, that number isn't just another statistic. It points to our identity in the Messiah, in Jesus. That number of 153 equals in Hebrew writing, equates to "children of God." This detail not only deepens our confidence in Holy Scripture, it also deepens our confidence in who we are. We may feel unseen. We may not have a lot of followers on social media. We may even feel distanced because we are not even that engaged in this digital village on the Internet. But one thing that does matter is this: we matter to God. We belong to him. We are God's favorite.

Now, let's go out into all the world and turn it upside down in Jesus Christ's name and show our generosity to all those, his people. If you are not already in a small group, take the plunge and give it a try. You'll be glad you did.

Vivat Jesus!

**Les Philip,**  
**Faith Director**





### Brothers,

For those of you who missed it, the 2022 Life Choices Fund Raising Dinner was held on October 21. The room was packed and the event was a rousing success. The Keynote Speaker was Fr. Stephen Imbarrato. For those of you who don't know who Fr. Imbarrato is, I suggest you read the attached: [his-girlfriend-aborted-their-twin-babies-now-hes-a-pro-life-priest-working-to-end-abortion](#). He admits he was a man before he was a priest and like our own beloved Monsignor Ed Thompson, he made mistakes. This article is a bit dated, as he now resides in Holly Hill, Florida.

There will be Rosaries in front of the "Women's Choices" Abortion Clinic on November 5 and 19 at 8-9:00 am. Be there with us and pray for the staff, the "Community Organizers" who are outside heckling us; the women who are going in pregnant and coming out without their children and of course the children. We are there to pray ... not to heckle.

**On Tuesday, November 22 the Kissimmee Knights are sponsoring a bus to transport us to the Capitol. This Pro-Life Day of Action is designed to get us before our legislators exactly 14 days post-election. They are required to be there for their swearing in ceremony. The charter bus will depart the Kissimmee K of C Hall, found at:**

2000 Neptune Road

Kissimmee, FL 34744

Departure time: 6:00 AM      Return time: 7:00 PM

Cost: \$25/person

[View Invitation](#)

The green link is for the reservation and additional information.

On Nov 19, the **Comraderie Foundation** will sponsor a "Ruck Sack Race" at SeaWorld. The registration link is: [Ruck Sack Race 5K - SeaWorld Orlando \(runsignup.com\)](#) Please sign up for the Ruck Sack Race 5K - SeaWorld Orlando on Nov 19, 2022! We need to get out and show our support for our Veterans. The Foundation was created to help our Vets who suffer from PTSD. They recognize the VA is overburdened and needs help. Therefore they created a 501(c)3 to help with counselling, transition and other services for our veterans. [About | Camaraderie Foundation](#)

Finally, mark your calendars for March 4, 2023. We don't want to forget about the 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Central Florida Laps4Life Event. Bishop Moore High School. More to follow.

Vivat Jesus,

**James J. Taglia,**  
**Culture of Life Director**

## 40 Days for Life - Through Sun Nov 6



Fall 2022 | Sept 28 - Nov 6

**40 DAYS FOR LIFE**  
THE BEGINNING OF THE END OF ABORTION.

### Altamonte Springs Campaign

The Fall campaign for the 40 Days for Life continues through November 6. The vigil calendar is now open for you to pick your hours and dates. Please try to add an extra hour to your time slot .... this will help greatly to fill the weekly time slots and we won't have to be looking for someone to complete the calendar each day.

We will peacefully pray at the public right-of-way in front of All Women's Health [abortion] Center, 431 Maitland Avenue, Altamonte Springs, FL 32701.

