



Knights Notes



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Grand Knights Message:

Brothers, I hope everyone had a wonderful Christmas and a Happy New Year. As we begin the new year I would like to thank everyone for their continued support. We had a very productive year as we continue to build on our traditions of Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism.

As we head into the new year, the month of January will give us a chance to catch our breath after a busy Christmas season, but not for too long.

Here are the current projects that we are working on.

- **Mass for Deceased Brothers** – As the new year begins we will have our annual mass to remember the brothers who have been called home. Alan Moshinsky is working on firming up the date but it should be sometime the week of January 8th.
- **Council Free Throw Competition - Monday, January 15th 8am to 1pm** – Our annual Council Free Throw Competition for boys and girls ages 9 - 14 will be held in the Gym of St. Mary's. Bob Sherrier is chairing this event and will be looking for assistance at our next council meeting on January 8th. If you are unable to attend the meeting and would like to assist please reach out to Bob directly.
- **March for Life Bus Trip - Friday, January 19th** – The March for Life Bus Trip is on Friday, January 19th. The cost remains the same, \$25 per person, and includes dinner at the Golden Corral. Bus departs St. Mary's at 8am, following Mass. If interested, please contact Ed Connor at either (609)291-9750 or email at edconmba@gmail.com. Seats on the bus are limited.
- **College Scholarship Contest** – Jim Morgan will once again be chairing this event. Although we will not be presenting awards until Late May/Early June, Jim will be putting together the application and will be looking for volunteers to help him evaluate the essays. More to come.
- **Membership** – Everyone should have received a letter regarding renewing their membership. If you have not please our Financial Secretary, John Pogson.

Please consider supporting the above activities.

Over the course of the past few months, I outlined a plan for our council to move from the current Burlington County Chapter to the Central Jersey Chapter. At our last meeting, we held a vote and it passed by a majority.

Over the next few weeks I will be writing a separation letter to the Burlington County Chapter informing them of this decision. Our first meeting with the Central Jersey Chapter will be on Wednesday, January 17th at 7:30pm at Hightstown Council #6284.

If any member of the Executive Council (past or present) would like to join me, please let me know.

Finally, for any brother who ordered a Knights of Columbus golf shirt. The golf shirts are in. If you have not picked up your golf shirt yet, please reach out to me via email rondo66w@gmail.com and we can coordinate a time that works.

Vivat Jesus,
Ron.

Council Meetings

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| Jan 8 th | Council Business Meeting Upstairs room in rectory 8pm |
| Jan 22 th | Council Business Meeting Upstairs room in rectory 8pm |
| Feb 12 th | Council Business Meeting Upstairs room in rectory 8pm |
| Feb 26 th | Council Business Meeting Upstairs room in rectory 8pm |

Baptisms

If you would like to assist with baptisms, please contact Bob Sherrier @ 609-364-0803 to be added to the rotation.

Membership

2018 Membership Dues are now being collected. Check your US Mail delivery. Your prompt payment is appreciated to support our many charitable endeavors. Please contact the Financial Secretary, John Pogson at 609-324-9083 or jkpogson@hotmail.com to make any arrangements.

Council Web Page and Facebook

Brothers don't forget that we have a web page www.kofc570.org and there is also a Facebook page. You can search on "Knights of Columbus Council 570"

Chancellors Report:

Please pray for the following:

- Our Service Men and Women especially those deployed far from their families
- Persecuted Christians in the Holy Land
- The Families of the Legacy of Life Foundation
- The Five Seminarians we sponsor
- All veterans
- Alfred Benedetto
- Barbara Giurdanella
- Barbara Smith
- Bill Repycknick
- Bishop David O'Connell
- Bishop John Smith
- Bradley Howell
- Brother Francis (Bud) Foley
- Brother Peter Trombino
- Brother Tom Moore
- Brother Ugo Palmonari
- Carol Lehner
- Charles Radvany
- Cindy Fisher
- Dolores Moore
- Edwin Lee
- Fr. Felix Venza
- Fr. Joseph Hlubik
- George Rose
- Hugh Delaney
- Hugh Maguire Sr.
- Jim Hannon
- Jim Weiler
- Joseph Cedentorno
- Joseph Parsler
- Kathleen Halaycio
- Logan Cake
- Marilyn Rogalski
- Mary Ellen Sullivan
- Mary Sura
- Maryanna Stutter
- Msgr James G. Innocenzi
- Nick Ivahnenko
- Doris Silvestri
- Rex Wellman
- Shawna Catarrinichia
- Tom Hallion
- Those dealing with alcohol and drug addictions
- Soul of Jerry Foley
- Soul of Elena Cutrupi
- Soul of Sean Vogel

Upcoming Events

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| Free Throw Shooting Contest | Jan 15 th |
| March for Life Bus Trip to DC | Jan 19 th |
| Ash Wednesday | Feb 14 th |

50/50 Winners:

Must be present to win!

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| Dec 11 th | Henry Tutek | \$89.50 Absent |
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Insurance Agent

Brothers, if you would like to join the hundreds of thousands of brother Knights who have chosen to help protect their future with the Knights of Columbus or if you have any other questions related to Knights of Columbus insurance products, I am only a phone call away!

Merry Christmas and Happy New Years

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Birthdays

HAPPY BIRTHDAY: Michael Aladich, Michael Alessi Jr, Robert Blaser, Thomas Cummings, John Fratinardo, Fr. Joseph Hlubik, Joseph Lynch, Anthony Piccinich, Richard Thomas, Fr. Frederick Timp, Ronald White

