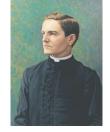


St. Mary, Mother of Christ Queen of the Knights

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# **ASSEMBLYLINE**

### FATHER ANDREW WHITE ASSEMBLY #377 KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FOURTH DEGREE



Fr. Michael McGivney Founder of our Beloved Order

May 2012



#### Faithful Navigator's Message

Brothers and Friends,

Mark your calendars for Father Andrew White Assembly's annual Flag Day Awards Banquet, 14 June, at Victorian Candle B n' B. We'll gather at 7:30 pm (or, as soon as we can break away from our Flag Day duties) for refreshments and have dinner at 8 pm, followed by a short program. The Victorian Candle, located at 25065 Peregrine Way (just off Sotterley Road), in Hollywood, is owned and operated by Sir Knight Jim Dexter and his wife, Susan.

The menu will be the same as last year (it was SO good, I didn't dare change it): smoked turkey with garlic potatoes, Susan's string beans, salad, iced tea and hot coffee or tea, and the specialty of the house for dessert - Jim's famous Pineapple Upside Down Cake. All of this for \$25 per person, including a gratuity for the hardworking Dexter children. You may pay our Faithful Comptroller at the event.

Please let me know if you and your guests will attend so I can submit a headcount in a timely manner. Contact me at my number or address below as soon as you know, but no later than 7 June, please. If I don't acknowledge your email, please call me, because that means I didn't receive it.

Patriotically,

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# FATHER ANDREW WHITE ASSEMBLY #377 KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FOURTH DEGREE

May 2012

#### Faithful Admiral's Message

Worthy Sir Knights and Worthy Brother Knights,

The hard work for membership is done for this Fraternal Year. I would like to thank all for their efforts in recruiting our 12 new sir knights! But the job does continue at a slower pace. Continue to work with those Brother Knights who expressed an interest in becoming a Fourth Degree Knight and either arrange for them to get to a Fourth Degree Exemplification at some point during the balance of this Fraternal Year, or line them up for Exemplification next year. Also, start to prepare other new Knights for the Fourth Degree next year, and we will be ahead of the game and will have an extremely successful membership drive next Fraternal Year.

Thanks again and Vivat Jesus!
Micheal W. Thumm, DD, PGK, PFN
Faithful Admiral, Father Andrew White Assembly



# FATHER ANDREW WHITE ASSEMBLY #377 KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FOURTH DEGREE

May 2012

#### **District Deputy #8**

#### Brothers,

When you bring a friend into our order, be more than just his proposer. Be a mentor to him. Here's a simple Mentor Checklist for your use. You may want to expand on the idea and add to it.

Take the new man to his

First degree

Second degree

Third degree

Make sure the chairmen of programs he is interested in have his contact info; introduce him to them.

Remind him of the council's meeting date and offer him a ride there.

Ask/remind the GK to introduce him during the first meeting he attends.

Before and after the meeting, introduce him to other individual members.

If he stops coming around, reach out and find out why!

You'll be making sure his "experience of a lifetime" is a good one.

Thanks for all you do! Jerry Hicks District Deputy #8



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#### Intentions of the Holy Father, Pope Benedict XVI

**General Intention:** That those who work in the media may always respect truth, solidarity and the dignity of each person.

**Missionary Intention:** That the Lord may grant the Church in China the capacity to persevere in fidelity to the Gospel and to grow in unity.

### The Knight's Prayer

Our Lady, Queen of the Knights, bless all the activities of our order. Keep us true to our pledge, to extend the Kingship of thy Divine Son on Earth. Through thine intercession, win for us the grace ever to exemplify in our public and private lives, the virtues which should characterize those specially dedicated to the service of the heavenly court. Make us always aware, that as your Knights, we are constantly observed, our faith judged, and our order appreciated. Accept O Mary, this renewed pledge of fealty and devotion of thy servants, the Knights of Columbus. Amen.



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#### A Prayer for all Veterans:

We ask for blessings on all those who have served their country in the armed forces. We ask for healing for the veterans who have been wounded, in body and soul, in conflicts around the globe. We pray especially for the young men and women, in the thousands, who are coming home from Iraq with injured bodies and traumatized spirits. Bring solace to them, O Lord; may we pray for them when they cannot pray. We ask for, echoing John Paul II, an end to wars and the dawning of a new era of peace, As a way to honor all the veterans of past wars.

Have mercy on all our veterans from World War II, Korea, Vietnam, Iraq, Bring peace to their hearts and peace to the regions they fought in. Bless all the soldiers who served in non-combative posts; May their calling to service continue in their lives in many positive ways.

Give us all the creative vision to see a world which, grown weary with fighting, Moves to affirming the life of every human being and so moves beyond war. Hear our prayer, O Prince of Peace, hear our prayer. Amen.



TO:





### **Assembly Meetings & Other Events**

Flag Day Awards Banquet 14 June 2012

Gather at 7:30 pm

Dinner at 8:00 pm

Location:

The Victorian Candle

25065 Peregrine Way

Hollywood, MD