



St. Francis Camp on the Lake

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Greetings and Vivat Jesus!

A lot has happened at camp since our last correspondence. A famous saying is ***"IF YOU BUILD IT THEY WILL COME"***. In 2012, with your help, we built a brand new 35 bed log cabin style dormitory now called "KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HALL" (see the photo on our brochure). We are now launching a new campaign to help support the ongoing expenses of this building.

The current *KNIGHT OF THE YEAR* and *FAMILY OF THE YEAR* awards program pays tribute by presenting the recipient a plaque with that recognition. It is thought to expand and replace this program by offering a *BRICK OF HONOR* to be installed at St. Francis Camp on the Lake, displaying this achievement for perpetuity. This effort is twofold, one it still recognizes the achievement (see brochure re: certificate) and two by purchasing the *BRICK OF HONOR* will create a badly needed funding source to support the camp and our campers by providing them with the ultimate camping experience they so richly deserve.

A special place has been set aside for this ongoing campaign. It will extend along the walkway to KNIGHTS HALL and will now be known as *"THE WALK OF FAME"*. We hope that you will embrace this effort and support it this year and for years to come.

Its people like you and me who have answered God's call to be "Christ – like" in our everyday life, because we believing in the teachings of our patron saint, St. Francis of Assisi, who taught us that:

"IT IS IN GIVING THAT WE RECEIVE"

And the Knights of Columbus give unconditionally. Thank you for continuing to support St. Francis Camp on the Lake.

May God Bless You & All Our Campers,

Russell E. Smith

Knights of Columbus /Liaison Director

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"Living and Playing Together in Dignity, Respect, and Love."