



2024 Midterm Meeting

Family Programs

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THE QUESTION – CHECK-IN

At Leadership in June, I asked Grand Knights the following question:

Are YOU helping your parish and council members build their families on solid ground?

“Family [is] the core...the supporting pillar of Creation” - Cardinal Caffarra (established the Pontifical Institute for Studies on Marriage and Family for Pope St. John Paul II)



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Think about how things have gone the past 6 months...

- **What family programs have gone well?**
- **What family programs could go better?**
- **What do you still want to do in the next 6 months?**



THE YEAR IS NOT OVER!

You have a **GOLDEN** opportunity to do more THIS YEAR!

- You can still do Family of the Month & Family of the Year!
- Consecration to the Holy Family doesn't HAVE to be done on the Feast of the Holy Family
- Widow's Program Events (e.g., Widow's Dinner, Adopt-a-Widow, etc.)
- Into the Breach – The Mission of the Family



INTO THE BREACH — MISSION OF THE FAMILY



GREAT New Five-part Series:

- Consider it as a Lenten Program ~1 per week
- Consider leading up to Mothers' Day, or Fathers' Day
- Great to do as a follow-up to Exemplification



FINISH STRONG – THE FUTURE DEPENDS ON YOU

“The decisive battle between the Kingdom of Christ and Satan will be over marriage and the family” – Sr. Lucia letter to Cardinal Caffarra (1983)

- **The ENTIRE Family team stands ready to help you and your councils**
- **Family of the Year Entries Due February 10**
- **Join us for the State Family Picnic on April 6**
- **Have a GREAT second-half of your Fraternal Year!**

