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#### **GRAND KNIGHT MIKE RICE**

**Brother Knights,** 

#### Welcome Back!

I hope all of you had a wonderful summer break and are ready to get back into the swing of things! I am looking forward to seeing all of you at our next council meeting on September 22nd at 7pm.

Our first event for this year will be a "Priest Appreciation Dinner" on Sunday November 13th in the church hall. Tickets will be available through Tony Frasca. We could use some help with this event and in selling the tickets - please see Tony.

See you on the 22nd! May the Lord be always with you in your thoughts and prayers!

**Vivat Jesus!** 

Mike Rice, Grand Knight



MEET NEW BROTHER PETER VELLEGAS

### **CONGRATULATIONS !!!**

#### **NEW THIRD DEGREE BROTHERS AT STUART COUNCIL JUNE 25TH**



left-right--Brothers Joe Kremer, Troy Church, Dan DiRenzo, Dan Cerrezuela, Mike Rios, Rob Perona









L-R: MEET NEW FIRST DEGREE KNIGHTS, LAURENCE CLAY, JOE ZARCONE, AND HENRY FERNANDEZ ( OF HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH OF PORT ST. LUCIE )

# **CONGRATULATIONS!!!**



#### FAITHFUL NAVIGATOR DICK BANVILLE

The summer break went by so fast; it is wonderful to be back in touch with you. We are happy to welcome seven new brother Sir Knights to or Lady of Fatima assembly. On Saturday August 13 a large delegation of brother Sir Knights drove to West Palm Beach to witness the exemplification of 7 brothers and welcome them all personally to the patriotic degree.

We have many activities planned, the first is that we will celebrate Columbus day with a prime rib dinner on Sunday October 9, beginning at 6PM at the Moose Hall which is located off Prima Vista near Saint Lucie Catholic Church. This activity is open to all brother knights and guests.

Our Color Corps has responded to many request for help over the summer including Color Corp honor guard presence at funerals, being part of the honor guard at a Blue Mass at Holy Family Church and later this month we have been asked to be part of an honor guard at a national Special Olympic competition at the PGA here in SLW.

In the future (next month) we will have our bi-annual Mother Theresa food drive to benefit our homeless vets here in Port St. Lucie. We have many homeless veterans living very close to us (in the woods off Rte 1). We are very proud of the help we have given our veterans with food and basic necessities in the past here at St Bernadette's.

We are also planning an Early Christmas gathering in the future that is open to all knights that will benefit a worthy children's charity.

God bless you, and Bless those who protect us and our freedoms in this great

country.

**Dick Banville, Faithful Navigator** 

# NEW FOURTH KNIGHTHOOD DEGREE BROTHERS HOLY NAME OF JESUS CATHOLIC CHURCH OF WEST PALM BEACH AUGUST 13, 2016



L-R SIR KNIGHTS JOE KREMER, SAM LOMAZZO, KEN DIEHL, MIKE RIOS, ROB PERONA, DAN CERREZUELA, AND KEN HAUSLER

# **CONGRATULATIONS !!!**

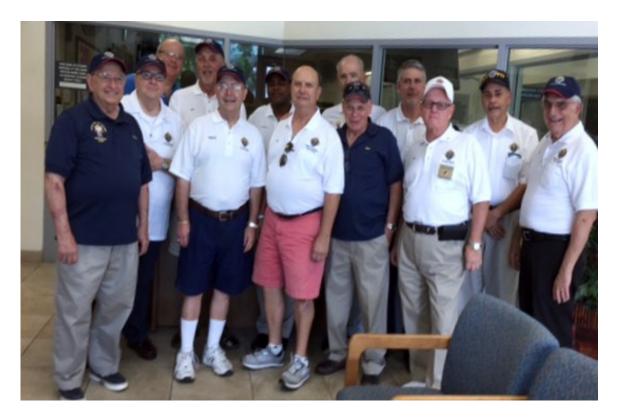


THE SUPPORT GROUP

We put out the call to to our Brothers to say "Thank you" to the Police for their brave and dangerous work. We brought food, snacks water and etc. Idea from Brother Larry Smith



