

## KofC Family Programs (2025)

### **Family of the Month** (*Chairman: Woody Hampshire*)

- Select a worthy family every month (doesn't have to be a Knight).
- Submit a 10784 to supreme and [Forms@kofcnc.org](mailto:Forms@kofcnc.org) before the 15<sup>th</sup> of the month.
- Submission is for the previous month. So April is submitted in May (by the 15<sup>th</sup> of the month).
- Great way to get recognition for the Council. Present at Mass.
- Supreme and State awards available.

### **Food for Families** (*Chairman: Mike Spire*)

- Help end hunger and support your communities by donating Food to a local food bank.
- For every 1000 pounds of food or \$500 donated, Supreme will give the Council \$100. Fill out the 10057.

### **Keep Christ in Christmas** (*Chairman: Paul Spire*)

- **Cards**- English and Spanish, magnets, bookmarks, etc. Great fundraiser.
- **Poster Contest**- For all grade levels K-8. Posters are all Christmas themed and awards from Council, State and Supreme levels. Great way to get kids excited about putting Jesus back in Christmas.

### **Family Prayer Night** (*Chairman: Mark Haro*)

- Strengthen the bonds within our parishes and build faith-filled families. This is an opportunity for council members, their families, and the whole parish community to come together once a month for an evening of prayer, dinner, and fellowship.
- Not meant to be a formal prayer service of deep theory, but a group of families talking and eating with opening and closing prayers. A social prayerful evening among families.

### **Family Week** (*Chairman: Vacant*)

- A great way to work several events into a week dedicated to the Family. Use your Rosary program, Family of the Month, Family prayer night, your Holy Hour program, movie night and a meal.
- Plan several events over the week to promote the family. Can be planned anytime of the year.

### **Family Fully Alive** (*Chairman: Vacant*)

- A great way to use the Building the Domestic Church in support of the Family. Use the *Family Fully Alive Booklets* (#10162E or S) support this program. The program provides monthly themes, scripture verses and activities. Through

prayer and reflection, each family has the opportunity to grow in holiness together. This is a flexible program that can be started at any time of the year and continues year-round.



### **Consecration of the Holy Family (*Chairman: Vacant*)**

- To help families live out the joy of Christ, Supreme Chaplain Archbishop William Lori has composed a prayer through which families will come together to consecrate themselves under the protection of the Holy Family. In this prayer, we ask for the aid or intercession of the perfect son Jesus Christ, Mary the perfect mother, and Joseph who is a model for every father. Councils will guide their parishes and community to understand and offer this important and impactful prayer. Preparing for the Consecration to the Holy Family is not a single event. It is choosing a way of life for your family. Through this consecration, each participant is consciously choosing to be a beacon of God's love through His Church.
- Use the Consecration to the Holy Family Prayer Cards (#10371) to aid in this important program.



### **Good Friday Family Program (*Chairman: Vacant*)**

- To increase the awareness of attending Good Friday Services. Start advertising on Ash Wednesday, at Fish Fries and in the Church Bulletins.
- Have Christ: Lord and Savior (#358) booklets to pass out to members of the Church on Good Friday.



Remember to include Family programs in the programs that your Council conducts throughout the year. Remember our founder Blessed Michael McGivney started our organization to help the family.



**Please consider becoming a Chairman for any of the vacant positions.**