

November 1st Friday Mass and Dinner

Our November 1st Friday Mass and Dinner was held on November 6. Mass was in the church at St. Ann rather the Chapel to facilitate social distancing. Forty-two of us were at Mass, including Debbie and Jean Brunel and Joe Price, who received their 10th Anniversary pins right after Mass. Pete recognized Debbie and Jean for establishing and managing our special Zoom rosary. Contact Jean at jean@brunelassociates.com if you would like to have an online rosary prayed for a special intention, particularly an acute medical issue.



Debbie and Jean Brunel with Pete Bewley



Pete Bewley and Joe Price

Thirty-seven of us stayed for dinner at the Naples Sailing and Yacht Club. For safety, dinner was not preceded by stand-up cocktails, but drinks were served at the tables. Tables were large enough for 10 people but were limited to 6.

Remarks began with a prayer for our local malades, Al Cinotti, Cesca Copeland, Sue Dillon, Dennis Logue, Brendan Murtaugh, Jeanne Murtaugh, Jo O'Reilly and Harry Witt. We then welcomed first time attendee Leah Favia, a member of the Federal Association from Washington, DC, who has moved to Fort Myers. We also welcomed Mike Rosman, guest of Teresa Clausgus.

Singing "Happy Birthday!"
we celebrated BJ and Lucia
Barone's birthdays.

Pete presented BJ Barone with his 5-year Anniversary pin, and Dick and Francesca Copeland with their 15-year Anniversary pins.



Announcements

Baby Steps Camino: The Florida Northeast Area in Jacksonville is holding a beach-walking pilgrimage from Jacksonville Beach to the Shrine of our Lady of La Lache at Mission Nombre de Dios in St. Augustine December 11—13. You may walk for part or all of the day, or for two or three days. More information and online registration is available at www.babystepscamino.com.

Investiture—Recruiting: Covid has forced a postponement of the Investiture to next November. It has also delayed the membership recruitment and preparation process. If you know of someone who is interested in exploring membership in the Order, there is still time to begin the process in time for Investiture next year. Please contact Gerrie Musicco at gerriemusicco@gmail.com if you have someone you would like to recommend.

Future Dates

December 1st Friday Mass and Dinner: December 4. We will employ the same safety protocol that we used this month.

January 1st Friday Mass and Dinner: January 8, the second Friday rather than New Year's Day.

February 1st Friday Mass and Dinner: February 5.

Power Pack: Is packing 200 weekend bags for elementary school children in Naples. We meet at 8:00AM every Wednesday at Catholic Charities, 3174 Tamiami Trail East, Naples. Contact Tom O'Reilly at toriiinaples@aol.com.

Respect Life: Meets every Monday morning at 8:45AM to pray the Rosary in front of Planned Parenthood at the corner of Creech Road and Goodlette-Frank Road. No sign-up is necessary. Contact **BJBarone** at BJB@BJBarone.com.