

# **Knights of Columbus**



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#### **MAY 2019**

#### **BROTHER KNIGHTS**

Already May? But still busy as ever with the Campaign for Citizens With Intellectual Disabilities, Mother's Day Carnations, the Parish Carnival, and not to forget the Memorial Day celebration. We really need a good turnout this year so put on your Knights of Columbus shirt and head out to Veterans Park for a couple of hours to show your support. I will also be attending the New Jersey State Convention in Wildwood this month and hope to bring back some good information to spread around to all of you. Finally, there is the question of recruitment because presently, we are way behind. Please keep talking with your neighbor, the guy next to you on the train to work or at the coffee shop. Once again, membership is the lifeline of our organization. Vivat Jesus.

Pat Theckston, Grand Knight

#### PARISH APPRECIATION BREAKFAST

For the 14th year, in order to show our appreciation to our parishioners for their support throughout the year, our Council provided them with a complete breakfast after the April 14th Sunday Masses. This breakfast was well attended and 725 parishioners enjoyed the breakfast. The challenge was met by a large number of members that worked to cook, serve and clean up to meet a crowd this size. Congratulations to all of you that worked to make the program a tremendous success and especially our program Director, John Colaianni. Leftover food was donated to Sister Dorothy.

#### SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

The back page of this newsletter is your Council's schedule of events for Columbian Year 2019-2020. Keep it handy and be aware of the dates of programs and activities for the Columbian Year.

#### KNIGHT OF THE MONTH

The Knight of the month for May is Barry Start (service to the Council). Our Family of the month for May is Tim Ferrell and family (hoagie sale, beer garden) Congratulations and thank you.

#### HOAGIE SALE

On Saturday, April 27th, we had another hoagie sale with proceeds to go toward the support of our seminarians. As of the time of this printing the totals were not in yet. They will appear in the June newsletter.

## CITIZENS WITH INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES

During the weekend of May 3-5, our Council will participate in the annual Knights of Columbus fundraising drive for Citizens with Intellectual Disabilities. We will be taking up a presence at several business locations and our Church after all the Masses. You will be receiving a call from our program director, Dan McHugh as he prepares our solicitation schedule. Please cooperate with Brother Dan and make yourselves available to cover our stations and, when you schedule a time please honor that commitment. If for some reason you can't honor your commitment, please let him know so that coverage can be arranged. Remember that we have always tried to make this a family participation program, so we will welcome help from wives, children, friends, or anyone who wishes to make this very worthy cause a success. Thank you.

#### **MOTHER'S DAY CARNATION SALE**

May 12th 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).

#### **CHAPLAIN'S CORNER**

Here are the Precepts of the Church:

- 1) To attend Mass on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation.
- 2) To fast and abstain from meat on appointed days.
- 3)To confess one's sins at least once a year.
- 4) To receive Holy Eucharist during the Easter time.
- 5)To contribute to the support of the Church.
- 6) To observe the laws of the Church concerning marriage.
- 7)To join in the missionary spirit and apostolate of the Church.

#### SAVE THE DATE

The Annual Robert Stefano Memorial Golf Outing is scheduled for Friday June 7th, 2019. Very important-the major portion of funds for charity are raised by tee ads and patron ads. Tee Ads \$150/Patron Ads \$50. We need members to ask businesses for Tee and Patron Ads. A signup form was sent with the April newsletter, more are available. Enclosed with this newsletter is the registration form for golfers. We will also need prizes for Chinese Auctions as well as door prizes. These are all very important parts of the fund raising effort.

#### **COUNCIL ELECTIONS**

Our Council elections will take place at our June 13th business meeting. Our Grand Knight, Pat Theckston appointed a nominating committee that included Dan Tumolo and John Gandolfo, to prepare a slate of candidates to be published in the May newsletter and announced at the May 9th business meeting. For the office of Grand Knight, Pat Theckston, Deputy Grand Knight, Chris Chiaro, Chancellor Joe Pettineo Jr., Treasurer Jim McGovern, Warden Joe Juhas, Advocate John Gandolfo, Recorder Hugo Candeloro, Inside Guard Andy Rescinito, Outside Guard Jack Wolnski and 3 year Trustee Tom Malatesta. 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.

