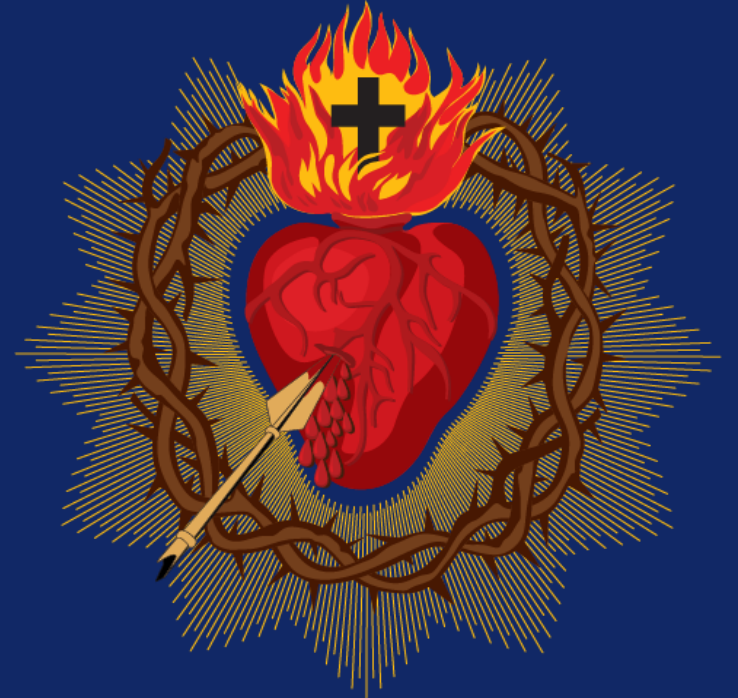




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Lord, thank You for Your everlasting love. I don't deserve to be relentlessly pursued by You, but that doesn't matter. You choose to love me anyway. That amazes me, and I want to accept it. I want You to transform my life. Please help me to see myself the way You see me: as worthy of being loved by You. In Jesus' name, Amen.



Come Holy Spirit,  
fill the hearts of your faithful  
and kindle in us the fire of your love.  
Send forth your Spirit  
and we shall be created.  
And You shall renew the face of the earth.

O, God, who by the light of the Holy Spirit,  
did instruct the hearts of the faithful,  
grant that by the same Holy Spirit  
we may be truly wise and ever enjoy His consolations,  
Through Christ Our Lord.



# VIDEO – Cor: Christ-Centered Brotherhood

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gaVD4oqvnSs>



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## New State Role - District EFF Director

At our State Convention, our State Chaplain, with the support of our State Deputy and our 2 State Bishops, introduced a new District EFF Director position for each of our Districts.

Each DD is responsible to select this Brother Knight and is encouraged to enlist the Parish Priests to find the right individual.

Our State Chaplain is starting weekly formation sessions in person and on-line for those DEFFDs who are not located close enough to participate in the formation.



Father Mike said the primary qualification for this  
candidate is he needs to have a  
**WILLING SPIRIT**

He is using the same Ministry Training he has provided  
for multiple teams\years in his parish, Holy Family in  
Pass Christian & the Biloxi Diocese



# District Evangelization and Faith Formation Director

## DEFFD Role Description

Supports the Council Evangelization and Faith Formation Director (CEFFD) in implementing and advancing Cor gatherings for Councils within their assigned District. This activity is intended to be central to integrating the evangelization and faith formation initiatives for their Councils. Most DEFFD's will guide 4 CEFFDs. The DEFFD will work in close communication with the District Deputy (DD).



# District Evangelization and Faith Formation Director

## DEFFD Role Description

Attends weekly Monday 6:00 pm formation sessions led by State Chaplain, Fr. Mike Austin, starting Monday, 8/24/26, ongoing approximately 12 months. Formation sessions will be held at Biloxi Diocese location with on-line participation available. The purpose is to provide guidance for the DEFFD's faith journey and building his relationship with Jesus Christ.



