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Robert Hatler
State Deputy



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State Deputy's Message

Brother Knights,

HAPPY NEW YEAR! Well I truly hope you all had a very Merry Christmas and I wish you all and your families a Happy New Year! Here's hoping 2018 is one that you will look back upon and have wonderful memories, personally and through your involvement in the Knight of Columbus.

As I said to all the Grand Knights six months ago – DON'T BLINK! Here it is January and half the fraternal year is gone. Not much you or I can do about the first six months, its history! However we truly can make a difference today and over the next six by finding a program or activity available and help your council make it a success. ! I offer this as a challenge to all of you; please stay active or become as active as your time allows. A few hours, a few days over the next six months can make a world of difference for you, your council and others.

Over the next six months, in the State and locally, we have some of the most worthwhile and gratifying activities for all of you to become involved with. Activities such as Youth Free Throw competitions, Council Poster contests and Spelling Bee's; helping with Intellectual Disability Drives and Alzheimer's collections that help those in need; involvement with Policeman, Fireman and, EMT of the Year programs might be something you'd like to help with; Helping Veterans at local VA hospitals go to Mass by just pushing a wheelchair for a few minutes (you can go to mass as well!) at local hospitals; organizing Church programs such as Friday Stations of the Cross and Rosary Hour; (as we look only to early February and have Ash Wednesday on February 14th). Another BIG event is the National March for Life in Washington DC on Friday January 19th. This is where we, as Catholics, say NO to our legislators on the issue of legalized abortion. Brothers, there are so many things happening over the next six months that should interest you and I'd ask you to discuss with your Grand Knight and his officers how you can help them. The interesting thing about all these programs is they only take a few hours to complete! Can you spare a few hours. I guarantee you'll be back for more once you feel the inner peace of helping others.

Finally there's one more really important thing you can do as a Knight to help that will last for YEARS and it probably will make you feel really proud and that's to sign up a Catholic gentleman to become a Knight. I'm sure you know someone who'd make a terrific Knight. Remember someone saw something in you and asked you to join! They asked you and you said yes to this wonderful organization. Why not do the same for someone else!

On behalf of my wife Maryann and I, as well as all the State Officers and their families, we wish you and your families a very Happy, Healthy and Prosperous New Year!
VIVAT JESUS [Bob Hatler, State Deputy](#)

MEMBERSHIP CORNER

SCHEDULED DEGREES

[LINK](#)  individual Degree below for details.

<u>DEGREE/DATE</u>	<u>COUNCIL</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
<u>CAMDEN:</u>		
2 nd ~ Jan 21	Council 6551	Gibbsboro
3 rd ~ Jan 26	Council 6621	E. Vineland
<u>METUCHEN:</u>		
1 st & 2 nd ~ Jan 10	Council 6336	Jamesburg
<u>NEWARK:</u>		
1 st ~ Jan 9	Council 2188	Westwood
2 nd ~ Jan 10	Council 12769	Secaucus
2 nd ~ Jan 18	Council 2586	Teaneck
3 rd ~ Jan 26	Council 3679	Closter
1 st ~ Jan 28	Council 3550	Ridgefield
1 st ~ Jan 29	Council 2346	Nutley
2 nd ~ Jan 29	Council 3197	Hillside
3 rd ~ Feb 9	Council 2842	Rochelle Pk
<u>PATERSON:</u>		
1 st ~ Jan 18	Council 6904	Whippany
1 st ~ Jan 22	Council 588	Sparta
1 st ~ Jan 24	Council 6139	West Milford
3 rd ~ Jan 28	Council 3665	Netcong
1 st ~ Jan 31	Council 10419	Long Valley
<u>TRENTON:</u>		
1 st ~ Jan 2	Council 5903	Englishtown
3 rd ~ Jan 5	Council 6201	Jackson
2 nd ~ Jan 8	Council 12592	Hainesport

Degree Notes:

- Candidates and observers should be dressed appropriately, jacket and tie.
- Candidate escorts should have all Degree paraphernalia when arriving at Degree location.

Dear Brother Knights,

We had a very successful Mid Term meeting with the District Deputies and I am looking forward to the Mid Term Grand Knight meetings – coming soon to a Diocese near you. You have heard me say it before and, as we enter the second half of the Columbian Year, I say it again – Nothing Changes if Nothing Changes!

A good portion of the time spent with the District Deputies involved a discussion pertaining to Online Membership. New Jersey has been selected to be part of the pilot program and this membership option will be available starting February 5, 2018. This will be an agenda item at the Grand Knight meetings, so I encourage the Grand Knights to please invite the council Membership Director to be part of the meeting, but here are some highlights of the program:

- The Online Membership pilot has been very deliberately crafted to grow our membership, to enhance council life and to strengthen our identity — not to diminish or alter these things. This is a fraternal program, designed to help the Order continue to achieve sustainable long-term growth. It's about membership.
- The goal of this initiative is to introduce men to the activities of our Order in a way that will strengthen and benefit all councils and members, and to recruit young men who could form a membership pool for our state.
- We are now providing a new way for men to join the Knights of Columbus online. This allows us to capture and convert prospects instantly, without waiting, without excuses of time. When an eligible man is interested in joining the Knights of Columbus, he can join that very moment – as a first step, not a final step.

