



# THE FRANCISCAN

JULY 2024

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## Family of the Month for July – The Pagliaro Family



**Bernie, Mary, Rachel, Nickolas, Amelia and Joseph**

(Brother Barney Conway who runs the program for the Knights is at the far right)

### St. Francis De Sales Council #3489

Meetings 1st & 3rd Thursdays, 7:30 P.M. Basement St. Francis DeSales Church

**Mailing address: Council #3489 P.O. Box 4483 Salisbury, MD 21803**

### With News from:

### Msgr. Mickle Assembly #378

Meetings 2nd Thursday, 7:30 P.M., Basement St. Francis DeSales Church

### CIL #3489 OFFICERS

Grand Knight	Jonathan Stafford	Financial Secretary	Stuart Hall
Deputy Grand Knight	Barney Conway	Lecturer	Dr. William Folger
Chaplain	Fr. Emanuel Riche	Outside Guard	James Levadnuk
Chancellor	Zane Rigler	Inside Guard	Lee Novotny
Warden	Joe Dernowski	Trustee (3 year)	Roy Kaiser
Treasurer	Kevin Deehan	Trustee (2year)	Richard Lafferty
Advocate	John Losonczy	Trustee (1 year)	Howard Pusey
Recorder	Charles Doherty		

# Calendar -July/Aug 2024

<b>Sun</b>	<b>Mon</b>	<b>Tue</b>	<b>Wed</b>	<b>Thu</b>	<b>Fri</b>	<b>Sat</b>
	<b>July 1</b>	2	3	4 <b>Business Meeting Council Moved to 18th</b>	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12 <b>Bible School cookout w/ Knights cooking</b>	13
14	15	16 <b>Serving meal at Halo 5:30pm</b>	17	18 <b>Business Meeting Council 3489 @7:30</b>	19	20 <b>Cornhole Tournament</b>
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30 <b>Crab Feast Planning Meeting 6:30 @ Specific Gravity</b>	31	<b>Aug1 Business Meeting Council 3489 @<u>7:30</u></b>	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10



## News

See “Additional Information” page for a link to SFdS webpage which has further information on the Knights of Columbus and our council.

(Due to the July 4th Holiday moving the Business Meeting this issue includes info from June and July)

### Halo Food Kitchen

The Knight's July night at Halo saw 93 dinners served.

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Remember to participate in the SFdS Scripp Program. The order form follows at the end of the NEWS.

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### **Council #3489 retains the Cornhole Cup**

See pictures in Recent Events

### PRAYER REQUESTS

Brother Jim Levadnuk's wife (Sharon) recovering from a heart attack.

Brother Lee Novotny.

Richard Lafferty and his wife who were involved in an accident that caused their vehicle to roll over 2-3 times. Thanks to air bags injuries were greatly reduced and they are recovering.

Brother Roy Kaiser's wife (Cheryl) who has been diagnosed with skin cancer.

Jerry Raimo's wife who has passed away.

Please send prayer requests to: [newsletter@kofc3489.org](mailto:newsletter@kofc3489.org)







## Recent Events

### Serving Meals - Hope and Life Outreach

Third Tuesday each month brothers help at meals for the homeless at HALO. HALO ministers by providing meals, shelter, and case management in the spirit of the gospel message of Jesus Christ.

If you would like to help please email Charlie Ripple at: [ripplejr34@comcast.net](mailto:ripplejr34@comcast.net)  
A list of potential volunteers is maintained and calls are made each month until 8 volunteers are obtained.

### Jason Rebok Memorial Wiffle Ball Tournament

GK Jon Stafford participated in the events and said that it was a lot of fun for young and old. He suggested that we should remember this for next year.





## Vacation Bible School Barbeque

Barbequing in the Kitchen?

Grill had technical difficulties

**Fortunately, only near the end!**



## Cornhole Tournament Practice

The equipment was readied !!!!



We actually did practice for the event !!!!



## Cornhole Tournament – The Match

(Pictures provided by Tom Pergola from O.C.)

