

# **4TH NEWS**

## **BISHOP PAUL F. REDING ASSEMBLY 1981**

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### FAITHFUL NAVIGATOR'S REPORT



February was a busy month. An Honour Guard was formed and attended the funeral of SK Benjamin Nachuk, I also attended his wake with GK Roberto Pegoraro and presented the Resolution of Condolence to the family. Following the funeral, the honour guard attended four confirmations at St Mathews. The last activity was the Special

Olympics Flag relay. We were pleased to have our District Master Dan Lohin as a welcome addition to the Honour Guard for the Flag Relay. Our February meeting was cancelled in the interest of safety due to weather concerns, our next scheduled Assembly Meeting is March 20<sup>th</sup>; please mark your calendar.

The month of March is the beginning of Lent. On Ash Wednesday, March 6<sup>th</sup>, we attend Mass and receive ashes and in doing so we are reminded that our time here is not forever and this is but a journey we make to our eternal home. How we make the journey and how we get to our eternal home is left up to us. As children we promised to give up something for lent, candy or games or not fighting with brothers or sisters, obeying your parents. As adults we will probably think of giving up something for



NEXT MEETING: Wednesday March 20, 2019 7:30 pm Marian Hall



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Lent but likely not with the same enthusiasm we had as children. I know I need to try and consider doing something meaningful to recognise Lent and to remind myself of my journey and where I am today. Today the practise of attending daily Mass during Lent is not as embraced as it was before. This Lent I want to make a special effort

to attend week day Mass once or twice or maybe more often. It does not need to be in the morning as today many parishes offer evening Mass once or twice during the week. Lent is a special time, an opportunity for us to reflect on our life's journey and take account of where we are and where we need to be, I urge each to consider where you are on your spiritual journey and take advantage of this Lenten season to renew yourself.

By the time this newsletter is out the meeting of bishops in Rome to determine how to prevent sexual abuse by members of the clergy will have concluded. I sincerely hope that a determination to resolve and put an end to this offending action is formulated and put into practise. The church faces a crucial situation, the laity is expressing concern and disbelief at the scale of this offensive and destructive behaviour, the church must resolve this. I sincerely hope that a consensus was reached, and affirmative action put in place to restore trust and dignity to all the priesthood.

## Vivat Jesus

## Sir Knight Ron Sullivan Faithful Navigator Bishop Reding Assembly 1981





## FAITHFUL PILOT'S REPORT

## S. K. Stephen Hoo

#### DECEASED:

#### IN NEED OF OUR PRAYERS:

- Loretta Floris, wife of SK PFN PGK Jacob Floris
- Collette Livingstone, wife of S.K. PGK Andy Livingstone
- S.K. PGK Andy Livingstone
- S.K. PGK, PFN Bob McCarney
- S.K. John Skanes
- S.K. Reverend Peter Watters
- Mary Hayward, daughter of S.K. PGK FN Ron Sullivan

#### IN HOSPITAL:

- Lisa Zak\*, wife of **S.K. Pat Zak**
- Louise Dupley, daughter of S.K. PGK Andy Livingstone
- \* in intensive care at Mount Sinai Hospital and in need of special prayers

#### PRAYER

"Dear Lord, we thank you for the blessings you have bestowed on us: health, employment, financial stability, friends and family. Please continue to guide us, strengthen us and extend your healing protection over our friends and family members. Please allow us to act righteously to provide comfort, healing, and earthly strength to our brothers and sisters, in Your name, with the skills to which you have gifted us. Lead us Lord and help us to do Your will. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ, Your son, our Healer and Lord. Amen!"

Mary Queen of Knights, Pray for Us For these and for all those who might be in need of our prayers, we pray!

#### CONTACTS FOR INPUT OF SICK AND DECEASED:

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<u>Note to Above Listing</u>: We the Knights of Columbus support the privacy of Member, Family and Friends when compiling the PRAYER list. If you wish us to place a name on the list, please ask the person who we are praying for if they want to be put on the list and whether they wish their ailments to be disclosed. Indicate when and if they wish to be removed from the list!

## UPCOMING MEETINGS

GENERAL MEETINGS—3RD WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH 7:30 PM MARIAN HALL



#### **MEETING DATES:**

#### Wednesdays:

March 20, 2019 April 17, 2019 May 15, 2019 June 19, 2019 July 17, 2019 August 21, 2019 September 18, 2019

## FAITHFUL CAPTAIN'S REPORT S.K. Renfred D'Sousa



Worthy Knights of the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Bishop Paul F. Reding Assembly:

Due to weather conditions the General Body meeting which was to be held on 20<sup>th</sup> Feb 2019 was cancelled. As such there is nothing to report from that meeting.

The next General Body meeting will be held on 20<sup>th</sup> March 2019 at the Marian Hall. I look forward to seeing more of you attend.

The Founders Day Mass will be held on the March 28<sup>th</sup> at St Mathews Parish in Oakville at 7:00 pm. The Colour Guard will be in attendance. All those who can make it to take part in the Colour Guard please sign up on the website.

A Lenten Mission by His Grace – Peter Hundt, Archbishop of St John's NL, will be held at St Michael's Parish from Sunday March 17<sup>th</sup> to Tuesday Mar 19<sup>th</sup> every evening starting at 7:00 pm. The theme is "Lord it is Good to be Here".

For opportunities to take part in the Color Guard events please refer to the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree website.

#### Renfred D'Sousa

Faithful Captain

NAPPY BIRTHDAY

Anthony Saade Anthony Walker William Wright Vince Farano David Walter James Donnelly Arthur O'Sullivan Eduardo P Paguel Peter Houzon **Daniel McCash** Steven Reynolds Joseph Di Paolo Eduardo Paguel Rev Fr. Robert J Hetu Liberato Di Bacco Robert Dorey Benjamin Nachuk Steve Montague Patrick Zak Patrick Compagnon

James and Ivy Mendez John Eddy and Lori O'Boyle



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#### **COLOUR GUARD EVENTS**



EVENT: FOUNDERS DAY MASS

LOCATION: ST MATTHEW PARISH, 1150 MONKS PASSAGE

DATE: Thursday, March 28, 2019

TIME: 7:00 pm (gather at 6:30 pm)

LEAD: S.K. James Montague

BISHOP REDING EXECUTIVE OFFICERS 2018/2019

Faithful Friar Fr. Louis Lenssen, CRSP

Faithful Navigator Ron Sullivan, PGK,

Faithful Captain Renfred D'Sousa

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## **Special Olympics Pictures**

On Feb 13th, the Special Olympics Flag came to Oakville as part of the Knights of Columbus Flag Relay. The Flag Relay was a province-wide effort to show support for Special Olympics and the athletes within our communities. The Knights of Columbus recognized our own Special Olympians by having a special flag relay ceremony at St. Thomas Aquinas Secondary School. Below are pictures from the event.



# **Special Olympics Pictures (continued)**









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17 ST. PATRICK'S DAY	18		20 GENERAL MEETING	21	22	23
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