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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

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## **WORTHY OFFICERS 2018 - 2019**

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## **CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE**

As we celebrate the founding of our nation we are reminded of the precious gift of freedom that has been given to us. Foremost among the freedoms guaranteed to us is one that is very dear to us as Catholics and as Knights of Columbus – religious liberty. Sadly we have seen a subtle but relentless assault on this right.

Here is part of a publication from the USCCB regarding current threats to religious freedom.

"During his September 2015 visit to the United States Pope Francis emphasized the importance of religious freedom, saying in front of the White House that religious 'freedom remains one of America's most precious possessions. And, as my brothers, the Unites States Bishops, have reminded us, all are called to be vigilant, precisely as good citizens, to preserve and defend that freedom from everything that would threaten or compromise it.'

Although Americans generally do not face the kind of violent persecution endured by many people of faith around the world, Pope Francis has recently spoken of a '**polite persecution**' that many people face, as 'when someone is persecuted not for confessing Christ's name, but for wanting to demonstrate the values of the Son of God.'"

This is evidenced by laws, court rulings, and a quiet hostility to people of faith. "Pope Francis has asked American Catholic to preserve and defend religious freedom, both in the United States and throughout the world." We are challenged to remain firm in our commitment to this most fundamental of our rights, always with a spirit of charity in contrast to those who seek to take it away.

As we celebrate our nation this month let us be resolved as Knights and Catholic men to thank God for the gifts granted to us and grow in determination to defend them. Happy Fourth of July. God bless America!

Msgr. Ken

# **GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE**

So many things are going on, keeping us busy. Summer is finally here. The Fourth of July, this country's Independence Day is part of this month. We think of how our founding fathers fought injustice, so that we could be free. Barbecues, beaches and a cold beverage in our hands are things that we look forward to, during this time of year. The St. Mary's Carnival is this month; many of us volunteer and enjoy the camaraderie.

We must be mindful of each other. Traffic congestion in the area, as the population swells to sometimes epic proportions, can be a challenge for us. As Catholic men, a fraternity of Christ, we must remember that we serve our God, our brothers and sisters, our country, even in times of inconvenience, hot weather and potentially hot tempers. "Your kindness should be known to all." ~ Philippians 4:5

May God continue to bless you and your families.

Vivat Jesus,

Ed Massari G.K.

## COLUMBIAN CLUB #3826 MESSAGE

This posting serves as the official announcement of an August meeting of the Columbian Club #3826 as required by our by-laws.

The meeting will take place in Monsignor Reinbold Hall on August 14th at 7:30pm, just before the start of the Knights meeting. At this meeting, the election of the slate for the 2018-2021 Officers will be voted on and if there are any nominations from the floor. The Election of Officers for the Columbian Club 3826 will be held before the August 2018 Knights meeting and an official announcement of that meeting will follow.



## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**



# PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBPAGE AT www.kofc3826.org FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **July 1:**
- 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*.
- July 17 22: ST. MARY'S "NIGHTS OF SUMMER" CARNIVAL: Annual event at the Parish Center from 6:00pm until 10:30pm. This year, the Squires will not be working the Dunking Booth, so I am looking for a few brother knights to help. If you can be there a night or two or six please contact the Grand Knight Ed Massari.
- August 4 5: LIGHT OF THE WORLD RETREAT: This is a parish weekend retreat experience, parish based, which basically conveys the "Kerygma" (Acts Chapter 2). It also includes a renewal of our three Sacraments of Initiation. It is a retreat which is meant to evangelize, that is, to help people come to a new, deeper personal relationship with Jesus Christ.
- September 2: 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*.
- **September 26:** SANDS CASINO TRIP: Trip to Sands Casino, Bethlehem, Pa. Cost of \$39.00 per person includes transportation, \$30.00 casino credit and \$5.00 food voucher.

# Congratulations to our 2018 Mahler/Purcell Scholarship Award Winners

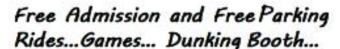
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Behold, I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears My voice and opens the door, I will come unto him and dine with him and he with Me. ~ Revelation 3:20

### Hello my Brother Knights,

I wanted to invite you to a retreat that I attended that really helped me. We're so fortunate at St. Mary's, to have this annual retreat. It's called the *Light of the World Parish Retreat*, and it happens in the parish center in Manahawkin. I had to tell you all about it, and invite you, because I have been changed because of it.

The Light of the World Retreat (which this year happens *Saturday August 4<sup>th</sup> and Sunday August 5<sup>th</sup>*) is a kerygmatic retreat. It's about that First Proclamation of the Good News by Jesus to His apostles. It's about my relationship, your relationship with God. It's about how much God loves us. It's about so many good things. When I reflected on this experience, this opportunity of grace, I thought of you.

Sometimes we are so busy with our day to day lives that we don't even have time to recognize what (or who) we are missing. Life's distractions seem to be getting more intense; this retreat offers a respite from all of that.

