



May 2022

Knights of Columbus Assembly 3192



Officers and Directors

Faithful Navigator

Jeff Filippi

Faithful Friar

Fr. Shawn Roser

Faithful Comptroller

Vinnie Cipriano

Faithful Captain

Mark O'Brien

Faithful Admiral

Larry Simmons

Faithful Purser

Scott Nadeau

Faithful Pilot

John Joly

Faithful Scribe

Michael Mahan

Inner Sentinel

Gordon Shellhaas

Outer Sentinel

Ray Makovec

Trustee -1 yr.

Steve Anzalone

Trustee -2 yr.

Matt Cagemi

Trustee-3 yr

Sam Bastianelli

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Faithful Navigators Message

Greetings Fellow Knights,

In the Catholic Church the month of May is Mary's month. It's the month we honor Blessed Mary as the Mother of Jesus and our Heavenly Mother. If you attended Catholic school, you probably remember taking part in the "May crowning" in the beginning of May—where a wreath of flowers was placed on the head of the statue of Mary as prayers were said. As an older student you understood that this ritual was a way to show our love for Mary.

Historians aren't exactly sure why May was chosen to honor Mary, but many believe that May being the month when spring is in full bloom has a lot to do with it. May is the height of spring—gardens everywhere are alive with blooming flowers and trees are filling their branches with leaves. This new beginning and new birth in nature reminds us of the life Mary gave to Jesus. Without Mary giving birth to Jesus, all the events that followed: Jesus' life, death, and resurrection wouldn't have happened. So, it's believed that May (when nature is showing signs of life) is the ideal month. Another belief as to why May was chosen to honor Mary dates back to the ancient Greeks and Romans.

In the ancient Greek world, May was dedicated to Artemis, the goddess of fertility and life. Roman culture linked the month of May to Flora, the goddess of bloom and blossoms. The Romans celebrated ludi florales (floral games) as a preparation for entering into the month of May and to celebrate the beginning of spring. (The month of May was the official beginning of spring in the Roman culture). Over time, the ancient tradition of celebrating life and fertility in the May led Christians to adopt May as the month to honor the Mother of Jesus, to honor the woman who gave life to our Savior.

It's a Catholic tradition to honor Mary during the month of May by crowning her statue with flowers. The reason why we crown Mary is best summed up by Pope Paul VI who wrote in 1965 that May is an occasion for a "moving tribute of faith and love which Catholics in every part of the world pay to the Queen of Heaven." The crown symbol is attributed to Mary because she is the Mother of the Son of God, who is our Heavenly King.

FN Jeff Filippi

Color Corp

"THE MOST VISIBLE ARM OF THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS"

As the Color Corp Commander of Assembly 3192 I would like to proudly thank the members of the Color Corp for their dedication during these times of change and uncertainty.

We continued to have one of the most active in the area.

Special Thank you to the Sir Knights who have stepped up to assist at the Memorial Services, Corp communion Masses and the Blue Mass on Sept. 11. We have joined with our Brother Sir Knights of Assembly 1860 at some of their events,



PROGRAM POSITIONS

Bereavement Chairman
Michael A Maher

Color Corp Commander
Robert Helner

Flag Retirement Chairman
Robert Helner

Membership/Exemplifications
Vincent Cipriano

Memorial Day Poppies
unassigned

Newsletter
Alfred Connizzo

Patriotic Ball
Mark A O'Brien

Spiritual Advisor
Deacon George T Harenchar

Tidewill We Honor Veterans
John O Joly

Tribute to Hero's Parade
John O Joly

VAVS
John O Joly

Veterans Day Mass
Mark A O'Brien

Veterans Flag Placement
Alfred Connizzo

Wreaths Across America
David Lawson



KNIGHTS GOLF

Every Wed & Sat.
Tee Time Start at 7:22 AM
Currently we reserve 5 Tee Times
After Golf Breakfast
at the Breakfast Company for whoever
wants to come.

