



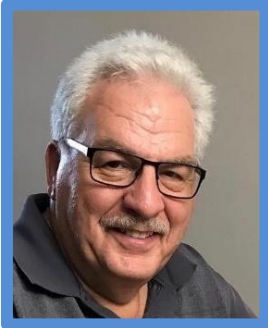
The Proclaimer

Knights of Columbus Saints Peter & Paul Council #11337



JANUARY 2023

MONTH OF THE MOST HOLY NAME OF JESUS



Grand Knight's Message:

As I write this message I hope and pray that you and your family are doing well and have not been affected by the latest strains of Covid. Both Anna and I wish you and your families a Happy and Healthy New Year.

This past month our Council ran two very successful events; the first was our annual Children's Christmas party. We had a total of 29

Children who had a great time and also enjoyed a visit from Santa who gave them all gifts. Our second event was our first New Years Gala which was a joint effort with the CWL from our Parish. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Lynn Baron and the rest of the CWL ladies who along with our brother Knights made this a very successful event where everyone who attended had a great time, it was a sell out.

Reverend Father Mario is in the process of starting up a Maintenance committee. If you have any time, your help would be greatly appreciated. If you have any skills that is great, if not we will teach you, all help is welcome. He is also in the process of organizing an information night to attract new brother knights and refreshments will be provided. More information will be available in the near future. Our Council is also planning several events in the near future. Keep checking your Email for my messages. I will try and keep you updated. Every Thursday evening our Council prays the Rosary at 8:00pm over Zoom. Just click on the link in the invite that I send out every week and it will take you to the meeting; please make an effort to join us in our prayers and stay involved.

Please Keep our brothers that are sick in your prayers. May the good Lord grant them a speedy and full recovery.

If any of you know of any brother and their family who is ill or in distress, please let me know ASAP.

From my family and I, we wish all of you and yours good health and happiness, please stay safe.

Thank you and God Bless

SK Fernando Greco
Grand Knight



Deputy Grand Knight's Message:

Hi Fellow Brother Knights:

HAPPY NEW YEAR! We are now in the year 2023!

Our New Years Eve party was fun with all good things in life to offer; FOOD, DRINK, DANCING AND GOOD FRIENDS. I look forward to D.J. next year. Thanks to all the Brother Knights for helping organize, arrange and bought tickets for the party.

CHRISTMAS TEAR DOWN!

I would like to thank all the fellow parishioners who helped decorations around the altar Christmas cleaning. We are great volunteers participate.

- I would like to remind an amazing turnout of looking for new members, that

Thanks again to all that helped with tidying up the meeting



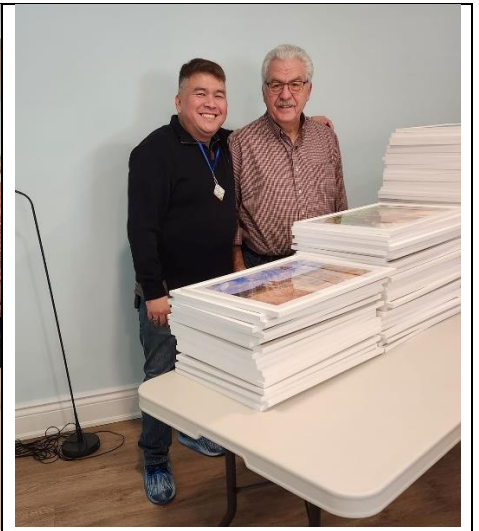
Brother Knights, CWL Ladies and out to take down the Christmas and church, and do the after very blessed to have so many

brothers that, although we have volunteers, we should always be are good Catholic men.

our Grand Knight Fernando, house.

FRAMING PICTURES

Thank you, Brother Knights who helped frame over a hundred pictures, on Sunday January 15th in the meeting house. It sounds like a simple task; but it was more complicated than you would think. There was a thin film, on both sides of the clear plastic that complicated the task.





TRIBUTE TO POPE BENEDICT!

Our Brother Knights from Supreme have made a video tribute to Pope Benedict. Please watch.

I have placed the link on the top of our Facebook Page:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/kofc11337>

and also below.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=X1z5actHEfY>

STAY TUNED FOR FEBRUARY 50/50 STATE DRAW

I would like the Brother Knights to be aware..we will be participating in the State Knights of Columbus 50/50 draw during the spring season. Please look out for the poster and social media links to buy and find out more information.