If you are interested in attending the *Light of the World Retreat*, please call the rectory at (609) 698-5531, and tell them you are signing up for the retreat! Someone will reach out to you with further details. I hope to see and you and your family then!

Sincerely, *Ed Massari* 

I am the light of the world; whoever follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life. ~ John 8:12





# **UPCOMING CRUISES**



**February 3 - 17, 2019:** 14 night Western Caribbean cruise on the Norwegian "Escape" from New York. Cost of \$1,810.25 per person includes two amenities and taxes.

<u>July 14 - 21, 2019:</u> 7 night Bermuda cruise on the Celebrity "Summit" from Cape Liberty, New Jersey. Cost of \$1,365.00 per person includes port charges and taxes.



## **UPCOMING BUS TRIPS**



**September 25, 2018:** Trip to Sands Casino, Bethlehem, Pa. Cost of \$39.00 per person includes transportation, \$30.00 casino credit and \$5.00 food voucher.

November 27 - 29, 2018: Trip to Mohegan Sun and Foxwoods Casino. Cost of \$320.00 per person includes transportation, 2 night accommodations, \$30.00 free slot play, two full buffets and Foxwood casino comps.

<u>December 5, 2018:</u> Trip to American Music Theatre Christmas Show "The First Noel" at Lancaster PA. Cost of \$113.00 per person includes transportation, buffet lunch at Shady Maple Restaurant, show ticket and gratuities.

**February 26, 2019:** Trip to Sands Casino, Bethlehem, Pa. Cost of \$42.00 per person includes transportation, \$30.00 casino credit, \$5.00 food voucher and driver gratuity.

<u>April 24 - 25, 2019:</u> Trip to Dover Downs Hotel & Casino and Delaware Park. Cost of \$195.00 per person double occupancy or \$248.00 single occupancy. Price includes transportation, and driver gratuity, 1 night lodging includes room tax, resort fee & baggage handling, 1 buffet breakfast, 1 buffet dinner, \$50.00 casino free play and \$30.00 casino free play at Delaware Park.



# **UPCOMING TRIPS BY AIR**



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# PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK OR IN NEED



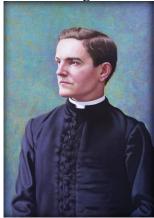
Father Mitch Lambeth	Jun/2017	Mildred Corr	Feb/2018
Philip Schmeer	Jun/2017	Anna Pasqua	Mar/2018
Josie Kelly	Jun/2017	Eleanor Mattei	Mar/2018
Deacon Joe Fiorillo	Jun/2017	Tim Ryan	Mar/2018
Pat Warsch	Jun/2017	Joe Brandimarte	Mar/2018
Rose Vital	Jun/2017	Maryanne Rickerhauser	Mar/2018
John Morgan	Jun/2017	Erin Rua	Mar/2018
Frank Aschenbrenner	Jul/2017	Sal Nicosia	Mar/2018
Deacon Ron Haunss	Oct/2017	Ted Stopkowski	Mar/2018
Deacon Phil Fiore	Oct/2017	Erica Fisher	Mar/2018
Jack Quigley	Oct/2017	Kay Voelbel	Apr/2018
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Gloria Sicilia	Nov/2017	Danielle Martini	May/2018
Noah Dominic	Nov/2017	Ben Eckstrom	May/2018
Gene Reinsel	Nov/2017	Gordon Rice	May/2018
Mike Copertino	Dec/2017	Barbara Dubinett	Jun/2018
John Staiger II	Dec/2017	Religious Liberties Act	INDEF
Barbra Mattei	Jan/2018	Victims & families of 911	INDEF
Frank Desena	Jan/2018		
John Donato	Jan/2018		
Joseph England	Jan/2018		
Father Marcin Kania	Jan/2018		
Catherine Reinsel	Feb/2018		
Barbara Robertson	Feb/2018		
Richard Porsch	Feb/2018		
William Moran	Feb/2018		

# PRAYERS FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED

George Walsh	Jul/2017	Ernest Anderson	Feb/2018
Carol Lochte	Jul/2017	Gary Kostura	Feb/2018
James McFadden	Jul/2017	Joseph Weaver	Mar/2018
Gerard Brandimarte	Jul/2017	Austin Freely	Mar/2018
Mark LaPrete	Aug/2017	Patricia Sroczynski	Apr/2018
William Klaus	Sep/2017	John Boekell	Apr/2018
Kenneth Cavanaugh	Sep/2017	Linda Tuzeneu	May/2018
Robert Harth	Oct/2017	Nancy C. Westfall	Jun/2018
Ed Kelly	Oct/2017	Stephen Carr	Jun/2018
James Icklan	Dec/2017	Anna M. Pasqua	Jun/2018
Ann Braidle	Dec/2017		
John P. Vitolo	Jan/2018		
Brandon Blair	Jan/2018		

# 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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