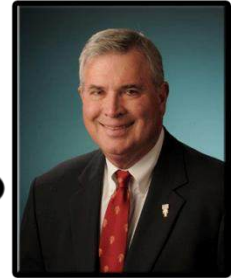


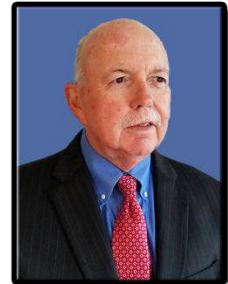
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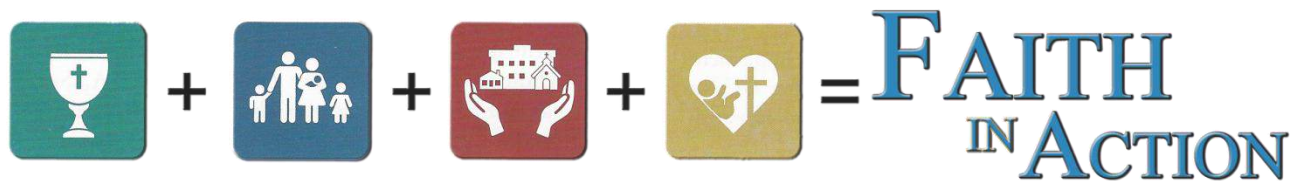


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PROGRAM CATEGORY: FAITH FAMILY COMMUNITY LIFE

COUNCIL NAME Ocean City COUNCIL # 9053 DISTRICT # 22

LOCATION 9901 Coastal Hwy Ocean City 21842
(City) (Zip Code)

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PROJECT (Name and Date) Building the Domestic Church Kiosk - 04/2019 - 08/2019

COUNCIL CHAIRMAN (Name and Phone #) Steve C. Mastbrook 302-604-2694

OF COUNCIL MEMBERS PARTICIPATING 5 # OF NON-COUNCIL MEMBERS Many

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OCEAN CITY COUNCIL #9053

OCEAN CITY, MARYLAND

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15 SEPTEMBER 2019

**BUILDING THE
DOMESTIC CHURCH KIOSK**



FAITH ACTIVITY REPORT – FIRST REPORT PERIOD 2019-2020

EVENT SUMMARY

During Council #9053’s General Business, held on 03 April 2019, the Council Program Director, Brother Tom Pergola, introduced the idea of ordering a *Building the Domestic Church Kiosk kit* for St. Luke’s Church. Following a discussion, the Council’s Faith Program Director, Brother Steve Mastbrook, asked Worthy Grand Knight, Brother Joe Kostelac if the Council could vote on purchasing a kit, *Item #BDC-K*. The Council voted in favor of this purchase. Brother Steve contacted the Council Financial Secretary, Brother Tom Herwig, to have him initiate the order/purchase. Brother Tom ordered the kiosk kit on 01 May and received it on 05 May. On 09 May, Brother Steve placed the filled kiosk in St. Luke’s vestibule. By the end of May, the kiosk was empty so 01 June, Brother Tom ordered additional booklets, *Item #BDC-R*, to replenish the kiosk. This delivery arrived on 07 June, and Brother Steve had the kiosk restocked for the weekend Masses. In the interim, Brother Joe contacted Holy Savior Church to see if it would like to have a kiosk with booklets in its vestibule. With a ‘yes’ response, on 29 July Council #9053 placed its third and fourth orders – another replenishment set of booklets for St. Luke’s and a kiosk kit for Holy Savior Church. Brother Tom received these orders on 02 August. Brother Steve picked up the booklets and immediately restocked St. Luke’s kiosk. Brother Steve also contacted Holy Savior’s Administrative Assistant, Mrs. Donna Santoni, and has arranged the delivery and set-up of the kiosk kit at Holy Savior during the week of 21 August. The table below contains the booklet titles and number associated with Items #BDC-K and #BDC-R:

BOOKLET	
NUMBER	TITLE
304	Lord, Teach Us to Pray
309	Prayer Time
310	Letter to Families
315	The Good Life, God’s Way
318	The Family in the Modern World
319	A Scriptural Rosary for the Family
322	Becoming a Real Man of God
324	Mary, The Mother of God
327	Saint Benedict for Busy Parents
328	Saint Joseph: Our Father in Faith
333	God’s Plan for Love and Marriage
340	Into the Breach
388	Complete My Joy
10162	The Family Fully Alive
10168	The Gift of Fatherhood

TABLE-1 FAITH ACTIVITY REPORT: BOOKLETS AND NUMBERS

HIGHLIGHTS

When Brother Steve Mastbrook first approached Reverend Father Jennings of St. Luke’s in Ocean City with the concept of a kiosk with booklets in the vestibule, Father Jennings thought that having the booklets available to the parishioners was a good idea. However, he wanted to put the booklets in existing book racks. Brother Steve convinced Father to try the kiosk. Brother Steve assembled the kiosk and placed it across from the sacristy. To Father’s amazement, people stopped at the kiosk and began taking the booklets. Council #9053 thought maybe it was the novelty of seeing something

different that drew the parishioners' attention, but before the Council knew it, parishioners and visitors had taken all the booklets. With Brother Tom Herwig's help, Brother Steve ordered another set of booklets. Although lightning does not strike twice in the same place, the second set of booklets did not last long. Council #9053 has ordered and received a third set of booklets for St. Luke's. In the meantime, Worthy Grand Knight Joe Kostelac approached the Reverend Father Solomon of Holy Savior Church in Ocean City and asked him if he would be interested in having a kiosk at Holy Savior. Father Solomon immediately said yes, and therefore, Council #9053 ordered and received its second kiosk and a fourth set of booklets to put them at Holy Savior Church.

PURPOSE OF THE EVENT

The Knights of Columbus (K of C) believe that how you live your faith in your councils, families, parishes and communities has a ripple effect that changes the world. In line with this concept, the K of C started in 1948 working with Catholic Information Service (CIS) to get rich resources that would energize and educate all members of the family. Building the Domestic Church is a continuation of the effort to strengthen the domestic Church (our families) by providing exceptional religious education materials to all Catholics via kiosks in our Churches. These kiosks contain engaging, faith-based literature easily available to council members, parishioners and the general public. It is an effort by which Councils can educate and evangelize, in other words, make our Catholic faith accessible by continually providing tools for catechesis and faith formation, and therefore, helping Catholics to live out the Church's vision for our families.

PLANNING

Once Council #9053 approved the purchase, the planning effort was very minimal. Brother Steve contacted Reverend Father Jennings of St. Luke's in Ocean City and made an appointment to present Council's request and gain Father's approval. With Father's agreement/permission, Brother Steve asked Brother Tom Herwig to order the initial kiosk kit through Supplies Online, the supply ordering portal available on K of C officers online. When Brother Steve saw the kiosk empty, he asked Brother Tom to order the replenishment booklets through Supplies Online. Council #9053 has followed the same simple process for gaining permission to place a kiosk at Holy Savior Church and ordering the kit via the Supplies Online.

PROMOTION

Council #9053 and Pope John Paul II Assembly #2454 have talked about the kiosk at their meeting and included an article about it in the June 2019 *Knights Times*, as well as, St. Luke's has announced the addition of the kiosk in the vestibule during the weekend Masses.

EVENT POSTSCRIPT

Council #9053 thanks Reverend Father Jennings of St. Luke's and Reverend Father Solomon of Holy Savior Church for allowing the K of C to place the kiosks in the vestibules of their churches.

