



2019-2020 Leadership

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Assembly Officer Installation on July 28 at Resurrection



Our Assembly's 2019-20 officers were officially installed on Sunday, July 28, at the Church of the Resurrection in Ellicott City, following the 12:00 noon Mass. District Master Fritz Leach presided, assisted by District Marshal Tommy Ebaugh. Fr. Ray Martin of the Church of the Resurrection participated. We had a full complement of officers (and stand-ins for our officers who could not attend), and accompanying ladies, and several other Assembly members and ladies.

The 30 or so participants enjoyed a great luncheon after the installation in Resurrection Hall, arranged by new Faithful Navigator Steve Mason, with food from the local Mission BBQ in Ellicott City.

Welcome to Our New Faithful Friar

Our 2018-19 Faithful Friar, Fr. Ross Conklin, Jr., was reassigned, effective July 1, as Administrator of Our Lady of Hope and St. Luke parishes in east Baltimore. We are happy to report that Fr. Tyler Kline, newly ordained Associate Pastor at the Church of the Resurrection, has graciously agreed to serve as our Assembly's Faithful Friar for this fraternal year. Barring any unforeseen circumstances, Fr. Tyler, who is already a Fourth Degree Knight, will join us at this coming Thursday's Assembly meeting at the Church of the Resurrection. Welcome, Fr. Tyler!



Reminder – Assembly Meeting at Church of the Resurrection on Thursday, August 22, at 8:00 pm

Please plan to attend our August Assembly meeting at **8:00 pm** on Thursday, August 22, at the Church of the Resurrection in Ellicott City. The meeting will be held in Resurrection Hall (under the church). Note the slightly later start time, as the meeting will immediately follow a Resurrection Council meeting in the adjacent multi-purpose rooms.

From the Navigator's Stateroom ...

As we start off the second month of the Fraternal Year, I am encouraged and excited about our Assembly. What a great team of Sir Knights we are lucky to have in our Assembly! Just in the past several weeks, we celebrated the life of Sir Knight Jim Heim, at the Chapel in the Charlestown Retirement Community. Our Assembly's Color Corps plus Sir Knights in the Official 4th Degree dress uniform participated in casket guard and the funeral ceremony. I have received many favorable comments from his family and friends at the Church of the Resurrection regarding our participation in Jim's celebration of life. Thanks to all the Sir Knights in attendance.



As a friendly reminder, please plan to attend the Maryland 4th Degree Exemplification on September 21 at Columbus Gardens. We have at least four new Assembly candidates who will be obtaining the 4th Degree Sir Knight goal to full Knighthood. They need our support and guidance during this important period.

As we proceed into the year, we have several important patriotic events planned. On October 24, prior to our Assembly meeting, our worthy Past Faithful Navigator Mike Jacobs has scheduled a Flag Retirement Ceremony that will be held at St. Peter's Catholic Church. All Sir Knights can help by collecting flags that need to be retired from those in their parish who have them. We will start a bit earlier that day so as to allow time for both our business meeting and the flag ceremony. More detailed information about this event will follow at a later date.

We need to plan now for several patriotic rosaries during this year. These events, along with our Veterans Picnic, are important to our community and the Order, not to mention the veterans themselves. I will be asking for Sir Knights to volunteer to coordinate the rosaries at the next meeting.

Speaking about our Veterans Picnic, I hope all of you were able to read the Master's Newsletter, "The Patriot," for August, in which our picnic was used as an example of a great patriotic event, complete with pictures and several paragraphs about our patriotic effort. It's great to see that this type of information gets into the Master's Newsletter.

Several upcoming important dates:

- 9/4/19: Annual Father Vincent R. Capodanno Mass at the Shrine of the Immaculate Conception Crypt Church, 400 Michigan Avenue, N.E., Washington, DC 20017. Mass starts at 6:30 pm. Color Corps turn-out at 5:15 pm. This is a Calvert Province event.
- 9/15/19: Final Color Corps practice at Columbus Gardens in preparation for the Exemplification on 9/21/19 (per MD District Marshal, Tommy Ebaugh). No time identified as of this date.
- 9/21/19: Maryland District Exemplification of the 4th Degree, at 4301 Klosterman Avenue, Baltimore, MD. 21236. Candidates registration starts at 9:30 am.
- 9/29/19: Blue Mass for First Responders, St. Casimir Church, O'Donnell St. and Kenwood Avenue, Baltimore, MD. Mass will be celebrated by Archbishop Lori at 9:45 am. Color Corps turn-out at 9:00 am. Flag Team report time is also 9:00 am.