Note, part of the proceeds will benefit our council and church.

In closing... remember since there are more activities in the church, we will need more new members to help volunteer.

If you do have a good person in mind, please have them fill out a membership form and/or direct them to the website:

kogc.org (and hit the join button.)

Vivat Jesus!

Cheers

SK Fred Polycarpio

Deputy Grand Knight

Willing to lend a hand... Cell Phone #: 416 456 1037





Financial Secretary's Report:

Hi Brothers:

January is a busy time as Financial Secretary as the dues notices are sent out and the majority of members pay January and February. Our council annual dues are \$45 per member and go into the General fund.

Why do we have dues?

Well, these basically are used to pay expenses not related to charity events.

Examples are stamps for mailing dues notices and membership cards. Refreshments at meetings, officers installation, membership drives. Social functions that are not a charitable fund raiser, e.g. Children's Christmas Party.

Our biggest two expenses from the General Fund are the "Per Capita" paid to both Supreme and State. The per capita amount to be charged are passed by vote on the resolution by councils at the annual conventions. They are used for Supreme for Catholic advertising, State expense, eg. District Deputies travel to meetings.

Per cap dues are based on formula for billable members. Our council currently has 158 members of which 124 are billable. Supreme charges based on these 124 billable plus a charge for inactive members. State uses the supreme roster to bill as well. Supreme charges for the first six months in January then again in July. State charges the whole year. Our January Supreme Per Cap Is \$414.50. Our State per cap due is \$2,526.75. = \$2,941.25
124 billable members x \$45 = \$5,580 anticipated receipts from dues Take off the \$2,941.25 leaves \$2,638.75 for operating expenses for the rest of the year. As of today Jan 13th, we have 83 billable members who still have to pay their dues.

I have attached a copy of States Per cap letter and invoice which will help explain the per cap process.

I remind all that dues can be paid by etransfer to fs11337@ontariokofc.ca

And on a lighter note:

Never lend money to a friend. It's dangerous. It could damage his memory.

A local charity had never received a donation from the town's banker, so the director made a phone call. "Our records show you make \$500,000 a year, yet you haven't given a penny to charity," the director began. "Wouldn't you like to help the community?" The banker replied, "Did your research show that my mother is ill, with extremely expensive medical bills?" "Um, no," mumbled the director. "Or that my brother is blind and unemployed? Or that my sister's husband died, leaving her broke with four kids?" "I ... I ... I had no idea." "So," said the banker, "if I don't give them any money, why would I give any to you?"

May all your troubles last as long as your New Year's resolutions!

SK Michael Bryce
Financial Secretary

Chancellor's Report



Brothers:

I am excited as I write this article as events at Saints Peter & Paul are well underway. Many Ministries are now up and running, including Eucharistic Ministry, Alter Serving, Children's Literacy and more. There are more people attending the Masses which means more people to

serve and to get involved with.

As always, I encourage all Brother Knights to take part in our activities. If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to me or any of the executive members for more information. On behalf of my family and I, I would like to wish all the Brothers and their families a Blessed and Happy New Year 2023, have all God's Blessings.

THE DIVINE PRAISES

Blessed be God.

Blessed be His Holy Name.

Blessed be Jesus Christ, true God and true Man.

Blessed be the Name of Jesus.

Blessed be His Most Sacred Heart.

Blessed be His Most Precious Blood.

Blessed be Jesus in the Most Holy Sacrament of the Altar.

Blessed be the Holy Spirit, the Paraclete.

Blessed be the great Mother of God, Mary Most Holy.

Blessed be her Holy and Immaculate Conception.

Blessed be her Glorious Assumption.

Blessed be the Name of Mary, Virgin and Mother.

Blessed be Saint Joseph, her Most Chaste Spouse.

Blessed be God in His Angels and in His Saints.

TBC www.TheBestCatholic.com

Stay safe and God bless.

Vivat Jesus.

Dilbert Nolasco

Chancellor



Warden's Corner **An Antidote to Worrying**

Here's a little story that I find quite appropriate to kick off my topic for this month's edition of **The Proclaimer**.

A man met the angel of death. He asked him. "Where are you going?". The angel replied: "I am going to take 100 men." So, the man went to tell the people. That night, 1,000 men died. When the man saw the angel of death again, he told the angel: "You lied...! You said you will be taking only 100 men, why did 1,000 men die?" The angel of death said: "I didn't lie. I only took 100. **Worry** took the others."

