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## THE KNIGHTS NEWS

Charity, Unity, Fraternity, Patriotism
Grand Knight – Edward Massari
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#### **COUNCIL MTGS.**

2nd Tuesday of the month Msgr. Reinbold Hall St. Mary's Church W. Bay Ave. Barnegat, NJ

#### **Columbian Squires**

Squire Circle for boys ages 10-18 for information contact Chief Counselor Tom Davies 347-728-2654

#### **OFFICERS MTGS.**

4th Monday of the month Msgr. Reinbold Hall St. Mary's Church W. Bay Ave. Barnegat, NJ

#### **Squire Rose Circle**

Squire Rose Circle for girls ages 10-18 for information contact Head Counselor Janine Davies 347-728-2655

#### **COLUMBIA CLUB MTGS.**

Scheduled as required St. Mary's Rectory W. Bay Ave. Barnegat, NJ

#### **LADIES AUXILIARY**

Our Ladies Auxiliary is being reorganized

## THE KNIGHTS NEWS / January 2018

### **WORTHY OFFICERS 2017 - 2018**

Friar	SK Msgr. Ken Tuzeneu	609-698-5531	<b>Inside Guard</b>	Ralph Pasqua	732-241-5886
Deputy Friar	SK Fr. Marcin Kania	609-698-5531	<b>Inside Guard</b>	Joseph Vaccaro	609-693-9954
Grand Knight	SK Edward Massari	609-698-8619	<b>Inside Guard</b>	Don Kralle	609-242-5896
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Lecturer	Ted Stopkowski	609-618-1122			

## CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE

As I write these words it is freezing outside! I have a feeling that it is going to be a cold winter. It is interesting that we describe someone who is not friendly as "cold." In Dante's Inferno, his vision of hell is that of the devil trapped in a sea of ice. Ultimately evil is cold.

Conversely, we speak of someone who is caring and understanding as "warm." Certainly, each of us has a different personality and some are more outgoing than others. Regardless, we are all called to "warm." Particularly as Knights of Columbus, we express our Faith by the way we treat one another and others. Our call to charity is a call to warmth.

As we go through what I believe will be a cold winter, let us spread the warmth of God's love! Happy New Year!

Msgr. Ken

## **GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE**

## Happy New Year!

With the beginning of this New Year 2018, I have heard it all, the reports of the worlds self-destructive issues, the powerful entertainment industry manipulation of women and our country's political conflicts and in-fighting, and more negativity from the so-called news industry, but I still find solace in the fact that I know God is watching over us.

1 Peter 1:3-9 "Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who in his great mercy gave us a new birth to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, to an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you who by the power of God are safeguarded through faith, to a salvation that is ready to be revealed in the final time. In this you rejoice, although now for a little while you may have to suffer through various trials, so that the genuineness of your faith, more precious than gold that is perishable even though tested by fire, may prove to be for praise, glory, and honor at the revelation of Jesus Christ. Although you have not seen him you love him; even though you do not see him now yet believe in him, you rejoice with an indescribable and glorious joy, as you attain the goal of your faith, the salvation of your souls."

In you, my brother Knights and your families, I know that "Charity, Unity, Fraternity, Patriotism" is not just a slogan. These words are who we are as Christians. We give of our time, of our talents, in support of our parish and community. We are out there in the world doing what is right and pleasing to God. I am humbled and privileged to know you all.

May you continue to walk the right road, and may God watch over you and your families throughout this upcoming year.

Vivat Jesus,

Ed Massari G.K.

## **INSURANCE MATTERS**

#### Basic knowledge on insurance products

For this month's column, I thought a little "Life Insurance 101" might be beneficial.

Whole life insurance is the most basic plan of permanent life insurance protection, and calls for premiums to be paid for your entire life, or to age 100. You may also consider another permanent life insurance product – one with guaranteed cash values – that offers a limited period of premium payments. The Knights of Columbus offers three permanent life insurance products for which premiums do not have to be paid for all of life.

