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Brother Knights

Brothers, Thank you for all your help with our events and our Quest for Star Council. We are so close to our goals, but we still need to add at least 2 new members. This is great time to bring in friends to the Council with all the activities to get involved with. Let's continue to grow our Council and the Knights mission. Thanks to everyone for coming out and working at the Disability Campaign and the Seminarians Hoagie sale. We move into May and help will be needed for Mother's Day Carnation offering for pro-life, the parish carnival beer garden, and the Memorial Day services and Parade. Don't forget to get out and get Tee adds for our June 8th Golf Tournament. This is a major fundraiser for us. Looking ahead, come out with your family to our year end Council dinner on June 7th. We will be having Mission Barbeque, join us for our Family Night at the Philadelphia Soul game 6/30.

Vivat Jesus
Tom Skelly,
Grand Knight

OLDIES DANCE PARTY

On Saturday, April 14th, Our Council hosted another Oldies Dance Party and 140 guests enjoyed a fun evening. Dan and Norma McHugh did an unbelievable job with the decorations and preparations and we can't say enough about their efforts. We know that there were many of you that helped and supported the dance and we are always reluctant to mention names for fear of leaving someone out. But we thank all of you for helping to make this a success in many ways. And to top off a great evening we even made a few bucks \$1,145.

KNIGHT/FAMILY OF THE MONTH

Our Knight of the month for May is John Harry (service to the Council and community). Our Family of the month for May is Jeff Lilley and family (Pro-Life). Congratulations and thank you.

CITIZENS WITH INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES

During the weekend of April 20-22 our Council participated in the annual Knights of Columbus fundraising drive for People with Intellectual Disabilities. Thanks to the efforts of our program directors Dan McHugh and John N. Iovacchino and all the members that participated, we collected \$3,452.31. The funds will be sent to the State Council's drive and they will return 90% of that amount to us. We will then donate these funds to N.J. Special Olympics (10%), St. John of God, ARC Deptford and Camden ARC (30%) each. Thank you.

DEGREE NEWS

Our Council would like to congratulate and welcome Anthony E. Russo, Jr. and Antonio V. Taratino who took their Admission Degree on April 2, and April 12 respectively.

Our Council hosted a Formation Degree (2nd) on April 17th and 5 members took their 2nd, 4 from our Council. We congratulate Tim Cammarota, Nelson Brown, Pat Theckston, Jr. and Manny Argentieri on this occasion. Our degree team was in good form in the following roles: (DD) Frank Brandis, (GK) Fred Durso, (Chan) John Gandolfo, (FS) Robert Galasso, (Ward) Pat Theckston, (BnBr) Bob Witkowski, (HnGd) Jim Collen, (Cross) Fred Sulpizi, and (Mus) Jim McGovern.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

The back page of this newsletter is your Council's schedule of events for Columbian Year 2018-19. Keep it handy and be aware of the dates of programs and activities for the Columbian Year.

HOAGIE SALE

On Saturday, April 28th, we had another hoagie sale with proceeds to go toward the support of our seminarians. The results were not yet in as of this printing. They will appear in the June newsletter.

IN MEMORIAM

Once again it is our sad duty to report to you the passing of a Brother Knight. On April 21st, Mike Infanti passed away. Please keep him and his family in your prayers.

COUNCIL ELECTIONS

Our Council elections will take place at our June 14th business meeting. Our Grand Knight, Tom Skelly, has appointed a nominating committee that includes Dan Turnolo and John Gandolfo, to prepare a slate of candidates to be published in the May newsletter and announced at the May business meeting. For the office of Grand Knight Pat Theckston, Deputy Grand Knight Chris Chiaro, Chancellor Joe Pettineo Jr., Treasurer Jim McGovern, Warden John Harry, Advocate John

Gandolfo, Recorder Hugo Candeloro, Inside Guard Andy Rescinito, Outside Guard Jack Wolnski, and PGK Tom Skelly Trustee 3yr. If you are a 3rd degree 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.

MOTHER'S DAY CARNATION SALE

May 13th is Mother's Day and we will again be offering carnations after all the Masses at ~~OLOH~~ Church. Please make yourselves available after the Mass you usually attend to help with the program. The proceeds go to the National Life Center to support Pro-Life. For further details contact Jeff Lilley (627-7614)

STATE CONVENTION

The annual New Jersey Knights of Columbus State Convention will be held in the Wildwood Convention Center during the weekend of May 18-20. Our Council will be represented by DD Frank Brandis, and PGK John Gandolfo. The agenda consists of registration and distribution of awards on Friday and the reelection of State Officers on Saturday. We will be supporting the reelection of Ray Sands of the Camden Diocese to the office of State Advocate. A hospitality room will be open to all 3rd degree members and wives at the El Coronado Hotel, Wildwood Crest, with food, beverages and music.