Who among us have no worries? We **worry** a lot these days—about many things in life. In Canada, we **worry** about getting COVID-19 or our family getting the virus; we worry about money, our finances and how to pay the bills. We worry about inflation, the rising cost of gas and many food items and how they impact our household budget. We are anxious about losing our job or worry about our health and the health of our loved ones. We fear the increasing incidents of burglaries or car theft in our neighbourhood. We worry about becoming a victim of fraud and cyberattacks. We worry about the failing health of our parents or our grandparents or our loved ones. We have anxiety about our children or grandchildren who are living in another town or province or another country. We even worry about climate change and the future of our planet.

People in the Third World countries such as the *Dominican Republic*, have more reasons to **worry** than us in Canada, which is a First World country. The people in the poor countries **worry** about how they are going to put food on their table for each day of the week. They **worry** about finding or keeping a roof above their heads or those of their children. They worry everyday if they will have safe drinking water. They worry about paying rent that if unpaid would get them evicted from their home. They worry about the schooling of their children and how and when to get the money for the tuition fees. They worry about how they can pay the hospital bills to get their ailing parents discharged and so many other worries that we here in Canada take for granted. It makes our worries here in Canada seem more trivial and miniscule and we feel more blessed – more than you can imagine.

Jesus, our Lord, tells us in the Gospel of John: "*Do not let your hearts be troubled?*" "*You have faith in God; have faith also in Me.*" (**John 14:1**) How often in our lives when in worrying we fail to heed His admonition: "*Have faith in God; have faith in Me*", instead, we give in to our worries and therefore, we deserve to hear His rebuke: "*O you of little faith...!*" (**Mt. 8:26** and **Mt. 14:31**) or His question: "*Where is your Faith?*" (**Lk 8:25**). Isn't it true that we have the tendency to try to figure things out for ourselves instead of having

faith in God? How is it that we often feel that we can do a better job solving our own problems by ourselves or addressing our concerns our way instead of giving those worries and concerns to the Lord in an attitude of faith?

St. Peter in his letter (**1Pt 5:7**) said: *“Cast all your worries upon Him because He cares for you.”* St. Peter is stating to us an absolute fact, a real hard fact, a truth of our Catholic faith: Our God is a caring God. He cares for us more than we can imagine because He loves us so intensely – He loves us more – a thousand times more – than we love ourselves. God has only our best interest in His mind. He will always be there for us. Jesus is telling us every time we have worries and concerns (like that one line in a famous song): *“Just call my Name and I’ll be there...”* And since He is God, He is also infinitely powerful which means that nothing is impossible to Him.

I was at Puerto Plata in the Dominican Republic for a week in July 2022 (along with Brother Fred and Brother Dilly and about 100 other Saints Peter and Paul Parishioners) on a mission trip and have seen firsthand the lack of basic necessities of life that the poor and impoverished people of DR worry about on a daily basis. And yet, with God’s grace, these people have taken all their problems, hardships, deprivations, poverty, and other difficulties of life in stride and seemed to have placed their faith in the words of Jesus Christ in the Gospel of Matthew (**Mt. 6:25-27**). *“Therefore, I say to you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or what you will drink, nor about your body, what you will put on...Can any of you through **worrying** add a single moment to your span of life?”*

St. Francis de Sales admonishes: *“Do not fear what may happen tomorrow. The same loving Father who cares for you today will care for you tomorrow and every day. Either He will shield you from suffering or He will give you unflinching strength to bear it. Be at peace then and put aside all **anxious** thoughts and imaginings.”*

In addition to St. Francis de Sales, many of the saints in heaven have given us words of wisdom that we should take to heart.

St. Padre Pio of Pietrelcina said: *“Pray, hope and **don’t worry**. **Worry** is useless. God is merciful and will hear your prayer.”*

St. John Vianney has a similar advise when he said: *“God commands you to pray, but He forbids you to **worry**.”*

St. Francis de Sales again said: *“Do well what you can, and the rest leave to God, who will do it sooner or later, according to the disposition of His divine providence.”*

In the same note, St. Augustine of Hippo said: *“Trust the past to the mercy of God, and the present to His love, and the future to His providence.”*

As disciples of Jesus Christ, we need to switch our focus from worrying to counting our blessings—the many blessings we have received from our loving Father in heaven. When our minds tend to worry, let us recall the words of Jesus: *“Trust in God. Trust also in Me.”* (John 14:1). We need to trust in God more and worry less. Let us ask God our Father for the grace to keep our mind and heart focused on Jesus for we know that He is the only One who can offer us the tranquility of heart and mind we need to cast our worries away. Jesus always has our best interest in mind. He wants us to be happy.