Council #9053 thanks Holy Savior's Administrative Assistant, Mrs. Donna Santoni, for coordinating the process of placing the Building the Domestic Church Kiosk in Holy Savior's vestibule.

Council #9053 has been very pleased to see that the parishioners of St. Luke's have been very receptive to these faith-based booklets and have taken them home, and the Council expects that Holy Savior parishioners will have the same reaction/response to the kiosk.

MANPOWER SUMMARY

Man hours for planning and preparing:	10
Man hours for the event:	10
Total man hours:	20
Members involved in the Event:	5
Non-Members involved in the Event:	Many

TOTAL NUMBER OF GUESTS

Total Number of Guests:	Many
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WHO BENEFITED MOST FROM THIS PROJECT

The council members, parishioners and the general public have all benefited from these rich resources that are energizing and educating all the members of their family. This effort is truly strengthening the domestic Church.



PHOTO-1 FAITH ACTIVITY REPORT: KIOSK WITH BOOKLETS IN ST. LUKE'S VESTIBULE



PHOTO-2 FAITH ACTIVITY REPORT: KIOSK DELIVERY

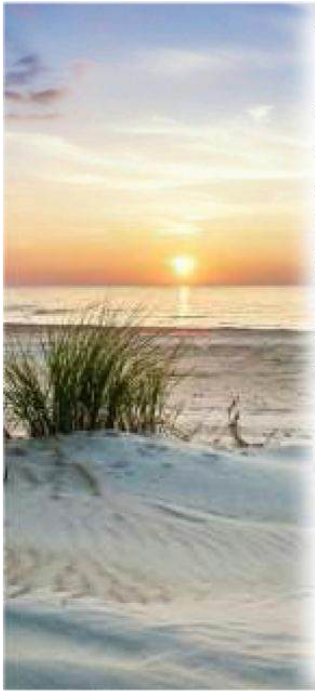


PHOTO-3 FAITH ACTIVITY REPORT: BOOKLET DELIVERY



PHOTO-4 FAITH ACTIVITY REPORT: KIOSK DIRECTIONS AND ASSEMBLY

~~From Tom Pergola, Council Program Director~~
From Tom Pergola, Council Program Director



Welcome

to summer and our visitors ... more people for breakfast and bingo!!

To help strengthen the domestic church, Council #9053 has provided St. Luke's with a 'Domestic Church Kiosk'. It contains free engaging, faith-based, religious education literature available to all parishioners and the general public. Father Jennings has allowed our Council to locate the kiosk in the narthex/vestibule of St. Luke's Church.

Reminder: If you have not provided me your input for the SP7 form, please submit it. Thanks!!

Vivat Jesus!



STATE PROGRAM ACTIVITY REPORT COVER SHEET – FAMILY



MARYLAND STATE COUNCIL PROGRAM ACTIVITY REPORT COVER SHEET

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PROJECT (Name and Date) Family of the Month/Year - 09/2018 - 08/2019

COUNCIL CHAIRMAN (Name and Phone #) Roy M. Foreman 410-641-6082

OF COUNCIL MEMBERS PARTICIPATING 45-150 # OF NON-COUNCIL MEMBERS 93-198

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FAMILY OF THE MONTH



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**FAITH
IN ACTION**

FAMILY ACTIVITY REPORT – FIRST REPORT PERIOD 2019-2020

EVENT SUMMARY

As Knights of Columbus (K of C), we stride to stimulate and support the development of strong and vibrant families. Ultimately, we believe that the purpose of life is to know and glorify God, and this is lived out first within our own family, which is defined as a social unit consisting of parents and the children they raise, and then, extend the love to the world. Along with love, the family must have social values, the quality or worth of things. Together, we often times reinforce love and social value with our spiritual or religious beliefs and traditions, e.g., being honest and trustworthy, being courageous, never giving up, adding value to the world, being patient and taking personal responsibility. Hence, family means to feel secure, to have someone on whom you can count and share your problems, but it also means to have responsibility and respect for each other.

In support of this philosophy and to create an even greater awareness of our many fine Knights of Columbus families, the Supreme Council instituted the ***Family of the Month*** Program in 1978. Since that time the ***Family of the Month Program*** has grown to be one of the Order's most successful programs based on the following criteria:

- Is the family tight-knit?
- Does the family spend quality time together?
- Does the family attend weekly Mass together?
- Does the family pray together outside of Mass?
- Has the family made significant contributions to the parish and church community?
- Does the family serve as a model of Catholic family values?

Council #9053's Family Program Director has received several family nominations for the each month (September through July). To facilitate the selection process, he has convened a reviewing committee, which consisted of Past Grand Knight Joseph Gangi, Grand Knight Joseph Kostelac and himself to discuss the candidate-families. Although not an easy task, the committee selected the following as Family of the Month as noted in the table below:

MONTH	YEAR	FAMILY
September	2018	McDermott
October	2018	Briggs
November	2018	Calanna
December	2018	Matthews
January	2019	Shepard
February	2019	Carozza
March	2019	Rosenbaum
April	2019	Herwig
May	2019	Kress
June	2019	McCready

TABLE 1- FAMILY ACTIVITY REPORT: LIST OF THE FAMILY OF THE MONTH

who exemplified the true meaning of a devoted Catholic family through their involvement in several ministries of the Church, their commitment to daily Mass and prayers, and their total commitment to the community.

HIGHLIGHTS

Like most families in the Ocean City, Maryland, area, these families are transplants to this area. Since moving here, they have become pillars in Ocean City churches (St. Luke/Holy Savior/St. John Neumann), as well as, in Council #9053. Most of these families start each day together by attending daily Mass. Many are Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers, lectors, ushers and parish council members, as well as, volunteers at K of C functions such as the crab nights, the Sunday breakfasts, boardwalk raffles, community dinners and local soup kitchens, and they still take time for a social life. Because of their total commitment to the Church and community, the Most Reverend Michael Saltarelli, former bishop of the Catholic Diocese of Wilmington, and the current bishop of the Catholic Diocese of Wilmington, Most Reverend W. Francis Malooly, have presented the “Order of Merit” Award, which is currently awarded for conspicuous service to the Catholic Church without regard to religious affiliation based on meritorious achievement or dedication, to a couple of these families.

PURPOSE OF THE EVENT

The purpose of the *Family of the Month* is for the committee to select one parish family that models Christian family values and visibly lives them every day -- to showcase the accomplishments of a family living the Catholic faith.

PLANNING

Each month Council #9053’s selection committee reviews and considers several families, and then the committee chooses a most worthy family. Next, the Family Director determines when would be the most appropriate time to recognize publicly the family and make the presentation of the *Family of the Month* certificate to the family – sometimes after Sunday Mass, sometimes at Council #9053’s ‘Monthly Community Dinner’ or at a Council social event. His aim is to choose a venue to achieve maximum participation from the Council and the local community to honor the family.

PROMOTION

Council #9053 always asks for nominations/suggestions for the Family of the Month, but it does not advertise when it is going to make this monthly ‘award presentation’. It is Council #9053’s goal to surprise the Family of the Month, as well as, to achieving maximum Council/community attendance when recognizing the family and presenting the award. Council #9053 looks for the most outstanding opportunity to witness these award presentations.

EVENT POSTSCRIPT

The recipients of this monthly award have been very pleased and honored to receive the recognition and certificate of the *Family of the Month*.

Council #9053 wants to thank the selection committee for their time and effort to review and select each month’s recipient family, as well as, each individual who has helped to arrange the award venue.