To sign up for prayer times, visit our campaign using the web link: [https://www.40daysforlife.com/vigil-hours-signup.aspx?l\\_id=610](https://www.40daysforlife.com/vigil-hours-signup.aspx?l_id=610) If you have any questions regarding the Altamonte Springs 40 Days For Life fall campaign contact:

Mark Romagosa, Altamonte Springs - Leader [freedomflight32750@yahoo.com](mailto:freedomflight32750@yahoo.com) 321-945-2895

# Fraternal Benefits Advisor

## Top 10 Facts to Know About Long-Term Care Planning

November is National Long-Term Care Awareness Month, an event recognized by Congress and a number of States. To mark the occasion, here are 10 interesting facts shared by the American Association for Long-Term Care Insurance.

1. Americans are living longer, in large part due to advances in medical care and public health. Life expectancy in the US for those reaching 65 was 20 years on average in 2019.
2. By 2030, one in five residents in the US will be age 65 or older.
3. The number of people in need of long-term support services (LTSS) in the United States is already at 14 million and expected to grow to 27 million by 2050.
4. Average out-of-pocket costs are \$140,000 for those individuals who utilize paid long term support services (LTSS). Roughly 17 percent will spend over \$100,000 on LTSS. Almost 9 percent will spend over \$250,000 on LTSS.
5. By 2040, the total prevalence of Alzheimer's disease and related dementias in the US is expected to approximately double from 7.2 million to nearly 13 million, with 8.5 million women and 4.5 million men expected to develop dementia.
6. For those requiring high levels of LTSS, individuals and families pay 55 percent of long-term care costs out of pocket.
7. Currently, the majority of older single-person households are female. Women comprised 74 percent of solo households age 80 and over.
8. Some 7.5 million Americans have some form of long-term care insurance. Two-thirds of all new individual long-term care insurance claims pay for care needed by women.
9. The long-term care insurance industry paid out \$11 billion in benefits to some 310,000 individuals with insurance protection in 2019. The number will increase each year as the current number of policyholders grow older and, as a result, are more likely to begin their claim.
10. 69.5 percent of new claims start after the policyholder reached age 80. If you live a long life, you are very likely to need long term care. You'll be very glad you have a policy to pay benefits.

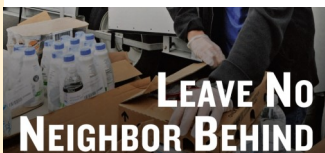
<https://www.aaltci.org/about/long-term-care-awareness-month-2020.php>

**SE FLORIDA URRUTIA AGENCY** [www.kofclife-sefl.com](http://www.kofclife-sefl.com)

*If you need immediate assistance, please dial **(561)-899-0778** to arrange a meeting.*

	 <b>Knights of Columbus</b>	
<b>Jonathan Knaus, LUTCF®, FICF, CLTC</b>		
<b>Field Agent</b>		
Phone: 561-603-8303		
<a href="mailto:jonathan.knaus@kofc.org">jonathan.knaus@kofc.org</a>		
License #W178955		
 		
<b>Life Insurance • Long-Term Care Insurance</b> <b>Retirement Annuities • Disability Income Insurance</b>		
<i>Protecting Catholic families since 1882.</i>		

## Leave No Neighbor Behind - Helping Hands Program



If you know of a brother Knight, Men's Club member or SMM parishioner who needs the labor to help with a small project, such as yard work, pressure washing, or small repairs, and they have purchased the needed supplies, please contact our program chair **Martin Homac** at [homacmartin1@gmail.com](mailto:homacmartin1@gmail.com) or 321-356-3184 or **Tom Przybyla** at [przybytw@cfl.rr.com](mailto:przybytw@cfl.rr.com) or 407-460-8109. We need at least a week of lead time before we can schedule the project work.



# Corporate Communion Mass & Breakfast

By Tom Przybyla

Our Council's Corporate Communion Mass was held on October 16 at the 8 am Mass. Our Pastor, **Fr. Charlie Mitchell** presided over the Mass and thanked the Knights for our many parish activities. Immediately after the Mass, breakfast was served in the Cafeteria. Around 50 people attended the Mass and breakfast. Mary-Jeanine Ibarguen and her husband Stefan cooked a delicious breakfast of egg/sausage casserole, croissants, homemade pumpkin muffins and fruit. Christine Shields and several women from the SMM CCW decorated the tables, assisted with cooking, served the food and beverages and then cleaned up afterwards. We really appreciated their hard work and excellent service!