Brother Gerry Cruz

Warden



Special Guest Contributor.
Brother Mark Jennings

ALL KNIGHTS SHOULD UNDERSTAND COUNCIL OFFICER ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES.

Each year your council elects and appoints new men to take on leadership roles within your council. Sometimes these roles are well-defined, while the position may be expanded based on that individual's talents or interests. The following text offers an approach that may be helpful for new councils in appointing the first set of officers or for existing councils looking to expand the responsibilities of their existing officers.

Elected Positions

Grand Knight - The Grand Knight is the council's, Chief Executive Officer. He is responsible for setting council goals and ensuring that all officers fulfill their duties in reaching these objectives. He presides over all meetings; appoints program and committee directors as needed; fills officer roles in the event of vacancies; countersigns checks and orders for payment; and oversees the council's degree team. Ideally, the grand knight should be a junior so that, as a senior, he can serve as a mentor for the next Grand knight. In addition, the Grand Knight must complete the Safe Environment training.

Deputy Grand Knight - The deputy grand knight serves as the Grand Knight's right-hand man and fills in for the Grand Knight when absent. Some Deputy Grand Knights serve as their council's program director. Ultimately, he assists the Grand Knight in leading the council and reaching council objectives. In some councils, the deputy grand knight role might be used to groom a possible Grand Knight candidate for the following year. Finally, the Deputy Grand Knight may serve as a liaison between the council and other groups that share similar interests (i.e. Newman Club, pro-life club, etc.).

Chancellor - The Chancellor assists the Grand and Deputy Grand Knights in leading the council by engaging and strengthening the council's membership. His primary responsibilities include recruiting and retaining members, and to this end, he should set up events that display the values and principles of the

Knights of Columbus. In addition, the Chancellor should participate in the council's degree team and serve on both the Admission and Retention committees.

Treasurer – The Treasurer is responsible for managing the council funds in the bank. He receives money from the financial secretary and deposits funds into council accounts. He is also responsible for paying all council expenses. He also balances and verifies the ledger and keeps the updated budget approved by the council.

Advocate - The Advocate acts as the Council Parliamentarian. He should be knowledgeable in *Robert's Rules of Order and Methods of Conducting a Council Meeting* (#11337). He may seek legal assistance from the state Advocate should issues arise. The Advocate should be able to take on additional responsibilities as the council deems necessary.

Recorder: The Recorder is responsible for recording all meetings and events held by the council. He should record minutes, conversations and other information helpful to the council and prepare them to be distributed to the membership promptly. Additionally, he should help with council event notifications and meeting reminders and assist with council social media responsibilities.

Warden - The Warden is responsible for the property owned by the council. He is also responsible for setting up meetings and leads inside and outside guards.

Inside/Outside Guards - The Inside and Outside Guards carry out tasks given to them by the Grand Knight and follow the Warden's orders. In addition, they are responsible for checking Membership Cards and allowing entrance to meetings. Councils should consider appointing additional inside and outside guards, especially among promising freshmen, as this provides early leadership opportunities.

Trustees (3) - The Trustees advise the Grand Knight, supervise the council's financial matters, and conduct the semi-annual audits. Usually, the immediate past Grand Knight will serve as a trustee.

Appointed Positions

Chaplain - The Chaplain is the Spiritual Leader of the council. He nurtures the faith in council members, mainly through the Sacraments but also through Spiritual direction, retreats and other events and support. The Grand Knight should meet regularly with the council Chaplain to see how the council can best support the Catholic community.

Financial Secretary - The financial secretary is chosen by the trustees and the officers of the council for a three-year term and approved by the Supreme Knight. He provides continuity in the council and is responsible for collecting dues and ensuring that the council's financial recordings are kept up to date. Additionally, he ensures that membership records are current, issues membership cards, and files regular reports to the district, regional, province and supreme.