MANPOWER SUMMARY

Man-hours for Planning and Preparing:	20
Man-hours for the Event:	<u>30</u>
Total Man-hours:	50
Members involved in the Event:	48
Non-Members involved in the Event:	<u>45 - 150</u>

TOTAL NUMBER OF GUESTS

Total Number of Guests:	93 - 198
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WHO BENEFITED MOST FROM THIS PROJECT

It was very obvious that Council #9053 recognizes these families for their accomplishments of a family **living the Catholic faith** and that the families we are very appreciative for receiving this recognition, but the **communities** have also **benefitted from their interaction with these families** and **seeing their examples** of the true meaning **of a devoted Catholic families** that **live traditional Christian family values**.

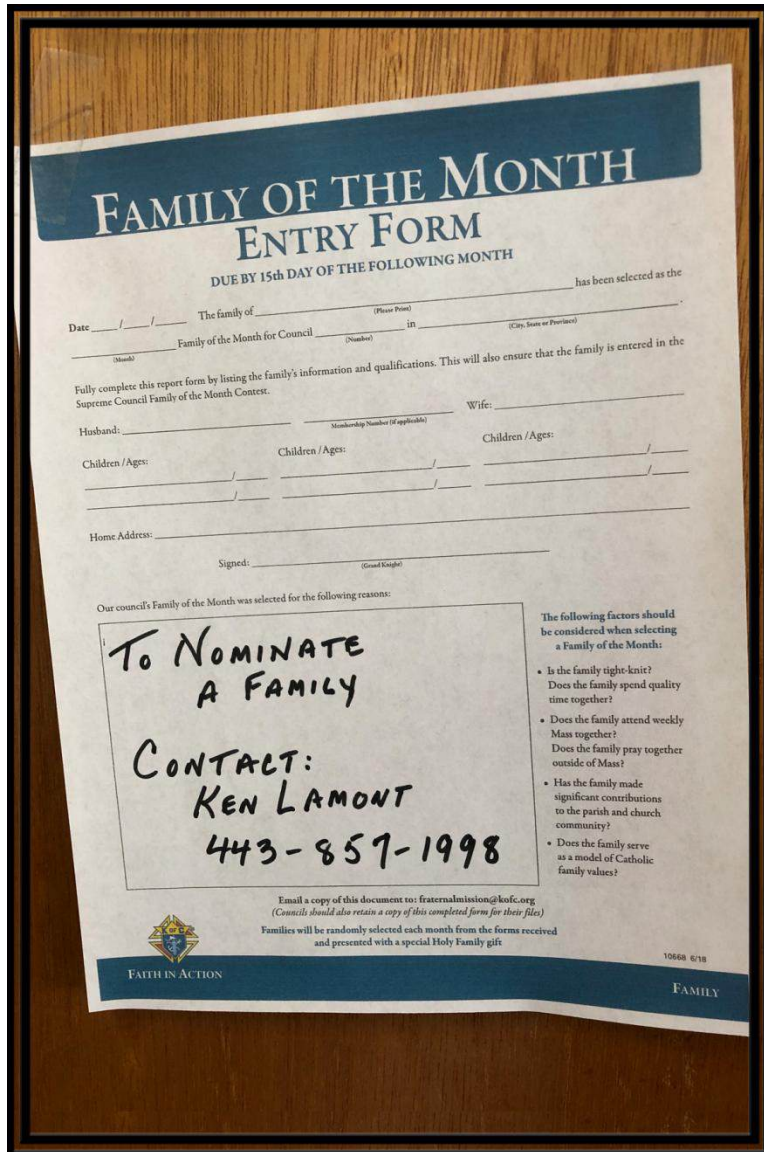


PHOTO-1 FAMILY ACTIVITY REPORT: POSTER IN OCK OF C HALL

FAMILY OF THE MONTH WINNERS

USE THIS PAGE TO RECORD THE FAMILY OF THE MONTH WINNERS FOR COUNCIL RECORDS

JULY THE FAMILY OF: _____

AUGUST THE FAMILY OF: _____

SEPTEMBER THE FAMILY OF: MCDERMOTT

OCTOBER THE FAMILY OF: BRIGGS

NOVEMBER THE FAMILY OF: CALANNA

DECEMBER THE FAMILY OF: MATTHEWS

JANUARY THE FAMILY OF: SHEPARD

FEBRUARY THE FAMILY OF: CAROEZA

MARCH THE FAMILY OF: ROSENBAUM

APRIL THE FAMILY OF: HERWIG

MAY THE FAMILY OF: KRESS

JUNE THE FAMILY OF: McCready

FAMILY OF THE MONTH ENTRY FORM

DUE BY 15th DAY OF THE FOLLOWING MONTH

Date 09 / 19 / 2018 The family of John and M. Ann McDermott has been selected as the September Family of the Month for Council #0953 in Ocean City, Maryland.

Fully complete this report form by listing the family's information and qualifications. This will also ensure that the family is entered in the Supreme Council Family of the Month Contest.

Husband: John McDermott 4090355 Wife: M. Ann McDermott

Children / Ages: Mark Joseph / 59 Children / Ages: Cheryl Mary / 57 Children / Ages: Carol Marie / 57
 Julie Ann / 55 Kevin John / 53 Michael John / 47

Home Address: 211 South Ocean Drive, Ocean City, Maryland

Signed: [Signature]

Our council's Family of the Month was selected for the following reasons:

John and Ann, together, attend both daily and weekly mass.
 They both serve as Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers and Coordinator.
 They both serve on the Bereavement committee, providing comfort to family members.
 They both serve as Sacristans and collection counters.
 They volunteer many hours to the Knights of Columbus by being members of the Crab Team, the breakfast team and manning the motorcycle raffle booth.
 Ann is a Trustee for the St. Luke Parish.
 John and Ann received the "Order of Merit" presented by Bishop Saltarelli.
 John and Ann are blessed with 12 Grandchildren and 10 Great-Grandchildren.

The following factors should be considered when selecting a Family of the Month:

- Is the family tight-knit? Does the family spend quality time together?
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- Has the family made significant contributions to the parish and church community?
- Does the family serve as a model of Catholic family values?

Email a copy of this document to: fraternalmision@kofc.org
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 Families will be randomly selected each month from the forms received and presented with a special Holy Family gift.



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FAMILY OF THE MONTH ENTRY FORM

DUE BY 15th DAY OF THE FOLLOWING MONTH

Date 11 / 15 / 2018 The family of Ronald and Nancy Briggs has been selected as the October Family of the Month for Council #9053 in Ocean City, Maryland.

Fully complete this report form by listing the family's information and qualifications. This will also ensure that the family is entered in the Supreme Council Family of the Month Contest.

Husband: Ronald 3609646 Wife: Nancy

Children / Ages: Ronald Children / Ages: Thomas Children / Ages: Donna
 Chris / / /

Home Address: 37822 William Chandler rd, Ocean View De. 19970

Signed: [Signature]

Our council's Family of the Month was selected for the following reasons:

The Briggs Family is highly representative of a practical Catholic family.
 Not only do they attend Weekly Mass together, they are a future at daily Mass. Ron serves as a Coordinator, Nancy as a Lector. Both are Eucharistic Ministers.
 As Eucharistic Ministers, they participate in taking Communion to home bound parishioners.
 One Sunday, a month, they direct the communion services for residents at the Brandywine Retirement Home.
 As members of the parish Bereavement Committee, they counsel and assist families in preparation for funeral masses.
 Ron and Nancy provide valuable time and service to the many activities and projects of the Knights, to include the annual Tootsie Roll Drive, Bingo & Crab Teams and other fund raising events.
 Ron is a 4th Degree Knight currently serves as Faithful Pilot for Pope John Paul II Assembly 2454.
 The Briggs Family were honored when they received the Medal of Merit for St. Lukes Parish, presented by Bishop Malooly.

