



James Gallombardo is a Past Grand Knight and currently a Two-Year Trustee in the Knights of Columbus, St. Elizabeth-St. Brigid Council #11386. He has started up several programs for his council, including making Christmas Wreaths & Grave Blankets as an annual fund raiser and the Honor Our Veterans Day program to honor the living and deceased veterans of the parish. Proceeds of these annual programs help the council contribute to the welfare of our parish community, veterans and community at large.

Jim has nineteen years with IBM and has held various assignments, from application management and delivery to project/program office responsibilities to new business development. He is currently an Account Growth Executive in the Communications Sector, leading teams in bringing IBM's products and services to solve complex business problems for telecommunications clients. Examples include hybrid cloud solutions, application modernization and migration services, Agile & DevOps institutionalization and application management utilizing a global delivery model. Jim holds two IT patents related to prioritizing, estimating and measuring legacy application migration across platforms, including Cloud.

Prior to joining IBM as part of a strategic outsourcing agreement, Jim was employed by AT&T where he was a Director of Access Systems within AT&T's Access Management organization. His teams were responsible for building and maintaining applications supporting AT&T's CFO and carrier relations, including ordering, provisioning, customer care, billing and product P&L statements.

After graduating from Delbarton School in 1981, Mr. Gallombardo earned a B.A. in Computer Science from La Salle University in 1985. He was an NCAA Division I pitcher on the 1985 nationally ranked La Salle Explorers team. In addition to his volunteer work with the Knights of Columbus, Mr. Gallombardo is also the Founder and President of New Jersey Taps, A NJ Nonprofit Corporation, an organization of volunteer buglers who play live "Taps" for our veterans during Military Funeral Honors as there is an insufficient number of military buglers. You can also see (and hear) Jim as a volunteer trumpet player during most of the 9:30 AM Masses during the Christmas and Easter seasons at St. Brigid Church in the choir loft. For his volunteerism with the Knights, church and NJ Taps, Mr. Gallombardo earned the President's Volunteer Service Award; Bronze in 2014, Silver in 2015 and 2016, Gold in 2017 and Silver in 2018. He resides in Bridgewater with his wife, Elizabeth, and two daughters, Alyssa and Amanda.