



CROSS AND COMPASS

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of Columbus
Council 9924*

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish

September, 2018



Grand Knights Message

Greetings Good Brothers!

The heart of the Knights of Columbus is charity. Our programs fund all of our charities. We need individuals to step up to the plate and run committees. As I reflect, I do not believe in arm twisting or any other method to convince Brothers to serve. If no one steps up, we cancel activities and our charity efforts fails. The Need is shown in the attached Event Chairmen spread sheet found on the next page. Most critical is Donut & Coffees and the Breakfasts.



Secondly, at our last Council Meeting we discovered we were not following the by-laws adopted up by our Council on October 8, 2013. Basically the By-Laws say we can not spend in excess of \$500.00 unless there is a 2/3 vote of the members present and voting at a regular business meeting. A written resolution must be presented to the Council prior to the meeting in which the vote is taken. Therefore the following resolution will be voted on at the Regular Council Meeting on September 11, 2018:

Resolution for Knights of Columbus Council 9924

To Donate Funds to Diocese of Venice Catholic Faith Appeal (CFA) on behalf of Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church

Whereas K of C Council 9924 of Venice, Florida at their monthly meeting held on August 14, 2018, proposed to donate funds from their general Council account to CFA on behalf of Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church;

Whereas the officers of Council 9924 voted to donate the amount of \$5,000 from our general account;

Whereas the funds will be donated to the CFA to be designated for Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church;

Whereas this Resolution will be published in the Councils Cross and Compass Newsletter prior to voting;

Whereas this resolution must be approved by the members of K of C Council 9924 by a vote taken at a regular monthly meeting after it had been read by the membership;

Resolved that the officers of K of C Council 9924 urge you to vote in favor of this Resolution to donate the specified funds from our Council account in a timely fashion.

Respectively,

Michael P O'Brien, Grand Knight

Council 9924 Event Chairmen

Our Council has many events planned for this Fraternal Year. Following is a list of Chairmen.

Please note there are many events without a Chairman.

Please step forward and volunteer to lead an activity.

INITIATION DEGREES	PATRICK EWING	pat.ewing1275@gmail.com
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TOOTSIE ROLL	BURHOE/EWING	
PUBLICITY	JIM PALERMO	
BREAKFAST CHAIRMAN 1		
BREAKFAST CHAIRMAN 2		
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COUNCIL VISITATION	JOE MAGUIRE	salmac1057@verizon.net
5TH SUNDAY ROSARY	BILL SANCHEZ	rmateo4@verizon.net
SPECIAL OLYMPICS BOWLING	HENRY VON SALZEN	henryvonsalzen.fgd@gmail.com
YOUTH SOCCER CHALLENGE	NICK CATONE	nickcat813@aol.com
FAITH FORMATION PICNIC	NICK CATONE	nickcat813@aol.com
ALL SOULS MASS AT CEMETERY	BILL SANCHEZ	rmateo4@verizon.net
GOLF OUTING CO-CHAIRS NEED CO	RON BOWES	ronbowes44@yahoo.com
CLOTHING DRIVE (12/15-16)		
RENEWAL OF WEDDING VOWS (1/20)		
KNIGHTS' RETREAT (1/23-24)		
BASKETBALL SHOOTOUT	NICK CATONE	nickcat813@aol.com
GARAGE SALE (2/23)		
RECRUITING OPEN HOUSE	MIKE O'BRIEN	mobmike@aol.com
ST. PATRICKS IRISH COFFEE (1/16)	TIM O'CONNOR	tmoconnor@comcast.net
DIVINE MERCY CEREMONY (4/28)		
FLAGS AT SARASOTA NAT'L (5/25)		

Not only do we need Chairmen, the Chairmen need Knights to assist with the events. Please consider a Chairmanship and if this does not fit your schedule, please consider helping at an event. Please contact GK O'Brien or DGK Harrison to Chair and event. Thank You!!!

Information about the Arimathea Ministry

The name Arimathea comes from Saint Joseph of Arimathea who tended to Our Lord Jesus after his death. Joseph asked if he could take the body of Jesus and provide a burial place for him.

