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LADIES AUXILIARY

Our Ladies Auxiliary is
being reorganized

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WORTHY OFFICERS 2017 - 2018

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CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE

Back in the 1980's you may remember the song, "Do They Know It's Christmas," recorded in one day by a group of artists after reports of a severe famine in Ethiopia. The refrain of the song announced the purpose of the music, "Feed the world." After those words were sung several times, a challenge was added with the verse, "Let them know it's Christmas time again."

I think that phrase captures the spirit of the Knights of Columbus putting your faith into action. When you put up Christmas decorations with a religious theme and display a manger, you let people know it's Christmas time. When you help someone move, you let them know its Christmastime. When you serve a dinner for Christmas Day, you let them know it's Christmas time. At your council family Christmas dinner, you remind the members and their families that it's Christmas time. When you help bring one of our military home for the holidays, you let them know it's Christmas time. When you support Christians persecuted for their faith, you let them know it's Christmas time. When you raise money for charity, you let them knows it's Christmas time. When you defend life, especially the unborn, you let them know it's Christmas time.

Any time is a good time to be a Knight of Columbus, but this time of the year it is especially good because you help bring Christmas to so many people. Keep spreading the Faith, and as an order based in Charity, "Let them know it's Christmas time again."

Merry Christmas!

Msgr. Ken

GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

MERRY CHRISTMAS!

In an increasingly secular world, many Catholics are faced with the difficulty of sharing the faith. With the hustle and bustle of Christmas shopping and the frequent removal of religious imagery from Christmas displays, it seems that communities have forgotten Christ, the gift God provided for our salvation and the beauty of His birth.

On Christmas Day, Jesus Christ is born. Jesus Christ, “Son of the Father”, “Firstborn of all creation”, “Light of the World”, “Word was made flesh”, “Lamb of God”, “King of kings”, “Shepherd and guardian of your souls” and “Savior of the World”!!! This is how our Catholic faith refers to Christ. As Knights of Columbus we are Catholic Gentlemen and we should reflect Christ in the way we live and in our lives. Our responsibility is to bring Christ to are families, friends and communities. So, during this Advent and Christmas season do the easiest thing you can do to reflect Christ, say

MERRY CHRISTMAS!

Vivat Jesus,
Ed Massari G.K.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS



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December 3: ST. MARY’S MONTHLY BREAKFAST: Sponsored by Knights of Columbus Annunciation Council 3826 will be hosting a parish breakfast with a family friendly cost in the Parish Center from 8:00am until 12:00 noon, every first Sunday. We hope your family will join our families for a little food and community camaraderie. *Volunteers are needed and always welcome.*

December 12: ANNUAL COUNCIL CHRISTMAS DINNER: Start time is 6:00PM in Msgr. Reinbold Hall. Families are Welcome...NO THEY'RE REQUIRED! Please help us support the "OPEN DOOR PREGNANCY CENTER" by bringing a box of Diapers or Baby Wipes for Donation.

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February 16: LENTEN FISH FRY: We are doing our Lenten Fish Fry's again this year.

February 23: Starting Friday February 16th during Lent.

March 2: Where: At St Mary's Parish Center at the Pines in Manahawkin.

March 9: Homemade Soup, Beer Battered Cod, Beer Battered Shrimp, French Fries,

March 16: Coleslaw, Cocktail/Tarter/Lemon/Malt Vinegar, Coffee, Soda and Desert. Kids meal, Mac and Cheese or Pizza.

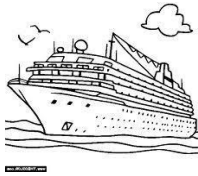
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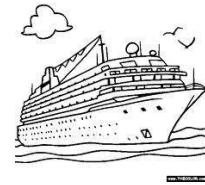
Time: 4:30/7:30 pm

Bring your family and friends and have a good time!

February 24 PAST GRAND KNIGHT DINNER/DANCE: More information to follow.



UPCOMING CRUISES



February 10-22, 2018: Twelve-night Southern Caribbean cruise on Royal Caribbean “Grandeur of the Sea”. Cost is \$829.00 per person.

September 28 - October 8, 2018: Ten-day cruise to Canada and New England on NCL Gem. Cost from \$1,385.42 per person includes two free amenities and an overnight stay in Quebec.



UPCOMING BUS TRIPS



February 26, 2018: Trip to Sands Casino, Bethlehem, PA. Cost of \$39.00 per person, includes transportation, driver gratuity, \$30.00 casino credit and \$5.00 food coupon.

March 6, 2018: Trip to Philadelphia Flower Show. Cost of \$65.00 per person, includes admission ticket, transportation, driver gratuity.

June 4-8, 2018: Trip to Niagara Falls. Cost of \$695.00 per person includes transportation, hotel, 4 breakfasts and 4 dinners, tours with tour escort, all taxes and gratuities.



UPCOMING TRIPS BY AIR



NO AIR TRIPS PLANNED AT THIS TIME

*Proceeds from all of our trips go to
St. Jude's Hospital, Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, and many others.
For information or reservations for any of these trips
please contact Charles Serwin at 609-978-0970*



Don't forget our **December 12th Meeting**
is our Annual Council **CHRISTMAS DINNER.**

Start time is **6:00PM**
in **Msgr. Reinbold Hall.**
Families are Welcome...

