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Knigh of the Month



December Knight Noah Henry!



Family of the Month Rick and Lauren Kuebel

Deploying of the Crosses



The Catholic Church, and certainly the Knights of Columbus believe the Roe v Wade decision of 1/22/73 must be overturned. On January 18, 2022, our K of C Council 13341 once again made our position on this clear by deploying 125 white crosses on the property of Our Lady of the Angels parish along SR 70 in Bradenton, FL. Roe v Wade must be repealed, and the murder of the innocent must stop. The crosses are meant to make the tens of thousands who will see them during their deployment think and ask what they stand for. To add meaning to the message, each cross represents 500,000 plus lives taken since the Roe V Wade decision was handed down. Council 13341 has sent its message in this manner the past 12 Years.



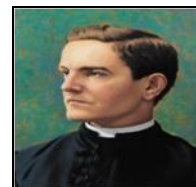




Habitat Paving the Way!

On Thursday, January 27, 2022, 7 Knights of Council #13341 responded to the Habitat for Humanity Depot located at 1005 3rd Ave. West, Palmetto, and completed the following tasks: - Cleared the parking lot of all debris. - Removed several dozen cement cinder blocks from on top of the paved area and relocated them behind storage containers. - Swept and used gas powered blowers to clean parking lot surface. - Power washed parking lot surface. - Cleaned and stored all tools and equipment. This project is the first of a two-step process to seal the parking lot pavement at a later date. This activity was coordinated by Michael Mahan, Habitat for Humanity Chairman. This represented the 1st Habitat project in 2022 and cumulatively the 61st monthly project in a row (62 total projects over the same time frame) since January 2017







Estate Planning

Use your retirement money while you are living. Don't save it for your children. There are better ways to leave money behind, which will be more beneficial to your family.

Most people will leave behind some portion of their estate. Sometimes is property, sometimes its checking and savings account, brokerage accounts, life insurance, annuities and sometimes it's IRA's.

If you knew there was a way to limit taxes and the government interference, wouldn't you want to reduce or eliminate this?

The question becomes, how to do this in the most effective manner possible? This is what estate planning is all about. How does my family pay as little in taxes as possible? How does my family access the funds and money after I pass the quickest and easiest way? Will anything get caught up in probate court or will it pass efficiently?

There isn't a one plan for all when it comes to Estate Planning. A good plan will be created by your team, including a good accountant, estate planning attorney, investment advisor, life insurance advisor, and a good overall financial planner to tie it all together.

From my opinion, there isn't a better place or company to do this than the Knights. Most people just don't know how to access the information and solution. As I have always mentioned, the Knight of Columbus Insurance company is YOUR insurance company. It's YOUR financial services company.

You gained access to it when you became a Knight. I am here as your servant and am here to help you gain as many benefits out of the company as you can. If there is anything that I can do for you, please don't hesitate to reach out to me.

There will be some more and exciting topics in March's newsletter, and I look forward to seeing you and hearing from you in the near future. Until then, may God bless you and your families.

Yours in Christ,

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Pam Fazio (SOMC) is in need of volunteers on March 12th for the North County Bocce Games. It is being held at Trailer Estates, 6916 Park Lane, in Bradenton. The event will run from 9 AM until about 1 PM.



Special Olympics

Bocce!

Contact GK John Joly

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KNIGHTS GOLF

9 Holes 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.

Email: Mike Burk –

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or Vinnie C – yinnie1248@outlook.com





Monday October 13th 2016 is when our council first took over the task of bringing food donated by our community, church and council. to St. Joseph's food pantry, we then decided to hold fund raisers to raise money, and give St Joseph's for much needed funds so they could buy fresh produce like vegetables, meat and dairy products. Since that time on Oct 2016 we have donated \$5575 to St. Joe's.

We started off with 7 Brother Knights and now we have 20 who make the weekly run, we also have had many brothers work at the pantry every week like Don Johnson & Vin Misciagna. and in the past John Nifong and Marty Saia.



This past Monday we had a new brother Mike and Maureen Kelly, Mike joined our group and he made his first run with his wife, Rich Macklin and I assisted Mike to St Joe's since it was his first trip, we unloaded the food and gave Maryann Staubach the check. We then

took a took a picture of the Knights handing it over to Maryann she was surprised, extremely happy and very appreciative.

Afterwards the pantry workers gave Mike and Maureen the grand tour and explained the workings of how the food we donate gets to the many people in need of help. Mike said they enjoyed the tour and were impressed with the pantry and how organized and dedicated their people are.

This is only one of the many ministries that our council has.

I want to thank all our brothers and their significant others who through our many fund-raising efforts makes it possible to fund many charities and events. Without your work and dedication nothing would get done.

I hope we continue follow our lord's example of serving and caring for others.

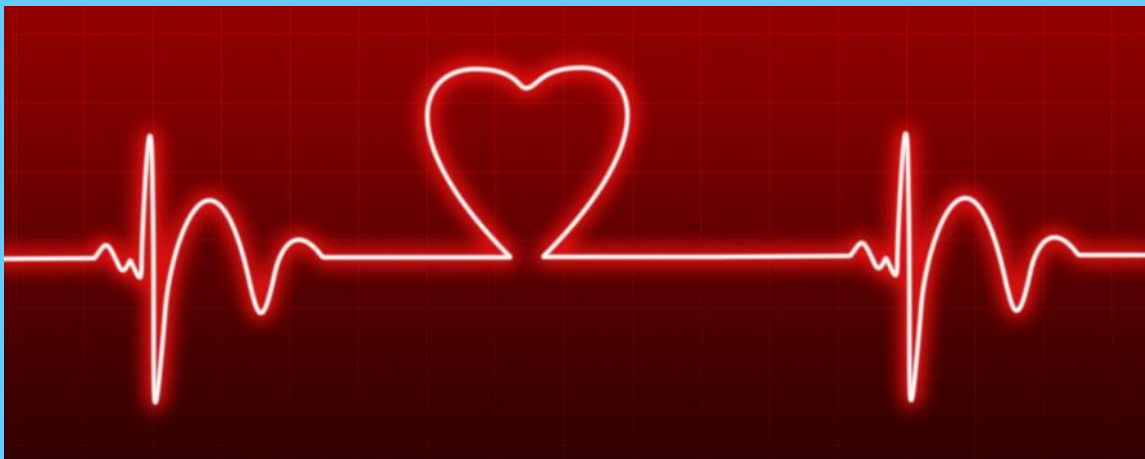
Family Director Matt Cangemi



TALLAHASSEE – Florida Senate Republicans on Wednesday advanced a proposal to ban abortions after 15 weeks, rejecting Democratic attempts to soften its restrictions and add exceptions for rape, incest or trafficking.

The bill, which has already been approved by the GOP-controlled House, is now set for a final vote in the Senate after Republicans dismissed a slew of amendments from Democrats. The bill is expected to pass.

The measure comes as Republicans around the country move to limit access to abortion after the U.S. Supreme Court signaled it would uphold a Mississippi law prohibiting the procedure after 15 weeks and potentially overturn the landmark Roe v. Wade decision.



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Grand Knight's Korner

It is with a great pleasure that I announce that Kirk Brown, a member of Our Lady Queen of Martyrs Council #13649, is your new District Deputy. Kirk has replaced Mike Deering who has served the Knights exceptionally over the last few years.

He has been approved by the State Deputy and his appointment has been sent on to Supreme for recording.

Please afford him the respect and dignity of his position. I will be working closely with him as he takes office.