Additional message from Master Fritz Leach - "We would like to grow our Color Corps. Please encourage members to purchase the New Uniform, which can only be done online at the Supreme website."

As we move to Fall football and cooler weather, I hope all of you had an enjoyable safe summer. As of July 1, we entered into a new Fraternal Year. I want to thank the Assembly for electing an outstanding team of Sir Knights to administer the 2019-20 Fraternal Year.

Steve Mason, Faithful Navigator, 2019-20
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In Memoriam, Sir Knight Jim Heim

On July 8, Sir Knight Joseph J. (Jim) Heim of our Assembly passed away at age 78 after a short battle with mandibular cancer. A devoted member for several years of Resurrection Council, SK Jim was exemplified to the Patriotic Degree on March 2, 2013. Formerly of Ellicott City, Jim and his wife Libby moved to the Charlestown Retirement Community a couple of years ago, but SK Jim remained very active in Resurrection Council until recently. During his professional career, SK Jim was an avid fisherman and author on fishing topics, with articles appearing in the Baltimore Sun and the Frederick News Post, as well as receiving acknowledgments in books on fishing in Maryland.



SK Jim's visitation and Mass of Resurrection were held at Our Lady of the Angels Chapel at Charlestown on Monday, August 5. Msgr. John Dietzenbach, pastor of the Church of the Resurrection, celebrated the Mass. Members of our Assembly's Color Corps and other Sir Knights from Resurrection stood casket guard and participated in the Mass, under the leadership of Color Corps Commander Marty Nau.

Patriotic Degree Exemplification on Saturday, September 21, in Bel Air

The next Exemplification in the Maryland District for the Patriotic Degree will be a single-day event, and will be held on Saturday, September 21. Our Assembly has already approved four Knights from our affiliated Councils as candidates for the Patriotic Degree. Please encourage eligible Knights from your Council to apply. The Assembly must approve all candidates, preferably at the August 22 Assembly meeting, but special arrangements for approval will be made, if necessary, up until the deadline. Complete information on the Exemplification is provided in the two-page tri-fold at the end of this newsletter.

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@yahoogroups.com
 - b. To subscribe - kcmaryland4th-subscribe@yahoogroups.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, August 22, 7:30 pm. Assembly meeting at Church of the Resurrection, Ellicott City
Thursday, September 26, 7:30 pm, Assembly meeting at St. Michael's, Poplar Springs
Thursday, October 24, 6:30 pm, Flag Retirement Ceremony, prior to 7:30 pm Assembly meeting at St. Peter's Libertytown
Friday, October 25, 6:00 pm, Collection of Items for Vets at Resurrection Council Italian Dinner, Ellicott City
Tuesday, November 26, 7:30 pm, Assembly meeting at St. Michael's, Poplar Springs (moved to fourth Tuesday because of Thanksgiving)
Thursday, December 26, 7:30 pm, Assembly meeting at Church of the Resurrection, Ellicott City
Saturday, January 18, 6:30 pm (tentative) Assembly Chili Cook-off at Church of the Resurrection, Ellicott City
Thursday, January 23, 7:30 pm, Assembly meeting at St. Michael's, Poplar Springs
Thursday, February 27, 7:30 pm, Assembly meeting at St. Peter's Libertytown
Friday-Saturday, March 13-14, Maryland District Exemplification, Princess Royale, Ocean City
Thursday, March 26, 7:30 pm, Assembly meeting at St. Michael's, Poplar Springs (Renewal of Promises)
Thursday, April 23, 7:30 pm, Assembly meeting at Church of the Resurrection, Ellicott City
Thursday, May 28, 7:30 pm, Assembly meeting at St. Michael's, Poplar Springs
Thursday, June 25, 7:30 pm, Assembly meeting at St. Peter's Libertytown

REACH YOUR HIGHEST POTENTIAL

The Fourth Degree is a group of outstanding Knights, dedicated to promoting patriotism enlightened by their Catholic faith. These Knights, perform exemplary deeds for God, country, and for the Order. The Fourth Degree of the Knights of Columbus unite to support religious, civic and charitable causes.

Fourth Degree members belong to local units called assemblies. Each assembly is involved in a wide range of public patriotic activities.

Each assembly maintains a Fourth Degree Color Corps and Honor Guard. Uniformed members participate in special civic and religious ceremonies. For this reason, the Fourth Degree is often called the visible arm of the Knights of Columbus.

What You Will Need to Bring with You

1. Proper Uniform (Dark suit)
2. Your, Third Degree Membership card
3. Your banquet tickets
4. Name and number of the Assembly you are joining.

