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Knight of the Month

The July Knight of the Month Roger Coustry



The August Family of the Month

Richard and Lauren Kuebel



Tidewell Hospice

Tidewell Hospice requested our participation in the Lakewood Ranch Hospice House — “Front Line Health Care Workers Appreciation Surprise” on 9-16-21. We held signs and cheered for the night shift leaving and the day shift entering Hospice House. We brought snacks and candy as a donation.







Habitat

On Thursday, August 19th, 2021, 10 Knights of Council #13341 responded to the MCHFH

Depot, 1005 3rd Avenue West, Palmetto, FL 34221 and completed the following tasks:

- Set up equipment and drop cloths in front lot of the Depot to paint baseboard molding.**
- Wiped down and cleaned approximately 30- 16' long pieces of baseboard molding.**
- Applied 2 coats of primer paint to the baseboard molding.**
- Stacked painted molding pieces on drying racks inside the Depot.**
- Cleaned all paint tools, drop cloths and equipment and stored same inside the Depot.**
- Responded across the street to a completed new construction house at 1020 3rd Avenue**

West, Palmetto, FL 34221. Took tools and equipment from within house and

transported same to the Depot for storing. Also, removed garbage from within house

and discarded same in dumpster at the Depot.

In addition:

- Since the completion of the council's July project the daughter of a Brother Knight**

member of Council #13341 responded, on five (5) separate dates, to the completed new

construction house at 1020 3rd Avenue West, Palmetto, and assisted with final interior

cleaning prior to the residence being dedicated to its new owners.

This activity was coordinated by Michael Mahan, Habitat for Humanity Chairman. This

represented the 8th Habitat project in 2021 and cumulatively the 57th project completed in the

past 56 consecutive months in a row since January of 2017.

Every sport, every enterprise, every organization, every industry has their top reps, their all-stars and their most valuable players. They are the ones who give their all 100% of the time; they represent their companies masterfully, they get customers and retain them, they provide extraordinary service, they inspire their colleagues to reach heights no one thought attainable. Well, the insurance industry is no different and I'd like to take a few minutes to tell you about that.

The life insurance industry has an organization called the Million Dollar Round Table or MDRT. It is an international organization that was founded in 1927 and it recognizes agents for their commitment to excellence, professionalism, outstanding service, and the highest ethical standards. In our industry, these are the hallmarks of the all-stars.

"Big deal!" some might say. "What's so special about that?" Let me tell you what is so special about membership in the Million Dollar Round Table. Across the industry in a normal year, only about 2% of agents meet the stringent requirements to become an MDRT member. We've had a great track record at the K of C over the last four or five years where 10 or 11% of our agents qualified for membership. That's about five times the industry average...pretty impressive!

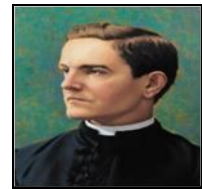
But last year was anything but normal and we had an anything but normal group qualify for MDRT: 38%, yes, you read correctly, 38% of our field force qualified for membership in this prestigious organization. There were only three other companies in the USA that had a higher number of qualifiers, but none came close to our percentage of qualifiers. Imagine that, the **K of C beat out some of the biggest names in the industry.**

What's all this mean to you? This kind of result doesn't come about by accident. It demonstrates the Knights of Columbus commitment to give you, our members and your families, a highly trained, qualified and committed financial services professional. My job is to use my skill and knowledge to make sure you understand the issues of protecting your family from the unknown.

But I do not do this alone. It comes because all of you have let me into your homes, allowed me to gain your trust, and have given me the opportunity to link you to the benefits you receive from YOUR insurance company. So, thank you all for your trust and allowing me to serve you!

Let's get together soon...and I'll tell you about my Million Dollar Round Table journey.

Vivat Jesus!



**MDRT
All Stars
K of C
Agents**



St. Joseph Food Pantry Mission
 To provide food to any individual or
 family
 in Manatee County who is in need

Weekly Memo – 9/12/21

Coordinators: Please be sure your volunteers who do not get email, read a copy of this weekly memo located in the Food Pantry kitchen.

We are looking for new volunteers who can work regularly and do lifting on any weekday during pantry working hours.

We are also looking for volunteers who can work on weekend mornings picking up bakery items and sorting bakery items.

If you are available and/or know anyone who would be interested and/or would like more details, please contact Carole T @ [910-523-2597](tel:910-523-2597) or email her @ caroletisk@gmail.com.



