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## **Car Show Cook Out**

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## Moving on Up!

On Thursday, September 15<sup>th</sup>, 2022, 7 Knights of Council #13341 teamed together with Habitat for Humanity at the Habitat Depot in Palmetto to assist with new construction of several homes currently being built in the triangle property across the street.

The project team completed the following tasks:

Loaded several loads of lumber and door/ window bucks onto truck, transported same to construction site, and off-loaded materials at 4/2 homesite.

Disassembled scaffolding at 3/2 homesite. Moved materials to and reassembled all scaffolding at 4/2 homesite.

Constructed exterior walls of 4/2 home using Styrofoam insulated interlocking blocks.

Framed wood exterior walls of rear shed at 3/2 homesite. Sheathed walls with plywood. Anchored to concrete foundation and hurricane strapped to roof trusses.

This activity was coordinated by Michael Mahan, Habitat for Humanity Chairman. This represented the 9<sup>th</sup> Habitat project in 2022 and cumulatively the 69<sup>th</sup> monthly project in a row (70 total projects over the same time frame) since January 2017.









## **Pasta Dinner**

**Dear Brother Knights,** 

I would like to take this time to thank each and every one of you for your HELP and support. The pasta dinner was a success because of each one of you supporting me and the committee. You all made things so very easy.

I would also like to thank our family director Bob Cestaro. His time and effort were a big help.

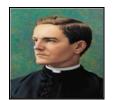
Because of the positive feedback from all our parish supporters, from this point forward the annual Knights of Columbus Pasta Dinner will now be known as "gravy" not "sauce".

Once again thank you all for your help and brotherhood.

With Christ blessing, Carmine Maida









# Tidewell Clown Alley Appearance at Ringling College of Art & Design

















#### **Catechism Corner**

#### The Ten Commandments of God – Part 1

The Old Testament states that God revealed "ten words" (Decalogue) to His people, through Moses, on the holy mountain. They were written "with the finger of God", on two stone tablets – and are called "The Testimony", deposited in the Ark of the Covenant. Today we call them the "Ten Commandments".

These "ten words" focus on the conditions of a life that is freed from the bondage of sin. Beginning with St. Augustine, the Ten Commandments have occupied a preeminent place in the catechesis of baptismal candidates, as well as the faithful in general.

The Council of Trent taught that the Ten Commandments are obligatory to Christians; the Second Vatican Council confirmed this. While they are part and parcel of God's explicit Revelation, they contain a faithful expression of Natural Law – which God has imprinted in the heart of each person. They are determinate through human reason to those who are intellectually honest - even while God's Church explicitly presents them to the faithful in terms of clarity and comprehensiveness.

Each of the Ten Commandments obligates Practical Catholics to a totality of obligations and prohibitions clearly beyond the simple wording of each commandment. These requirements are detailed in the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* (CCC 2084-2557).

The Ten Commandments are as follows:

- I am the Lord, thy God; thou shalt not have strange gods before Me.
- Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord, thy God in vain.
- Remember thou keep holy the Sabbath day.
- Honor thy father and thy mother.
- Thou shalt not kill.
- Thou shalt not commit adultery.
- Thou shalt not steal.
- Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbor.
- Thou shalt not covet thy neighbor's wife.

Thou shalt not covet thy neighbor's goods

Note that the first three commandments are positive, and refer to God, Himself; the last seven are negative strictures directed to each of us personally.

Within the context of our contemporary (corrupt) culture, the expanded meanings of several commandments will be addressed in upcoming Catechism Corner articles.

Gene Dolecki, Council Lecturer



Council and Assembly Brothers participated in a hurricane relief donation drive in partnership with Tidewell Hospice on Wednesday October 12th from 10:00am and 1:00pm.

During this period, Brothers and/or Brothers Wives were asked to consider donating a quantity of one of the items or a quantity of many of the items listed below and drop them off in the OLA parking lot. The items listed represented

the greatest need at this time in the recovery period.