The following factors should be considered when selecting a Family of the Month:

- Is the family tight-knit? Does the family spend quality time together?
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FAMILY OF THE MONTH ENTRY FORM

DUE BY 15th DAY OF THE FOLLOWING MONTH

Date 01/15/2019 The family of James and Dolores Matthews has been selected as the December Family of the Month for Council 9053 in Ocean City, Maryland

Fully complete this report form by listing the family's information and qualifications. This will also ensure that the family is entered in the Supreme Council Family of the Month Contest.

Husband: James (Jim) Membership Number (if applicable) _____ Wife: Dolores (Dee)

Children /Ages: _____ Children /Ages: _____ Children /Ages: _____
Anita Sean Bryan

Home Address: 13206 Peach Tree Rd. Ocean City MD, 21842

Signed: [Signature]

Our council's Family of the Month was selected for the following reasons:

The Matthews family is an example for all Catholic families to emulate. As staunch pro-life supporters they have participated in numerous January March for Life in Washington, D.C. and the Maryland march in Annapolis MD.

The family also participates in setting up the display of pro-life crosses at various local churches.

Jim is a dedicated Knight, completing the 4th Degree in less than one year. He is currently serving his second year as President of the St. Luke's Parish Council. Dee has served as chairperson of the Parish religious articles gift shop.

Jim is an always ready volunteer, serving on various Knights programs, i.e. Monthly Breakfasts, Community Suppers, Grub & seafood dinners.

Dee is an active member of the Knights Ladies Auxiliary, currently serving her second year as President. She is a past member of the St. Luke's Parish Council. Dee has served as chairperson of the Parish religious articles gift shop.

At St. Luke's parish Jim serves as an Usher. Dee fulfills many roles, serving as a Lector, Eucharistic Minister and Coordinator for Eucharistic Ministers.

The following factors should be considered when selecting a Family of the Month:

- Is the family tight-knit? Does the family spend quality time together?
- Does the family attend weekly Mass together? Does the family pray together outside of Mass?
- Has the family made significant contributions to the parish and church community?
- Does the family serve as a model of Catholic family values?

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 Families will be randomly selected each month from the forms received and presented with a special Holy Family gift.

10668 6/18

FAITH IN ACTION

FAMILY

FAMILY OF THE MONTH ENTRY FORM

DUE BY 15th DAY OF THE FOLLOWING MONTH

Date 11/28/2018 The family of John and Christine Calanna has been selected as the November Family of the Month for Council 9053 in Ocean City, Maryland

Fully complete this report form by listing the family's information and qualifications. This will also ensure that the family is entered in the Supreme Council Family of the Month Contest.

Husband: John Membership Number (if applicable) _____ Wife: Christine

Children /Ages: _____ Children /Ages: _____ Children /Ages: _____
Jillian _____ _____

Home Address: 12 Assawoman Ave. Ocean View DE. 19970

Signed: [Signature]

Our council's Family of the Month was selected for the following reasons:

Their daughters' setbacks have been a lifelong struggle for the family, yet they are always there to help others. The family has been a true example of faith and love to everyone they touch.

The Calanna family is a role model for other families in the parish. Regardless of the many hardships involved in getting to church, they attend weekly mass together.

John has performed many services to his parish, serving regularly on the usher team and often volunteers to serve at additional masses.

The family dedication to each other is based on their Catholic faith and devotion to God. Their internal support contributes to the growth of a holy and truly loving family.

The Knights of Columbus has reaped many benefits from John's numerous volunteers to their many activities. He is a stalwart on the Breakfast and Bingo teams.

John and Christine strong faith in Christ has enabled them to raise Jillian in a faith-filled Catholic environment.

The following factors should be considered when selecting a Family of the Month:

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FAITH IN ACTION

FAMILY

FAMILY OF THE MONTH ENTRY FORM

DUE BY 15th DAY OF THE FOLLOWING MONTH

Date 01/30/2019 The family of Dale and Deborah Shepard has been selected as the January 2019 Family of the Month for Council 9053 in Ocean City, Maryland

Fully complete this report form by listing the family's information and qualifications. This will also ensure that the family is entered in the Supreme Council Family of the Month Contest.

Husband: Dale Membership Number (if applicable) _____ Wife: Deborah

Children /Ages: _____ Children /Ages: _____ Children /Ages: _____
Dalen Sylvia _____

Home Address: 64 Bunting Mill Court, Seelyville Delaware 19975

Signed: [Signature]

Our council's Family of the Month was selected for the following reasons:

The Shepard family is extremely close to each other, attending weekly mass together as a family. Both Dalen and Sylvia participate in weekly Masses, serving together as Altar Servers.

The parents are involved in Dalen and Sylvia's many activities at the Most Blessed Sacrament school.

Dale and Deborah serve jointly as lunch room Parents and monitors the play groups activities. Both volunteer at the school talent show.

Dale's concern about others is evident in his involvement with the local soup kitchen. Not only does he prepare and distribute the food, he spend many hours interacting with the homeless.

Dale is a retired veteran of the US Army, as such he is an excellent example of a dedicated Christian to his family and to the parish community.

The Shepard family is a prime example of a family with Catholic values.

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The family of Anthony and Mary Pat Carozza has been selected as the FEB 2019

Family of the Month for Council 9053 in Ocean City, Maryland

Husband: Anthony Member: Yes No Membership Number (if applicable): _____

Wife: Mary Pat Children: Yes No If yes, how many children? Four

Age of nominee: 80 Years of Service: _____ (If Applicable)

Husband/nominee's email address: acarozza@comcast.net

Home Address: 110Central parke E. Berlin MD 21811

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- Does the family serve as a model of Catholic family values?

The Carozzas are a prime example of a family with strong Catholic values.

Tony and Mary Pat are both Eucharistic Ministers. They attend daily mass and weekly adorations together.

Both are involved in the many Parish functions, especially the annual Christmas bazaar and the Right to Life Mass and celebration.

Mary Pat is CO-Chairperson for the Right to Life committee.

Their daughter, Mary Beth Carozza, has been elected to the Maryland House of Delegates after running on a strong anti-abortion platform.

Tony has held many positions in the Knights to include Grand Knight. He is a constant volunteer at the many activities involving the Knights.

Signed: [Signature] Date 02/27/2019

Grand Knight's email: jangfi@yahoo.com

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FAITH IN ACTION

FAMILY

FAMILY OF THE MONTH ENTRY FORM

DUE BY 15th DAY OF THE FOLLOWING MONTH

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The family of **William and Phyllis Rosenbaum** has been selected as the **March 2019** Family of the Month for Council **9053** in **Ocean City, Maryland**.

Husband: **William** Member: Yes No Membership Number (if applicable): _____
 Wife: **Phyllis** Children: Yes No If yes, how many children? **Three**
 Age of nominee: **83** Years of Service: _____ (If Applicable)
 Husband/nominee's email address: **N/A**
 Home Address: **34 Pintail Ct.** **Berlin** **MD 21811**

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The Rosenbaum family is very tight-knit spending numerous hours in organized activities. Family attends weekly, and often times daily, mass together. Both William and Phyllis have devoted numberless hours volunteering at Parish and Knights of Columbus functions. The Rosenbaum are a prime example of a family with Catholic values.

