

# Columbus Crusader

Newsletter of Our Lady of Light Council 10498 in Estero, FL  
Roman Catholic Brothers in Christ, Chartered in 1990



May 2024

Charity, Unity, Fraternity,  
Patriotism

## Officers for 2023-2024 Fraternal Year

Grand Knight: Felix De Los Santos, Jr.  
Deputy GK: Jim Mendolera  
Chancellor: Robert Dumont  
Recorder: Bob Bailey  
Treasurer: Joe Ercolino

Advocate: Don Fiscella  
Warden: Ron Molinaro  
Inside Guard: Frank Valvo  
Outside Guard: Brent Labreche  
Trustee 1yr: Jim Scialabba  
Trustee 2yr: Stefan Gehrold

Trustee 3yr: Chuck Stellwag  
Fin Secretary: Ron Kuhnen  
Lecturer: Pat Becker  
Field Agent: Chase Ross  
District Deputy: Steve Hill  
Chaplain: Fr. Hugh McGuigan

**General Membership Meeting:** Next meeting Tuesday, June 4<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. (In Parish Center)



15<sup>th</sup> at Our Lady of Light Parish Center. Tickets are \$40. pp, and this year the Liberty Ball is BYOB. Tickets can be purchased from Brother Jim Mendolera, email: [jmendolera323@yahoo.com](mailto:jmendolera323@yahoo.com) cell #: 440-446-9110, from Brother Dave Spears, and are also available at OLOL office.

*The 4th Degree Exemplification is on May 11th at St. at John the Evangelist. If your are able to, please come support the new 4th Degree inductees. Thank you.*

### From the Grand Knight

Greetings Brother Knights,

At this month's Business Meeting new officer nominations will be announced and finalized for voting at next month's meeting.

We will be handing out Mother's Day Flowers on Saturday May 11<sup>th</sup> and Sunday, May 12<sup>th</sup> after every Mass. Please mark your calendar for this month's Buffet Breakfast on May 12<sup>th</sup>. Please save the date: **the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Liberty Ball is on Saturday June**

New Officer Nominations are:  
**Grand Knight:** Jim Mendolera  
**Deputy Grand Knight:** Stefan Gehrold

**Chancellor:** Bob Dumont  
**Treasurer:** Joe Ercolino  
**Recorder:** Bob Lehman  
**Advocate:** Don Fiscella  
**Warden:** Ron Molinaro  
**Inside Guard:** Frank Valvo  
**Outside Guard:** Brent Labreche  
**1 yr Trustee:** Frank Esposito  
**2 yr Trustee:** Matthew Solis  
**3 yr Trustee:** Felix De Los Santos Jr

### Calendar for May

**Tuesday, May 7** Business meeting, 7pm Parish Center  
**Sat & Sun, May 11-12** Mother's Day - hand out flowers after all Masses  
**Saturday, May 11** Set up for Breakfast setup at Noon  
**Sunday, May 12** Breakfast Buffet after all Masses  
**Thursday, May 30** Planning Meeting, 7 p.m. Room 301

Felix De Los Santos Jr.

Grand Knight Council #10498



**From the Chancellor**

Hello Brother Knights,

Thank you for all the support during Easter with our pancake breakfast, Easter egg hunt and ushering at the many services.

We will need all Knights to help pass out flowers for Mother's Day weekend May 11th and 12th at the 4pm Saturday, 7:00 am, 8:30 am, 10:30 am and 5:00 pm Sunday Masses. We also have our Sunday breakfast on Mothers Day. Please help were you can.

Continue to pray for all Brother Knights who have passed and those who are sick and recovering.

Mary pray for us,

Bob Du Mont

630-352-1979

Please pray for the following brothers, family members, and significant others: Tony Almeida, John Bradford, Kathy Corbett (wife of Bill Corbett), Joe Drago, Bob Dumont, Jim Culley, Jackie Erickson (daughter of brother Dave), Jack Horan, Horace "Bud" Fichera, Jes Jensen, Joe Klempka, Ray Lachapelle, Greg Mitchell, Ron Molinaro, Pat Neville, Jim Scialabba





# May

James	F	Fabry		5/1	Otto	F	Sitter		5/17
Paul	H	Fasy		5/2	Timothy	J	Brutsche		5/22
William	R	Heaslip	Sr	5/3	Dennis		Madden		5/23
Lawrence	I	Hardy		5/4	Ronald	J	LoFranco		5/25
Jon	M	Mc Lain		5/5	John	C	Diller		6/2
Dale	C	Milcetch		5/6	Joseph	R	Pavich	Sr	6/2
Thomas	L	Copmann		5/7	George		Mantikas		6/10
Herman	J	Mancini		5/10	Donald	P	Labonte		6/16
MICHAEL	J	BROWN		5/12					
Lee	Douglas	Jones		5/15					
William	T	Corbett		5/17					

In Case of Death: At the death of a Brother Knight, notify the Grand Knight or the next in charge, who will then contact the family and offer sympathy and help from the Council. The Council member contacting the family should ask whether a wake will be held and if so, whether the family would like the Council to do a rosary service. If a Mass will be offered, the family should be asked if they would like a resolution of condolence to be presented. Any ceremonial presentation requested should be done only with permission of the clergy. If the deceased Brother is a 4th Degree member, the Grand Knight will notify the Insurance Field Agent and the Faithful Navigator of the Assembly. Grand Knight: Felix De Los Santos. Email: [FDELOSSANTOS@OUTLOOK.COM](mailto:FDELOSSANTOS@OUTLOOK.COM). Telephone (973) 449-2412. Please visit our website at <http://www.kofccouncil10498.org/> for additional information and upcoming events. Please contact our Financial Secretary Ronald Kuhnen (715) 215-0408, [kuhnen10498@gmail.com](mailto:kuhnen10498@gmail.com), to make updates to your personal profile (change of address, change or added phone, email address, etc.) To add or delete from the prayer list above, or correct birthday and/or name please contact Pat Becker. Publisher: Patrick Becker. E-mail: [patbecker50@yahoo.com](mailto:patbecker50@yahoo.com) Telephone: (239) 948-7534