HONORARY MEMBER

Members who have been members of the Order 25 consecutive years are designated Honorary Members. Our Council congratulates Dennis Wirth and Frank Talarico on becoming Honorary Members.

FAMILY NIGHT AT THE SOUL

Family night at the Philadelphia Soul June 30th 2018 game tickets \$15.00 each (this is half the

regular price). Food tickets \$10.00 include hot dog, popcorn, and soda (less than window price). Contact Steve Thomas (215-287-9396) stevethomasvzw@gmail.com) or Angelo Cirrincioine (215-200-8533) rownboy27@msn.com)

SAVE THE DATE

The Annual Robert Stefano Memorial Golf Outing is scheduled for Friday, June 8th, 2018. **Very important-the major portion of funds for charity are raised by tee ads and patron ads. Tee Ads \$150/Patron Ads \$75. We need members to ask businesses for Tee and Patron Ads. A sign up form is enclosed with this newsletter. We will also need prizes for Chinese Auctions as well as door prizes. These are all very important parts of this fund raising effort. Greens fees are \$130 per person, but if you put a foursome together, it drops to \$115 (\$460).**

FOURTH DEGREE NEWS

The Bishop Schad Assembly meets on the 3rd Wednesday of the month in the Parish Center.

FIRST FRIDAY ADORATION

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will take place in the Our Lady of Hope Chapel on First Friday, May 4th, after the 9:00 AM Mass, continue until 7:00 PM, and close with Benediction.

MAY BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

The following Knights or members of their families will celebrate their birthdays this month. Guzman Alvarez, Mrs. Carol Bilotta, Orlando Cuentas, Joseph Dunne, Joe Donnelly, Tim Ferrell, Jim Forte, Stephen Gallagher, John N. Iovacchino, Justin Jackson 3RD, James Lanahan, , Mrs. Ernestine Lazo, Ed Marinchak, Stan Markiewicz, Mike Massaro, Joseph Mikos, Eugene Nepomuceno, Mike Panasiuk, Nick Pascale, Dan C. Riiff, Joan Riiff, Martin Stachowiak, Janet Sirolli, Tom Skelly, Marianne

Tarantino, Louis Troy, Raphael Ugorji, Edward Yurick and Julius Zaccone.

The following members will celebrate their anniversaries: Mr.&Mrs. Sal Aversa, Mr.&Mrs. George Badame, Mr.&Mrs. Gabe Busa, Mr.&Mrs. Ed Fiscella, Mr.&Mrs David Harkins, Deacon &Mrs Mike Harkins, Mr.&Mrs. Charles Layden, and Mr.&Mrs. Tony Ritz.

CONGRATULATIONS If we missed someone's birthday or anniversary, please contact John Gandolfo (227-0447) or gandy08012@comcast.net.

EDITORIAL

We are nearing the end of the Columbian Year that will include our participation in the OLOH family festival, our Annual Council Appreciation Dinner, and of course, our Bob Stefano Golf Tournament at the Valleybrook Golf Club. All are important to our Order's principles of Charity (funds raised by the golf tournament), Fraternity (Council dinner) and Unity that pulls all these activities together. Finally, never forget the importance of membership which is always before us. We have a good shot at Star Council. You know what you have to do. Vivat Jesus.

IMPORTANT DATES

May 4 First Friday (OLOH Chapel)
May 10 Officers Meeting (7 PM Parish Center)
May 10 Council Meeting (8 PM Parish Center)
May 13 Mother's Day Carnation Sale
May 16-19 OLOH Parish Festival
May 18-20 State Convention (Wildwood)
May 24 Council Meeting (8 PM Parish Center)
May 28 Memorial Day Mass & Twp. Parade
June 1 First Friday (OLOH Chapel)
June 7 Council Appreciation Dinner
(7 PM Parish Center)
June 14 Officers Meeting (7 PM Parish Center)
June 14 Council Elections (8 PM Parish Center)
June 28 Council Meeting (8 PM Parish Center)