# District Evangelization and Faith Formation Director

## DEFFD Role Description

Attends online Quarterly Cor\EFF training hosted by Supreme and State Council

Assists Grand Knight in selecting CEFFD as necessary.  
Coaches and assists CEFFD in starting and growing Cor\EFF activities. Assistance to include meeting with Parish Priest as necessary.



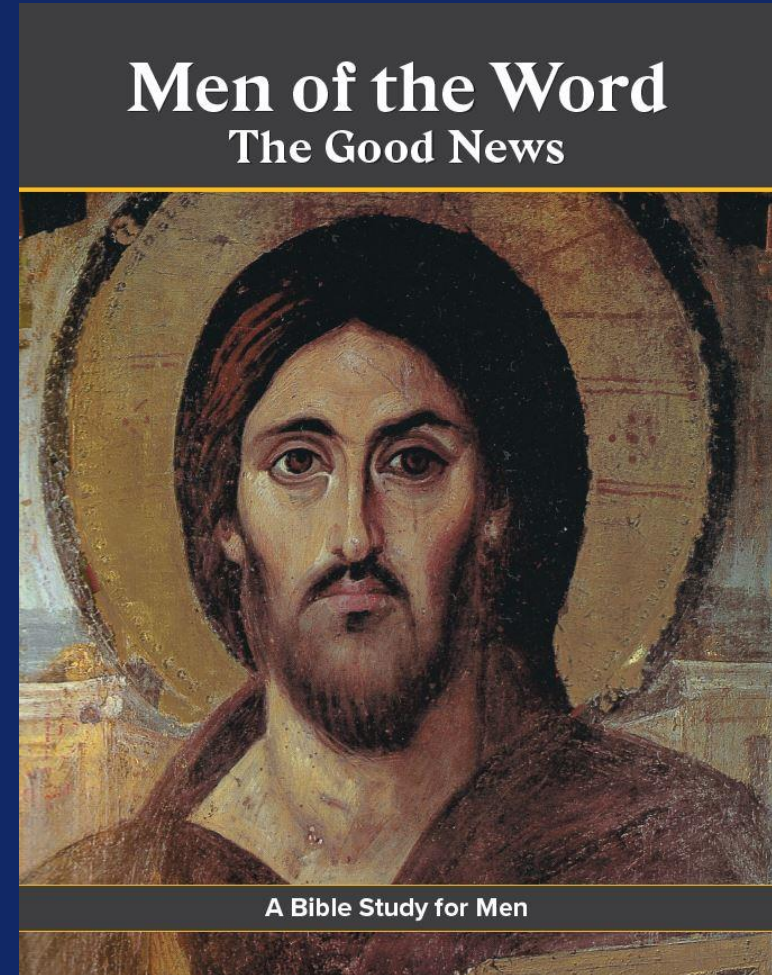
# ***Cor* Overview**

- Flexible structure of prayer, formation and fraternity
- GK appointed Evangelization and Faith Formation Director (EFF) runs Cor
- Pastoral approval – collaborate alongside other ministries
- Weekly, Bi-Weekly, or Monthly
- 60-90 minutes
- Supplemented prayer and formation content from KofC and FORMED



# Faith Formation and Prayer Content

- Everything available on Supplies Online and CIS:
  - How to pray the Rosary
  - Men of the Word
  - Patris Corde
  - Into the Breach
  - Holy Hour
  - Supreme Chaplain's Monthly Challenge
  - Booklet and Devotionals
  - And much more!



# Action Items:

- **Grand Knights**
  - Identify or reappoint your Council EFF Director (CEFFD) and submit the Council EFF Director Form – [www.kofc.org/forms](http://www.kofc.org/forms)
  - Please submit even if he is returning and let me know.
  - Help DD identify candidate for new DEFFD Role
  - Please share my email with your EFF Director – [mak@emac-llc.com](mailto:mak@emac-llc.com)
- **Attend *Cor* and share your personal testimony!**
  - Most compelling story



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