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NEWSLETTER JUNE 2011

GRAND KNIGHT'S LETTER

I'd like to talk this, month, about Fraternity and Unity, two main principles of our order. A few events I attended recently reminded me that the Knights of Columbus is first, a fraternal organization, unified by our unwavering support of the Catholic Church and its beliefs: The 2011 Camden Diocese Knights of Columbus "Pride in our Priests" dinner was a night to thank all our priests for their continued vocation. The New Jersey State convention, two action packed days, showed the tremendous progress being made towards many longstanding programs: the defense of traditional marriage and Pro-Life. On May 26th we shared good food and good conversation at the annual Awards Banquet to celebrate our council's success the past Columbian Year. Congratulations to Tom Roy, the recipient of the Shining Armor Award, the McGovern Family and Frank Maggio, our Family and Knight of the Year. I also like to thank Fr Nick Dudo for his assistance and spiritual guidance the past two years as our Chaplain. The Lord, again, has called on you to help him further spread his Good News. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

Fraternally,
Daniel J. Tumolo,
Grand Knight

AWARDS DINNER

On Thursday, May 26th, we celebrated our successes of the past Columbian Year with our Annual Awards Dinner. The dinner was well attended and all those who attended enjoyed a fine dinner and the pleasant company of Brother Knights and families. The highlight of the evening was the announcement of our Knight of the Year and our Family of the Year. We are very pleased to report our Knight of the Year is Frank Maggio for his reliable and generous service to the Council and our Family of the Year is Jim McGovern and family for their consistent support of our Council's programs. Both selections were well deserved and set a positive example for the rest of the Council.

ANNUAL RAFFLE

Due to problems with the raffle licensing, the annual scholarship raffle has been canceled. Funds already received will be refunded.

KNIGHT/FAMILY OF THE MONTH

Our knight of the month for May was Rich Calabrese (Golf Outing). Our family of the month for May was Fred Durso and family. Congratulations and thank you.

CAMPAIGN FOR CITIZENS WITH INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES

During the weekend of April 29-May 1st, we participated in the annual Knights of Columbus fund raising drive for Citizens with Intellectual Disabilities. Thanks to the generosity of our parishioners, Meadows Diner, Dunkin Donuts Chews Landing Rd., and Dollar Tree we collected \$2,166. We thank all of you that participated and to our Program Director, Bob Vogelsong and co-chairman, Harry Bocchino for a job well done.

BACKYARD BARBEQUE

On June 23rd, Bob & Pauline Vogelsong will once again generously open their home to host an annual backyard barbeque. **No meeting on this night.** All are invited to join us for swimming, bocce, horse shoes, or just socializing with brother knights and families. Their address is 3 Rainbow Place, Clementon (near the corner of Little Gloucester Rd. & Erial Rd.). Starting time will be 6:00 PM. If you would like to bring a covered dish or dessert, coordinate with Bob or Pauline. For further information call (cell 609-314-0423).

DEGREE NEWS

On May 12th, our Council hosted a First Degree Exemplification. 14 candidates took their first, 2 from our Council. We would like to congratulate and welcome Joseph Pettineo, Jr. and William Holmes to our Council. Our degree team was in good form in the following roles: Dan Turnolo (GK), Fred Durso (DGK), John Gandolfo (Chan), Tom Conway (FS), Bob Vogelsong (Ward), Joe DeLiso (BnBr), Kevin Little & Steve Thomas (HnGds), Tom Skelly (InGd) and Jim McGovern (MusPmt). We would like to congratulate Raphael Ugorji and Al Camiaione who took their second degree at an exemplification at Santa Maria Council on May 4th.

MOTHER'S DAY CARNATION SALE

May 8th is Mother's Day and we, once again, offered carnations after all Masses at OLOH Church. The total amount donated was \$450. The proceeds from the sale were donated to the National

Life center to help support women who choose the pro-life alternative. We thank our Pro-Life Program Director, Jeff Lilley for coordinating this program.

CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

Out of love, God created the world and everything and everyone in it. Out of love, God provides all that is necessary for the world's continued existence. Out of love, God sent His only-begotten Son to make adequate expiation for fallen mankind. Out of love, God offers countless graces that lead us all the way to heaven. Yes, God is love, and all His works are works of love. Jesus has always loved the Father, just as the Father has always loved Jesus. And Jesus has always loved you and me, just as He expects us to always love Him. God is indeed, love that is without limits, and He has shown His love to mankind in countless ways. Man must show knowledge and appreciation for all God's benefits, by loving God in return.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS INSURANCE

The Knights of Columbus policy on replacing existing life insurance is as follows: *"The Order does not condone the practice of soliciting replacement insurance or using cash values or dividends of existing policies to finance new business. In most cases, replacement is not to the policyholder's advantage."*

The reasons for this are many. First, premiums usually increase on a new policy because it is issued at an older age. The older you are, the more expensive life insurance is. Many times, options available under the older policy are lost and sometimes not offered under the new policy. In addition, a new "incontestability" period begins with the new contract. The Order, for example, maintains the right to contest a claim up to two years from the issue date of the policy. A new policy brings with it a new issue date, and a new "incontestability" period. You purchased the life insurance you have for a reason – probably a very good reason. It is a good idea to hold onto that coverage. That doesn't mean you have all the coverage you need or will ever need. I'll be happy to meet with you at your convenience and perform a

free, custom-tailored needs analysis for you and your family. My job is to determine any gaps in your existing coverage, and to help you to fill those gaps. It's not to replace your existing coverage.
Fred Durso, FICF,
Field Agent, (856) 309-1030

COUNCIL ELECTIONS

Our Council elections will take place at our June 9th business meeting. Our Grand Knight, Dan Tumolo, has appointed a nominating committee that includes Bob Calabro and John Gandolfo, to prepare a slate of candidates. Here are the candidates: Grand Knight-Dan Tumolo, Deputy Grand Knight-Frank Brandis, Chancellor-Steve Thomas, Treasurer-Jim McGovern, Warden-Al Tucci, Advocate-John Gandolfo, Recorder-Bob Galasso, Inside Guard-Joe DeLiso, Outside Guard-Jack Wolnski Trustee 3yrs. John Esposito. If you are a member in good standing (dues paid), you are eligible to hold office in the Council. If you are interested in having your name placed in nomination, contact a member of the nominating committee or our Grand Knight. Finally, nominations may be made from the floor at the election meeting.

SAVE THE DATE

"Bob Stefano Memorial Golf Tournament", June 10th, 2011. Committee requests that all Knights attempt to sell a tee ad and/or obtain a door prize, more information to follow. The Council will donate 10% of the profits to the 3 facilities for Citizens with Intellectual Disabilities to whom we normally contribute.

STATE CONVENTION

The Annual New Jersey Knights of Columbus State Convention was held in the Wildwood Convention Center during the weekend of May 13-15. Our Council was represented by delegates Dan Tumolo and John Gandolfo, and alternate Frank Brandis. The agenda consisted of registration and distribution of awards on Friday and election of State Officers on Saturday. The elected State Officers are State Deputy-Dan Rossi, State Secretary-Andy Lipenta, State Treasurer-Bruce

DeMolli, State Advocate-Anthony Moskal and State Warden-Bob Hatler. There have been several major changes in these offices and these quality gentlemen deserve our full support.

FOURTH DEGREE NEWS

Bishop Schad Assembly successfully collected toiletries and personal items for homeless veterans sheltered at Veterans Haven, Ancora, on May 21-22 after all Masses. We thank Tony Ritz for his efforts. Election of officers will take place at the June 15th meeting. The Bishop Schad Assembly meets on the 3rd Wednesday of the month in the Parish Center.

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION

The next Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will take place in the Our Lady of Hope Chapel on First Friday, June 3rd, after the 9:00 AM Mass, continue until 7:00 PM, and close with Benediction. Try to stop in during the day to spend time with the Lord.

EDITORIAL

The message of this article, this month, can be summed up in one word. CONGRATULATIONS! To our Knight of the Year, Frank Maggio, our Family of the Year, Jim McGovern and Family, and our recipient of the Shining Armor Award, Tom Roy. However, the credits don't stop there. We congratulate all the Council Officers and Program Chairmen for their leadership and direction. And finally, and most of all, we congratulate our Council membership for their support and dedication, without which, the many successes of our Council would not have been possible. Vivat Jesus.