Following breakfast, Deacon **Greg Nelsen** gave a relevant talk on vocations, both for the priesthood and for us lay people. Thank you everyone for attending and helping to make this event be successful and enjoyable! See all the photos on our Home webpage: <https://www.bishopgradykofc.org/>





## Serving Refreshments After All Masses

By Tom Przybyla

A week after our Council's Corporate Communion Mass & Breakfast, I was asked by Gail Rayos if the Knights could serve refreshments after all of the Masses on Saturday and Sunday, October 15/16. The office wanted to bring back refreshments after all masses once a month with a different ministry serving the food and beverages each month, starting with the Knights of Columbus.

Since one of the priorities of our Council is to serve our parish and community, I said we could do it. Thankfully, 20 Knights volunteered to make and serve coffee and lemonade and to serve donut holes and cookies after 6 Masses. I received positive feedback afterwards that this event was very successful and that many people appreciated our service and that the event occurred again.

Thank you to the Knights who helped make this event be fun and successful. May God bless us all!



## Attendance Drawing



The winner of the last month's \$50 pot was **Kelly Craine**, but he was not present at the meeting!

The Attendance Drawing is a program that encourages our Council Knights to come to our Council meetings. The pot for our next month's meeting will contain **\$100**. You could be the next winner! But, **you need to be present at the meeting to win!** If there is no winner, the pot increases by \$25 each month to a maximum of \$150.

**Roger Copeland** won the 50/50 drawing, winning \$34.

## Weekly Exemplification Ceremonies

The Florida State Council presents weekly Exemplifications of Charity, Unity and Fraternity. Click the links below to register new candidates or to have your 1st and 2nd Degree members to advance to the 3rd Degree.

The English Exemplifications are held weeks 1-4 on Thursday and the 4th Monday at 7:00 pm. The Spanish Exemplifications are held the 3rd Wednesday and the 5th Thursday at 8:00 pm.

[English Exemplifications](#)

[Spanish Exemplifications](#)

## Exemplification Ceremony on Demand!



Knights of  
Columbus®

On-Demand Exemplification of Charity, Unity and Fraternity

**The Exemplification of Charity, Unity and Fraternity is now available on-demand.**

Any current 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree Knights can advance to the 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree at any time of the day or night, 24/7, at your convenience. **To participate in the ceremony immediately, use the**

**"On Demand" link below and the 30-minute ceremony will start upon completion of your registration.**

**If you know of any Brother Knight who would like to advance to the Third Degree, please pass this information on to that Brother!**

- Provide the required information including your council number (5618).
  - Please note that your family and friends are welcome to observe the ceremony.
- We look forward to you becoming a third-degree Knight of Columbus!

**On Demand**



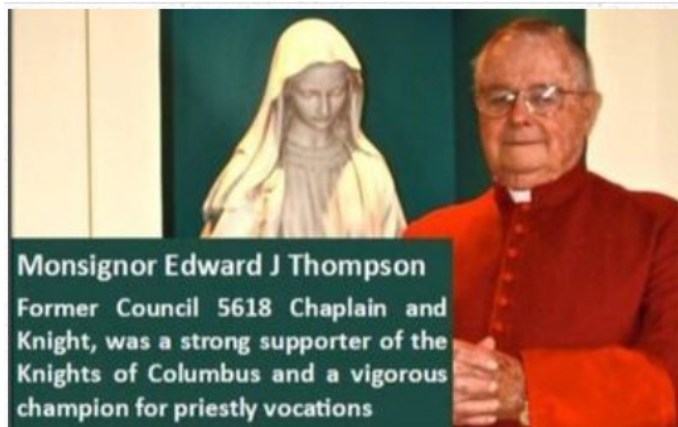
# Vocations Fund Raiser

By Tom Przybyla

To God be the Glory – With all Thanksgiving, Honor and Praise. Thanks be to God for answering our prayers for a successful Vocations Fundraiser. Thank you to our Knights who donated items for the silent auction and the raffle tickets. Thank you to the many donors who contributed to our Council raising **\$5,113** for Vocations! This will allow us to send \$2,000 to each of the 3 seminarians that we support financially.