- 1. Paper plates & plastic ware in smaller quantities (25)
- 2. Tissues
- 3. Lysol or similar cleaning wipes in canasters
- 4. Cleaning sprays with bleach
- 5. Beef Jerky
- 6. Tarps
- 7. Gift cards from Publix, Target, or Walmart

The lists will change over time as the recovery efforts are completed.

WGK Jerry, WDGK Gordon, and John Joly loaded dropped off items into their vehicles and GK Jerry and John delivered them to Tidewell Hospice's Rand office located at 5955 Rand Blvd, Sarasota, FL 34238. Items will then be transported by Tidewell to locations in Fort Myers and Port Charlotte on Friday, October 14<sup>th</sup>, where they will be distributed to hurricane victims most in need in the hardest hit areas.

The donation drive was a big success filling 2 vehicles during the 3-hour drive. In addition, \$550. in gift cards were donated. We sincerely appreciate all Brothers & Wives who participated in this drive.





## **One Blood**





The Knights of Columbus Council 13341 in association with One Blood held a blood drive at

Our Lady of Angels Catholic Church on Thursday September 15, 2022 from 12noon -6pm. One Blood provided two Bloodmobiles which allowed us to have significant, non-snowbird-season results. We had 42 donors participating and providing 39 pints of

blood to serve our local community. One Blood had a goal of 30 pints! Each donation can save up to three lives, so that means 117 patients could benefit from the lifesaving efforts of our blood donors.

There was rush of donors at the beginning of the event. Donors were sparse towards the end of the event. There were 13 walkups. No donors had to wait. We handled each donor as they arrived.

We had several deferrals which were generally caused by a low iron count. We missed out on several pints of blood. Just prior to the next event, we should send out reminders (email) about ways to increase the iron count.

This event is held 6 times per year. Solicitations were done through the church bulletin (4 Sundays in a row), a poster in the church Narthex the Sunday just prior to the drive and through emails to Brother Knights and prior donors. Appointments were booked by the donors online





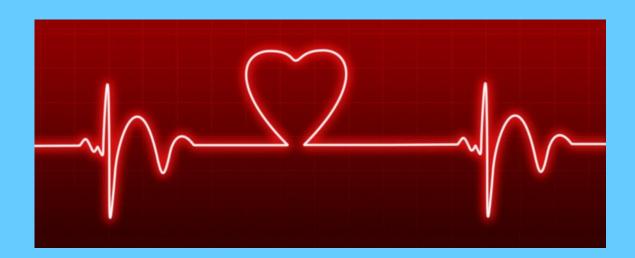


Our Council 13341 held our annual Memorial Mass & Reception for our past Brother Knights and Wives at Our Lady of The Angels Church. We had 45 attendees for the Mass & Reception. There were 5 color Corps Brothers that lead the

procession in with Fr Sebastian and Deacon Tom Harenchar. It was a beautiful & respectful service

After Mass we held a reception which included a presentation followed by a luncheon, We displayed our Memorial Cross with 3 passed Brothers added to it. Fr Sebastian gave the blessing before lunch. We had a presentation honoring our three passed Brothers & we displayed our Memorial Cross with their names added.





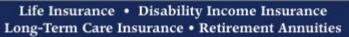
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### **Grand Knight's Korner**

#### **Annual Rosary - Hour**

Congress from October 1 - October 7 with 24The Diocese of Venice hosted an Annual Rosary -hour adoration at participating churches. The purpose of the Rosary Congress is to bring together the power of Mass and Exposition & Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Our Lady of the Angels hosted a 24-hour Adoration in the Adoration Chapel from Tuesday, October 4 until Wednesday, October 5 from 8am-8am beginning and ending with Daily Mass. The Rosary was recited aloud at the start of each hour.

Father Sebastian, Parish Administrator, asked the Knights of Columbus, Council 13341, to be a continuous presence during the Adoration. This was an excellent opportunity to praise our Blessed Mother by praying her rosary followed by quiet time with the Lord in the Blessed Sacrament.