

Knights for Bikes Program

Fuquay-Varina, **St. Bernadette's Catholic Church** — Each year the need grows, each year their dedication and determination increases; they realize just what they are doing and what it means to so many children in our communities. They are the members of **St. Bernadette's Knights of Columbus, "Knights for Bikes Program"** who volunteer their time to take donated bikes, shine them up, make needed repairs and distribute them to needy children in our communities. The Knights for Bikes Program has a ten year history of providing donated bikes, on a non-denominational basis, to those less fortunate.

Last year they provided some thirty bikes and this year sixty bikes will put a smile on children's faces. **Michael Bozzano** is heading up this year's bike drive, "Although the community has been very generous, there's far more kid's who need bikes then there are bikes. We do what we can for as many as we are able, reaching as many kids as we can. I can not explain to someone just how gratifying it is to see the joy of a parent, knowing their child will have a bike for Christmas. Because the demand is so great, we will continue our donation drive for used and broken bikes throughout the year." **Have a used or broken bike to donate**, contact **Michael Bozzano** at [www. Michael.Bozzano@Thomson.com](http://www.Michael.Bozzano@Thomson.com) or call him at **468-6969** and your donation will put a smile on a child's face.



Photo, left to right: **Michael Bozzano, Harry Douglas, Andy Ross, and Mike Verian** members of **St. Bernadette's Knights of Columbus, "Knights for Bikes Program"** adding to Santa's magic by shining and repairing bikes to be distributed to children in our communities.