"Twenty Pay Life" is exactly as the name suggests: a permanent plan with premiums payable for 20 years. After the premiums are paid for the 20 years, the plan is "paid up" and no more premiums are due. Unlike its term counterpart, however, the plan stays in force, the death benefit remains intact and the guaranteed cash value continues to grow.

Another such plan is our "Life Paid Up at 65." With this permanent product you pay premiums until you reach age 65. Then, premiums stop (just in time for retirement), but the plan remains very much in force.

Finally, the ultimate in limited pay is our Single Premium Life product. Imagine buying life insurance – permanent life insurance – and only paying one single premium? It's possible.

I have detailed information on all of these products. At your convenience, I'll meet with you and your wife to perform a free, custom-tailored needs analysis, to help determine which of our many life insurance products is right for you and your family.

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## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**



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#### January 7:

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.* 

#### January 19:

MARCH FOR LIFE BUS TRIP TO WASHINGTON DC: The Knights of Columbus invite you to join us for the "March for Life" bus trip to Washington DC" on Friday, Jan 19, 2018. The pick-up points are at St. Mary's Church, Barnegat at 7:30am and at St. Mary of the Pines Church in Manahawkin at 7:45 am. There will be a Mass before we leave at St. Mary's in Barnegat at 7am on Friday, Jan 19, 2018. There is a non-refundable fee of \$10 per person. We will make one stop on the way down and one stop at a Wegman's food court on the way back. We will return about 10pm. Please call Frank DeSena for reservations and information 609-698-0142 or 609-619-1933(C)

#### February 4:

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**<u>February 16:</u>** 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, Coleslaw, Cocktail/Tarter/Lemon/Malt Vinegar, Coffee, Soda and Desert.

Kids meal, Mac and Cheese or Pizza.

Take out is available. <u>Call:</u> 609-597-1814 Time: 4:30/7:30 pm

Bring your family and friends and have a good time!

February 24 PAST GRAND KNIGHT DINNER/DANCE: For more information see insert page.



# **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**



**<u>February 26, 2018:</u>** 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.

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

<u>June 4-8, 2018:</u> 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

# "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:

The Czurlanis Family	The Benedict Family	The Hughes Family
The Donato Family	The Chris Rua Family	The O'Connor Family
The Camilleri Family	The Melillo Family	The McNally Family
The Mike Rua Family	The Massari Family	The Meisner Family
The Caffrey Family	The Friedhoff Family	The Connell Family
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	The Meisner Family

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.



## Knights of Columbus Annunciation Council #3826

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Dear Members and Friends:

The Knights of Columbus Annunciation Council #3826 is proud to invite you to our Past Grand Knight Dinner Dance. Please join us in honoring and thanking Lou Serrao for all that he has done. Since seating is limited, it is important that you send in your money as soon as possible.

Please take a moment to complete the form below and mail it back with your check. Let's make this a great success. Thank you for your support.

Edward Massari, Grand Knight

## **Past Grand Knight Dinner Dance**

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#### Please R.S.V.P. by February 9, 2018 to: Sir Knight Michael Rua at 1-609-978-6508

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# PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK OR IN NEED



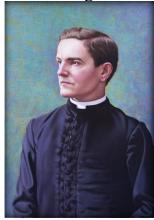
Catherine Campion	Jan/2017	Pat Warsch	Jun/2017
John Boekell	Jan/2017	Rose Vital	Jun/2017
Ted Stopkowski	Jan/2017	John Morgan	Jun/2017
Serenity	Jan/2017	Frank Aschenbrenner	Jul/2017
Joe Bockin	Jan/2017	Deacon Ron Haunss	Oct/2017
Rose Vitale	Feb/2017	Deacon Phil Fiore	Oct/2017
George Mcguire	Feb/2017	Jack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

# PRAYERS FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED

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	James Icklan	Dec/2017
George Dickey	Mar/2017		
Parker North	Mar/2017		
Lillian Prestera	Mar/2017		
Mary Fonts	Mar/2017		
Angelo Fiore	Apr/2017		
Betty Clarke	Apr/2017		
George Walsh	Jul/2017		
Carol Lochte	Jul/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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