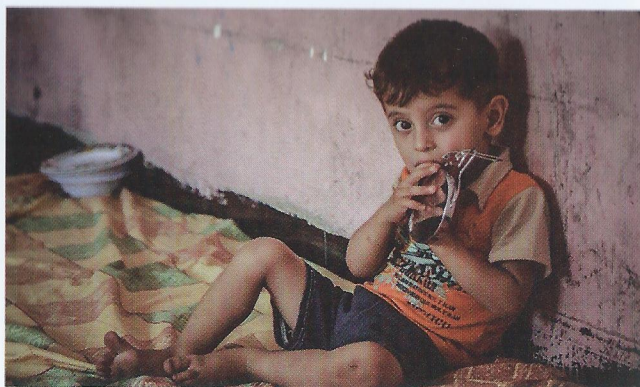
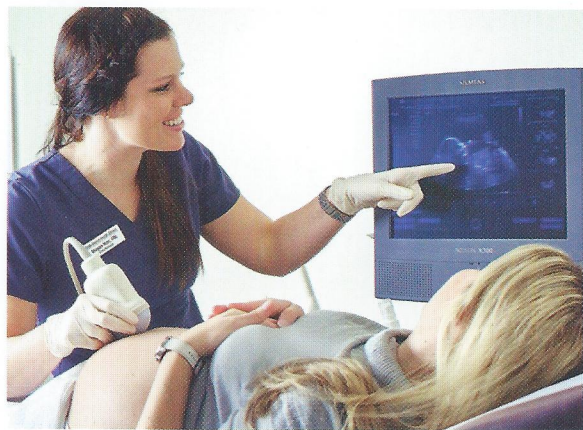


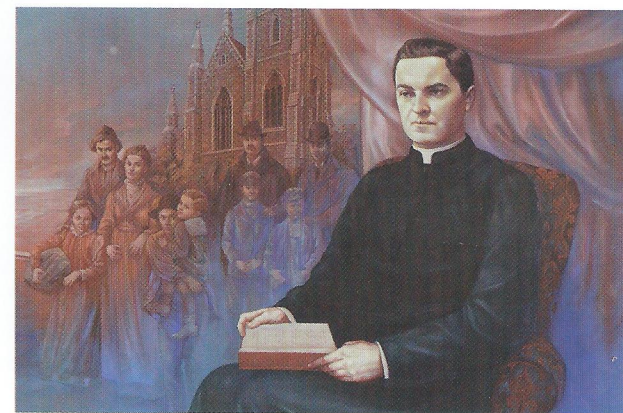
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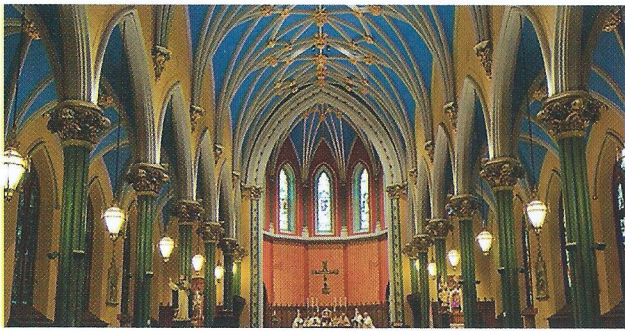
1. Created the \$25 million Knights of Columbus Vicarius Christi Fund, the earnings of which are conveyed annually to the Holy Father for his charities. Since its inception, this fund has generated more than \$56 million for the pope's good works.
2. Provided the broadcasting cost for the televising of papal celebrations throughout the year, especially at Christmas and during Holy Week.
3. Helped more than 310,000 children receive warm winter coats through the Coats for Kids program.
4. Established the \$2 million *Pacem in Terris* Fund for the benefit of the Church's pastoral mission to the Christian communities in the Holy Land.
5. Contributed to the Culture of Life Fund, through which the Supreme Council has assisted state and local councils in placing more than 700 ultrasound machines in pro-life pregnancy care centers, allowing expectant mothers a window to the womb, and helping them to choose life for their babies.