Arimatheans as we are called, are caring parishioners who attend funeral and memorial Masses as representatives of our faith community. Our ministry is composed of three different sections. The first section provides Arimatheans who attend the funeral Mass and provide spiritual support for the family of the deceased. The second section of Arimatheans provides a no cost funeral reception luncheon for the family and friends of the deceased; we can service a reception up to 75 people here at our parish center. The third section of Arimatheans provides a spiritual follow up in the form of 30 day, 60day, and 90 day condolence cards. All of these ministry services are meaningful Catholic faith support in a time when families are grieving the loss of their loved one. The Arimathea Ministry is the true practice of the Corporal Works of Mercy, feeding the hungry, giving drink to the thirsty, clothing the naked, sheltering the homeless and burying the dead. We as Catholics are charged to "Affirm the value of Life" and to represent the community at a person's final commendation and to commemorate the dead

Our goal is to bring dignity to the deceased through our support, care and spiritual guidance. If you are in need of our ministry services please contact the parish office staff, and we will take care of all your needs. If you would like to be part of our ministry please contact: K of C Brother Knight, Peter Spagnuolo at

peterspagnuolo1937@gmail.com or call 941.786.6638

Blue Mass

Sunday, September 9
10 AM Mass

Please join us To honor all active, retired or deceased First Responders. Bishop Dewane will be the Celebrant for the Mass.

All Knights and spouses will gather in the church lobby at 9:45 AM. Please wear your white knights shirt. There will be a brunch after the mass in the parish hall

PLEASE ATTEND



Council 9924 Board

2018-2019

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Mike O'Brien 375-8987

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John Harrison 408-0143

Warden

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I am very pleased to announce Dick Maier will be taking over as your new Cross and Compass publisher.

We have worked together on this issue and will do the same for October. Beginning in November Dick will have it all. From what I have seen so far he knows more about Publisher than I do. Thank you Dick for stepping forward. Jim Palermo

Pray for the Sick and Distressed

Germain Guterriez
 Barbara O'Connor
 Rose Valenti
 Al Adam
 Peter Rodriguez
 John Harrison
 Clyde Peters
 Family of Christopher
 Fenlon, Jr.
 TJ Hannaway

Bill Weiss
 Betty Weiss
 Bob Hackmeister
 Bill Straub
 George Counes
 Kathy Gallagher
 Joe Brigham
 Judy Rots
 John Janisse

Deceased

Thomas A. Poklikuha
 Edward O'Connor

Dear Brothers, thank you for all your prayers, they worked. My surgery went so well that the only thing gone is the pain. Knowing how powerful your prayers are, please pray for all our fellow Knights, our Church and our Country. *John Harrison, DGK*



Our Brothers Birthdays For September

Marvin Bumb 04
 Rev. Pierog 07
 Robert Young 09
 Carl Brown 11
 Dennis Strittmatter 12
 Daniel Lanktree 13
 John Greer 14
 John Powers 14
 John Harrison 17
 Terrence Grogan 18
 Wayne Miller 20
 John Horgan, Jr. 21
 Isabelo Sanchez 22
 Vinnie Ferris 24
 TL Hannaway 24
 William Welch 24
 Charlie Murdock 25
 Tom Reno 25
 Paul Krause 26
 Daniel Birck 27
 Jim Palermo 28
 Joe Brigham 29
 Hugh MacDonald 30
 Charles McGowan 30

Our Brothers Anniversaries For September

Herbert Ziefel 19
 David LaLiberte 19
 John LeDuke 15
 Hugh MacDonald 14
 Marvin Missig 13
 Matthew Schiavone 10
 Robert Cordero 10
 Antonio Cardenas 05
 Patrick Ewing 05
 Perry Patete 05
 Stefano Ragozzino 05
 Stephen Delany 04

Honorary Members

Louis Beaulieu 47
 Robert Burhoe 28

Honorary Life Member

Michael Debitetto 54
 Theophane Freschette 37
 Kenneth Schiller 29

Our Council sponsored a Blood Drive on August 12. One Blood was very pleased with the results. We netted 9 units of blood. Thanks go to Henry VonSalzen and John DallaMura for organizing and running the drive. The next one is scheduled for November 4