**This year's raffle ticket and silent auction winners are:**

<b>Pressure Wash Jobs</b>	<b>Winner</b>
Small job	Larry Scotchie
Medium job	Chuck Richardson
Large job	Ed Gallagher
<b>Raffle Ticket Item</b>	<b>Winner</b>
Baskets of Cheer	Bob Dudas
Lottery Tickets	Dominick Fiorentino
Rotisserie	Bob Rasch
Papa Johns	Buddy Anderson
Original Art	Bob Rasch
4Rivers #1	Martin Homac
4Rivers #2	Don Holzemer
<b>Silent Auction Item</b>	<b>Winner</b>
Fishing Trip 1	Larry Scotchie
Fishing Trip 2	Lou Elrose
Smoked Pork	Mark Lawrence
Yard Cleanup job	Karen Berg
Scotchie's Signature Cake Gift Card	George Eichner



## Brothers Celebrating November Birthdays

<b>Nov 1</b>	Andrew Nelson	<b>Nov 11</b>	Emilio T Regala	<b>Nov 20</b>	Richard F Moltzon
<b>Nov 1</b>	Joseph C Pullara	<b>Nov 13</b>	Robert W Rasch	<b>Nov 22</b>	Dr Lawrence W Marquis
<b>Nov 3</b>	Joseph P Corkum	<b>Nov 13</b>	Andrew P Lannon	<b>Nov 22</b>	Agapito C Sta.Romana
<b>Nov 7</b>	James M Herbert	<b>Nov 15</b>	David W Foret	<b>Nov 28</b>	Oscar D Arechavala
<b>Nov 10</b>	Albert F Landgraf Jr	<b>Nov 17</b>	Rev Charles I Mitchell		

***Happy Birthday Brother Knights!***

## Donations for Needful Council Knights

By Ed Fleri

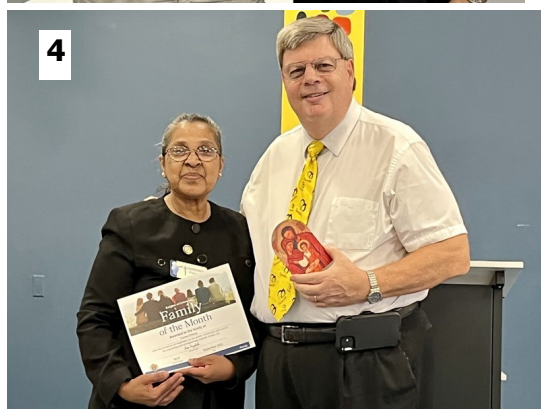


Brothers, as you know, we are assisting five families, consisting of 11 children and 11 adults, by providing food and or gift cards from Publix, Winn Dixie or Aldi markets on a weekly basis.

Your continued support is greatly appreciated. Donations may be dropped off at Tom's Auto Repair (**Tom Galaida**) located at 151 Obrien Road. The telephone number is 407.831.8484

The food and or gift cards will be picked up and distribute weekly. Your gifts are greatly appreciated by the participants. Vivat Jesus, Brother Ed Fleri 407-923-2828

# Congratulations Council 5618 Knights of Columbus!



**Picture #1:** Grand Knight **Tom Przybyla** presents the Knight of the Month award for September to **Bob Rasch** at the October Council meeting. Bob is very active as the Worthy State Advocate for the Florida State Council. He is our Council's Trustee. He was involved with helping **Fr. Frank Lobo** with his legal affairs and found him

a home to live in temporarily. He is a member of our Council's Degree Exemplification Ceremonies team and he is the leader of the fish fryers for our Lenten Fish Fry Dinners. Bob is a very active participate in many of our Knights events and he is a model for all Knights to follow.