Lecturer - The Lecturer provides brief spiritual discourses and reflections during business meetings for the "Good of the Order ."If the Lecturer cannot be present, he should appoint a council member to give the reflection.

Program Director - The Program Director is appointed by the Grand Knight and oversees the Faith in Action areas of Faith, Family, Community and Life. In some councils, this may be the duty of the Deputy Grand Knight. The Program Director ensures that all his subordinate committees meet regularly and plan appropriate events. In addition, he communicates individual committee reports to the Grand Knight. Keeps

accurate records of council programs for reporting on the *Annual Survey of Fraternal Activity (#11337)* and the *Columbian Award Application (#SP-7)*. Must complete required Safe Environment training.

Faith Director - The Faith Director is appointed by the Grand Knight and reports to the Program Director. Responsible for all faith-based council programs.

Family Director - The Grand Knight appoints the Family Director and reports to the Program Director. Responsible for all family-based council programs. The Supreme Council offers [5 college-specific family programs](#). Must complete required Safe Environment training and background check.

Community Director - The Grand Knight appoints the Community Director and reports to the Program Director. Responsible for all community-based council programs. He directs programs that support and encourage service to the community that fight poverty, aids the individual, promotes athletic events, and sponsors more extensive programs and campaigns. He should be comfortable contacting and coordinating with organizations that align in key areas of community assistance. Must complete required Safe Environment training and background check.

Life Director - The Grand knight appoints the Life Director and reports to the Program Director. Responsible for all life-based council programs. The individual assigned to this position should be comfortable discussing and planning efforts within the context of supporting and affirming life in all stages and conditions. Notably, he strives to promote programs that support and encourage the advancement of the pro-life movement, people with intellectual disabilities and persecuted Christians.

Membership Director - The Membership Director serves as the head of the Admission Committee and works to grow the council's membership through new and transfer members. He should actively identify potential recruits, plan recruitment programs, host informational meetings and encourage council members to seek candidates. In addition, the Membership Director should ensure that a council has access to frequent degree exemplifications and should work that each member reaches their degree promptly.

Retention Chairman - The Retention Chairman works to keep the council's members active. Implements programs and practices that provide mentors for new members and regularly communicates with the members to encourage their participation. When a council wishes to suspend members, the Retention Chairman must reach out to members and ask them to keep their membership or transfer to another council.

Brother Mark Jennings



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"I am sorry I am unable to respond personally as I will be out of the country on medical leave from Saturday, October 29th , 2022 to December 11th ,2022 and will have limited access to email while away. I will be replying to all emails upon my return."

*If your issue is urgent, please reach out to our Regional Office and speak to **Josie Hebert** at **519-966-9977** or sangeminoagency@mail@kofc.org and she will be sure to assign one of my colleagues to assist you during my absence.*

Wishing you a blessed day!

Contact info:

Brother Simon D'Souza, Field Agent

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Email Address: simon.dsouza@kofc.org

Simon D'souza

Financial Advisor

COUNCIL INFORMATION

OBITUARY

In Loving Memory

Our beloved Natalie passed long battle with cancer. March 30, 1953, daughter of sister to Rina, Tony and Street in Toronto, a home



Natalie Helen Meier

away on January 17, 2023 after a Natalie was born in Toronto on Giulia and Michele Scopa, and Robert. She grew up on Lauder that welcomed everyone. Her

relationships were profound; an angel for her husband, SK Doug Meier, Past Grand Knight of Council # 11337, and to her children Wesley and Michael, grandchildren Antonio, Carmine, Michele and Giulia. She was also a Past President of Saints Peter and Paul Catholic Women's League and was involved in numerous parish ministries. **May the soul of Natalie and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen**

<https://www.arbormemorial.ca/scott-mississauga/obituaries/natalie-meier/98075/Events>

OUR KNIGHTS IN ACTION

GALA NEW YEARS EVE DINNER & DANCE





TOP, CWL MEMBERS ! ABOVE LEFT, DJ FRED ! ABOVE RIGHT, BARTENDER CARLOS,! BELOW, K OF C MEMBERS



VOLUNTEERS (apologies to anyone missed)