AUGUST FOOD COLLECTION

The August food collection had mixed results. First, the good news: We collected \$927 and 950 pounds of food. Now the bad news – our Council participation was **dreadful!** At 3:00 Mass we had only 1 Brother. We need 3 or 4. At 5:00 no one showed up and an Officer stepped in and worked it alone. Even God was not happy with this. Usually he does not let it rain on our food collectors but this time he sent a deluge! At 8:00 only 1 Brother (the Coordinator) was there. An Officer stepped in to help. At 10:00 there were 2 or 3 and at 12:00 there were 3. This is one of our key programs and we need a bigger list of volunteers to fill the spots. It only takes about 30 minutes once a month before Mass to collect and maybe a few minutes after Mass to pack the food. Please call or write our coordinator – Dennis Tuszyński (941-485-3870 , djtuszyński@yahoo.com) – and add your name to the list of volunteers. As it is now, if a regular collector is out there is no one to fill in. You became a Knight to do charitable works, so step up and help us staff this program!



September, 2018

Sunday, 09.....10:00 Annual Blue Mass
 Monday, 10.....6:30 Officers Meeting
 Tuesday, 11.....7:00 Council Meeting
 Thursday, 20.... 7:00 4th Degree @7052
 Sat/Sun, 29/30.....Food Collection
 Sat/Sun, 29/30.....5th Sunday Rosary

October, 2018

Sunday, 02..... Christmas Concert
 Tuesday, 13.....7:00 Council Meeting
 Thursday, 15....7:00 4th Degree @ 7052
 Sat/Sun, 28/29.....Food Collection
 Sat/Sun, 28/29.....5th Sunday Rosary

November, 2018

Friday, 02..... 2:00 Mass at Cemetery
 Saturday, 03.....Third Degree
 Saturday, 03..... Charity Golf Outing
 Sunday, 04.....8-12 Blood Drive
 Sunday, 11.....Coffee/Donuts
 Sunday, 11....2:00 Veterans Mass @SNC
 Tuesday, 13.....5:30 Officers Meeting
 Tuesday, 13.....7:00 Membership Mtg
 Tuesday, 13..... Preg Solutions Dinner
 Thursday, 15.....7:00 4th Degree @7052
 Sunday, 18.....Breakfast Buffet
 Tuesday, 20.....6:00 First Degree
 Tuesday, 20.....7:00 Second Degree
 Sat/Sun, 24/25.....Food Collection
 Sunday, 25.....2:00 Show of Shows

Knights of Columbus/Circle of Life Golf Outing

Saturday, November 3

Knights of Columbus

Sugar Bowl

Show of Shows

Sunday, November 25

Paul Todd

Christmas Concert

Sunday, December 2



Mark Harris is our new Seminarian we will help support. Mark is at a Seminary in Boston. Here is a brief note Mark has sent to us. "I was raised and educated in the Pinecrest-Palmetto area of Greater Miami. I earned undergraduate degrees in Commercial Art (A.S.) and Business Marketing & Management (B.S.) at Florida Metropolitan University and a Master's degree in Education (M.A.) at Sacred Heart University in Fairfield Connecticut. Most recently I worked as an educator with the Charlotte County Public School System. I give thanks and praise to Our Lord for the many wonderful people He placed along the way to guide and inspire me to serve Him in a priestly vocation within His Church. I am greatly honored and humbled to be blessed with the opportunity to attend Pope St. John XXIII National Seminary. I am also thankful for the gracious assistance and direction of our admirable Bishop Frank Joseph DeWayne, and the generous support of the people of the Diocese of Venice."

mharris@psjs.edu

Class Year: 2021

Service Programs

Director

John Harrison 408-4955

Lecturer

Bob Burhoe 460-6546

Community

Jack Kosiorek 423-3865

Faith Director

Bill Sanchez 492-4666

Membership

Sam Mattoni 239-220-0876

Retention

John Harrison 408-4955

Culture of Life Director

John Yaglenski 408-7558

First Degree

Patrick Ewing 306-8238

Second Degree

Bob Burhoe 460-6546

Family Director

Nick Catone 717-818-3167

Insurance Promotion

Dan Stanton 830-1189

Vocations Chairman

Peter Spagnuolo 786-6638

Health Services

Henry VonSalzen 631-672-1803

If you know of a homebound brother or is residing in a nursing facility please contact Joe Maguire at 493-2784 or Salmac1057@verizon.net Joe heads up our Visitation Group. A visit can mean so much