**MARYLAND COUNCILS #3489 AND #9053  
SALISBURY AND OCEAN CITY**



*Photo by TA Pergola  
Council #9053*

**CORN HOLE COMPETITION  
20 JULY 2024**

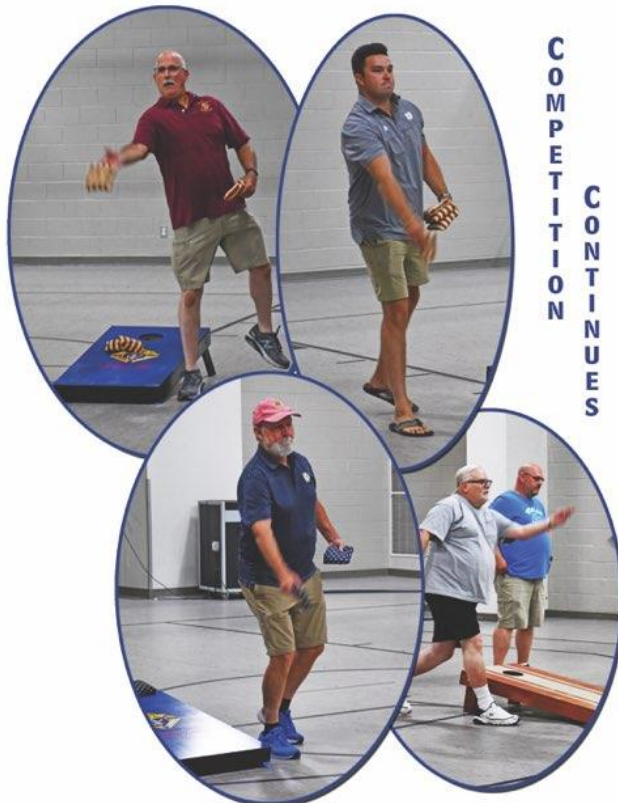
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**POST GAME  
MEAL  
PROVIDED BY  
COUNCIL  
# 3489  
(SALISBURY)**





## Upcoming Events

(refer also to the GK Report in the next section "Reports and/or Comments")

If you are interested in helping and or participating in these events, please email [newsletter@kofc3489.org](mailto:newsletter@kofc3489.org).

## Exemplifications

John Lozonczy will be heading up the upcoming exemplifications and is looking for readers. Please see John or email the newsletter if interested.

## Crab Feast August 24<sup>th</sup>

A Sign-up Genius will be coming out looking for volunteers to run the crab feast. We will need 12 to 15 volunteers working either Set-up, Serving or Cleanup. Full details of the times will be in the Sign-up Genius. The Crab Feast details are on the following page.

Get Ready for the Crab Feast August 24th



# Knights of Columbus

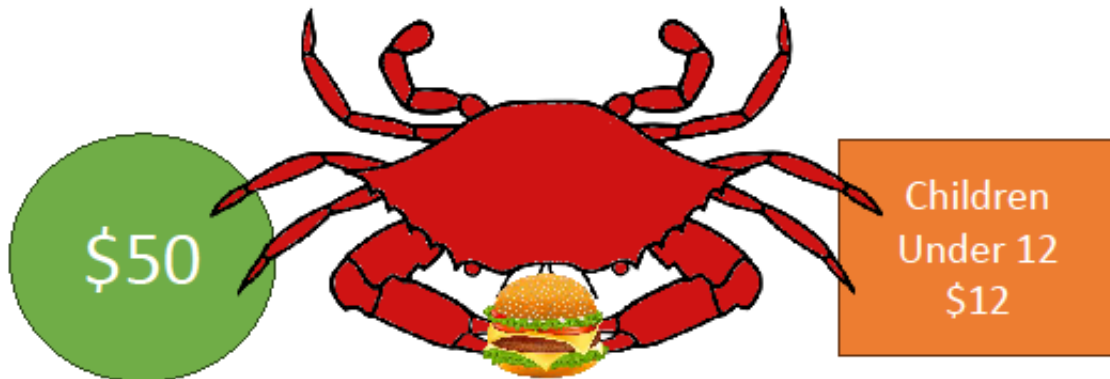
## Crab Feast

### August 24<sup>th</sup>

All You  
Can Eat

1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

St. Francis Parish Center



### Price Includes

### Steamed Crabs



Corn on the Cob

Hot Dogs

Hush Puppies



Fried Chicken

Hamburgers

Chips



(Water, Soda, **BEER**)

Call the Parish office at 410-742-6443 to reserve tickets.

