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Dear Worthy Grand Knights, Faithfull Navigators, Pro-Life Couples, Lovely Ladies and Friends:

We need your help! On an as needed bases, we send e-mail updates and alerts that are designed to educate or require action on maters designed to contribute to the building of a "Culture of Life". At any given time, we may send out well over 500 e-mails. With each mailing, we get back a growing list of undeliverables. In most cases this is due to changed addresses that we were not notified of! Enclosed please find a Pro-Life Chairman/Couple form. Please use it to update information that may have changed in the past year. Be deliberate when filling in an e-mail address.

During the coming year, we will be mailing packets of educational material. For this reason, fill in the forms completely!

There are many Councils that are not on our list. This is a golden opportunity to get a program started. The Pro-Life Movement has numerous areas where help is needed. We are certain it can fit into your programming needs. And now with Pro-Life established as our fifth charity, we can utilize the many tax advantages available to us in helping families and building a Culture of Life. Contact us if help or information is needed.

You are visiting us on the State Website. One can download additional information and/or take advantage of the links that are on this site. If you don't find the information you need, Email us with your request and we will research the subject and send it to you; be sure to indicate a return address.

Download such information on the International Day of the Unborn Child as well as the Month of May Baby Showers. Please use these forms for Baby Bottle Campaigns as well. We realize that filling out more forms is rough. We also know that there are over 300 Crisis Pregnancy Assistance Centers in Illinois that need help. It is very important to inform society of the Knights of Columbus commitment to "Human Solutions for Human Problems"!

Finally, we must understand that we are in a battle to build a Culture of Life. It was Father McGivney's dream to share being a Knight with every Catholic gentleman. Membership should be on all our minds. If you have not already done so, establish a Ladies Auxiliary to help support the goals of the Order. It is a proven fact that every council that has active Pro-Life programming, has shown an increase in membership; many have made Star Council; several have made Double Star Council!

We thank you for all that you do for life. With prayers and best wishes for success. Vivat Jesus.

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