Signed: *[Signature]* Date **04/03/19**
 Grand Knight's email: **jangi1@yahoo.com**

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FAITH IN ACTION FAMILY

FAMILY OF THE MONTH ENTRY FORM

DUE BY 15th DAY OF THE FOLLOWING MONTH

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The family of **Thomas and Valerie Herwig** has been selected as the **April 2019** Family of the Month for Council **9053** in **Ocean City, Maryland**.

Husband: **Thomas** Member: Yes No Membership Number (if applicable): _____
 Wife: **Valerie** Children: Yes No If yes, how many children? **two**
 Age of nominee: **72** Years of Service: _____ (If Applicable)
 Husband/nominee's email address: **N/A**
 Home Address: **313 136th Street** **Ocean City** **MD 21842**

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The Herwigs are a prime example of a family with strong Catholic values. Tom and Valerie are co-chair for the Keep Christ in Christmas poster contest. This involves three Parishes and the local Catholic Elementary school. Valerie serves the Parish as the developer of the quarterly schedules for all Mass coordinators, Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors and Ushers. Tom has served as the Council Financial Secretary for the last two years. He has been elected as the new Deputy Grand Knight. Tom is a Eucharistic Minister and Valerie is a Lector and Eucharistic Minister. They have sacrificed time and effort in caring for an ill family member. Flying to Nicaragua to bring the relative back to the USA for medical treatment.

Signed: *[Signature]* Date **Apr 30, 19**
 Grand Knight's email: **jangi1@yahoo.com**

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FAITH IN ACTION FAMILY

FAMILY OF THE MONTH ENTRY FORM

DUE BY 15th DAY OF THE FOLLOWING MONTH

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The family of **Raymond and Carolyn Kress** has been selected as the **05/29/19** Family of the Month for Council **9053** in **Ocean City, Maryland**.

Husband: **Raymond** Member: Yes No Membership Number (if applicable): _____
 Wife: **Carolyn** Children: Yes No If yes, how many children? _____
 Age of nominee: **78** Years of Service: _____ (If Applicable)
 Husband/nominee's email address: **N/A**
 Home Address: **36 Blue Bill Dr.** **Selbyville** **DE 19975**

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- Does the family serve as a model of Catholic family values?

The Kress's are a prime example of a practical Catholic family. Both Raymond and Carolyn devote numerous hours to Parish and Knights of Columbus activities. They attend daily and weekly mass together performing the roles of coordinators and Eucharistic Ministers. They both serve as volunteers at the local Joseph house soup kitchen. Carolyn is the Vice-President of the Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary. Carolyn serves on the Parish council as chairperson for Family/Parish committee. The Kress family has very strong Catholic values.

Signed: *[Signature]* Date **05/29/19**
 Grand Knight's email: **jangi1@yahoo.com**

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The family of **Charles and Linda McCready** has been selected as the **June** Family of the Month for Council **9053** in **Ocean City, Maryland**.

Husband: **Charles** Member: Yes No Membership Number (if applicable): _____
 Wife: **Linda** Children: Yes No If yes, how many children? **Three**
 Age of nominee: **70** Years of Service: _____ (If Applicable)
 Husband/nominee's email address: **N/A**
 Home Address: **718 Bradley Rd. Unit P** **Ocean City** **MD 21842**

Our council's Family of the Month was selected for the following reasons:

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The McCreadys are a prime example of a practical Catholic family. Both Charles and Linda devote numerous hours to Parish and Knights of Columbus activities. They attend mass together, performing the roles of Head usher and Eucharistic Ministers. Charles serves on the Parish council. The McCready family has very strong Catholic values.

Signed: *[Signature]* Date **Jun 29, 19**
 Grand Knight's email: **jangi1@yahoo.com**

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FAITH IN ACTION FAMILY

STATE PROGRAM ACTIVITY REPORT COVER SHEET -- COMMUNITY



MARYLAND STATE COUNCIL
PROGRAM ACTIVITY REPORT COVER SHEET

PROGRAM CATEGORY: FAITH ____ FAMILY ____ COMMUNITY LIFE ____

COUNCIL NAME Ocean City COUNCIL # 9053 DISTRICT # 22

LOCATION 9901 Coastal Hwy Ocean City 21842
(City) (Zip Code)

IS YOUR COUNCIL SAFE ENVIRONMENT PROGRAM COMPLIANT (Youth Protection)? Yes

PROGRAM TYPE: REQUIRED, FEATURED, RECOMMENDED OR OTHER? Required

INDICATE FIRST, SECOND OR THIRD REPORTING PERIOD AND YEAR First / 2019-2020
(First Report Due by Sept. 15 - Second Report Due by Dec. 15 - Third Report Due by March 5)

PROJECT (Name and Date) Helping Hands 07/2019 - 09/2019

COUNCIL CHAIRMAN (Name and Phone #) Thomas J. Foglesong 240-353-0681

OF COUNCIL MEMBERS PARTICIPATING 42 # OF NON-COUNCIL MEMBERS 14

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MARYLAND STATE COUNCIL

COMMUNITY ACTIVITY REPORT

OCEAN CITY COUNCIL #9053

OCEAN CITY, MARYLAND

FIRST REPORT PERIOD

(MARCH, APRIL, MAY, JUNE, JULY, AUGUST)

15 SEPTEMBER 2019

**HELPING HANDS
ADULTS WITH INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES**



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**= FAITH
IN ACTION**

COMMUNITY ACTIVITY REPORT – FIRST REPORT PERIOD 2019-2020

EVENT SUMMARY

As part of the Knights of Columbus (K of C) Council #9053’s **Helping Hand Program** Activities/Efforts to care for disadvantaged members of our communities, Council #9053 selected to help the **Worcester County Development Center (WCDC)**, located in Newark, Maryland. The WCDC provides opportunities for meaningful employment and independent living for adults with intellectual disabilities, a.k.a., ‘clients’, in Worcester County, Maryland. To maximize its efforts, Council #9053 chose to collect monetary donations during the **peak tourist season** in the Ocean City, Maryland, area. Forty-two (42) **Brother Knights**, as well as, Mr. **Jack Ferry, Jr.**, WCDC Executive Director, and **thirteen** (13) **clients** from WCDC collected nearly \$8,000.

NAMES		
LAST, FIRST	LAST, FIRST	LAST, FIRST
Anderson, Tom	Foreman, Roy	Obrien, Charles
Biancello, Joe	Fox, Richard	Pergola, Tom
Briggs, Ron	Gangi, Joe	Potenza, Vito
Carozza, Mike	Gatley, Frank	Rasmussen, Dennis
Carozza, Tony	Herwig, Tom	Reim, Brandon
Castorina, Sal	Irwin, Tom	Rubino, John
Cilletti, Chris	Kostelac, Joe	Sanzone, Vince
Cooke, Dick	Kress, Ray	Stone, Jim
Coons, Bruce	Kyle, Don	Straight, Wayne
Crabill, Jim	Lamont, Ken	Thomas, Richard
Davis, Harry	Lazzari, Joe	Waesche, Gary
Diperna, Kurt	Mc Cready, L.	Ward, George
Foglesong, Tom	McDermott, John	Yates, Mike
Foote, Neil	Melocik, Dave	Zanetti, Joe

Table-1 COMMUNITY ACTIVITY REPORT: LIST OF BROTHER KNIGHTS

HIGHLIGHTS

For **six (6) weekends** in July, August and September, the K of C Council #9053 **volunteers** handed out tootsie rolls **at stores** and **parishes** throughout the island of **Ocean City, Maryland**, and **collected donations** for the worthy cause of **caring for disadvantaged members of our communities**. Council #9053 **commenced** its **campaign** on **06 July 2018** at St. John Neumann Parish in Ocean Pines, Maryland. From Ocean Pines, Council #9053 moved into the heart of Ocean City, Maryland. During the weekends of 12 - 13 July and 19 -20 July, Council #9053 members solicited donations outside the following locations:

STORE NAME
7/11 Convenience
Acme Food
Roses Department Store
Super Thrift Food

TABLE-2 COMMUNITY ACTIVITY REPORT: LIST OF STORES

For the weekends of 27 -28 July and 3 - 4 August after all the Masses, Council #9053’s drive took place at St. Andrew’s and St Luke’s parishes in North and Central Ocean City, Maryland. To end the 2019 campaign, Council #9053 relocated its efforts on 31 August -1 September after all the Masses at St. Mary’s Star of the Sea and Holy Savior parishes in downtown Ocean City, Maryland.