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Upcoming Events:

* PLEASE NOTE – **ALL MONTHLY REPORTS ARE DUE AT THE STATE COUNCIL OFFICE ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH**

Be sure to make a note of the activities that are scheduled for the next several months. Click the specific underlined activity to obtain more information, details and forms. Log-in required

2018

Jan 1 ~ New Year's Day

Jan 6 ~ MidTerm GK Meeting – Paterson/Metuchen

Jan 6 ~ Feast of the Epiphany

Jan 7 ~ Baptism of Jesus Christ

Jan 13 ~ MidTerm GK Meeting – Newark Archdiocese

Jan 15 ~ Martin Luther King Day ~ Fly your Flag

Jan 19 ~ March for Life

Jan 22 ~ NJ Life Rally

Jan 27 ~ Midterm GK Meeting – Trenton/Camden

Feb 1 ~ Multiple State Report Forms Due

Feb 2 ~ Candlemas Day

Feb 10 / 11 ~ State Bowling Tournament

Feb 14 ~ Ash Wednesday

Feb 14 – Valentine's Day

Feb 17 / 18 ~ State Bowling Tournament

Feb 19 ~ President's Day

Feb 24 ~ Polar Bear Plunge

Mar 1 ~ Multiple State Report Forms Due

Mar 4 ~ Paterson Regional Free Throw

Mar 17 ~ St Patrick's Day

Mar 24 ~ Metuchen Regional Free Throw

Mar 24 ~ Newark Regional Free Throw

Mar 25 ~ Palm Sunday

Mar 31 ~ Multiple State Report Forms Due

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Newsletter to all your council members.

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Quarterly Calendar



JANUARY 2018

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Knights/Family of the Month/Year

Worthy Sirs,

We all run programs every month that are Chaired by a member of the Council, or the family of a Council member. We have Chaplains in our Councils that go over and above when it comes to programs or events run by the Council.

These are the men and families that should be nominated for Knight of the Month, Family of the Month and Chaplain of the Month. This is one of the easiest programs for a Council to run each month. There are basically 2 ways to handle this: a) The Grand Knight chooses the person or family to be named as Knight or Family of the Month; or b) the Grand Knight forms a committee to choose the Council's winners.

The Knight of the Month Program is extremely valuable for the recognition of Council Members. The recognition of a Brother Knight for exceptional contributions to the Council, a man that exemplifies his Faith through his actions, can inspire others to greater efforts. The selection should be based upon the members activities during the month. For example, a member that ran your Council's Christmas Poster Contest could be named your Knight of the Month for December at the January meeting. The form for this program can be found in section 5.5 of the Grand Knights Manual.

The Family of the Month could be a member of your Council, but does not necessarily need to be a member. It could be a family that has done something extraordinary for your Council, Parish or Community. The form for this program can be found in section 5.3 of the Grand Knights Manual. The family can also be nominated for the Supreme Council Family of the Month award. This form can be found on the Supreme Website.

At the State Convention each May, the State Council announces a Knight of the Year and a Family of the Year. These nominations are due to the State Chairmen by March 31.

State Chairman:

[John Rokicki, FDD](#)

17 East 31 St

Bayonne, NJ 07002

Knights of Columbus License Plates

Brothers,

We received a pin with the logo of the Order at our 1st Degree and we wear it proudly. Most of us have one or more shirts, hats and jackets where we proudly proclaim we are members of the greatest Order in the world, the Knights of Columbus. Why not display the same pride on the front and back of your car??? Wherever you go, people will know you are a member of the KofC. Show the world that you are proud of who we are and the many good works of the Order.

I'm calling on all brothers to order your K of C plates now! The cost of new plates is only a one time fee of \$25 personalized plates are also available for \$50 more! Contact Hank Keating FDD @ 856-627-3483



Knights of Columbus License Plates are available to all Brother Knights. If you wish to apply for K of C License Plates, please comply with the following instructions:

1. Call the State License Plate Contact and obtain New Jersey Organization Special Plate Application. Please complete the application fully including: 11.7 K of C License Plates
2. Answer all the questions under "Instructions"
3. Complete the mailing stub on the reverse side
4. DO NOT fill out the "Certification by Organization Special Plate Liaison". The State Chairman will fill out that section.

Items to be mailed:

- The application.
- A photocopy of your vehicle registration.
- A photo copy of your current Travel Card.
- A check for \$25.00 made payable to: "N. J. Motor Vehicle Dept."
- You should receive your plates about two weeks after your application is received.

Mail all of the above to the State Chairman:

[Henry J. Keating, FDD](#)

76 Chelsea Circle

Clementon, NJ 08021

PROGRAM CORNER

Hello Brothers.

