

4TH NEWS

BISHOP PAUL F. REDING ASSEMBLY 1981

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September 2018

CHARITY

FRATERNITY PATRIOTISM

Sir Knight of the Year

UNITY

On June 18, the Assembly's Annual Awards Dinner was held at the Marian Hall. Our Past Faithful Navigator Andrew Eckstein hosted the event and honoured several Sir and Lady Knights as well as handing out several awards.

The Sir Knight of the Year award was given to Sir Knight David Fisher. PFN Andrew Eckstein highlighted David's leader-



ship over the past fraternal year as a Commander to lead and organize the Colour Guard at various events at the same time as being the Grand Knight at Mary Mother of God Council 14446

In addition to the Sir Knight of the Year award, PGK Andrew Eckstein also awarded the **Faithful Navigator** Colour Guard

award to Sir Knight Stephen Hoo for his regular and faithful



September 19, 2018 7:30 pm Marian Hall



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FAITHFUL NAVIGATOR'S REPORT

S.K. Ron Sullivan



Sir Knights, this is first report to you as your Faithful Navigator. I thought I would begin by giving you a picture of my back ground as a Knight of Columbus. As parishioners of St. Catherine of Siena Parish, the Knights were holding a recruitment drive at the parish and I signed up as I was interested to find out what the Knights were all about. After signing up we were contacted, and arrangements made for a visit by knights to our home. The purpose of the visit was to explain what the knights were about and to evaluate whether I was a suitable candidate and that my wife agreed with my becoming a member of the Knights. I passed the interview and I was on my way to becoming a knight. I completed my 3rd degree in November of 1965 and have been a consistent member since.

I joined the newly formed 1st council in Mississauga, John F. Kennedy Council 5523 serving in many offices such as Treasurer, Financial Secretary, Deputy Grand Knight, Grand Knight and 6 Points Chairman. As Grand Knight my first pressing act was to find a new location for our council as our current location, the old St Patrick's Church located on the corner of Dundas and Dixie Rd was due to be demolished. After meeting with the pastor of the new Saints Martha and Mary Parish JFK Council moved there in 1970. Over the years the council has contributed to expansion of this church through years of bingo.

It was not until 2004 that I transferred to Marian Council 3881. When Mary Mother of God Council was formed I became a charter member. Later after we left Mary Mother of God Parish and rejoined St Michael Parish I transferred back to Marian Council as Mary Mother of God Council is a parish council. In all my years I never considered becoming a 4th Degree Knight as I found I was always busy with the 3rd.

However, as this activity eventually slowed I wanted to end my years of membership by becoming a 4th Degree Knight, the final step in completing all degrees. Like many of you who have joined the 4th it was my intention to serve a s a senior member of the knights and contribute to the patriot mandate. I did not see myself serving in the Honour Guard and I wanted to contribute in other ways. I came to the realization that the Honour Guard is a very integral part of being a 4th Member. However, I did see there were other ways to serve. Having been elected Faithful Navigator. I have become a member of the honour guard as I feel that in this position it is preferably that I participate fully. I must tell you that my election as Faithful Navigator was a complete surprise and I am not sure I was elected because I did attend some meetings, did serve as a trustee, made a presentation to a school on Remembrance Day or there was no else available. Whatever the reason it is my intention to serve to the best of my ability and in doing so I would extend an invitation to all members of Bishop Reding Assembly to attend a couple of meetings this new fraternal year. Over the last 8 years I have probably met or seen 30 or so members of our assembly, I would like to meet a few more of you, there are activities we need help with, you do not need to be a member of the Honour Guard to serve in the Patriotic Degree, the assembly needs your help and presence. September 19th is the installation of officers, our District Master will be here to officiate, a very brief meeting will follow and then a social time to meet Danyl Lohin Master of District 8. It would be most assuring to see and meet as many of you as possible not only on September 19th but at some of our regular meetings held on the 3rd Wednesday of each month.

Vivat Jesus

Ron Sullivan, Faithful Navigator, Bishop Reding Assembly 1981

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participation at many Colour Guard events over the 2017/18 Fraternal Year.

The Maurice Ducharme Award was presented to the Faithful Captain F. Wayne Kendall for his efforts in leading the To Be a Patriot program.

Other Acknowledgements given by the PFN included: Sir Knight Martin Kosterman for 25 years of Loyal Service; Sir Knight Joe and Lady Maeve McNally for 50 years of marriage; Sir Knight Patrick and Lady Irene Compagnon for 55 years of marriage; and Father Louis Lenssen for 40 years of Loyal Service.



Sir Knight Wayne and Lady Johanna Kendall



Sir Knight Joe and Lady Maeve McNally



Sir Knight Martin Kosterman

Sir Knight Stephen Hoo.



