## KNIGHTS CORNER

October 22, 2023



## St. Charles Council #2084

Thank you to everyone who helped and supported our Tootsie Roll drive last weekend. Thanks to those who volunteered and the kind generosity of our community we were able to raise a little over \$2,200 dollars last I heard. Folks from Camp Optimist stopped by our last council meeting and let us know how impactful our support was on providing the camp to those with special needs.

We also want to pass along the thanks we received from the Ecumenical Food Pantry. They said their shelves were just about empty when our large donation hit. While they receive support from multiple sources they made a point to tell me the scale at which our parish collects and donates food for them is so impressive and a Godsend. We get the thank you call, and we did have some amazing Knights organize the drive, but it's all of you in the parish that purchase and donate the food. The credit and gratitude is all owed to you. Thank you!

Also last weekend we had a team of brother Knights go to Parnell to help them run an exemplification (the ceremony in which we welcome new members) where we were able to welcome our newest member, Marwood Backing! Our council should be very proud our exemplification team is asked to assist other councils and we're thrilled to have another brother join us.

Kevin Norton Grand Knight St. Charles Council 2084