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Grand Knight's Message

Brother Knights and Sister Columbiettes

Our monthly activities for May began with the Marian Mass on Tuesday evening, May 2nd in the

very beautiful St. Benedict's Chapel and was attended by a number of Council members and wives. The Mass was beautifully said by our Chaplain, Monsignor Rowan and assisted by our associate Chaplain, Father George.

A Mass for the Blessed Michael McGivney Relics at St. Anthony of Padua in East Northport took place May 4th was attended by some of our members and officiated by Bishop Barras. It was very well done.

Congratulations to Deputy Grand Knight Dan Healy and our Financial Secretary Anthony Vitale on their Exemplification to the Fourth Degree. They join our Fourth Degree Brothers of Our Lady of Fatima Assembly.

Our Council had a presence at the Special Olympics at the Farmingdale Sports Complex on Saturday, May 6th. We featured some handouts and a corn hole game for the attendees. Thanks to all who attended.

Our Council sponsored Roses for Life after all Masses on May 13 and Mother's Day May14 to benefit the Knights of Columbus ASAP

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Columbiette Chatter

Dear Sister Columbiettes

We had our Spring BINGO fundraiser Friday evening May 19th 2023. We were blessed to have approx. 30 gifts to raffle off for our



Chinese Action. I want to Thank all the merchants who were so kind and generous to give us donations for out Bingo night. Everyone had a great time and it was a fun evening.

I would like to thank everyone who helped with set up, clean up, getting the donations and serving. We could not have done it without your help. We all make a great team and that is why the night was such a success.

If you have not paid your dues (\$ 20.00) yet, checks can be mailed to Victoria Randacciu 48 Spruce Street Farmingdale, NY 11735. Checks should be made payable to Farmingdale Columbiettes #2204.

Please bring me your ideas on what we can do to help increase our membership and ideas you may have for other future fundraisers.

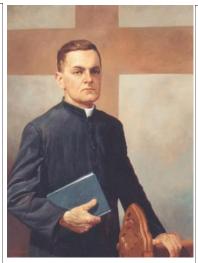
Our Next meeting will be Monday June 6, 2023 at 7:00pm

At this meeting we will be installing our officers for the next Columbian year 2023-2024 and we will be deciding what worthy charities and organizations we

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Editors Corner

The Mariner will be printed once a month with one issue for the months of July and August, for a total of eleven (11) issues by and for the Farmingdale Council #2204, Knights of Columbus. Meetings are held on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month in the Council Hall located at the intersection of Morton Street and Garity Place. The mailing address is 1 Morton Street, Farmingdale, NY 11735-4340. The deadline for material for publication in the Mariner is the Friday that follows the 3rd Wednesday of the prior month. PLEASE keep this deadline in mind for articles you wish to have publish in the Mariner.



Father McGivney
Pray for Us



Good of the Order

Brothers those in need will always be with us. If you can remember to bring some kind of dry or can goods, such as tuna, vegetables, pasta cereal etc., to each meeting, the Council will arrange to get this food to the Parish Pantry.

We must always have new members flowing into our ranks and it is your privilege and your duty as a Knight of Columbus to recruit and retain the strength your needs to carry on the great works so well begun. You know as well as I do that there are many fine unselfish Catholic gentleman who would be Knights if we would but give them a word of suggestion and lead them towards our banner. I appeal to each and everyone of you to select one man that you deem worthy and lead him to us. Brother's please communicate to the Council that a Brother or family member is ill.

Please keep the following Knights, Columbiettes, Family members and Friends in your prayers. Please also keep in your prayers all others who have requested our prayers, but due to miscommunications or timing, are not listed. God knows who they are and a simple thought to include them is sufficient.

Sick & Distressed

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JOHN MERRILL	Nora Albertelli	MICHAEL CALMA

Recently Deceased

LEE TRAMELLI DENNIS PINTO BRENDA GIAMMANCO

Please inform the Grand Knight, Deputy Grand Knight, Financial Secretary of AnyBrother that is Sick or has Passed Away.

