



President Jim rang the bell, Kelli Groom read the Invocation, Joe Murgalo led us in The Pledge of Allegiance, and Michelle Matuszak did The Four Way Test.



In memory of 911, 22 years ago, Mark Generales has several members tell where they were when the plans hit the buildings. It was an emotional several minutes. He then led us in God Bless The USA!

We inducted a new members, Kevin Swanepoel and Loretta Menuez!



And Julie Pedretti reminded us of our new Sponsorship Program.

EHS Interact Club's bag lunch "assembly line". Seventeen members packed 50 lunches after school for the homeless shelter.



Mike Kelly, Vice President, Business Development & Broadcasting, Florida Everblades, gave an interesting presentation.



Both Sides Now
by Judi Collins

Requested
by Nanci Landi



Bows and flows of angel hair and ice cream
Castles in the air and feather canyons everywhere,
I've looked at clouds that way.

But now they only block the sun. They rain and
snow on everyone.
So many things I would have done, but clouds got
in my way.
I've looked at clouds from both sides now, from up
and down, and still somehow,
It's clouds' illusions I recall. I really don't know
clouds at all

Tears and fears, and feeling proud,
To say I love you right out loud,
Dreams and schemes and circus crowds
I've looked at life that way, but now my friends are
acting strange.
They shake their heads and say I've changed
We'll, something's lost but something's changed in
living every day.

I've looked at life from both sides now,
From win and lose, and still somehow,
It's life's illusions I recall. I really don't know
life at all.



50/50
Nope!
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1 Ace
left



Joe's Corner

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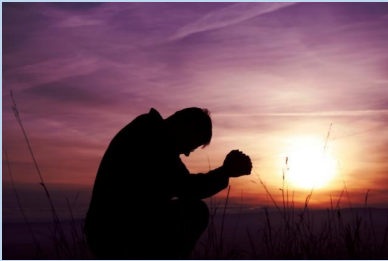
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This Morning's Invocation



Let us pray silently together, each one of us, according to our individual beliefs. Let us offer thanks for our food, blessings for one another. Let us be a source of hope for those in need, and contentment for those who are lonely. Let us give gratitude for our opportunity to serve Rotary. Let the feelings of love, kindness, and a well-directed, yet gentle spirit always be reflected in our actions. Amen.

Upcoming Programs

September 21- Dick Draffone, President of Collier-Lee Honor and the past president of the Illinois Crime Prevention Association.
September 28 - Carl Lorezini - President of Home-watch Services, Etc. LLC, Estero
October 12, CART
October 28th Gift Of Life Celebration, Forest CC
November 3rd 45th Anniversary "Bonita Rays of Hope Celebration"
November 9th District Governor
Alfred Current
November 24th Christmas
Trees/Poinsettia!!



Birthdays

September 22, Nanci Landy

Rotarians of The Month

Chris Corrie - June
Rex Sims—July
Angela Swanepoel—Aug



2023-2024 Rotary International and Distict Leadership

Rotary International President

R. Gordon R. McNally, Rotary Club of South Queensferry, Scotland

District 6960 Governor

Alfred Current III, The Rotary Club of Englewood

Area 2 Assistant Governor

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Secretary Julie Pedretti
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Sergeant-at-Arms - Joe Murgalo
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Jim Burger, Eileen Tasso, Lynda Waterhouse, Joe Murgalo

2021-2024

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2023-2026

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Chris Riesen, President; Gary Price, Secretary; Bob Lombardo, Treasurer; Steve McIntosh, Kae Moore, Eileen Tasso, Ron Anderson, Trustees

Rotary  **4 Way Test**
of the things we think, say, or do:
Is it the **TRUTH**?
Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

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