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"OPEN DOOR PREGNANCY CENTER"
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Diapers or Baby Wipes for Donation.

“Send a Hero Home for the Holidays”

Our State Treasurer, Jim Stoever again this year requested councils to donate to this program. This program helps send members of our armed forces currently stationed within our diocese at Joint Base McGuire, Dix, Lakehurst as well as Naval Weapons Station Earle & the Coast Guard stations in Point Pleasant and on Sandy Hook who would be unable to make the journey home to spend Christmas with their families.

We would like to thank all the additional contributors:

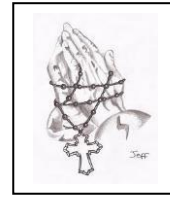
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The Donato Family	The Chris Rua Family	The O’Connor Family
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The Rinaldi Family	The Serrao Family	The Del Tufo Family
The Jarin Family	The Varina Family	The Council #3826 Family
Joe Rua	The Knight of Christ the Healer	Thank you

With the help of these families and our council family we were able to send a check for \$1675.00 to the New Jersey State Council of the Knights of Columbus to assist our armed forces.

Thank you all and may God bless you.



PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK OR IN NEED



Florence Meisner	Dec/2016	Pat Warsch	Jun/2017
Maria Mattei	Dec/2016	Rose Vital	Jun/2017
Catherine Campion	Jan/2017	John Morgan	Jun/2017
John Boekell	Jan/2017	Frank Aschenbrenner	Jul/2017
Ted Stopkowski	Jan/2017	Deacon Ron Haunss	Oct/2017
Serenity	Jan/2017	Deacon Phil Fiore	Oct/2017
Joe Bockin	Jan/2017	Jack Quigley	Oct/2017
Rose Vitale	Feb/2017	John Pescatore	Oct/2017
George Mcguire	Feb/2017	Michael Pescatore	Oct/2017
Eleanor Mattei	Mar/2017	William Moran	Nov/2017
Tim Ryan	Mar/2017	Gloria Sicilia	Nov/2017
Adele Tawney	May/2017	Austin Freely	Nov/2017
Patricia Sroczynski	May/2017	Noah Dominic	Nov/2017
Pam Sroczynski	May/2017	Gene Reinsel	Nov/2017
Lori Lueders	May/2017	Victims & families of 911	INDEF
Donald O'Connor	May/2017	Religious Liberties Act	INDEF
Father Mitch Lambeth	Jun/2017		
Philip Schmeer	Jun/2017		
Austin Freely	Jun/2017		
Josie Kelly	Jun/2017		
Deacon Joe Fiorillo	Jun/2017		

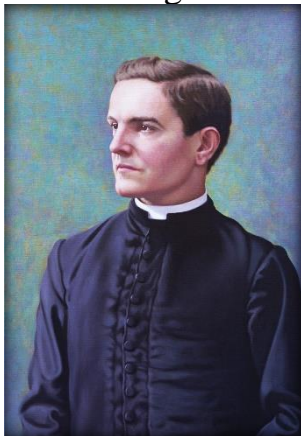
PRAYERS FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED

Joe Hathaway Jr.	Nov/2016	Lillian Pretera	Mar/2017
Ellen McCarrick	Nov/2016	Mary Fonts	Mar/2017
Terri Boehm-Patchus	Nov/2016	Angelo Fiore	Apr/2017
Christopher Morgan	Nov/2016	Betty Clarke	Apr/2017
Dolores Brandimarte	Dec/2016	George Walsh	Jul/2017
Frank Garrity	Dec/2016	Carol Lochte	Jul/2017
Tony Petasa	Jan/2017	James McFadden	Jul/2017
Steve McDonald	Jan/2017	Gerard Brandimarte	Jul/2017
Deacon Tim Collins	Jan/2017	Mark LaPrete	Aug/2017
John Paul Donnelly	Feb/2017	William Klaus	Sep/2017
Bob Damore	Feb/2017	Kenneth Cavanaugh	Sep/2017
Angelina Laqorte	Feb/2017	Robert Harth	Oct/2017
Joseph Milaro	Mar/2017	Ed Kelly	Oct/2017
Tony Juliano	Mar/2017		
George Dickey	Mar/2017		
Parker North	Mar/2017		

All names will remain on our prayer lists for one year.

Prayer to Father Michael J. McGivney

(Founder of the Knights of Columbus)



O great and glorious God, you imbued your holy priest,
 Father Michael J. McGivney,
 with deep priestly virtue and especially with pastoral concern for the poor,
 the orphan, the widow, for the Christian education of youth,
 for the protection of the faith of the working man of his day.

Now that his priestly ministry continues to spread to countless millions
 throughout the world through the efforts and influence of the Order
 of the Knights of Columbus, which Father McGivney founded,
 we beseech you, Heavenly Father, to raise your faithful servant, Michael,
 to the honors of the altar.

We ask this favor through our Lord Jesus Christ
 and His holy mother, Mary and our mother.

Amen.



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