PURPOSE OF THE EVENT

The K of C Drive for Persons with Intellectual Disabilities, which started in Illinois, has been in existence since 1970. You'll find the K of C members in front of Acme, Walmart, Save-a-Lot and many other stores, as well as, on street corners throughout the United States, and in Council #9053's area (Ocean City, Maryland), K of C volunteers follow the same venue. Like all the other K of C volunteers, Council #9053 volunteers and the WCDC clients wear bright yellow vests while collecting donations for the benefit of people with intellectual disabilities, and in appreciation, our Knights, like all other Knights, offer the donors a Tootsie Roll to which many individuals reply: **"Thanks but no thanks, I just want to donate to this cause."** Although this K of C campaign has no official tie to Tootsie Roll or its manufacturer and the K of C tries to promote it as the **"Campaign for People with Intellectual Disabilities"** rather than the **"Tootsie Roll Drive"**, the high visibility of this program along with the yellow vest and tootsie rolls continues to have the public refer to the campaign as the **"Tootsie Roll Drive."** The nickname is understandable but misleading... nevertheless, the public continues to recognize and call it the **"Tootsie Roll Drive"** and mentally equate it to the **"Campaign for People with Intellectual Disabilities"**.

The main purpose of Council #9053 supporting the WCDC has been to provide revenue (a donation) to WCDC so that it can continue its goal of providing a path in which its clients can work towards meaningful employment, which ultimately leads to the clients' success, independence and overall self worth. The WCDC accomplishes its meaningful employment support in a variety of ways, e.g., residential services, which include both supervised homes, staffed with trained counselors, and individual placements into Intermediate Care Facilities (IFC) homes in the community, as well as, teaching skills relevant for the jobs all with the goal of training individuals to become more independent in their daily living skills.

PLANNING

Worthy Grand Knight, Brother Joe Kostelac, began planning this campaign in early spring 2019 by arranging and securing dates with the five (5) local Catholic Churches' pastors and the four (4) local store managers. Once Brother Joe had confirmed dates, he canvassed Council #9053 for potential volunteers, ordered the necessary supplies and began the tedious logistics of firming up the 'who' and 'when' for each slated church and store. Brother Joe also thought of the volunteers and the summer heat, so he ensured that he had enough cool water and snacks to give to the volunteers on the appointed days.

PROMOTION

Externally, Brother Joe Kostelac met with applicable store managers and pastors to reinforce the mission and secure final approval to solicit at their locations on the appointed weekends. Internally with Council #9053, he raised awareness at several of the proceeding council meetings and encouraged volunteerism for the drive. Brother Joe also coordinated with Brother Tom Foglesong, Council #9053's Communications Director, to arrange for Brother Tom to send out email notifications ('e-blasts') about the campaign and to have Brother Tom create/set-up an on-line sign up tool called *Genius*.

EVENT POSTSCRIPT

With the team effort of the 42 Brother Knights, Mr. Ferry, his 13 'clients', Council #9053 had another great **"Tootsie Roll Drive"** raising nearly \$8,000 for the clients of WCDC.

Council #9053 extends a special thanks to everyone who participated in this worthy cause.

Council #9053 sincerely thanks all the store managers who allowed us to stand in front of their stores to collect donations for WCDC.

Council #9053 sincerely thanks all the local Catholic Churches' pastors for allowing the K of C members to solicit donations after the weekend Masses.

MANPOWER SUMMARY

Man-hours for Planning and Preparing:	113
Man-hours for the Event:	81
Total Man-hours:	194
Members involved in the Event:	42
Non-Members involved in the Event:	14

TOTAL NUMBER OF GUESTS

14

WHO BENEFITED MOST FROM THIS PROJECT

The Worcester County Developmental Center in Newark, Maryland, a nonprofit organization dedicated to serving clients with intellectual and developmental disabilities, has benefited from this effort. Through Council #9053's efforts of turning rolls of chewy chocolates into a financial resource for WCDC, WCDC's effort to serve the intellectually and developmentally challenged is a wonderful success story.