IMPORTANT DATES

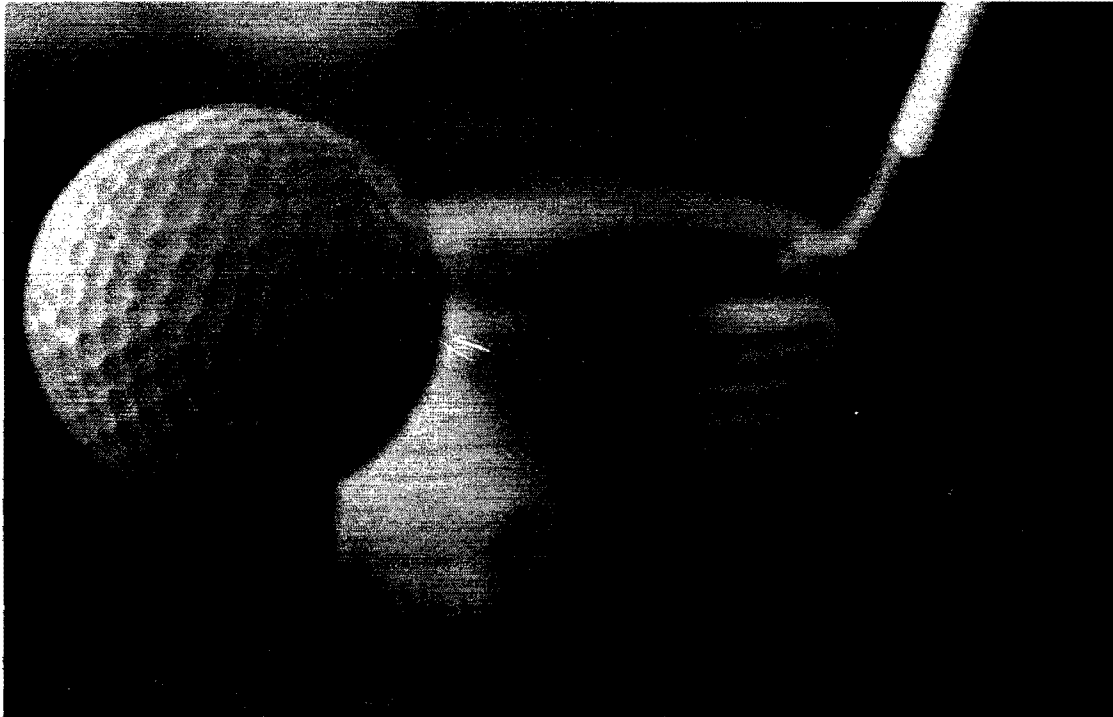
June 2 Officers Meeting (8 PM Parish Center)
June 3 First Friday (OLOH Chapel)
June 4 Gloucester Twp Day/Scholarship Raffle
June 9 Council Meeting (8 PM Parish Center)
June 23 Barbeque (Bob Vogelsong's Yard)
July 1 First Friday (OLOH Chapel)
July 7 Officers Meeting (8 PM Parish Center)
July 14 Council Meeting (8 PM Parish Center)
July 28 Council Meeting (8 PM Parish Center)

JUNE BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

The following Knights or members of their families will celebrate their birthdays this month: George Badame, Ryan Belmont, Frank Calabrese, Tom Conway, Sr., Don DeNarie, Alfred Fulginiti, Erin Little, Rose Massaro, James McGovern, Judith Michalak, Russ Mogavero, Lisa Muldowney, Hugh Murray, Joe Patterson, Joe Riviello, Lucy Sirolli, Barry Lee Start, Mrs. Dolores Tucci, Gus Urbano, and Dennis Wirth.

The following members will celebrate their anniversaries: Mr.&Mrs. John Iovacchino, Mr.&Mrs. Andrew Rescinito, Mr.&Mrs. William Toner. **CONGRATULATIONS.** If we missed someone's birthday or anniversary, please contact John Gandolfo (227-0447).

GOLF TOURNAMENT FRIDAY, JUNE 10th, 2011 VALLEYBROOK COUNTRY CLUB



ENJOY A FUN FILLED DAY OF GOLF, FOOD AND REFRESHMENTS. REGISTRATION AND LUNCH BEGINS AT 11:00 AM FOLLOWED BY A SHOTGUN START AT 1:00 PM. CONTACT RICH CALABRESE (227-6843) FOR MORE DETAILS AND TO REGISTER