Sir Knight Patrick and Lady Irene Compagnon

Father Louis Lenssen





FAITHFUL PILOT'S REPORT

S. K. Stephen Hoo

As of August 29, 2018:

IN NEED OF OUR PRAYERS:

- 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 Waters
- Mary Hayward, daughter of S.K. FN Ron Sullivan

IN HOSPITAL:

Louise Dupley, daughter of S.K. PGK Andy Livingstone

DECEASED:

- Sir Knight Patrick Guay
- Sir Knight Reverend Monsignor Peter Coughlin

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:

S.K. Stephen Hoo, Faithful Pilot, Bishop Paul F. Reding Assembly, 905-257-4124 shoo@cogeco.ca

The following have been contacted either through the Grand Knights or directly to ensure the flow of information:

Marian Council 3881

Sick and Deceased - S.K. Peter Bonfield, 905-844-2332 pmbonfield@sympatico.ca

- <u>Coordinators</u> S.K. Bob McCarney, 905-844-6732 mccarneyb@skylinc.net
 - S.K. Paul Waters, 905-319-9563 paulh2os@cogeco.ca

Mary Mother of God Council 14446

- S.K. Milt Cowan PGK, PFN, FDD, 905-842-4319 miltcowan@cogeco.ca

<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!

JUNE EXEMPLIFICATION—WELCOME TO OUR SIR KNIGHTS

At the June Exemplification, the Bishop Reding Assembly welcomed three new members:

Sir Knight George Howie from Council 3881; Sir Knight John Garofano from Council 3881; and Sir Knight John Casullo from Council 14446.



PFN Wayne Kendall, Sir Knight George Howie, Father Louis Lennsen, Sir Knight John Garofano, Sir Knight John Casullo, Faithful Commander David Fisher, and Faithful Navigator Ron Sullivan.



UPCOMING MEETINGS

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



MEETING DATES:

Wednesdays:

September 19, 2018 October 17, 2018 November 21, 2018 No December Meeting January 16, 2019 February 20, 2019 March 20, 2019 April 17, 2019 May 15, 2019 June 19, 2019

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



Worthy Knights of the 4th Degree Bishop Paul F. Reding Assembly, as the new Faithfull Captain of the Assembly for the coming term I look forward to the year ahead. In this role my objective is to increase the participation of members of the 4th Degree in the General Body meetings.

The General Body meetings (GBM) are held on the 3rd Wednesday of the month at the

Knight of Columbus Hall in Oakville. The meetings provide a forum to network with other new members and to catch up with existing members.

The first GBM meeting for the new term will be held on the 19th of September. At this meeting the new Officers will be sworn in. We invite you all to attend the meeting and meet up.

The To Be A Patriot program needs Knights to speak at the schools. Those interested in participating please contact S.K. Wayne Kendall for details.

There is a position on the current executive team for a Communications Director. Those interested please contact our Worthy Navigator S.K. Ron Sullivan.

Vivat Jesus

Renfred D'Sousa Faithful Captain



Mario Rodriguez Rev. Father Peter Watters John Howard Terence Mulloy Alan Osborne Manuel Medeiros Michael Parsons Stephen Hoo Robert Harason

William and Miriam Wright Michael and Janice Cassidy Louis and Maria Aiello Antoon and Francis Paret Ronald and Chantal Gauthier Leo and Elizabeth Campbell Kevin and Virgilia Badour Ed and Marie Viana Brendan and Mary Wall Francis and Pauline Collins

COLOUR GUARD EVENTS



EVENT:	Installation of Officers - General Meeting			
LOCATION:	Marian Hall 1494 Wallace Road			
DATE:	Wednesday September 19th			
TIME:	7:30 pm			



BISHOP REDING EXECUTIVE OFFICERS 2018/2019

Faithful Friar Fr. Louis Lenssen, CRSP

Faithful Navigator Ron Sullivan, PGK,

Faithful Captain Renfred D'Sousa

Faithful Admiral Jacob Floris, PFN, PGN, FDW 905-399-4400

Faithful Pilot Stephen Hoo

Faithful Comptroller Ron Kwapis

Faithful Purser Brian Thornton

Faithful Scribe Martin Kosterman, PGK, FDD

Faithful Inner Sentinel Melchor Jose

Faithful Outer Sentinel John Casullo

Faithful Trustee 2019 F. Wayne Kendall, PGK, PFN, DD

Faithful Trustee 2020 Liberato DiBacco

Faithful Trustee 2021 Andy Livingston

Membership Director Jacob Floris PFN

Faithful Commander David Fisher

OTHER OFFICERS

Communication Director Vacant

"To Be A Patriot" Chair F. Wayne Kendall, PGK, PFN, DD

Assembly Newsletter Editor Roberto Pegoraro

Diocesan Chair Brian Dobson

Communication Officer Vacant

Webmaster David Fisher

		September 2018					
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
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2	3 LABOUR DAY	4	5	6	7	8	
9	10	11 Council 3881 General Meeting 7:30 pm	12	13	14	15	
16	17	18	19 GENERAL MEETING 7:30 PM- MARIAN HAL	20	21	22	
23	24	25 14446 General Meeting 7:30 pm	26 40 DAYS FOR LIFE BEGINS	27	28	29	
30	40DA	From September 26 to November 4, our community will take part in 40 Days for Lift a groundbreaking, coordinated international mobilization. We pray that, with God's help, this will mark the beginning of the end of abortion in our city — and beyond.					