Happy Birthday Brothers

June

July

Paul L Altamore
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List of Upcoming Important Dates

JUNE-2023

- 4—TRINITY SUNDAY
- 6—Social Meeting Tuesday, 7:30PM
- 8—CORPUS CHRISTI
- 13—Officer's Meeting, Council #2204, 7:30pm
- 20—Biz Meeting, Council #2204, 7:30pm
- 18-FATHER'S DAY

JULY-2023

- 4—INDEPENDENCE DAY
- 11—Social Meeting Tuesday, 7:30PM
- 18—Officer's Meeting, Council #2204, 7:30pm

AUGUST-2023

- 1—Social Meeting Tuesday, 7:30PM
- 8—Officer's Meeting, Council #2204, 7:30pm
- 15—ASSUMPTION OF MARY
- 15—Biz Meeting, Council #2204, 7:30pm
- 17—Fishing Trip

You will be notified of any changes as soon as possible.
All Officers meetings will be held at the Council Hall

A PRAYER FOR OUR PRIESTS

We thank you, God our Father, for those who have responded to your call to priestly ministry. Accept this prayer we offer on their behalf: Fill them with the sure knowledge of your love. Open their hearts to the power and consolation of the Holy Spirit. Lead them to greater union with your Son. Increase their faith in the Sacraments they celebrate as they nourish, strengthen and heal us.

Lord Jesus Christ, through the intercession of St. Jean Vianney, grant that your priests will be inspired to strive for holiness by the power of his example. As men of prayer, may they ponder your word, follow your will and faithfully lead the flocks you have entrusted to their care.

St. Jean Vianney, obtain for the Church an abundance of vocations to the holy priesthood. Through your intercession, may many faithful men hear Christ's call, and respond with courage and generosity.

Mary our Mother, guard with your maternal care these chosen ones. Intercede for our priests, so that by offering the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, they may be conformed more each day to the image of your Son, our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

St. Jean Vianney, patron of parish priests, pray for us!



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS IN SOLIDARITY WITH OUR PRIESTS



PRAYER FOR THE CANONIZATION OF THE VENERABLE SERVANT OF GOD MICHAEL McGIVNEY

Founder of the Knights of Columbus

God, our Father, protector of the poor and defender of the widow and orphan, you called your priest, Blessed Father Michael J. McGivney, to be an apostle of Christian family life and to lead the young to the generous service of their neighbor. Through the example of his life and virtue may we follow your Son, Jesus Christ, more closely, fulfilling his commandment of charity and building up his Body which is the Church. Let the inspiration of your servant prompt us to greater confidence in your love so that we may continue his work of caring for the needy and the outcast. We humbly ask that you glorify your venerable servant Father Michael J. McGivney on earth according to the design of your holy will. Through his intercession, grant the favor I now present (here make your request). Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

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St Kilian Knights In Action



Our Roses for Life sale to benefit right to life groups was held May 13-14 after all Masses in the gathering space of St. Kilian Church. They were quickly sold out before the last 2 Sunday Masses.



Our Council had a presence at the Special Olympics held at the Farmingdale Sports Complex on Saturday, May 6th

St. Kilian Council Election Slate

Knights of Columbus St Kilian Council #2204

As submitted by Nominations Chairman, G Warnokowski

PROPOSED SLATE OF OFFICERS FOR 2203/2204

Grand Knight	Tom Schwarz
Deputy Grand Knight	Dan Healy
Financial Secretary	Anthony Vitale (Appointed – no election req'd)
Chancellor	Mike Napolitano
Recorder	VACANT
Treasurer	Dave Christie
Advocate	John Jeavons
Warden	Robert Emmerson
Inside Guard	Mike Dempsey
Outside Guard	Rich Garczynski
1 Year Trustee	Tony Magnifico (No election Req'd)
2 Year Trustee	Sal Ciuffo (No election Req'd)
3 Year Trustee	Bob Carlucci
Lecturer	Pat Burns (Appointed – no election Req'd)

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will be donating to. Looking forward to seeing everyone.