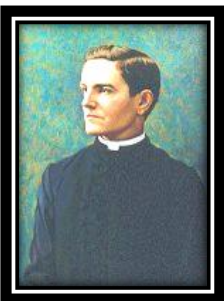






**HIS HOLINESS POPE FRANCIS' MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTION – JANUARY 2023:
FOR EDUCATORS**

**WE PRAY THAT EDUCATORS MAY BE CREDIBLE WITNESSES, TEACHING FRATERNITY
RATHER THAN COMPETITION AND HELPING THE YOUNGEST AND MOST
VULNERABLE ABOVE ALL.**



PRAYER TO BLESSED FATHER MICHAEL J. MCGIVNEY

O great and glorious God, you imbued your holy priest, Father Michael J. McGivney, with deep priestly virtue and especially with pastoral concern for the poor, the orphan, the widow, for the Christian education of youth, for the protection of the faith of the working man of his day.

Now that his priestly ministry continues to spread to countless millions throughout the world through the efforts and influence of the Order of the Knights of Columbus, which Father McGivney founded, we beseech you, Heavenly Father, to raise your faithful servant, Michael, to the honours of the altar. We ask this favour through our Lord Jesus Christ and His holy mother, Mary and our mother. Amen

PRAYER FOR THE CANONIZATION OF BLESSED MICHAEL MCGIVNEY

God, our Father, protector of the poor and defender of the widow and orphan, you called your priest, Blessed Michael McGivney, to be an apostle of Christian family life and to lead the young to the generous service of their neighbour. Through the example of his life and virtue, may we follow your Son, Jesus Christ, more closely, fulfilling His commandment of charity and building up his Body which is the Church. Let the inspiration of your servant prompt us to greater confidence in Your love so that we may continue his work of caring for the needy and the outcast. We humbly ask that You glorify Blessed Michael McGivney on earth according to the design of Your holy will. Through this intercession, grant the favour I now present (here make your request). Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

PRAYER FOR THE PERSEVERANCE OF VOCATIONS

O God, You have constituted Your only-begotten Son supreme and eternal Priest for the glory of Your majesty and the salvation of mankind: grant that those whom He has chosen ministers and dispensers of His mysteries may be found faithful in fulfilling the ministry they have received.

Please inform the Grand Knight immediately you are aware of any Brother, or Family Member, who is ill or in need of assistance.

Please Remember in your Prayers:

Our Brothers and family members who are sick or recovering, especially for Reverend Father Gregory Nowicki, Pastor from our associate and Round Table of our Council, Saints Cyril and Methodius, and our Brothers SK Bennon Fernandez and Brother George Pitcher.

"Deceased Members of our Council"

Bro. Arnold J. Benoit, Bro. William P. Riosa, Bro. Ha Quang Nguyen, Bro. William Anderson, Bro. James McWilliams, Bro. Arturo H. Magpayo, Bro. Domenico Carnevale, Bro. Kevin Halpin, Bro. Alberto Cataudella, Bro. Noel R. D'Souza, Bro. Peter Golobic, Bro. Joseph Abela, Bro. Eugenio Colautti, Bro. Victor J. Ceccanese, Bro. William Sheppard, Bro. Desmond K. Rose, Bro. Harry Henderson, Bro. Harold Farrugia, Bro. Michael Petronis, Bro. Emeterio M. Chosa, Bro. Patrick F. O'Reilly, Bro. Julian Rego, Bro. Joseph Tokar, Rev. Bro. Matthew F. Grogan, Bro. James A. Brownhill, Bro. Rafael D. Garcia, Bro. Rosalino C. Vinluan, Bro. Cosmas F. Fernandes, Bro. Alfredo L. Santos, Bro. Bernard F. Geraghty, Bro. Philippe A. Lacroix, Bro. Joseph N. Reston, Bro. Derrick J. Dias, Bro. Brian C. McCarthy, Bro. Henry D'Souza and Bro. George Andronek.