For additional information call

Jon Stafford at 667-380-3116 or Howard Pusey at 410-603-8186

For SFdS events please refer to: <http://visitstfrancis.org/>



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### **Reports and/or Comments**

#### **Grand Knight Report (Jon Stafford)**

(As sent out in recent email from Jon)

Worthy Brothers,

We had our July business meeting last Thursday July 18th. There were 17 people present which is a pretty good turnout for the summer months although no one joined via Zoom. During my Grand Knight report I thanked those who were able to cook the BBQ meal for the Bible School Families on July 12th, I'm told that everything went well and it was a good event. I also spent a few minutes discussing other projects and initiatives I've been contacted about the Knights assisting with but have not given any commitment to yet. I want to make sure before I say we can help with events that we have people that are going to be willing to support them. I think of late I've committed us to things without really checking and then it's been a real challenge to get anyone to help out with the event. I'm going to list the events I mentioned in the meeting, for anyone who was not in attendance please take a look at these events and let me know if they are something you would be interested in helping out with.

9/29/24 (Sunday) We've been asked to have a table at the church Ministries weekend. What this means is we'd need to have two guys available to answer questions about the Knights and what we do after the 7:30, before and after the 10:30, and before the 12pm Mass. This is a great recruitment opportunity for us and enough of us attend these Masses that I don't anticipate there being an issue participating in this event. Also, if we are able to set up outside we can put out our new Corn Hole Boards as a way of drawing attention.

10/15/24 (Tuesday) The Pregnancy Center in Salisbury is holding a Golf Tournament at the Hyatt in Cambridge. They wanted us to be aware if we wanted to have guys play or possibly volunteer the day of the event. I don't have much more information on this, I just advised the person who asked that I'd pass along the info. Apparently the Pregnancy Center needs a bigger space due to growth so they are trying to raise money for it.

11/15/24 (Friday) The Athletic Boosters of St. Francis DeSales School are holding a Golf Tournament at Nutters. They are going to need day of event assistance, as it draws closer I should get more information. Also, they would welcome anyone who wants to play and I'm sure they will want us to sponsor a hole. As the event gets closer I can provide more details. Originally they asked if we would provide the meal for after the event but I told them I did not think that would be something we'd be able to do as they wanted BBQ style food (Pit Beef, Pulled Pork, etc.) for 120 people.

We are going to have all of our normal Fall events to plan for such as Tootsie Rolls, Soccer Shoot Out, Good Beer Festival, and of course our Crab Feast at the end of August so we will be quite busy.

Our next meeting for planning the Crab Feast (August 24th 1pm to 5pm) is going to be at Specific Gravity on July 30th at 6:30pm. If you are able to attend that would be great. We will likely schedule one more planning meeting after that just prior to the event.

Next business meeting is on 8/1 at 7:30pm in the church basement. Officer Installation is on 8/15 at 7pm and is a coat and tie affair for those being installed, spouses are encouraged to attend this event and there will be light refreshments following the ceremony. It will be Howard's first time presiding so lets all give him as much support as we can!

Howard was at the State meeting as District Warden. He attended the State meeting for incoming GK/DD/DW and brought back 250 Sweepstake tickets that we need to sell. These are different than in years past in that they can be mailed. The suggested donation is \$5 per ticket with the drawing being held at the Columbus Day Ball in October. There is a 1st, 2nd , and 3rd prize although I do not remember the dollar increments. Please contact Howard if you are interested in helping with this fundraiser. For every \$5 ticket that we sell, our council gets \$2 back. I believe Howard was looking for someone to chair this project so again, please reach out to him if you can help.