2020 Statistics

St. Joseph Food Pantry

Total visits—20,632

Total # Family members in these visits—64,035

#Children in these visits—21,479

Veteran visits –1,908

Large families (4 or more)—7,980 visits

Thanksgiving Turkeys—912

New Clients—2,250

Over 826,000# of food distributed



Saint Joseph Food Pantry

2704 33rd Avenue West
Bradenton, FL 34205
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"Where Miracles Happen Everyday"

www.stjoepantry.com

31 May 2021

Knights of Columbus Council #13341
Saints Cosmos and Damian
Our Lady of the Angels Catholic Church
12905 SR 70 East
Lakewood Ranch FL 34202

Dear Grand Knight John Joly and all the great Knights,

The St. Joseph Food Pantry greatly appreciates the help of the Knights of Council #13341 to collect and transport food, donated by the Knights and generous parishioners of Our Lady of the Angels, to the Food Pantry each week. Your members have spent over 625 hours doing this in 2020-2021. We are also very thankful for the many Knights who volunteer to do the heavy lifting, sorting, and shelving of donated and purchased food at the Food Pantry each week.

As you may know, in order to continue operating the Food Pantry relies on a totally volunteer staff and the generosity of our donors. Even with the covid shut down, Council #13341 Saints Cosmos and Damian delivered over 8000 pounds of food and \$500.00 to assist the Food Pantry in the past year.

With your help, the St. Joseph Food Pantry provided supplemental food to families who made over 20,000 visits to the Food Pantry in 2020 and over 7,000 visits thru May 2021.

We are deeply grateful that since October 2016 Council #13341 has continued to remember the Food Pantry with your generosity. Again, thank you. We love and appreciate your "Knight Power" support.

Our Blessings and prayers to all your members,

Patricia O'Driscoll
On behalf of the St. Joseph Food Pantry

The St. Joseph Food Pantry is a 501(c) non-profit organization.
Federal ID #59-0799918
No goods or services were given or exchanged for this contribution.
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**For
The
Good
of The
Order**



Patriotic Rosary Returns

Sir Knights:

The Patriotic Rosary returns to the Daily Chapel on Thursdays from 6pm to 6:45pm starting on September 9th. It will be held every Thursday including every 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.

It is mixed with Patriotic Songs such as America, The Battle Hymn of the Republic and The Star Spangled Banner and God Bless America. We prayer for every person in the USA.

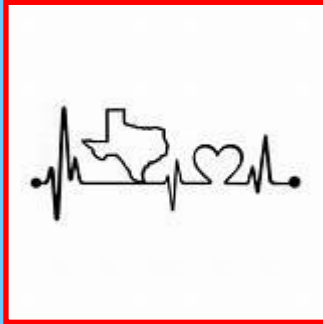
So please join us every Thursday at 6pm starting September 9th in the Chapel to prayer the Patriotic Rosary.

Any questions should be emailed to Sam Bastianelli at sam-bastianelli@gmail.com or call him at 714.469.7794.

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

Grand Knight—John Joly

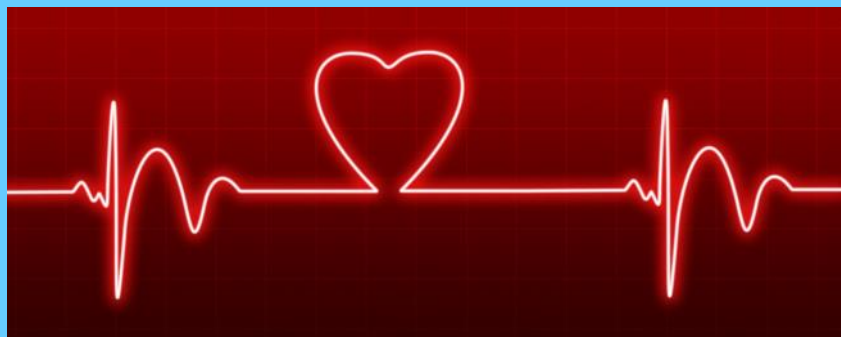




State lawmakers in Ohio introduced a bill this week that emulates abortion restrictions enacted in Texas that are currently being challenged at the Supreme Court.

The bill, House Bill 480, also known as the “2363 Act,” echoes Texas’ S.B. 8, the law that took effect Sept. 1 that bans all abortions after fetal heartbeat detection. S.B. 8 allows citizens to pursue legal action against anyone who provides an illegal abortion or “aids or abets” someone seeking an illegal abortion. Those who successfully bring lawsuits under S.B. 8 can receive \$10,000.

Ohio’s H.B. 480 **outlaws all abortions** and allows lawsuits against anyone who “knowingly engages in conduct that aids or abets the performance of inducement of an abortion.” It includes a ban on administering, procuring, or selling of any instrument, medicine, or any other substance or means with the intent to terminate a pregnancy.



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Fun Activities ~ Parade ~ Patriotic Music



Tidwell Hospice Clowns

Knights of Columbus Veterans

Knights of Columbus DJ

Sheridan Healthcare Staff

Community Participants

ALL VETERANS, FAMILIES & FRIENDS INVITED

Wednesday November 10th, 2021,

at 10:00 AM

The Sheridan At Lakewood Ranch

11705 Evening Walk Drive

Lakewood Ranch, FL 34211