**Picture #2:** Grand Knight **Tom Przybyla** welcomes one of the Council's newest Knights, **Richard Hosler** at the October Council meeting. Richard became a Knight on September 15.

**Picture #3:** Grand Knight **Tom Przybyla** welcomes one of the Council's newest Knights, **Dan Lara** at the October Council meeting. Dan became a Knight on September 22.

**Picture #4:** Grand Knight **Tom Przybyla** presents the September Family of the Month Award to Ferosa D'Abreu at the Corporate Communion Breakfast. She is a regular volunteer for many of the Knight's events. She helped setup for our Corporate Communion Breakfast. She volunteers at many of our monthly Coalition for the Homeless dinner events to help serve. She often does special things for people, like framing and presenting a picture of the family of a recent Family of the Month awardee. She worked at several of our Lenten Fish Fry Dinners and she frequently volunteers at CCW events. She also helps out at SMM funerals. We applaud Ferosa for the strong example she sets for all families in our community!

**Picture #5:** Worthy District Deputy Michael Coleman presents the Council's Columbian Award for 2021—2022 to Grand Knight **Tom Przybyla**. The Columbian Award recognizes excellence in our council's programming and charitable outreach. To earn this award our council must conduct and report programs in each of the four program categories (Faith, Family, Community, and Life).

**No picture:** Brother **Joe Spinella** became an honorary life member on October 23. Knights who have attained the actual age of 70 years and who have been members of the Order for 25 consecutive years, and those who have been members of the Order for 50 consecutive years, regardless of age, are designated as **Honorary Life Membership** members.

**Congratulations Council 5618 Knights on your achievements!!**



## Council Officers 2022 - 2023

Website Link: [Officers](#)

<b>Chaplain</b>		<b>Advocate:</b>	Ed Gallagher
<b>Grand Knight:</b>	Tom Przybyla	<b>Lecturer:</b>	John Paul D'sa
<b>Deputy Grand Knight:</b>	George Meyer	<b>Trustee 1 Year:</b>	Bob Rasch
<b>Chancellor:</b>	David Weisman	<b>Trustee 2 Year:</b>	Richard Coln
<b>Financial Secretary:</b>	Donald Holzemer	<b>Trustee 3 Year:</b>	Roger Copeland
<b>Recorder:</b>	Peter Ramondetta	<b>Fraternal Benefits Advisor:</b>	Jonathan Knaus
<b>Treasurer:</b>	Les Philip	<b>District Deputy, District 24:</b>	Michael Coleman
<b>Warden:</b>	Tom Poppell	<b>District Warden, District 24:</b>	
<b>Inside Guard:</b>	Oscar Arechavala	<b>Outside Guard:</b>	Alan Blackmon

## Faith In Action Program Directors & Chairmen 2022 - 2023

<b>Faith Director:</b>	Les Philip	<b>Community Director:</b>	Ed Gallagher
<b>Family Director:</b>	Tom Przybyla (temporary)	<b>Life Director:</b>	James Taglia Jr
<b>Membership Chairman:</b>	Martin Homac	<b>Youth Chairman:</b>	Ed Gallagher
<b>Coalition for the Homeless Dinners Chairman:</b>	John Dsa	<b>Lenten Fish Fry Dinners Chairman:</b>	Tom Przybyla
<b>Seminarian Chairman:</b>	Emilio Regala	<b>Card Ministry Chairman:</b>	Beeler Gausz

Want to order your wife our Council's K of C name tag? You can order a name tag from **Don Holzemer** at our next business meeting or by sending him an email at [amidon49@cfl.rr.com](mailto:amidon49@cfl.rr.com).