Barney brought us up to date on Family of the Month. It has been well received, the winners for the month of June were so happy with the honor that they posted it across their social media pages. The family for July was recognized at the 10:30 Mass this past Sunday. Barney said we will likely be recognizing a Hispanic family during the 12pm Mass for the August winner.

This past Saturday July 20th our Council hosted the Ocean City council in a Corn Hole Tournament. I am happy to report that the trophy is staying in Salisbury for another year! A huge thanks to Ed, Stewart, Jim, and Dave for preparing an outstanding meal of crab cakes and fried chicken! Everyone was raving about how good that meal was.

We will be carrying that Fried Chicken recipe over to the Crab Feast next month so lets hope it is as well received. Dave Whipple will be posting pictures from the corn hole event in the next edition of the Franciscan. It was a great event with a great turn out, we're already looking forward to next year!

Sorry for the long email, please keep 7/30 at 6:30pm at Specific Gravity in mind for Crab Feast Planning and 8/1 at 7:30pm in mind for our next business meeting!

Vivat Jesus,

Jon

### **District Deputy Report (Joe Gangi)**



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## **Additional Information**

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## **Contacts**

St. Francis de Sales web page: <http://visitstfrancis.org/>



For information on the Knights of Columbus: [www.kofc.org](http://www.kofc.org)

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How to pray the Rosary: [www.usccb.org/how-to-pray-the-rosary](http://www.usccb.org/how-to-pray-the-rosary)

**[Meeting prayers and odes on the following pages.](#)**

### **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.

We have a mission great,  
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 spread his name;  
We boast his deeds; we spread his fame;  
Our Order is the shining flame,  
That lights the gloom of long ago.

### **Closing Ode**

Now our evening' work is done,  
Then let us ev'ry one,  
Join in a song.  
Long may our Order stand,  
Foremost in this free land,  
Ready with heart and hand,  
To right each wrong

True to our Church and State,  
Onward we move.  
We dry the mourner's tear,  
The tired heart we cheer,  
Faith in our words appear,  
Upheld by love.

### **Prayer for the Family**

Mother of perpetual help, bless our families with your tender, motherly love. May the sacrament of marriage bring husbands and wives ever closer together that they may always be faithful, and love each other as Christ loves us. Help all mothers and fathers love and cherish the children God has entrusted to them. May they always be models of a truly Christian life. Help all children, that they may love and respect their parents. Inspire all people to value Christian marriage and family life. Give us a sense of responsibility that we may do our part in making our homes havens of love and peace. Mary, our model, help every family grow daily in genuine love for God and neighbor so that justice and peace may flourish everywhere in the human family. Amen.

## **Mary, Queen of the Knights**

(Rev. Robert F. Hopkins)

Our Lady, Queen of the Knights, bless all the activities of our Order. Keep us true to the pledge, to extend the kingship of thy Devine Son on earth. Through Thine intercession, win for us the grace, ever to exemplify in our public and private lives, the virtues which should characterize, those specially dedicated, to the service of the heavenly court. Make us always aware, that as your Knights, we are constantly observed, our faith judges, and our Order appreciated. Accept, O Mary, this renewed pledge of fealty and devotion, of thy servants, the Knights of Columbus. Amen.

## **Prayer for Vocations**

O God, who wishes all men to be saved, touch with grace the hearts of many young men and women, moving them to offer themselves as candidates for the priesthood and religious life.

Inspire fathers and mothers of all members of the Christian families to become aware of the great need for religious vocations.

Endow all people with reverence for these sacred callings that they may encourage many to serve God and mankind in the ranks of religion.

These blessings we ask through Christ our Lord, Amen

## **Prayer for the Canonization of Fr. Michael J. McGivney**

God, our Father, protector of the poor and defender of the widow and orphan, you called your priest, Fr. Michael J. McGivney, to be an apostle of Christian family life and to lead the young to the generous service of their neighbor. 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 outcast. We humbly ask that You glorify Your servant, Fr. Michael J. McGivney, on earth according to design of Your holy will. Through his intercession, grant this favor I now present (here make your request). Through Christ our Lord, Amen.

Say: Our Father: Hail Mary; Glory be to the Father.