Circle of Life

Charity Golf Tournament
Pregnancy Solutions, Solve Maternity Homes, Our Mother's House,
Other K of C Charities

Hosted by the Knights of Columbus (Our Lady of Lourdes)

Date: Saturday, November 3, 2018

Course: Pelican Pointe Golf & Country Club, 941-496-4653
499 Derbyshire Dr., Venice, Florida 34285

Time: Registration: 7:00 to 7:45 AM, Shotgun Start: 8:00 AM, Lunch: 12:45 PM
Coffee and Pastry Donated and Provided by WAWA

Format: Scramble with flights determined after completion of play.

Teams: Put together your own foursome of men, ladies, couples or enter individually.

Cost: \$85 - Non-Pelican Pointe Member
\$70 - Pelican Pointe Golf Members
\$50 - Pelican Pointe Golf Members with prepaid trail fees
Includes: Green fees, cart, range balls, lunch, prizes, coffee & pastries at registration
\$25 - Lunch only

Raffle: For cash and prizes

Questions: Peter Rots 941-493-7330 or rotsp@aol.com
Ron Bowes 412-965-1983 or ronbowes44@yahoo.com

Entry Must Be Received By October 26, 2018

Please make your check payable to Knights of Columbus #9924

Mail with this completed form to:

John LeDuke, 1316 Highland Greens Drive, Venice, FL 34285

Name: (please print) Fee: Phone # E-mail Address:

YES, I would like to be a sponsor by making a contribution. (Please enclose check)

Sponsorship levels: Bronze-\$50, Silver-\$100, Gold-\$250, Platinum-\$500, Diamond-\$1,000