#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS INSURANCE

Protection is the base element of any well-founded financial plan, the base of a pyramid, for example. Without basic protection against premature death or the inability to earn income due to disability, the remainder of the pyramid collapses. If you own mutual funds and die without life insurance, those funds will be needed to pay final expenses (collapsing), perhaps

at the most inopportune time (after a market correction). If you own mutual funds and lose your ability to earn income due to disability and are without paycheck protection, those funds will be needed in order to pay living expenses (collapsing), perhaps at the most inopportune time (is there ever an opportune time?) So basic protection is a must. The good thing is that this protection is offered by the Knights of Columbus. Out whole life products and disability income insurance are designed with this goal in mind. For further information please call me for an appointment.

Fred Durso, FICF, Field Agent, (856) 401-3055

#### **FOURTH DEGREE NEWS**

The Bishop Schad Assembly meets on the 3<sup>rd</sup> 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 3rd after the 9:00 AM Mass, continue until 7:00 PM, and close with Benediction. Friday Expositions and Adorations will be ongoing with Benediction at 6PM. There is a sign up sheet in the rear of the Chapel to schedule a devotion time. Attendance has been better so let's keep the momentum going.

#### MAY BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

The following Knights or members of their families will celebrate their birthdays this month. Guzman Alvarez, Orlando Cuentas, Joseph Dunne, Joe Donnelly, Tim Ferrell, Jim Forte, Stephen Gallagher, John N. Iovacchino, Justin Jackson 3<sup>RD</sup>, James Lanahan, Mrs. Ernestine Lazo, Ed Marinchak, Stan Markiewicz, Mike Massaro, Joseph Mikos, Eugene Nepomuceno, Mike Panasiuk, Nick Pascale, Dan C. Riiff, Joan Riiff, Anthony Russo Jr., 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. 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 gandv08012@comcast.net.

#### **EDITORIAL**

We are nearing the end of the Columbian Year that will include our participation in the OLOH family festival (Beer Garden), 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 principle of Charity (funds raised by the golf tournament), Fraternity (Council dinner) and Unity that pulls all these activities together. And never forget to importance of membership that is all our responsibilities. You know what you have to do. Vivat Jesus.

#### **IMPORTANT DATES**

May 3 First Friday (OLOH Chapel)

May 3-5 People with Intellectual Disabilities

May 9 Officers Meeting (7PM {Parish Center)

May 9 Council Meeting (8PM Parish Center)

May 16-18 Parish Family Festival

May 17-19 State Convention (Wildwood)

May 23 Council Meeting (8PM Parish Center)

May 27 Memorial Day Mass & Twp. Parade

June 6 Council Appreciation Dinner (7PM Parish Center)

June 7 First Friday (OLOH Chapel)

June 7 Bob Stefano Golf Outing (Valleybrook)

June 13 Officers Meeting (7PM Parish Center)

June 13 Council Elections (8PM Parish Center)

June 27 Council Meeting (8PM Parish Center)