**JULY 2016** 



THANK YOU BROTHERS FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

#### SOME OF OUR KNIGHTS ON THE TOOTSIE ROLL DRIVE AT PUBLIC'S IN PSL























#### Marilyn Suriano, President of the Columbiettes

Greeting! Fall is just around the corner (maybe a little farther than I want) and I hope that everyone's summer was fun. The Columbiette meetings are starting up and officers are juggling positions! I am moving up to President and Karen Frasca is moving into my old position of District Deputy for our Auxiliary. Mary Paglione who has been past president for 3 years is gladly stepping aside for Karen Frasca to take that spot! Karen will be busy with 2 jobs! Joanne Banville is moving from Secretary to Vice President. Ena Stewart and Rosemarie Krecic will keep their respective positions of Financial Secretary and Treasurer. Ethel Norris is our new Sentinel. It will be a wonderful year!

I am very excited that we have 8 ladies making their **Major degree on September 24**<sup>th</sup> at St Mark's Catholic Church in Boynton Beach. It would be nice if you come and support your Columbiette Sisters. Please call me if you would like to join us at this special ceremony by September 16<sup>th</sup>. (772-878-2623 or email at <a href="mailto:mebsuriano@gmail.com">mebsuriano@gmail.com</a>) A huge thank you goes out to Evadne Belnavis and Agnes Stewart for volunteering to fill in for the Treasure Coast Major Degree Team when the need arises.

Our **first meeting will be September 22 at 7:00 pm**. A speaker from Mary's Shelter will talk before our meeting so it is very important to arrive before the meeting time so that our speaker may start right at 7:00! The meeting will follow the speaker.

A Columbiette Corporate Communion will be Sunday, October 9 at the 9:00am mass. This mass is for our deceased Columbiette members and also in honor of one of our patron Saints, Therese "The Little Flower". Please come and celebrate mass with our sisters.

OUR FIRST FUND RAISER! We are continuing our tradition that is so well attended -Brunch at Pietro's OnThe River. It will be Sunday October 23 from 11:00 am – 3:00 pm with the cost of \$25 per ticket. There will be breakfast foods, salads, main courses with fixings and of course deserts. Tickets will be available on September 12th and you may contact Karen Frasca (772-672-4719), Mary Paglione (772-343-0093) or me at the above number. We will have only our September meeting before the brunch so it is important to get your friends, neighbors and family tickets.

MARILYN SURIANO, PRESIDENT OF THE COLUMBIETTES

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Our Order is among the highest rated life insurers in North America. AM Best has rated the Knights of Columbus "A++, Superior" for 40 consecutive years. It's a testament to our track record for excellence and security.

I would suggest that a principal reason that we were able to achieve those accolades is because we remain steadfastly committed to the vision of Venerable Father Michael J. McGivney by providing life insurance by brother Knights for brother Knights.

That commitment is an essential core value of the Knights of Columbus, and our core values permeate all levels of our organization. We pledge to serve our brother Knights, and their families, according to our Golden Rule: "In all my professional relationships, I pledge myself to the following rule of conduct: I shall, in light of all conditions surrounding those I serve, render that service which, under the same circumstances, I would apply to myself."

Let's talk soon to discuss how our products can bring that peace of mind to you and your family.







#### **Editor's Corner**

#### **Brothers and Sisters,**

We are back! It's time to turn our attention to our events that will fund the charities we wish to enhance. Those events, and others that we have for fun, are what we do. We try to make our fund raisers something we call "FUN FUND RAISERS". You know the kind we make fun to join in and also raise money.

Our first event is sponsored by the Fourth Degree Sir Knights. We will go to the Moose Hall in Port St. Lucie for a prime rib dinner and dance. It will be held on October, 9, for the low, low, bargain price of \$ 21.00. This is a full dinner, with music to boogie! There will be a cash bar in the hall. See Adriano Krecic, Dick Banville, and me for tickets. THIS EVENT IS OPEN TO ALL!

Next up is the Corporate Communion on October 30 th, the fifth Sunday of October. All of our organizations, (Knights, Fourth Degree, and Columbiettes) come together for Mass and Communion at Church for the 9 A.M. Mass. Then we have a nosh and social get together immediately after in the Church hall.

Then on Sunday, November 13, we have our Priest's Appreciation Dinner. It's a thank you to our Clergy for the job they do. The evening will be fun, with good food. The tickets will be \$25.00 with salad and dessert included. We will a host a cocktail hour prior to the party.

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