EXEMPLIFICATION SCHEDULE

Registration of Candidates 9:30 AM
Ladies of Candidates report 10:45 AM
Ladies Entertainment 11:00 AM
Exemplification..... 11:15 AM
Lunch 1:00 PM

SCHEDULE OF FEES

Candidate Initiation Fee includes one banquet ticket, lapel pin, social baldric, and processing fees.

Lay Candidates, Deacons and
Seminarians..... \$70.00
Priests & Members of Religious Orders \$40.00
Additional Banquet Tickets \$30.00
Ladies Activities \$20.00

Each candidate will receive one free banquet ticket, but reserve a seat through the event website. No credit allowed if the candidate does not attend the banquet.

If paying by check, make payable to the Master of the Fourth Degree.

LADIES ENTERTAINMENT

There will be entertainment for the Ladies.
Dress will be casual. Cost is \$20.

DRESS

The official dress for the Fourth Degree Exemplification is:

- Dark suit
- White dress shirt
- Dress shoes
- Members of the armed forces, police and firefighters may wear dress uniforms
- Religious may wear their clerical garb

Current members may also wear the current uniform or dark suit with social baldric, (under the jacket) and PG-113 lapel pin.

CANDIDATES WITH SPECIAL NEEDS
Candidates with medical or physical disabilities are to report to the District Marshal. Their assembly will escort those with special needs to and from the exemplification room.

DEADLINES

Applications for membership . **September 11, 2019**
Banquet reservations **September 11, 2019**
Ladies Activity reservation..... **September 11, 2019**

Registration, Banquet & Ladies Activity:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/maryland-knights-of-columbus-fourth-degree-exemplification-registration-58934513717>

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Councils: 205, 2901, 14102

Chief Justice Taney Assembly #376

FN: Michael Petro 301-689-2003
Councils: 586, 1058, 1442, 1771, 5450

Msgr. Edward Mickle Assembly #378

FN: Charles Meenehan 410-546-4992
Councils: 3489, 11616

James Cardinal Gibbons Assembly #379

FN: Dennis Ford 410-840-0266
Councils: 1393, 5208, 7612, 9127, 11631

St. Francis Xavier Assembly #380

FN: David Meneghini 410-303-6560
Councils: 2002, 2427, 4714, 6188

Admiral William S. Benson, USN Assembly #381

FN: Tom Newcomb 443-722-5331
Councils: 5263, 7025, 8251, 10881, 11214, 11552, 14534

Bishop McNamara Assembly #384

FN: Bryan Kurtyka 301-988-7150
Councils: 1622, 11703, 14726, 14011

Archbishop Francis P. Keough Assembly #385

FN: John Gallup 410-812-2114
Councils: 2521, 5058, 6021, 9462, 11615, 11787

Pangborn Assembly #387

FN: John Navarro 301-512-3980
Councils: 1365

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Assembly #1620

FN: John Journell 410-242-6734
Councils: 1960, 4449, 5466, 7559, 9638, 10648, 11898, 13294

Fr. Joseph Mosley Assembly #1929

FN: Richard Barrow 410-829-4360
Councils: 2274, 12054

Christopher Columbus Assembly #2272

FN: Joseph Nichols 443-838-2463
Councils: 370, 2452, 2605, 2942, 10137, 13859

Pope Saint Paul VI Assembly #2367

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Councils: 3413, 10966, 14612

Archbishop John Carroll Assembly #2378

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Councils: 8736, 9729, 10100, 11372

Pope John Paul II Assembly #2454

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Fr. Michael J. McGivney Assembly #2595

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Fr. James Willard Lutz Assembly #2702

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Councils: 7941, 14189, 11248

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Councils: 11815, 12255, 15985

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Councils: 11618, 12180, 12524, 14099

Our Lady of Victory Assembly #3389

FN: Karl Tschanz 717-424-9979
Councils: 4011, 9815

Fr. Stanley Janaites Assembly #3394

FN: Darryl Kauffnam 410-655-0997
Councils: 3960, 16104, 13069

Bishop John Dubois Assembly #3483

FN: Jesse Stansbury 301-524-9666
Councils: 1860, 1965, 11975

St. Joseph's Assembly #3502

FN: Frank Corazza 410-804-2628
Councils: 4606, 14535, 15768, 10137

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EXEMPLIFICATION OF THE FOURTH DEGREE



**Exemplification
Saturday, September 21, 2019**

**Exemplification Honoree:
VSM Wayne Freet**

**Columbus Gardens
4301 Klosterman Ave, Baltimore, MD 21236
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