Happy Father's Day to all the Fathers out there.

As always, please keep our sick and distressed Sister Columbiettes and Brother Knights in our prayers

Louise LaGatta Columbiette President

Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity



"Holy Trinity (Pala della Convertite)" Sandro Botticelli, 1491-93



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program, the LI Coalition for Life and the Life Center of Long Island. The sale was quite the success as the roses were sold out after the 9:30AM Mass. We will be doing Carnations for Life in the gathering space after all Masses on June 17th and Father's Day June 18th to benefit the same Right to Life groups. Carnations are Red or White and are \$2 each or 3 for \$5.

The St. Kilian Family Life sponsored a LI Ducks game on Friday, May 19th. A number of our Council members, spouses and friends attended with some of the proceeds benefitting the St. Kilian Family Life Ministry.

There will be a gathering of all of the participants in the recent Faith Sharing program, Opening the Sunday Scriptures on June 15th, a donation of \$5 is requested and bring a dessert to share (enough 4 or 5 people) let Dave Christie know by June 2nd if you are going to attend.

On Saturday, June 3rd the Farmingdale Village will be having a street fair from 10:30AM – 4:30PM. We need to have a presence on the Village green as was done in the past and volunteers are needed. We will continue to sell Suffolk Chapter chance books and encourage membership info. Those who have chance books please sell and get them in. It helps our Council.

We will be having a required insurance seminar by Pat Devito at our Social meeting on Tuesday, June 6th with a Pizza repast beginning at 7PM followed by the seminar and meeting. The Officers meeting has been changed to Monday, June 12th 7:30 PM. The Business meeting is Tuesday, June 20th 7:30PM and includes our elections. As there is no July Mariner, I'm planning a Social meeting on July 11th and may be a BBQ night with the leftover food in the freezer along with refreshments and additions. An Officers meeting will be scheduled on July 18th to start our future planning for the balance of 2023.

The end of June completes the Columbian year and I would like to thank our District Deputy, Paul Di'Orio for his help and guidance to our Council and to me personally. Paul will be moving on to bigger things and we wish him the best. Our new District Deputy will be Rich Fitzgerald and we welcome him and his guidance.

I would especially like to thank our Council members, our Chaplains, our Parish staff and all those who participated in the many events and accomplishments we had during this time. When we all participate and work together we can accomplish many things. I look forward to many more and with prayer and our faith it is all possible. Vivat Jesus!

Please remember to pray for the unborn, the end of violence to our Catholic churches, for our religious freedom, pray for America, for our military and first responders, for an end to the war in Ukraine and peace in our world. Vivat Jesus!

Stay well and stay safe, Tom Schwarz Grand Knight

Suffolk Chapter Report

My Brothers and Sisters,

The Chapter is the fraternal arm of the "Knights" of Columbus", working for you and your families. The Chapter has many programs such as the FAC (Fraternal Assistance) which is available to all brother Knights and sister Columbiettes who find themselves in financial difficulty. This is kept strictly confidential, so any one in need should not be afraid to reach out for help. There are scholarship programs for your children and grandchildren, if they plan to attend a Catholic High School. We offer track and free throw competitions for children up to fourteen years of age, where they can win scholarship money for their education. There are fraternal activities for all members and their families. Why not take advantage of what we have to offer by coming to our monthly meetings, on the second Friday of the month, and represent your Council.

The Chapter also collects eyeglasses, can tabs and every Christmas we collect teddy bears for needy children. THE CHAPTER WORKS FOR YOU, WHY NOT SUPPORT IT!!! REMEMBER," CHARITY IS OUR MOST IMPORTANT PRODUCT".

Fraternally, Greg Warnokowski, PGK,FDD,FCOB.PFN, FM



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