PHOTO-1 COMMUNITY ACTIVITY REPORT: BOX OF TOOTSIE ROLLS

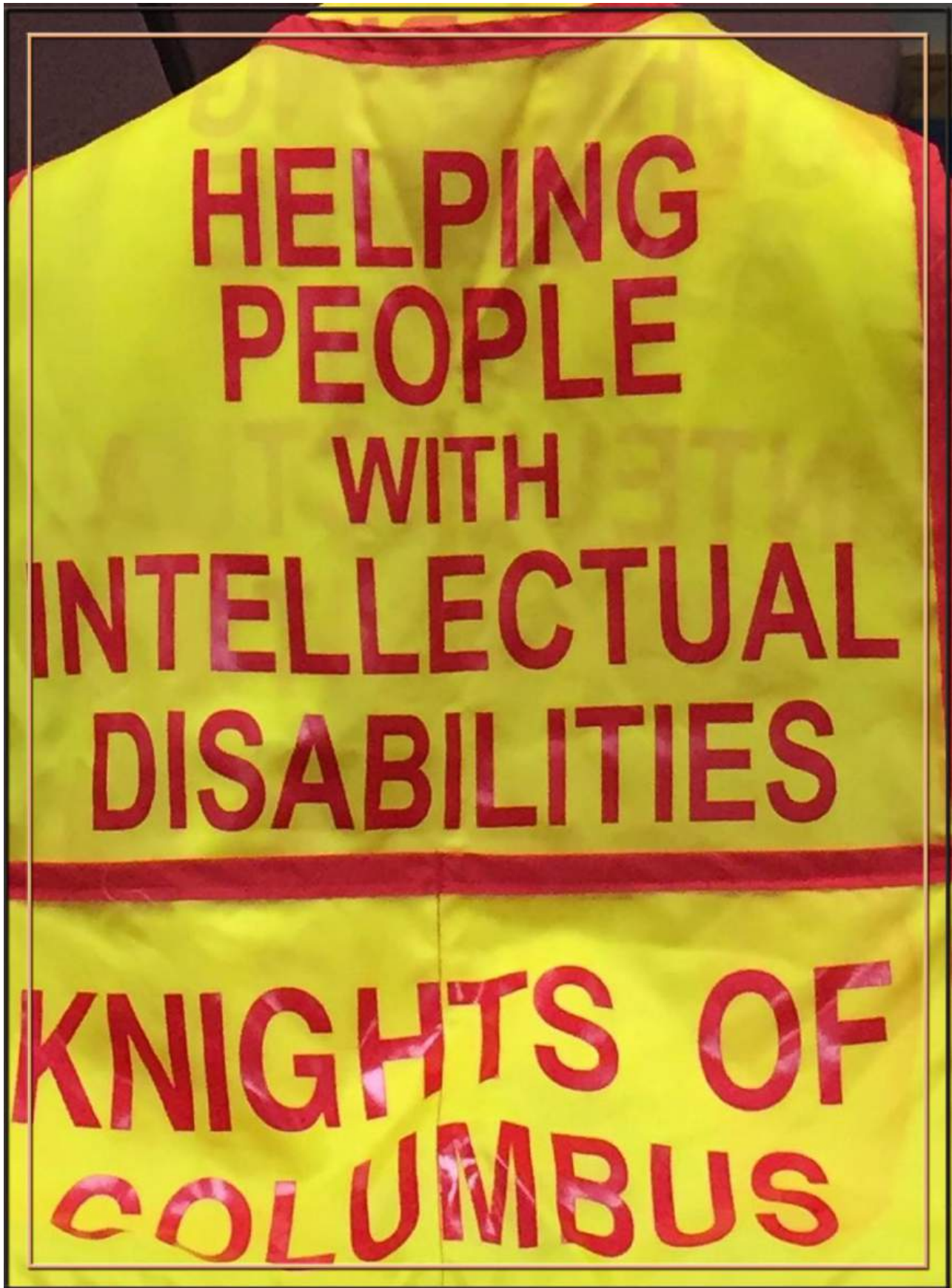


PHOTO-2 COMMUNITY ACTIVITY REPORT: VEST

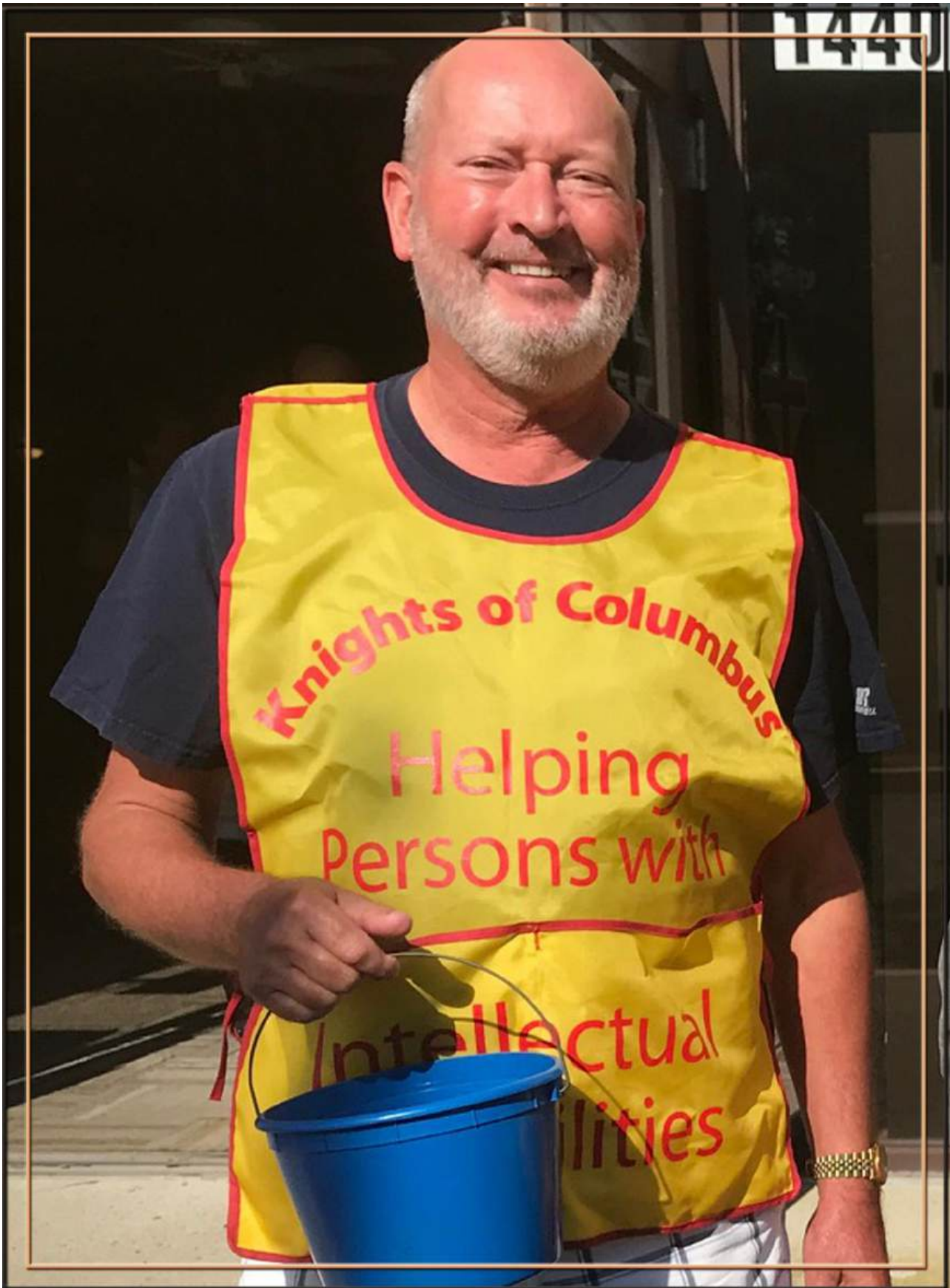


PHOTO-3 COMMUNITY ACTIVITY REPORT: BROTHER EDDIE MARDAGA

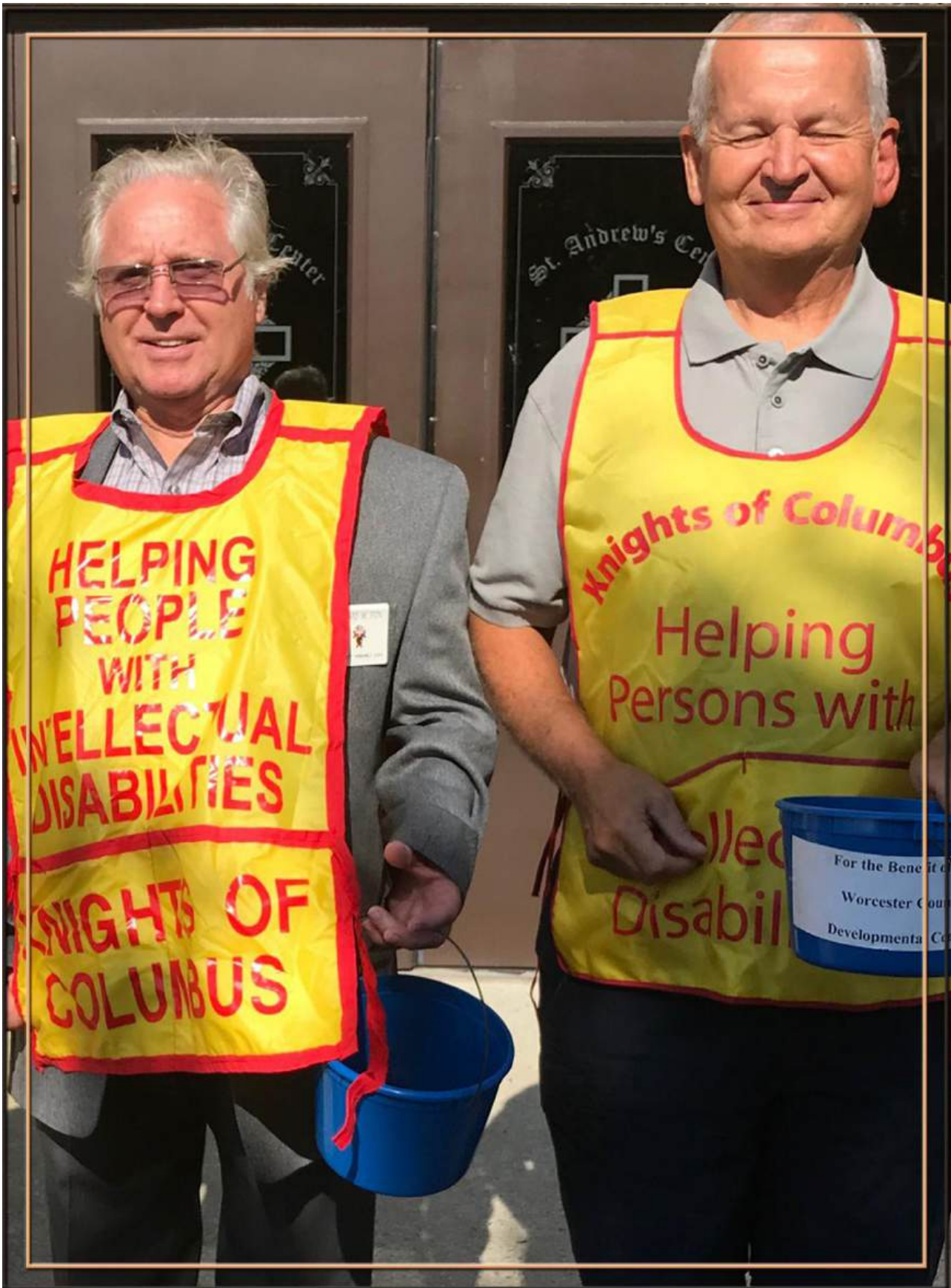


PHOTO-4 COMMUNITY ACTIVITY REPORT: BROTHERS RICHARD FOX AND WAYNE STRAIGHT

STATE PROGRAM ACTIVITY REPORT COVER SHEET -- LIFE



MARYLAND STATE COUNCIL
PROGRAM ACTIVITY REPORT COVER SHEET

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LOCATION 9901 Coastal Hwy Ocean City 21842
(City) (Zip Code)

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PROGRAM TYPE: REQUIRED, FEATURED, RECOMMENDED OR OTHER? Featured

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(First Report Due by Sept. 15 - Second Report Due by Dec. 15 - Third Report Due by March 5)

PROJECT (Name and Date) Baby Bottle Campaign 25 - 26 May 2019
15 - 16 Jun 2019

COUNCIL CHAIRMAN (Name and Phone #) Kevin M. Hughes 410-742-4445

OF COUNCIL MEMBERS PARTICIPATING 12 # OF NON-COUNCIL MEMBERS N/A

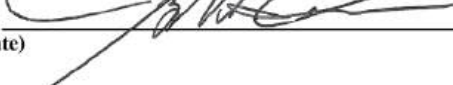
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(Grand Knight Name and Date)

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LIFE ACTIVITY REPORT

OCEAN CITY COUNCIL #9053

OCEAN CITY, MARYLAND

FIRST REPORT PERIOD

(MARCH, APRIL, MAY, JUNE, JULY, AUGUST)

15 SEPTEMBER 2019

BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN



LIFE ACTIVITY REPORT – FIRST REPORT PERIOD 2019-2020

EVENT SUMMARY

Council #9053 members distributed the empty baby bottle after all the Masses on the weekend of 25 - 26 May, and they collected the bottles on the weekend of 15 - 16 June (Father's Day) after all the Masses. Council members stood by the collection box for the parishioners to drop off their full bottles and to thank them for their support/donations.

HIGHLIGHTS

This was an opportunity for Council #9053 to solicit monetary support and request spiritual support to/for the Shirley Grace Pregnancy Center (SGPC) – a non-profit organization located in Berlin, Maryland. SGPC is able to use these funds however it thinks best, e.g., pregnancy support, empowerment, care and/or education, and the spiritual support asks God to help SGPC achieve its goals.

PURPOSE OF THE EVENT

The purpose of the Council #9053's Baby Bottle Campaign was a quick and simple way to collect funds to support its Life Program at a local level –the SGPC. Council members distributed empty bottles for individuals and/or families to fill them with loose change, checks or paper money, and the Council asked the people to return the filled bottles at Masses on Fathers' Day weekend, 15 – June. Additionally, Council #9053 asked individuals and families to pray for God's help for SGPC staff.

PLANNING

