



**St. Thomas More Council 11479, Sandy, Utah**

Sunday, March 27, 2022

Dear Sirs,

It has been two years since I have been able to reach out to you all with the following announcement. **The Carmelite Fair will be held this year on September the 18<sup>th</sup> at the Carmelite Monastery in Holladay Utah.** As many of you already know, the Fair is the single largest fundraising event held each year to support the funds required to operate the Monastery. This is truly a state-wide event with the Catholic faithful making the annual pilgrimage to support the Sisters.

We continue to be blessed with the most generous donation of a 2022 Kia Sportage to support the event. Chris Hemmersmeier, the General Manager of the Seiner Group continues to show his steadfast commitment to the Sisters with this donation. As in the past, I am hoping that your Councils will again work with your parish leadership to allow us to show the car and to sell chances-to-win this beautiful vehicle.

I have already reached out to several the Grand Knights in the Northern Councils to begin scheduling the showing of the car. Within the next few days, I will be sending out the entire schedule so that you can you all see all of the dates and Council Assignments. Not surprisingly, sourcing the car for the donation has taken more time and we are going to have to abbreviate the season with weekend assignments beginning after the Easter Vigil. If you do not see your Council on the calendar list, please do not get upset. I will reach out to all the Grand Knights and Councils that have supported the event in the past to make sure that you all receive tickets for sale so that you can support the event.

In addition to the assignment calendar, I will be forwarding to you a copy of a Bulletin Insert and a Mass Announcement that your parish Priest may use to publicize the fundraiser on your assigned weekend. Please feel free to edit these documents as necessary to customize them for your event.

Finally, feel free to reach out to me as necessary with questions. My contact information is available to you at the footer to this email.

Thanks again for all of the support that you have provided to the Sisters in previous years and I look forward to connecting with you all soon to further discuss the fundraiser.

Most Sincerely,

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