K of C #9193 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

<i>July thru Dec 2018</i>		<i>Jan thru June 2019</i>	
7/5/18 V	Blood Drive ♥ OLH Parish Ctr. 2-7pm	1/1/19 V †	Solemnity of Mary - OLH See Parish Bulletin for Mass Schedule
7/6/18 V †	1st Friday Adoration - OLH Chapel following 9am Mass until 7pm	1/1/19	New Year Mass - OLH See Parish Bulletin for Mass Schedule
7/14/18	Football Mania Tickets Sales Start After All Masses	1/3/19 V	Blood Drive ♥ OLH Parish Ctr. 2-7pm
7/29/18	8th Sunday Rosary 10 AM Council Mem Mass 10:30 AM	1/11/19 to 1/13/19 T	Malvern Retreat Malvern, PA
8/3/18 V †	1st Friday Adoration - OLH Chapel following 9am Mass until 7pm	1/12/19	Council Free Throw Contest OLH School 11am-3pm
8/15/18	Feast of the Assumption † See Parish Bulletin for Mass Schedule	1/18/19	March for Life [Wash. DC]
8/23/18	Installation of Officers ☒ OLH Chapel 7:00pm	1/20/19 & 1/21/19 \$\$ V	Pro Life Rose Lapel Sale OLH - After all Masses
		2/1/19 V †	1st Friday Adoration - OLH Chapel following 9am Mass until 7pm
		2/8/19 V	District Free Throw Contest OLH School 8am-2pm
9/7/18 V †	1st Friday Adoration - OLH Chapel following 9am Mass until 7pm	3/1/19 V †	1st Friday Adoration - OLH Chapel following 9am Mass until 7pm
9/8/18 & 9/9/18	Baby Bottle Boomerang After all Masses [Distribution]	3/6/19	Ash Wednesday † See Parish Bulletin for Schedule
9/15/18 & 9/16/18 V	Membership Drive OLH - After all Masses	3/9/19 & 3/10/19 V	Recruitment Drive OLH After all Masses
9/15/18 & 9/16/18 V	Baby Bottle Boomerang After all Masses [Collection]	3/31/19	8th Sunday Rosary 10 AM Council Mem Mass 10:30 AM
9/21/18 & 9/22/18 V	Hoagie Sale Prep 8 AM Fri	4/4/19 V †	1st Friday Adoration - OLH Chapel following 9am Mass until 7pm
	Male / Wrap @ 5am-9am Saturday Sale 9am-3pm Saturday	4/13/19	Palm Sunday † ☒
9/30/18	8th Sunday Rosary 10 AM Council Mem Mass 10:30 AM	4/14/19 V	Appreciation Breakfast OLH Parish Ctr. 7:00am -12:15 [Setup 3/24/18 @ 10am-Noon] *See Parish Bulletin for Schedule
10/5/18	1st Friday Adoration - OLH Chapel following 9am Mass until 7pm	V	
10/6/18 \$\$ T V	Social Event TBA OLH Parish Ctr. 6-10pm	4/18/19	*Holy Thurs [Adoration after Mass] † ☒
11/1/18	Feast of All Saints † See Parish Bulletin for Mass Schedule	4/19/19	*Good Friday †
11/2/18	Feast of All Souls † See Parish Bulletin for Mass Schedule	4/20/19	*Holy Saturday †
11/2/18	1st Friday Adoration - OLH Chapel following 9am Mass until 7pm	4/21/19	*Easter Sunday † *See Parish Bulletin for Schedule
11/8/18 V	50/50 Social [Set Up] OLH Parish Ctr. 12-7pm	4/28/19 4/27/19 V	Hoagie Sale Prep 8 AM Friday
11/10/18 \$\$ V T	50/50 Social OLH Parish Ctr. 6-10pm	V	Male / Wrap @ 5am-9am Saturday
11/22/18	NO MEETING - HOLIDAY † ☒ Happy Thanksgiving	\$\$ V	Sale 9am-3pm Saturday
11/24/18 V	Giving Tree Preparation Starts after all masses	4/28/19	Devine Mercy Sunday † See Parish Bulletin / TBA
12/5/18	Council Christmas Party OLH Parish Ctr. 7pm	5/3/19 to 5/5/19 \$\$ V	Campaign for People with Intellectual Disabilities Various Locations Fri-Sun. including OLH after masses
12/7/18 V †	1st Friday Adoration - OLH Chapel following 9am Mass until 7pm	5/4/19 V †	1st Friday Adoration - OLH Chapel following 9am Mass until 7pm
12/8/18	Feasts of Immaculate Conception † See Parish Bulletin for Mass Schedule	5/23/19	Council Elections Tonight 8pm OLH Parish Center
12/25/18	Christmas Day † Merry Christmas	5/27/19	Memorial Day Mass & Twp. Parade See Parish Bulletin / TBA
12/29/18 \$\$ V	Super Bowl Mania Tickets Sales Start After All Masses	5/30/19	Feast of the Ascension †
12/30/18	8th Sunday Rosary 10 AM Council Memorial Mass 10:30AM	6/6/19	Annual Council Appreciation Dinner OLH Parish Ctr. 7pm ☒
		6/7/19 V †	1st Friday Adoration - OLH Chapel following 9am Mass until 7pm
		6/7/19	Annual Golf Outing Valley Brook Golf Course
		6/9/19	Pentecost Sunday †
		6/30/19	Fifth Sunday Rosary 10 am. Council Mem Mass 10:30 AM \$\$=Fundraiser ♥ = Blood Drive
KEY:	☒ =No Reg. Council or Officers Mtg. † = Holyday † = Other Religious Observance T = ticket required or other cost involved V = volunteers needed		