



2019-2020 Leadership

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<http://kofcAssembly2595.org>

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A Wish for a Blessed Christmas Season

The Assembly leadership wishes all of our members and their families a blessed Christmas season, and hope for a happy and productive New Year!

Assembly Meeting on Thursday, December 26

This is just a reminder that our Assembly is not taking a break over the Christmas holidays. Our December Assembly meeting will be held at 7:30 pm on Thursday, December 26, at the Church of the Resurrection, Ellicott City. The meeting will be held in the multi-purpose rooms (under the gymnasium).

We recognize that a number of Assembly members will be out of town over the holidays, or hosting family members locally. But if you have no other commitments, please make an effort to participate, as we will be discussing our upcoming events, particularly our Assembly's Navigator's Room for the March 13-14 Exemplification weekend.

Christmas Cards for Deployed Military

Sir Knights at St. Peter's, Libertytown, made a number of Christmas cards available to parishioners and to students in the religious education classes, who wrote messages on them for deployed members of the military. About 30 cards were delivered to Former Master Tom Greul for shipment. Thanks to Past Faithful Navigator Mike Bir for coordinating this activity.

Chili Cook-off Fundraiser on Saturday, January 18

Help support our Patriotic Programs! Enjoy our fourth annual Chili Cook-off Fundraiser on Saturday evening, January 18, 2020, at 6:15 pm, in the church hall at the Church of the Resurrection in Ellicott City.

Come and taste-test up to 15 different home-made chili recipes for a nominal fee of \$10.00 (adults, 15 & over); \$5.00 (ages 5 to 14); under 5 free. There is a \$30 maximum for a family of 5 or more. Then vote for your favorite by placing your ticket in front of that crock pot. It's a very filling and tasty meal! Included are a toppings bar (cheese, sour cream, and onions), corn bread, water, tea, and lemonade. Sodas are \$1.00 each.

We are also looking for more of our Sir Knight chefs to contribute a chili for the tasters to evaluate. If you can contribute a chili, please contact Past Faithful Navigator Marty Nau at writenau@gmail.com.



From the Navigator's Stateroom ...

Christmas is here and I wish all Assembly members and their families a wonderful Christmas and a safe and happy New Year. I look forward to the many upcoming events that our Assembly has planned for 2020.



First, even before the new year begins, we have our December business meeting at the Church of the Resurrection at 7:30 pm on Thursday, December 26. Second, we kick off the new year with the Chili Cook-Off at Church of the Resurrection on Saturday, January 18, at 6:15 pm, following the 5:15 pm Mass. I have a list of those who provided chilis last year, and I will be asking if you can do this again this year. This is only one of two fundraisers to help support the Assembly's events during the year, so we need your support.

Next up is the 4th Degree Exemplification in Ocean City, MD, on Saturday, March 14. All Assembly members are encouraged to attend with wives/girlfriends. Rooms will be available at the Princess Royal Hotel, 9100 Costal Highway, Ocean City, MD 21842. Color Corp members will be needed to assist with this important event. See the trifold at the end of this newsletter.

Next, on March 26, we have our Renewal of Obligations at St. Michael's Church in Poplar Springs (the official 4th Degree uniform must be worn at this event).

As always, I want to thank Worthy Color Corps Commander Marty Nau for organizing the Color Corps participation in multiple events during the last several weeks, including several funerals and the Delaware District Exemplification. Our Color Corps is, and has always been, appreciated by outsiders who attend events where we are involved. I will have more to say about Color Corps participation at funeral events at the December business meeting.

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year!

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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@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, December 26, 7:30 pm, Assembly meeting at Church of the Resurrection, Ellicott City
Saturday, January 18, 6:15 pm, 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.

Hotel

The Princess Royal Hotel in Ocean City will be our host for this Exemplification. Hotel reservations can be made online at <https://princessroyale.com/groups/#book-now> or by calling (800) 476-9253 and reference group code 2972 to ensure you get the group discount.

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
Mass 4:00 PM
Reception (Cash Bar) 5:00 PM
Banquet 5:30 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 \$50.00
Ladies Activities \$35.00

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.
Mail to SK Gil Boisvert. 1211 Farley Court, Arnold, MD 21012.**

LADIES ENTERTAINMENT

There will be entertainment for the Ladies.
Dress will be casual.

EXEMPLIFICATION DRESS CODE

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.

REGISTRATION DEADLINES

February 29, 2020

Registration, Banquet & Ladies Activity:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/maryland-knights-of-columbus-fourth-degree-exemplification-march-2020-tickets-84453601997>

Hotel Registration

<https://princessroyale.com/groups/#book-now>

Group Code: 2972

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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: Shawn Ruby 410-866-4932
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

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

Pope Saint Paul VI Assembly #2367

FN: Jim Juknelis 410-412-4466
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Councils: 7941, 14189, 11248

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FN: Lawrence Cornelius 314-210-7510
Councils: 11815, 12255, 15985

Col. Anthony F. Naples, USA Assembly #3245

FN: Frank Caruso 301-890-4564
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

St. Alfonso Maria De Liquori #3769

FN: Jose O Rodriguez Escobar 443-822-0465
Councils: 1384, 2809, 16611

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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**EXEMPLIFICATION OF THE
FOURTH DEGREE**



**Exemplification
Saturday, March 14, 2020**

**Exemplification Honoree:
SK Rev. Msgr. Martin Fields**

**Princess Royale Hotel
9100 Costal Hwy., Ocean City, MD 21842**