Contact Mike Burke
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Vin C vinnie1948@outlook.com



***Tribute to Heroes Parade
22 May 2022 6:00-
8:00PM***

Current Nominations of officers for 2022-2023

Faithful Navigator - Mark O'Brien
Faithful Admiral - Jeffry Filippi
Faithful Captain – Jim Thompson
Faithful Pilot - David Lawson
Faithful Comptroller- Vinnie Cipriano
Faithful Purser – Vinny Misciagna
Faithful Scribe – Michael Mahan
Inner Sentinel – Frank Brocco
Outer Sentinel – Warren Losse
Three Year Trustee – Larry Simmons
Not Elected - Completing three-year term.
Two Year Trustee – Sam Bastianelli
One Year Trustee – Matt Cangemi

Nominations will remain open until the elections next month.



SAN DAMIANO ASSEMBLY #3192

Exemplification April 23rd 2022 being held at St. Joseph Catholic Church 3100 26th St. W, Bradenton

The assembly is pleased to announce Brothers Joseph Finamore and John Settineri advances to the 4th degree at an exemplification conducted at St Joseph's Parish in Bradenton.

This was the first exemplification the was not virtual in our area since 2020. 9 Knights from our assembly attended to support our new Sir Knights and 4 took an active part in the Color Guard.

The event was attended by out State Deputy and acknowledged the efforts the assembly's in this area that made it a success.

After the exemplification was completed the new Sir Knights and their wives attend Mass, followed by an awards Banquet for the 59 Sir Knights that made their degree.

Joseph Finamore
John Settineri



Knights of Columbus
**FOURTH
DEGREE**
Patriotic degree of the Order.

.Patriotic Rosary

Since September 9th, the Patriotic Rosary has been conducted in the Daily Chapel on Thursdays from 6pm to 6:45pm and will be held every Thursday including the 2nd Thursday prior to all Assembly Meetings.

For Sir Knights and Parishioners who haven't prayed the Patriotic Rosary, it is very uplifting and covers prayers for every branch of the government.

The Rosary includes Patriotic Songs such as America, The Battle Hymn of the Republic, The Star-Spangled Banner and God Bless America. Prayers are recited for every person in the USA.

Please join us every Thursday at 6pm in the Chapel to prayer the Patriotic Rosary.

Any questions should be emailed to Sam Bastianelli at sbastianelli@knights.org or call him at 714.469.7794.

What great way to start our Assembly Meeting, the Patriotic Branch of the Knights of Columbus!



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San Damiano Assembly 3192 Shirt Inventory UPDATED 3/29/2022

Name	Color	Shirt type	Size	Brand	Cost
Spare	Red	Polo	S	Core	\$23.00
Spare	R Blue	Polo	XL	Pro Cele	\$27.00
Spare	R Blue	Polo	XL	Pro Cele	\$27.00
Spare	Red	Polo	XL	Pro Cele	\$28.00
Spare	Red	Polo	M	Pro Cele	\$27.00
Spare	Red	Polo	M	Pro Cele	\$28.00
Spare	Red	Polo	M	Pro Cele	\$27.00
Spare	Red	Polo	L	Pro Cele	\$28.00
Spare	Red	Polo	L	Pro Cele	\$27.00

CALENDAR 2022

MAY 2022					
12	Thursday	7:00 PM	OLA-SHH	Assembly Business Meeting	Faithful Navigator - Jeff
				Election of Officers	Faithful Navigator
28/29	Sat/Sun	All Masses		Popies	Assemnbly-Al Connizzo
??	Sunday	6:00PM	Main Street - LWR	Tribute to Heroes Parade	John Joly
JUNE 2022					
9 or 23rd	Thursday	7:00PM	SHH	Assembly Year End Bus. Mtg.	Faithful Navigator - Jeff
				Awards night	Possible Installation off Officers
14	Tues	6:00 PM	OLA	Flag Retirement Ceremony	Holy Cross