**MAY THESE AND ALL THE SOULS OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED THROUGH THE MERCY OF GOD, REST IN PEACE.
AMEN.**

EXECUTIVES FOR THE FRATERNAL YEAR 2022 - 2023

EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

2022 – 2023

Chaplain	Rev. Fr. Mario Salvadori
Grand Knight	SK Fernando M. Greco
Past Grand Knight	SK Osaru Ogbomo
Deputy Grand Knight	SK Fred Policarpio
Chancellor	Dilbert Nolasco
Recorder	Frank Crisostimo
Financial Secretary	SK Michael Bryce
Treasurer	Joaquim R. Faria
Lecturer	SK Ronald Somasundaram
Advocate	Ricardo Medeiros
Warden	Gerardo Cruz
Inside Guard	Charles Decosta
Inside Guard	André Bilodeau
Inside Guard	Joseph Bilhete
Outside Guard	SK Cosimo Comisso
Outside Guard	Darrell D'Souza
Three-year Trustee	SK Peter Linhart
Two-year Trustee	Adrian R. Kilroy
One-year Trustee	SK Neville F. Smith
District Deputy	SK Jacinto Fernandes
District Warden	SK Joseph Kubat

PROGRAM DIRECTOR & COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN

2022 – 2023

Programme Director	David Jackson
Faith Director – SPP	George W. Pitcher
Faith Director – SCM	SK Joseph Tomko
Vocations Chairman	SK Bennon A. Fenandez
Community Director	SK Michael Bryce
Council Activities / Telephone	SK Joseph P. Rocha
Public Relations	SK Fred Policarpio
Family Director	SK Michael Bryce
Youth Director	SK Cosimo Comisso
Allocation Committee	<i>unassigned</i>
Fraternal Benefits Advisor	Simon S. D'Souza
Membership Director	Joaquim R. Faria
Bingo Committee	SK Ronald Somasundaram
Life Director	Dilbert Nolasco
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Recruitment Committee 1	SK Dennis M. Crooks
Recruitment Committee 2	Ricardo B. Medeiros
Recruitment Committee 3	SK Osaru Ogbomo
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2023 PROGRAMME

JANUARY 2023

TUES	17	GENERAL MEETING – ROSARY AT 7:30 PM & MEETING AT 8:00 PM – CHURCH HALL
THURS	19	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
SAT	21	FUNERAL FOR MRS. NATALIE MEIER, ASSISTANCE NEEDED IN HALL AT 10:00 AM AND TRAFFIC CONTROL TOO.
THURS	26	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM

FEBRUARY 2023

THURS	2	PRESENTATION OF THE LORD , FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
THURS	9	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
FRI	10	RECRUITMENT IN HALL AT 6:00 PM, VOLUNTEERS NEEDED.
TUES	14	EXECUTIVE MEETING - 7:00 PM – MEETING HOUSE
THURS	16	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
TUES	21	GENERAL MEETING – ROSARY AT 7:30 PM & MEETING AT 8:00 PM – CHURCH HALL
WED	22	ASH WEDNESDAY - BEGINNING OF LENT
THURS	23	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM

MARCH 2023

THURS	2	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
THURS	9	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
TUES	14	EXECUTIVE MEETING - 7:00 PM – MEETING HOUSE
THURS	16	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
TUES	21	GENERAL MEETING – ROSARY AT 7:30 PM & MEETING AT 8:00 PM – CHURCH HALL
THURS	23	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
SAT	25	ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD
WED	29	FISH & CHIPS NIGHT AT 5:30 PM, DINNER AT 6:00 PM, TICKETS \$20.00 PER PERSON
THURS	30	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM

APRIL 2023

SUN	2	PALM SUNDAY
THUR	6	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
FRI	7	GOOD FRIDAY
SUN	9	EASTER SUNDAY
TUES	11	EXECUTIVE MEETING - 7:00 PM – MEETING HOUSE
THUR	13	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
SUN	16	DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY
TUES	18	GENERAL MEETING – ROSARY AT 7:30 PM & MEETING AT 8:00 PM – CHURCH HALL, NOMINATIONS FOR OFFICERS FOR THE FRATERNAL YEAR 2023 – 2024, AND ELECTION OF THE “KNIGHT OF THE YEAR”
THUR	20	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
THUR	27	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
MAY 2023		
THUR	4	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
TUES	9	EXECUTIVE MEETING - 7:00 PM – MEETING HOUSE
THUR	11	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
SUN	14	MOTHER’S DAY
TUES	16	GENERAL MEETING – ROSARY AT 7:30 PM & MEETING AT 8:00 PM – CHURCH HALL, NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS FOR OFFICERS FOR THE FRATERNAL YEAR 2023 – 2024.
THUR	18	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
SUN	21	THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD
THUR	25	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
SUN	28	PENTECOST SUNDAY
MON	29	THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, MOTHER OF THE CHURCH
WED	31	THE VISITATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
JUNE 2023		
THUR	1	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
SUN	4	SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY
THUR	8	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
SUN	11	FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI
TUES	13	EXECUTIVE MEETING - 7:00 PM – MEETING HOUSE
THUR	15	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
FRI	16	THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS
SAT	17	THE IMMACULATE HEART OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
TUES	20	GENERAL MEETING – ROSARY AT 7:30 PM & MEETING AT 8:00 PM – CHURCH HALL – PASSING OF THE GAVEL TO THE NEW GRAND KNIGHT
THUR	22	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
THUR	29	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM AND FEAST OF SAINTS PETER AND PAUL
JULY 2023		
THUR	6	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
THUR	13	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
THUR	20	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
THUR	27	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
SAT	29	SIR KNIGHT BILL RIOSA CHICKEN BBQ AND DINNER DANCE. INFO UPCOMING
AUGUST 2023		
THUR	3	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
SUN	6	TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD
THUR	10	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
TUES	15	THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
WED	16	ANNUAL MASS FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED
THUR	17	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
TUES	22	QUEENSHIP OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
THUR	24	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
THUR	31	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM

SEPTEMBER 2023

THUR	7	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
TUES	12	EXECUTIVE MEETING - 7:00 PM – MEETING HOUSE
THUR	14	EXALTATION OF THE CROSS - FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
TUES	19	GENERAL MEETING – ROSARY AT 7:30 PM & MEETING AT 8:00 PM – CHURCH HALL
THUR	21	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
SUN	24	INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS – AFTER THE 12:30 PM MASS
THUR	28	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
SAT	30	ANNIVERSARY AND LADIES NIGHT DINNER AND DANCE, MORE INFO TO COME

OCTOBER 2023

THUR	5	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
TUES	10	EXECUTIVE MEETING - 7:00 PM – MEETING HOUSE
THUR	12	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
TUES	17	GENERAL MEETING – ROSARY AT 7:30 PM & MEETING AT 8:00 PM – CHURCH HALL
THUR	19	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
THUR	26	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM

NOVEMBER 2023

WED	1	ALL SAINTS' DAY
THUR	2	ALL SOULS' DAY – FAMILY ROSARY – ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
FRI	3	FISH AND CHIPS NIGHT – MORE INFO TO COME
THUR	9	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
TUES	14	EXECUTIVE MEETING - 7:00 PM – MEETING HOUSE
THUR	16	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
TUES	21	GENERAL MEETING – ROSARY AT 7:30 PM & MEETING AT 8:00 PM – CHURCH HALL
THUR	23	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
SUN	26	FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING
THUR	30	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM

DECEMBER 2023

THUR	7	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
SUN	10	CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY - HALL
TUES	12	EXECUTIVE AND GENERAL MEETINGS – ROSARY AT 7:00 PM AND MEETINGS AFTER.
THUR	14	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
THUR	21	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
MON	25	CHRISTMAS DAY
THUR	28	FAMILY ROSARY - ONLINE VIA ZOOM AT 8:00 PM
SUN	31	NEW YEARS GALA DINNER AND DANCE WITH THE CATHOLIC WOMENS LEAGUE

OPENING ODE

SING YE HIS PRAISES LOUD AND LONG,
AND LET THE UNENLIGHTENED KNOW,
IN EV'RY ECHO OF YOUR SONG,
THE GREAT DEEDS DONE, THO' LONG AGO,
BY COLUMBUS OF THE VALIANT SOUL,
WHO FIRST OLD NEPTUNE HAS CONTROLLED,
DESPITE OF ENVY, INTRIGUE, GOLD,
IN THE DIM PAST OF LONG AGO.

WITH VESSELS THREE O'ER STORMY SEA,
HE THRILLED THE WORLD OF LONG AGO,
WHILE WISDOM LINKED WITH DESTINY,
IN JUSTICE SCALES ITS WEIGHT DID THROW.
WE ARE HIS HEIRS; WE WEAR HIS NAME;
WE BOAST HIS DEEDS; WE SPREAD HIS FAME;
OUR ORDER IS THE SHINING FLAME,
THAT LIGHTS THE GLOOM OF LONG AGO.

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O Canada!

Our home and native land!

True patriot love in all thy sons command.

With glowing hearts, we see thee rise,
 The True North strong and free!
 From far and wide,
 O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.
 God keep our land glorious and free!
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