Council #9053 began its annual Baby Bottle Campaign planning in early April which started with asking St. Luke's pastor, the Very Reverend Father Jennings, if our Council could hold its annual Baby Bottle Campaign at the end of May and beginning of June. With Father's approval and agreed upon weekends, Council #9053 submitted a hardcopy ad and announcement to St. Luke's office manager to publish in St. Luke's bulletin and to announce verbally at all the weekend Masses of 18 – 19 May, as well as, the weekend of 25 and -26 May. With the dates confirmed, Council #9053's Life Program Director, Brother Kevin Hughes, went to the SGPC and picked-up 50 empty baby bottles. Next Brother Kevin solicited and coordinated the help of Council members to distribute the baby bottles after the Saturday evening and Sunday Masses on 25 -26 May, as well as, scheduled Council members to collect the returned bottles on the weekend of 15 -16 June.

PROMOTION

St. Luke's included our ad in its bulletin and verbally announced the campaign with its other announcement at all of the weekend Masses the weekend prior to the campaign and the weekend of the campaign, as well as, a reminder to return the bottles on the weekend of 15 -16 June.

EVENT POSTSCRIPT

Council #9053 thanks the Very Reverend Father Jennings and his office staff for supporting our efforts to distribute and collect the baby bottles.

The SGPC was very appreciative to Council #9053 for this unsolicited donation.

Council #9053 thanks everyone who helped and, especially, those who donated this year.

MANPOWER SUMMARY

Man-hours for Planning and Preparing:	10
Man-hours for the Event:	28
Total Man-hours:	<u>38</u>
Members involved in the Event:	12
Non-Members involved in the Event:	N/A

TOTAL NUMBER OF GUESTS

Total Number of Guests:	N/A
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WHO BENEFITED MOST FROM THIS PROJECT

The Baby Bottle Campaign is an annual K of C fund raiser to provide monetary support, as well as, prayers to/for the local SGPC which enables the SGPC to continue offering assistance to women and couples in need. With support from organization like the K of C, SGPC has the ability to offer free: sonograms, ultrasounds, and parenting classes to all social and economic levels of society that include sexually abused, addicted and/or any needy person. It is a win-win situation—people in need receive help while those who can help are able to give back.

K of C Council #9053 is once again sponsoring its Pro-Life Baby Bottle Campaign. Council members will be distributing bottles following all Masses on Saturday, mmm dd, and Sunday, mmm dd. Please take a bottle home and return it back next Saturday or Sunday filled with change to support our Life initiatives. We ask for both your prayers and financial support. Together we can make a difference.

Thank you in advance for your support.

PHOTO-1 LIFE ACTIVITY REPORT: AD AND ANNOUNCEMENT SUBMISSION



PHOTO-2 LIFE ACTIVITY REPORT: BABY BOTTLED AND CHANGE