Name/Business _____ Phone _____

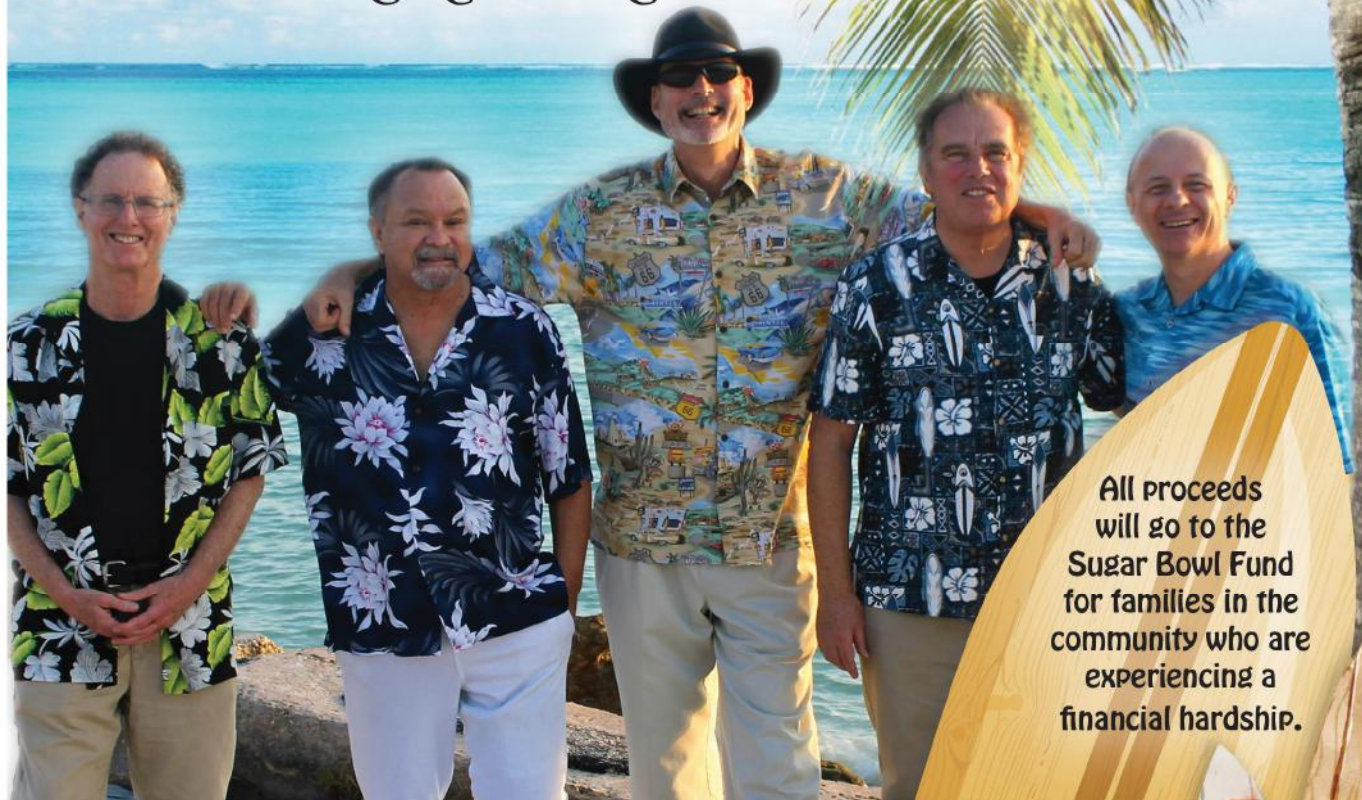


Sunday, November 25, 2018 at 2 p.m.
Venice Performing Arts Center

FEATURING

CALIFORNIA SURF, INCORPORATED

FORMER MEMBERS OF THE BEACH BOYS



All proceeds will go to the Sugar Bowl Fund for families in the community who are experiencing a financial hardship.

Tickets are \$25, \$30 or \$40 a person. For information and tickets visit www.veniceperformingartscenter.com.



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Mark your calendars now! You won't want to miss this performance. As Master of Ceremonies I began to review the bio's for this group. This is the **ONLY** group which features **ALL** former members of the Beach Boys Band - and each member has numerous touring and recording credits from many years with the group!

Tickets are available now: www.veniceperformingartscenter.com Jim Palermo



WOW! One of our knights turns 100 years young. John Busse was presented with several recognition awards from District Deputy Bill Jagenow and Grand Knight Mike O'Brien. Congratulations John!!!



John Kress (R) and Ron Rosalik (L) made their 1st Degree on August 27. Sam Mattoni recruited both new members and was the Exemplification Honoree.

Annual Soccer Challenge

The soccer challenge, penalty kicks only, will be held on Sunday Oct. 21 @ 11:30 a.m. Nick needs 6 volunteers who should report @ 11:00-11:15 a.m. No running required. Need assistance to keep score. It usually lasts about 1hr. & 45 min. Snacks will be provided. Please contact Nick Catone 717-818-3167



THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PRESENT PAUL TODD AND PAUL TODD JR.



CHRISTMAS CONCERT
Sunday, December 2, 2018
3:00 pm

OUR LADY OF LOURDES CATHOLIC CHURCH

TICKETS: Adult \$20.00 Student (12 & under) \$10.00

Purchase tickets at the church office.

Free refreshments during intermission.

PROCEEDS BENEFIT K of C CHARITIES



Help support K of C Council 9924 by spreading the word to friends and family and by attending this wonderful concert. Volunteers are needed.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

OUR LADY OF MT. CARMEL COUNCIL 15821

5th Anniversary Dinner Dance**Saturday, November 3, 2018****5:00 PM Cocktails****6:30 PM Dinner****Choice of Prime Rib or Salmon****Salad, Baked Potato and Vegetable plus Dessert****Musical Entertainment by****Rock & Roll Reflection****\$35.00 Per Person****Proceeds benefit Habitat for Humanity**Venice-Nokomis Elks Lodge 1854; 1021 Discovery
Way N. Venice, Florida 34275

This event is open to the public, membership in the Knights of Columbus is not required. Contact Bruce Crisman (941-232-8450 grandknight15821@gmail.com) or David Tschanz (941-488-4794 nleditor15821@gmail.com) for tickets and more information.



Respect
Life 

Go to: www.dioceseofvenice.org/RLC2018 for information on the Florida State Respect Life Conference to be held on September 28 and 29 in Punta Gorda. The Diocese of Venice will host this year's annual event.