Beeler Gausz, our Council's chairman of the Card Ministry will send out cards of hope, sympathy, or condolence in our Council's name to brothers and families who are in distress, such as when we lose a brother, or we want to cheer up a brother or their loved one who might be homebound or who is in the hospital. If you would like Beeler to send out a card, please notify him via email: [abgausz@me.com](mailto:abgausz@me.com) or by phone: 321-229-7547 (cell).

If you know of a Brother, or relative of a Brother in distress, contact any of your Council officers. We have many people who need your prayers as they suffer severe medical challenges. They know your prayers are a blessing. Please continue to pray all the Knights and their loved ones who are in need of prayers, especially those people on our [Council's Prayer List](#), which is found on our website.

## ANDERSON ASSOCIATES

Specializing in Medicare

Turning age 65 in the next 4 months? Have more questions than answers? Do you have the plan best suited for YOU? Considering a change in your plan for next year? Over 65 and losing your group coverage? Call me!

**My job is to explain your options and I am well versed in Medicare. Call me...let's talk!**

205 Whippoorwill Drive      wcanderson1@outlook.com  
Altamonte Springs, FL      407-834-8973 (r)  
32701-7827      407-402-7879 (c/text)

**William "Buddy" Anderson LUTCF**

**TOM'S**  
**AUTO REPAIR**  
151 O'BRIEN ROAD  
407-831-8484

Timing Belts • Tune Ups • Engine Repair  
Brakes • Clutches • A. C. Repair  
Computer Diagnosis & Repair

## TOM'S AUTO REPAIR, INC.

Foreign & Domestic  
Same Day Service

**407-831-8484**

MV-06515

**TOM & MARY ELLEN GALAIDA**  
Parishioners

151 O'Brien Road

**Fern Park, FL 32730**  
Tame Properties, LLC

Knights of Columbus  
Bishop Thomas J. Grady  
Council 5618



"Sir Knight"

*Roger J. Copeland* P-GK  
P-DGK, P-Chan., P-Trust., P-MSD  
Photographer



1680 Jefferson St.  
Longwood, FL 32750  
321-279-1307 C  
roger6701@aol.com  
roger.kofc5618@gmail.com



The Law Office Of

**ROBERT W. RASCH**

FLORIDA SUPREME COURT CERTIFIED CIRCUIT COURT  
FAMILY & APPELLATE MEDIATOR  
FEDERAL COURT & BANKRUPTCY  
MORTGAGE MODIFICATION MEDIATOR  
TRAINED ARBITRATOR



Robert W. Rasch P.A.

1188 Buttonwood Circle

Altamonte Springs, FL 32714      rwrasc@robertwraschlaw.com

Phone: 407-865-7473

Fax: 407-865-5979

**RobertWRaschlaw.com**



**SCOTCHIE'S**  
DELIVERING CELEBRATIONS

Order online at:      or Call:  
**www.scotchiescakes.com**      **407-622-2410**

Dan & Wendy Scotchie - Parishioners of St. Mary Magdalen

## Oma Creations, Inc.

**Sewing workshop, Embroidery and more!**  
**Alterations and Vestments too!**

1555 S.R. 436 Suite 1121  
Winter Park, FL 32792

**Taller de Costura Arreglos a la medida**



**321-972-2738**

**This space is available to you.**

**Support our Council and our  
many charitable activities!**

**Advertise your business or  
sponsor an ad.**

**Pinta Log Ads are only**

**\$10 per quarter**

**\$35 per year**

Council 5618 Brother Knights can advertise or convey a message to other Knights in the electronic version of the Pinta Log. You can purchase an ad for \$10 per quarter (3 month period) or \$35 for a 1 year period. Send your request to **Tom Przybyla** at [Przybytw@cfl.rr.com](mailto:Przybytw@cfl.rr.com). Include the wording, picture (if applicable) and instructions for your ad in the email.