



# *Knights of Columbus* *Rosary Challenge*



Our emphasis on "*Building the Domestic Church*" requires spiritual leadership in our families and councils. We need good leadership, men of passion that care about our Catholic faith. This is the time to plan the direction of your council. Invite men to be leaders in a special way that impacts your council and the people around them.

The Knights of Columbus are committed to the weapon of the Church – **the Rosary!** This year is the 100th anniversary of the apparitions of our Lady of Fatima, celebrated throughout the world. Her strongest message was and still is to pray the rosary every day in order to obtain peace in the world, conversion of sinners and reparation of our own offenses. The Rosary is the foundation of which the Knights of Columbus are built on.

A family Rosary program is our newest addition of a "Building the Domestic Church" activity. It is our goal to encourage every council throughout the state to pray the Rosary as often as possible. District Deputies are asked to encourage your councils to participate in the "Family Rosary Program".

We are having a monthly **Rosary challenge** starting in August, by the 10th of the following month (so for August email by Sept. 10<sup>th</sup>) the District Deputy will e-mail the State Church Director the number of Rosaries each of their council's prayed to [church@indianakofc.org](mailto:church@indianakofc.org). The council and District that prayed the highest number for that month will be recognized in our monthly newsletter and rewarded. The numbers will be accumulated by council and district with a total for the year. Questions?? Just ask!

Can you imagine reporting the Indiana Knights of Columbus prayed over a million Rosaries! Our Church, families, friends and brother Knights need our prayers!

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