



2019-2020 Leadership

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<http://kofcAssembly2595.org>

Meeting Cancellations/Adjustments Due to COVID-19

Because of continuing state of Maryland, Maryland District Knights of Columbus, and Archdiocese of Baltimore actions taken in response to the COVID-19 (coronavirus) pandemic, in-person meetings and patriotic events have had to be cancelled, postponed, or adjusted. Our Assembly is not yet in a position to host an April meeting online, but we expect to be able to do so for the May meeting scheduled for May 28, which is now unlikely to be held as an in-person meeting.

The District Master's Navigators Seminar, scheduled to be hosted at St. Michael's, Poplar Springs on Saturday, June 6, may also need to be conducted online. The Maryland VA has also requested that we postpone the Veterans Picnic previously scheduled for June 13 to the late summer / early fall. Please stay tuned for Assembly e-mails and newsletters regarding future Assembly meetings and activities.

Nominations for Assembly Officers for Fraternal Year 2021 Now Being Accepted

During the May 28 Assembly meeting (whether conducted in-person or online), our Assembly will be electing officers for Fraternal Year (FY) 2021, which begins on July 1. Nominations for Assembly officers for FY 21 are now being accepted. If you would like to self-nominate for an office, or would like to nominate another Sir Knight (with their permission), please send an e-mail to Faithful Captain Kevin Quinn at ckq2018@yahoo.com by May 14 (but preferably sooner). Candidates for each office will be announced prior to the May 28 Assembly meeting.

From the Navigator's Stateroom ...

I hope this newsletter finds all of our Assembly members safe and healthy during the current medical situation. As all of you know, Assembly 2595 has had to alter, change, or forgo many scheduled events in the last couple of months. First, it was the 2020 Exemplification in Ocean City where we tried to carry on. However, only 20+ new members from the Maryland District were able to attend to advance to the Fourth Degree. Assembly 2595 had two of our originally planned nine Third Degree members who were able to attend and be exemplified into the Fourth Degree and become Sir Knights.



That being said, I am sure the Master will attempt to hold another Exemplification as soon as the medical crisis is over.

So far, the Maryland District's Biannual Meeting was changed to an e-mail event, our Assembly's Veterans Picnic has been postponed, and other K of C events have been cancelled or postponed, not to mention a couple of monthly Assembly meetings. Regardless, we must try to continue as best we can and move forward with what is available. I have been approached about having meetings by computer using Zoom. I would like to try this, starting in May, as we must have a New Officer Election in the immediate future. If you are opposed to this effort to have a meeting via computer, let me know via e-mail using the Navigator's mailbox (faithfulnavigator@kofcassembly2595.org).

I would like to encourage Assembly members who would like to take a pro-active role in the running of our Assembly to step forward and e-mail worthy Captain Kevin Quinn of your interest in becoming an officer. We need you, and want your ideas and abilities to move our Assembly forward in the future. If you are interested in making change, we need leaders to step up and get into the arena.

Finally, as the current medical situation is lifted, we will reschedule some of the events that we have been forced to forgo. Once that occurs, we will need all hands on deck to help. Also, continue to pray for the sick, our parishes, our priests, our fellow Sir Knights, our first responders, and health care professionals as prayer works and we all need them.

Stay safe, and be careful as you go out at this time in history.

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Useful Patriotic Degree Web Sites and E-mail Group

1. Maryland Fourth Degree - <https://kcmaryland4th.org/>
2. Maryland Fourth Degree Yahoo Groups – To share information with other assemblies
 - a. To post a message - kcmaryland4th@yahogroups.com
 - b. To subscribe - kcmaryland4th-subscribe@yahogroups.com
3. McGivney Guild – To support the beatification of our founder
<http://www.fathermcgivney.org/mcg/en/contact/register.html>

Schedule of Assembly Meetings and Activities for FY 2020

Thursday, May 28, 7:30 pm, Assembly meeting at St. Michael's, Poplar Springs (likely to be conducted online using Zoom)

Saturday, June 6, District Master's Navigators Seminar, hosted at St. Michael's, Poplar Springs (may need to be conducted online)

Thursday, June 25, 7:30 pm, Assembly meeting at St. Peter's, Libertytown