6. Raised more than \$11 million to support Christian refugees in the Middle East through our Christian Refugee Relief Fund, and advocated on their behalf in Washington, D.C., leading to the State Department's formal declaration that what is happening to Christians at the hands of ISIS is genocide.
7. Sponsored the National Catholic Bioethics Center's workshops for the bishops of the United States, Canada, Mexico, Puerto Rico, the Caribbean and the Philippines on vital life-death issues.
8. Raised \$1 million to establish the Bishop de Laval Fund, the earnings of which annually support the work of the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops.
9. Established \$6.6 million in endowment funds for the benefit of bishops and priests studying in Rome.
10. Contributed over \$67 million to more than 110,000 seminarians and postulants, since 1981, through the Refund Support Vocations Programs.
11. Established the campus of the Pontifical John Paul II Institute for Studies on Marriage and the Family at the Catholic University of America, as well as the Saint John Paul II National Shrine in Washington, D.C.
12. Provided free information on the Catholic faith to interested inquirers – more than 4 million responses and more than 200,000 enrollees in correspondence courses through the years.

13. Printed and distributed 500,000 copies of the *Knights of Columbus Armed With the Faith* military prayer book, and supported the spiritual welfare of armed services personnel and their families around the globe through a \$900,000 fund for the Archdiocese for Military Services.
14. Partnered with the Archdiocese for the Military Services to help wounded service members and veterans participate in the Warriors to Lourdes Pilgrimage, as part of the International Military Pilgrimage to Lourdes.
15. Donated to the \$1 million Knights of Columbus Heroes Fund to provide financial aid to the families of the first responders who died as a result of the terrorist attacks on 9/11.
16. Established the "Healing Haiti's Children" program, through which the Knights of Columbus provides young victims of the 2010 earthquake with prosthetic devices, and the Emilio Moure Clinic for Hope, through which patients receive the treatment necessary for them to care for their families and return to school or work.
17. Funded the cost of more than 55,000 wheelchairs for handicapped individuals throughout the world.
18. Furthered the cause for sainthood of our founder, Venerable Michael McGivney, through reporting favors received through his intercession.





19. Transferred the remains of Father Michael McGivney to the birthplace of the Order — St. Mary's Church in New Haven, Conn. — on March 29, 1982; funded the completion of the church's 179-foot steeple, with a carillon of three bronze bells; and funded the complete renovation of the church from 1981 to 1984.
20. Raised and distributed more than \$175 million and contributed more than 73 million volunteer hours in service to Church, community, youth and fellow Knights through the Surge with Service outreach program in 2015.
21. Paid \$605.9 million in benefits (claims, maturities and annuities) to Knights and beneficiaries during 2015 and \$275 million in dividends to insurance members.
22. Provided life insurance coverage for more than 2 million members and their families.
23. Recruited more than 85,000 members into the Knights of Columbus each year.

Looking at these accomplishments, you should be proud of being a Knight of Columbus. Count yourself among the more than 1.9 million members in over 15,000 councils that do so much good, who stand in solidarity with our bishops and priests, who work to protect religious liberty and the freedom of conscience for all people of faith, who promote civility in public discourse and who acknowledge the inherent dignity of all people.

Unite as Knights — help change the world.



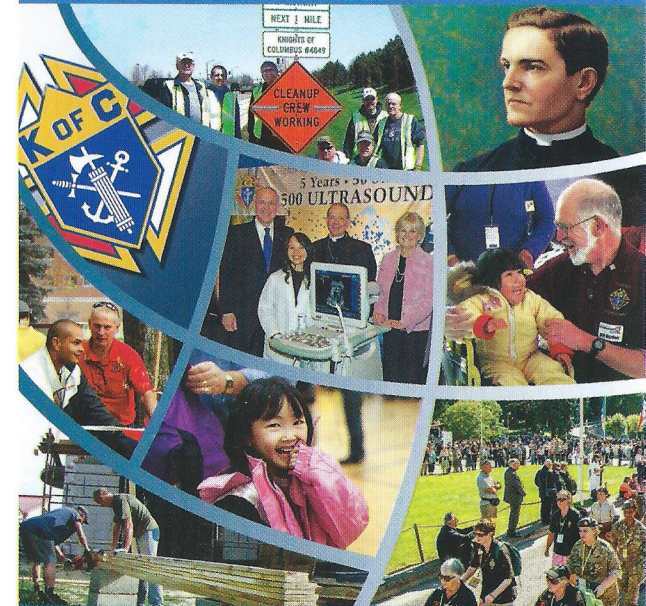
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