Our Lady of Lourdes day for Forty Days for Life at Planned Parenthood will be on Monday October 29th. All Knights and spouses or friends are welcomed to join our Right To Life Ministry to join in on that day for one hour to pray in front of Planned Parenthood in Sarasota. If you need more information please call Kathy Yaglenski or John Yaglenski at 941-408-7558. John will speak to the Council on this at the September Council meeting. Signups will take place at all the Masses on the 13th and 14th of October.

Join us for a
Cookout

**Respect Life Ministry Fall Cookout**

Sunday, September 16, 2018 @ 5:00 PM

The Yaglenski's - 834 Blue Crane Drive

Venice — Pelican Pointe Country Club

Come join us and see what we're all about!

Interested? Call Kathy @ 941-408-7588**All are Welcome!**

Single-Premium Life Might Be Just For You!

The main benefit of life insurance is to leverage funds to create an estate. Life insurance can provide for survivors or to leave something to charity. There are only three possible beneficiaries to your estate-- family, charity and government.

Single-premium life is a type of life insurance in which a lump sum of money is paid into the policy in return for a death benefit that always exceeds the amount paid in. It is also guaranteed to remain paid-up until you die.

With single-premium life insurance, the cash invested builds up quickly because the policy is fully funded. The size of the death benefit depends on the amount invested and the age and health of the insured.

From the insurance company's perspective, a younger person is calculated to have a longer remaining life expectancy, giving the funds paid in the premium more time to grow before the death benefit is expected to be paid out. And, naturally, the larger the amount of capital you initially contribute to your policy, the greater your death benefit will be as well.

For example, a 60-year-old female in good health might use a \$100,000 single premium to provide a \$225,723 of income-tax free death benefits to her beneficiaries.

Single-premium life earns a high, tax-deferred interest rate. Unlike many investments, you can actually borrow money out and put it back, giving you liquidity for up to 90% of the cash values. Should death occur with a loan against the policy, the loan is simply deducted from the death benefit.

Both your policy cash values and death benefits grow because the Knights of Columbus pay some of the highest dividends in the insurance industry. The Order has paid just over \$3 Billion in death benefits over the years and has awarded over \$6 Billion in living benefits (dividends) to our certificate holders. You do not have to die to benefit from insurance.

Our plan has no administrative charges and no surrender charges and there is no annual policy fee. The interest you accumulate in your policy is not taxed unless you withdraw the funds, so you do not get a 1099 as you would with a CD. All death benefits are paid out income-tax free.

This is a terrific policy for the Knight, his spouse and even kids. It's a one-and-done contract, creating an instant estate for the insured.

If you have a favorite charity, this is a great way to fund it. Done correctly, you could even tax deduct the premium you pay in.

Why not give me a call and let's discuss how single-premium life can benefit you and your family. Put those unused investments, high risk stocks and mutual funds and low interest CD's to work today by moving those monies into a single-premium life account.

TIRED OF EARNING LESS THAN 2% ON YOUR CD'S? SICK OF LOSING MONEY IN THE STOCK MARKET? PUT YOUR MONEY TO WORK FOR YOU IN A SINGLE PREMIUM LIFE!

Dan Stanton 941-830-1189 Field Agent



The Knight of Columbus councils 7052,7672,7997,9924 and 11553 founded the Sugar Bowl in 1998 and partnered with Catholic Charities to help low income families in South Sarasota County who have an unexpected financial crisis. Since then the councils in North Sarasota and Bradenton became a part of the Sugar Bowl and we became known as "Sugar Bowl North" and "Sugar Bowl South".

Just recently Sugar Bowl North and South merged in order to better serve families in Sarasota, Manatee and Charlotte counties. This is a big step and confirms how important the Sugar Bowl has become in helping low income families with a financial crisis. The Sugar Bowl also help the clients at Our Mothers House and New Paradigm of Catholic Charities transition from temporary housing to permanent housing. You can be proud of the work that Knights of Columbus does this holy mission.

In the month of July the Sugar Bowl helped two families with rent, totaling \$1876.26.

September 2018

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9 10:00 <i>Blue Mass</i>	10	11 5:30 <i>Officers Mtg 7:00 Council Meeting</i>	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20 7:00 <i>4th Degree Meeting</i>	21	22
23 <i>Coffee And Donuts</i>	24	25	26	27	28	29 <i>Food Collection Family Rosary</i>
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