

## MDF

Worthy State Offices, Grand Knights, Brother Knights,

I would like to thank all of the councils that participated in last year's Mental Disability Fund Raiser Campaign. Councils throughout the state raised \$170,059.08 dollars for the mentally challenged in your own home towns and St. Mary's. Brother's \$141,295.65 dollars going right back into your own hometowns to help your brothers and sisters in need.

Brother Knights I sincerely thank each and every council in the state who contributed to St. Mary's this past year. Louisiana Knights have donated a total \$28,763.43 coming from the Mental Disability Fund Raiser Campaign. Brothers this is wonderful and you should be very proud of your charity and dedication to St. Mary's. I ask all councils in the state to continue to support St. Mary's with your hearts and donations in this new Fraternal Year.

Brothers I know that total were lower than in years past, but many were devastated by the floods in August. I ask that all councils join the Mental Disability Fund Raiser Campaign this year. Brothers remember you can do tootsie roll drives, or any fund raiser to help these needy brothers and sisters in your hometown and St. Mary's.

Vivat Jesus!  
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