## **MONSIGNOR JAMES C. WARREN MEMORIAL**

#### **COUNCIL 5073 NEWS**

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# COUNCIL CHAPLAIN, FATHER FRANCIS SALASIAR, C.S.C.



#### Let us remember and celebrate:

Pope Francis has instituted the fourth Sunday of July, which is close to the feast of Sts. Joakim and Anna, the grandparents of Jesus, as grandparents Sunday. The importance of grandparents in the lives of children cannot be denied. Before our culture became so mobile, it was common for children to grow up surrounded by extended family, including one or both sets of grandparents. Their life experience was a guide and beacon in itself.

If you are a grandparent yourself, continue to be the inspiration and a guide that the young people seek from you. Pope Francis says, "It was my grandmother who taught me to pray," At an event in St. Peter's Square, Pope Francis said, "old age is a time of grace," adding that "the elderly, grandparents have the ability to understand the most difficult of situations: a great ability! And when they pray for these situations, their prayer is strong; it is powerful!" So, dear grandparents and elderly, continue to be the ray of hope to your children and grandchildren, in this troubled world.

And, for us who consider ourselves in the category of the younger generations, let us become aware of the strength, wisdom, and guidance that our grandparents and elderly can offer to us. Let us take this opportunity to appreciate our grandparents, our children's grandparents, and all elders who have had an impact on our life. If you know a younger caregiver who is providing assistance to their grandparent, offer them some recognition or a helping hand. Let us honour and glorify their hard work, commitment, and love to us all.

With Love and Prayers Francis Salasiar CSC St.Raphael Church 4072 New Street Burlington, ON. L7L1S9 Fr. Francis Salasiar, CSC Chaplain

#### Message from the Grand Knight



#### **Brothers:**

As we come upon August, we have a final opportunity to enjoy some quality family time with our love ones and take in the last of the warm weather before school starts again in the fall. Let us reflect on how much our Lord and saviour loves each and every one of us and how fortunate we are to live in Canada where freedom of expression and the practice of our faith is carried out without any difficulties or obstacles. Let us continue to pray for those who are affected by the virus and those who are suffering from grieve or loss. Let's pray that we will be able to once again resume the good works of the Lord to help those who are less fortunate within our community by virtue of being able to host in-person fund raising projects and events.

Let us enjoy the rest of the summer with our loved ones and continue to stay safe in doing so.

Vivat Jesus and Fraternally Yours,

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Michael Mark **Grand Knight** 

Council 5073

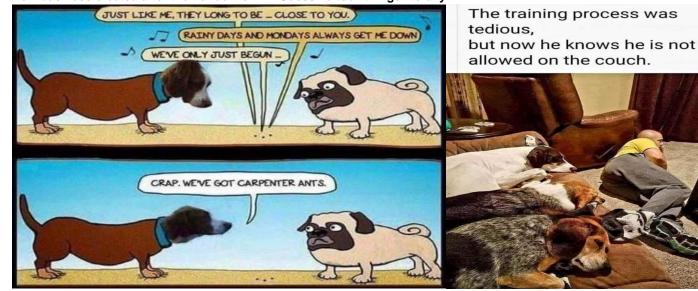
## Pandemic Humour Corner I 6<sup>th</sup> Edition



Just burned
3000 calories!
That's the last time
I leave brownies
in the oven
while I take a nap.

**New business created after the Pandemic** 

Guess he took things literally



My wife
complained that
my life revolving
around facebook
has destroyed the
way we
communicate as a
family,
so I blocked her

# SILVER ROSE

## Faith in Action - Life Programs



#### **RESOURCES**

Every stop the Silver Rose makes throughout the pilgrimage is a rosary-centered occasion for Knights, parishioners and community members to pray for respect for life.

#### A Higher Purpose

Share the message of Our Lady of Guadalupe and promote respect for life by participating in this meaningful pilgrimage. The Silver Rose program demonstrates the unity between Knights of Columbus in Canada, the United States and Mexico, through a series of prayer services promoting the dignity of all human life and honouring Our Lady.



#### Overview

Each year, from early March through mid-December, Silver Roses are stewarded by Knights of Columbus councils along routes from Canada to Mexico. Every stop the Silver Rose makes throughout the pilgrimage is a rosary-centered occasion for Knights, parishioners and community members to pray for respect for life, for the spiritual renewal of each nation, and for the advancement of the message of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

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On the evening of July 21<sup>st</sup>, the Silver Rose, escorted by the **Knights on Bikes** arrived at St. Raphael's Parish in Burlington, Ontario at 6pm to help us celebrate this very special Silver Rose Prayer vigil. Our worthy Chaplain, Father Francis Salasiar presided over this special event at 7pm, along with some Knights from council 5073 their family and friends from St. Patrick's, St. Raphael's and St. John the Baptist parishes. All in all, a total 36 people attended this special prayer/mass vigil. Special thanks goes out to our worthy chaplain, Father Francis Salasiar for hosting this prayer vigil, as well as our worthy district deputy SK David Fisher for reading the introduction, as well as the Knights on Bikes, headed by SK Dennis Mailloux who had Knights on bikes that came from all over Southern Ontario as far away as Windsor, Grimsby, Niagara, and Hamilton to escort and bring us the Silver Rose so that we can conduct this special prayer vigil. Below is a picture of the Knights on Bikes taken with our worthy Chaplain Father Francis, and a picture of the Silver Rose.