Council

Council & Assembly Veterans

Name	Service Branch	Rank	Campaign (War)	Years
Matthew Cangemi	US Navy Seabees		Vietnam	1965-1967
Rob Colston	US Navy		Beirut, Lebanon	1981-1987
Bill Rempe	US Army		Vietnam	1971-1977
Chris Treston	US Navy		Vietnam	1959-1962
John Joly	US Navy Infantry		Vietnam	1968-1970
Joseph Mascari	US Air Force		Start of Vietnam	1961-1965
Gordie Ormerod	US Navy			20 Years
Jack Wagner	US Army			1970-1976
Doug Kremiski	US Army	Specialist 5	Pre Vietnam	1960-1963
Vinnie Cipriano	US Navy		Vietnam	1966-1968
Dennis F. Richardson	US Navy			4 Years
Thomas E. Rokosz	US Army NG			1969-1983
Paul Lento	US Navy Res			5 Years
Bill Kopcsak	US Army			1969-1973
David E. Reichert	US Army	LtCol	Vietnam	1967-1968
John Farah	US Navy			1973-1979
Greg Unger	US Navy		Vietnam	1966-1970
Fabian Robitaille	US Army			1962-1993
Larry Simmons	US Air Force		During Vietnam Era	1967-1971
John Weldon	US Army		Vietnam	1966-1969
Don Plourde	US Army			1962-1964
Dave Rondeau	US Army		During Vietnam Era	1967-1971
Donald Johnson	USMC		Desert Storm	1980-1991
Tom Ludwig	US Army		Korea	1963-1966
Pedro Lebron	US Air Force		Vietnam	1964-1968
Chris Avren	US Army		Vietnam	1960-1963
Paul Gulbrandsen	US Marine Corps	LtCol		1990-2017
Richard Macklin	Army NG			1959-2001
Thomas J. Repp	US Army		Vietnam	1968-1970
Warren D. Glasow	US Army	Corporal	Korea	1948-1952
Steve Platt	US Marine Corps			
Michael Kelly	US Army Res			1960-1966
Tom Harenchar	US Army		Vietnam	1969-1977
Dale McCall	US Air Force			1961-1985
Lenny DeRasmo	US Army Airborne		Vietnam	1967-1968
James Lammens	US Navy Res		During Vietnam Era	1972-1977
Tom Gwiazdowski	US Army			1980-2002
David W. Fontaine	US Air Force		Start of Vietnam War	1961-1965
Richard Barnett	US Army	Chief Warrant Officer (CW3)		1965-1971 & 1975-1994
Ed Fisher	US Marine Corps	Corporal		1957-1963
Kenneth Koehler	US Army	1st LT	Vietnam	1968-1970
Francis (Fritz) Gregoire RIP	US Army		Korea	1952-1954
Mike Chapman	US Navy			1960-1964
Charles O'Neill	US Air Force			1986-1989
Bill Durring	US Air Force		During Vietnam Era	1969-1989
George Perseghin	US Air Force	Staff Sargent	Korea	
Sigmund Bartoszek	US Marine Corps	MGySgt		1952-1982
Donald Castracani	US Army			1965-1971
Carl Perhac	US Army	Army Spec 4		1967-1969
George C Martin	US Marine Corps	MSgt	Vietnam	1960-1980
Paul Palmeri	US Marine Corps			1978-1983
Eugene A. Dolecki	US Army		During Vietnam Era	1954-1960
Lenny DeRasmo	US Army		Vietnam 1967-1968	1966-1969
Anton Swihura	US Air Force	LtCol	Vietnam	1966-1986
Vincent J. Spanicciati	US Marine Corps	Corporal	Vietnam	1967-1968
Jack Byrnes	US Navy	Radarman 3/C	WWII - Atlantic Fleet	1945-1947
Dennis Beville	US Army		Korea - Vietnam Era	1967-1970

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Assembly Name Badges

3/29/2022			
	Last Name	First Name	Cost
	Alfonso	Irving	\$9.00
	Augustyniak	Matt	\$9.00
	Berendes	Kirk	\$9.00
	Depaolis	Sal	\$9.00
	Fuentes	Mario	\$9.00
	Halper	Mark	\$9.00
	Harris	William	\$9.00
	Hertzler	Dennis	\$9.00
	Knowles	Randy	\$9.00
	Lento	Paul	\$9.00
	O'Connell	Hugh	\$9.00
	Penkowski	Lee	\$9.00
	Robertson	Michael	\$9.00
	Robitaille	Fabian	\$9.00
	Szachta	Frank	\$9.00
	Ulrich	Mark	\$9.00
	Ulrich	Ethan	\$9.00
	Zedalis	Paul	\$9.00