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*	July thru Dec 2019		Jan thru June 2020
7/2/19 V	Blood Drive ♥ OLH Parish Ctr. 2-7pm	1/1/20 V t	Solemnity of Mary - OLH See Parish Bulletin for Mass Schedule
	* 1st Friday Adoration - OLH	1/1/20	New Year Mass-OLH
Vt	Chapel following 9am Mass until 7pm		See Parish Bulletin for Mass Schedule
7/27/19	Football Mania Tickets Sales Start	1/2/20	Blood Drive 🛡
	After All Masses	v	OLH Parish Ctr. 2-7pm
8/2/19	1st Friday Adoration - OLH	1/4/20	Super Bowi Mania Tickets Sales Start
۷ţ	Chapel following 9am Mass until 7pm	\$\$ V	After All Masses
8/15/18	Feast of the Assumption †		to 1/12/20Maivern Retreat
8/22/19	See Parish Bulletin for Mass Schedule	T	Malvern, PA
8/22/19	Installation of Officers   OLH Chapel 7:00pm	1/18/20	to 1/17/20 Novena for Life Council Free Throw Contest
9/6/19	1st Friday Adoration - OLH	11111111	OLH School 11am-3pm
۷t	Chapel following 9am Mass until 7pm	1/18/26	& 1/19/20 Pro Life Rose Lapel Sale
9/7/19 & 9/8/19	Baby Bottle Boomerang	\$\$ V	OLH - After all Masses
	After all Masses [Distribution]	1/24/20	March for Life [Wash. DC]
9/14/19 & 9/15/1 V	9 Membership Drive OLH - After all Masses	2/7/20	1st Friday Adoration - OLH
	9 Baby Bottle Boomerang	2/8/20	Chapel following 9am Mass until 7pm 8. 2/9/20 Consecration of the Holy Family
V	After all Masses [Collection]	2/8/20	District Free Throw Contest
9/20/19 & 9/21/1	9 Hoagis Sale	Y	OLH School Barn-2pm
٧	Prep 8 AM Fri	2/26/20	Ash Wednesday †
V	Make / Wrap @ 5am-9am Saturday		See Parish Bulletin for Schedule
\$\$ V 9/29/19	Sale 9am-3pm Seturday	3/6/20	- 1st Friday Adoration - OLH
3/23/19	5th Sunday Rosary 10 AM Council Mern Mass 10:30 AM	V†	Chapel following 9am Mass until 7pm 8. 3/8/20 Recruitment Drive
10/4/19	1st Friday Adoration - OLH	V V	OLH After all Masses
	Chapel following 9am Mass until 7pm	3/29/20	5th Sunday Rosary 10 AM
10/5/19	Social Event TBA		Council Mem Mass 10:30 AM
\$\$ T V	OLH Parish Ctr. 6-10pm	4/3/20	1st Friday Adoration - OLH
11/1/19	Feast of All Saints †	V†	Chapel following 9am Mass until 7pm
11/1/19	See Parish Bulletin for Mass Schedule  1st Friday Adoration - OLH	4/5/20	Palm Sunday † Appreciation Breakfast
1111110	Chapel following 9am Mass until 7pm	4/0/20 V	OLH Parish Ctr. 7:00am -12:15
11/2/19	Feast of All Souls †	ľ	[Setup 4/4/20 @ 10am-Noon]
	See Parish Bulletin for Mass Schedule		*See Parish Bulletin for Schedule
11/15/19	50/50 Social [Set Up]	4/9/20	"Holy Thurs[Adoration after Mass] † 🚫
11/16/19	OLH Parish Ctr. 12-7pm 50/50 Social	4/10/20	*Good Friday †
\$\$ VT	OLH Parish Ctr. 6-10pm	4/11/20	*Holy Saturday †  *Easter Sunday †
11/23/19	Giving Tree Preparation Starts	412720	*See Parish Bulletin for Schedule
V	after all mases	4/19/20	Devine Mercy Sunday †
11/28/19	NO MEETING - HOLIDAY †		See Parish Bulletin / TBA
	Happy Thanksgiving	4/24/20	4/25/20 Hoagie Sale
12/5/19	Council Christmas Party	V	
	OLH Parish Ctr. 7pm	V	
12/6/19	1st Friday Adoration - OLH	\$\$ V	
V † 12/9/19	Chapel following 9am Mass until 7pm Feasts of Immaculate Conception †	\$\$ V	to 5/3/20Campaign for People with Intellectual Disabilities
·== 14	See Parish Bulletin for Mass Schedule		cations Fri-Sun, including OLH after masses
12/25/19	Christmas Day †	5/1/20	1st Friday Adoration - OLH
	Merry Christmas	Vt	Chapel following 9am Mass until 7pm
12/29/19	5th Sunday Rosary 10 AM	5/21/20	
	Council Memorial Mass 10:30AM	5/25/20	
	** Every Friday is Adoration Friday	5/31/20	See Parish Bulletin / TBA Pentecost Sunday †
		5/31/20	Fifth Sunday Rosary 10 am.
			Council Mem Mass 10:30 AM
	Α	6/4/20	Annual Council Appreciation Dinner
KEY:	⇔ =No Reg. Council or Officers Mitg.		OLH Parish Ctr. 7pm
	t = Holyday	6/5/20	
	† = Other Religious Observance T = ficket required or other cost involved	V†	Chapel following 9am Mass until 7pm Annual Golf Outing
	V = volunteers needed	\$\$ T V	•
	\$\$=Fundraiser	6/11/20	
	♥ = Blood Drive		8pm OLH Parish Center