### Charity Fund Raising Project for 2022 taking place in 2021- Charity Cash Calendar

The Charity Cash Calendar is proceeding and we should have the calendars printed shortly. We will do our best to promote the calendar within our local community and we ask that everyone in our council, as well as brothers from other councils work together to support this worthwhile project because many hands do make light work. We would like to thank the hard work of the co-chairs for the charity cash calendar: Brothers John Sagan and Lee Brown. They both put a lot of effort, time and hard work into this project and should be congratulated for their commitment to the charity projects within our council.



## **Halton Alive Update**

## Bringing hope to our community

The Inspire Hope campaign was launched in response to the impact of COVID-19 lockdowns on the elderly. We knew that being isolated and unable to have visitors meant many would be lonely and confused. We've even heard of individuals requesting euthanasia at the thought of another lockdown.

The elderly are valued important members of society so, to help bring hope and encouragement, we found ways to connect while physically distanced.

YOU can be part of demonstrating love and care for those in our community who are most vulnerable during this time. Get involved by signing up for our current initiative.

Current Initiative: Sidewalk Chalking in June & August



Summer is the perfect time to get outside and enjoy the weather! This Inspire Hope initiative is all about bringing some cheerful designs and messages that local retirement and LTC home residents can see from their windows or if they go for a walk.

Sidewalk chalking is a great way to bring visual hope and encouragement to residents and workers or delivery people. And all you need is chalk! Spread the word, get your club, family, neighbors, church etc. involved!

#### THE GOAL:

We want to see all 47 location get new chalk designs at least once a week in June & August.

#### **HOW IT WORKS:**

- 1. Sign-up to participate.
- 2. You'll receive an email with a link to select a location(s) and week(s) to chalk. (Sign-up for as many locations and as often as you'd like!)
- 3. Remember to bring your own colorful chalk.
- 4. Send us pictures of you and your team creating your colorful designs!

The Halton Alive held their general meeting on July 22<sup>nd</sup>. The meeting went very well with lots of great ideas and hope for the unborn moving forward into 2022.

## **Prayer for Healing**

Almighty and merciful Father, by the power of your command, drive away from me all forms of sickness and disease. Restore strength to my body and joy to my spirit, so that in my renewed health, I may bless and serve you, now and forever more.

To be included in the Prayer Network,



## Please Pray for the Following People:

- Gary Smith
- Patrick Crowley
- Richard Vaughan
- Monsignor Ray Modeski
- Ignatius McDonald
- Don MacPherson
- Frank Hartman
- Riccardo Colaianni
- Reginald Eckstein
- Andrew Eckstein
- Meghan Patty Tepall
- Kerrie Newscombe
- John Cummings
- Tony Van Dalen
- Sam Whalen
- Leo Russell
- Robert Lalonde
- The soul of William Thomas Herod
- Moira Asmann
- Zeno Karcz
- Andrew Hallett
- Karen Beemo
- Phil Strecker
- Ron Milne
- Deacon Richard Petsche
- Linda Petsche
- Ronald Milne Jr.
- Mary MacDonald & Family
- Ingrid Brown
- Jack & John Stefnitz
- Robert Chisholm
- Richard Rottich
- Helen Edwards
- Gloria MacDonald
- Tom Tilley

- Sarah Harper
- Doris Anderson
- The Churchill Family
- Soul of Paul Arsenault
- The Martel Family
- Joseph Constantini
- Protection in the time of a pandemic
- The people of India and around the world who have been devastated by this pandemic
- All the people globally affected in any way by the Corona Virus

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SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	<b>2</b> Civic Holiday	3 Council Executive Meeting	4 Happy Birthday Thomas C Ferguson	5	6	7
8	9 Council General Meeting Happy Birthday Gabor L Vaski	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17 Happy Birthday Rev Robert C Stainsby	18	19	20	21
<b>22</b> Happy Birthday Justin M Hill Fraser C Ramskogler	23	24 Happy Birthday Gregory P Henderson	25	26	27 Happy Birthday Steven Starcevic	28
29	30 Happy Birthday Arnold A Atienza	31	1	2		