

June 2024 Communicator



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President's Message

My Fellow Nobles and Ladies,

Hello, I hope this message finds you enjoying your summer vacation! Tornado alley has been extremely busy with over 700 tornadoes so far this year and the loss of life (36) has been substantial. Please remember these families when you say your prayers.

Our own hurricane season will begin on June 1 and NOAA is predicting an 85% chance of an above-normal season. Please be sure to have your hurricane plan handy. If you do not have a plan or need to update your plan, here is a great site to check out: <https://www.weather.gov/safety/hurricane-plan>.

*Our Chat and Chew gang is going very well. It is one of my favorite times with the club. It is awesome just to be able to go out with friends and just enjoy each other's company, no business just a lot of joking around, laughing, and pure friendship. It is part of the having fun as a Shriner! If you haven't joined in yet, please be sure to do so, I guarantee you will enjoy yourself. In June, we will be going to **Plaza Mexico, 724 Cypress Village Blvd, Sun City Center, FL 33573**. Here is a link to **their website:** <http://plazamexicosuncity.com/>. I sincerely hope you can join us for some great camaraderie and fun!*

My only request to you is please have fun in everything you do! It was why the Shriners were created in the first place. Fun and laughter is very contagious... it attracts others!

Do it Because You Can!

Thank you and God Bless each one of you and your families.

Chaplain's Corner

1 Corinthians 13:13

A STRONG ROPE FOR ROUGH SEAS

***Intro:** By way of introduction, please turn to **Eccl. 4:9-12**. These verses speak of the value of fellowship. They remind us that two are better than one and the three together is better than two together. Solomon uses the analogy of a **three-fold cord**. He reminds us that a one-stranded cord is weak by itself. A double-stranded cord is stronger, but that a three-stranded rope is stronger than either. If I were sailing a stormy sea and wanted to drop my anchor for stability in the storm, I would want such a strong rope. I would want something that would allow me to get anchored and weather the storm that was assailing me.*

There are times when life is like a stormy sea. Times when we need to anchor ourselves in Someone stronger than ourselves. Times when we need such a strong rope to bind us to a Rock of safety. Our text verse tells us of such a three-fold spiritual rope. When these three things, Faith, Hope and Love are utilized and exercised together, they enable us to weather any storm that arises in our lives.

*If we aren't properly anchored, there is a tendency to drift when the storms come. If we aren't tied connected well enough by this strong, three-fold cord, then when the going gets too tough, we just might find ourselves trying to run away. **Psalm 118:27** speaks of binding sacrifices to the horns of the altar. This was done to prevent them from running away until it was their time to die. Well, we are told to present our bodies a living sacrifice to the Lord, **Rom. 12:1**. Since this is true, and since we have a tendency to drift away and run away when the pressure is on, then we need to bind ourselves to the things of God and determine in our hearts that we will stand for Him, regardless of what others do!*

Monthly Luncheon



June 12th at 12 noon

Please go to the new [Luncheon page](#) and fill out the new form for your reservations

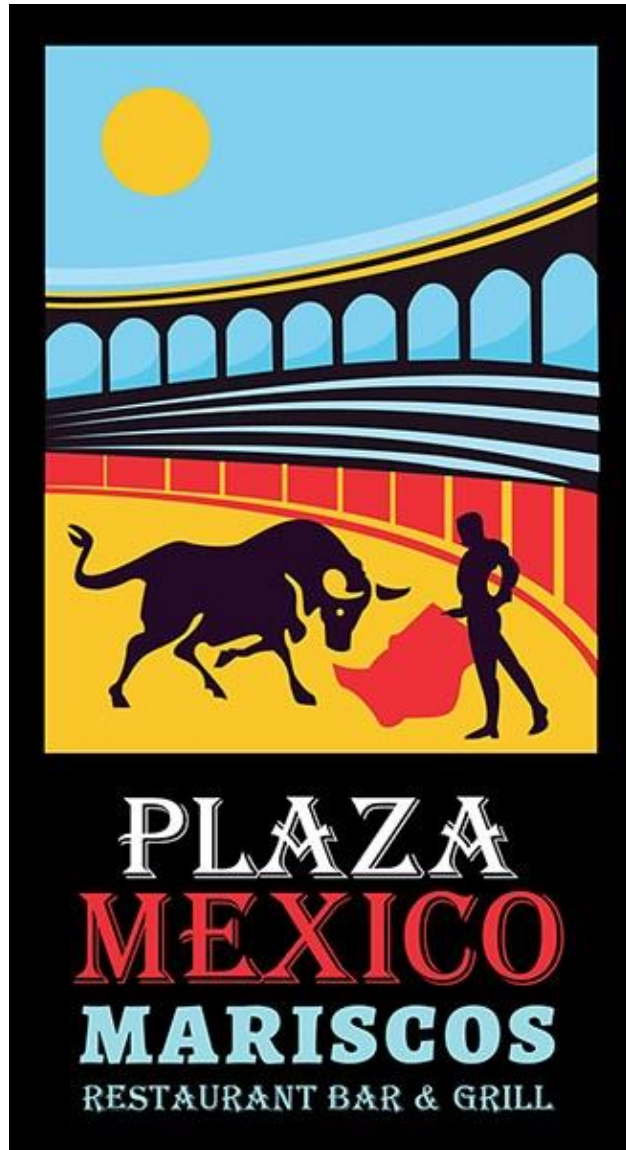
Chat & Chew

Plaza Mexico

724 Cypress Village Blvd, Sun City Center, FL 33573

June 27th @ 2 pm

Please go to the new [Chat and Chew page](#) and fill out the new form for your reservations



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Thoughts and Prayers

A Get Well Prayer

*I said a prayer for you today
and know God must have heard
I felt the answer in my heart
Although He spoke no word.
I didn't ask for wealth or fame
(I knew you wouldn't mind)
I asked Him to send treasures
of a far more lasting kind!
I asked that he'd be near you
At the start of each new day
To grant you health and blessings
and friends to share your way
I asked for happiness for you
In all things, great and small,
But it was for His loving care
I prayed for most of all.*

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In Loving Memory

Upcoming Events

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