Christmas has come and gone, the New Year is upon us and it is time to make 2018 a successful year. We have accomplished many remarkable things so far, and I look forward to seeing more and more getting done. As you read this, the Programs team is getting ready for the GK Mid-term Meetings across the State. Please make sure your Council is represented at the meeting in your area or travel to a neighboring Diocese. There is valuable material we must share with you. Your Columbian Award forms should be at least half filled out, if not more. Also, please make sure to make a strong push with the Building Our Domestic Church initiative. We must remember that in this Fraternal Year, 1 Domestic Church Program must be done in each area.

We have several Council Activities that are coming up in the next Month or two, please consider getting involved in some, if not all, of these programs. We have the Family and Knight of the Month programs, you must be in it to win it! The Bowling Tournament will be held 2/10-11 and 2/17-18 at the Playdrome in Toms River. Please get your teams together ASAP. The forms need to be in by 1/17/18 to Kevin Delmonico, his contact information is in the State Directory on page 28. The McGivney Guild should be mentioned at every Degree we hold. We need to support our founder in the Cause for Sainthood.

In Church Activities, please get involved in our Seminarian Letters Program. Our Future Priests need our support, and this is a fantastic way to show them how much we care. Also start planning to order your Keep Christ Before Us coloring books, 2 are available for the Easter Season (Easter and About Lent) and the Holy Communion Books from John Gazis. The Parochial and CCD Teacher of the Year forms must be into your DD by 2/1/18. As well as the CHAPLAIN OF THE YEAR. There are 362 Council, there should be 362 applications. GET THEM IN!!

For Community Activities, we have the deadline for the following coming up. The EMT, Senior Citizen, Police and Fireman of the Year forms need to be submitted by 2/1. Have your Council plan a visit to one of the Veteran;s homes to brighten their day. The Habitat for Humanity reports need to be in to your DD by 2/1 also.

In Youth Activities. The Free Throw and the Spelling Bee have the same deadlines. Council done by 1/31/18. Districts done by 2/28 and the Regionals by 3/31 so we can be ready for the Finals in April. Finally, the Catholic Citizenship Contest must be completed by the Councils by Jan 30, and sent to the DD's by Feb 28th. [Harold Delaney, FDD](#) Program Director

PATRIOTIC CORNER

Dear Brother Sir Knights:

It is hard to believe that half of the Columbian Year has passed and I pose to you a rhetorical question – Have you accomplished half of your goals? If you have not, what do you and your fellow officers have planned to accomplish this!

Both the First and the Second District held Exemplifications of the Fourth Degree at the end of 2017 and, combined, New Jersey saw an increase of almost 350 new Sir Knights. This is a feat that we should all be proud of and should help energize us to invite more 3rd Degree members to be Sir Knights in the 4th Degree of our Order. When the Fourth Degree was first formed, the tradition was that a knight had to be invited to join the Fourth Degree...please consider this your formal invitation to join your Brother Sir Knights as a member of the Patriotic Degree of our Order.

The Exemplification of the 4th Degree in the 1st NJ District was held on November 19, 2017 and 84 new Sir Knights were knighted on that day. The honoree of this degree was our Vice Supreme Master Andrew Lipenta. At the banquet following the degree, the District Military Ball was held and the Faithful Navigators and Assembly Commanders were introduced and presented to the District Master and Vice Supreme Master. I would like to congratulate Color Corpsman of the Year Joseph O'Boyle, Jr. and the Frederick J. Conforti Distinguished Service Award recipient Thomas Hyer. The evening included the reading of the District Necrology and a final farewell to those Sir Knights who served the District so well for so many years.

Working with my counterpart in the 2nd NJ District, I am pleased to announce that we are planning on a joint Exemplification of the 4th Degree to be held on Sunday, April 22, 2018 at the Sheraton Tara Hotel in Parsippany, NJ. The honoree of this degree will be State Deputy Robert Hatler. We will have a Degree Team made up of members from both Districts. All of the information and details will be forthcoming but we ask you to "hold the date" of April 22, 2018 for this very special Exemplification of the 4th Degree.

On behalf of our Vice Supreme Master Andy Lipenta and Master Chris Tomasello of the 2nd NJ District, I wish you and your families a very Happy and Holy New Year!

VIVAT JESUS!

[Russell D. Petrocelli](#), Master, First New Jersey District

SPECIAL PROGRAMS CORNER

Brother Knights,

Our prayers are for each of you and your families as the Special Programs Team extends our best wishes for a happy, healthy, and successful New Year! And YOUR help is needed now more than ever!

The **Intellectual Disabilities Fund Drive** is usually held in April, but right now is the time to start planning for its success. The State Council expects every council to participate in this important program! Whether you collect at church after Masses with the permission of your pastors, hold public collection drives, request donations from members, or hold various events to raise funds, or a combination of any or all of these, you must start your planning and gather enough manpower as soon as possible. Aprons for the drive are available from several suppliers (call [Woolenwear](#) or [DSC](#) to check prices) and their cost may be deducted from the amount collected. Within 3 weeks of collecting funds, a council check for the amount collected is to be made out to "NJ KofC Intellectual Fund" and sent to [State Chairman Gary Seals, FDD](#), 12 College Ave, Eatontown, NJ 07724. Print, fill-out, and include the [Reporting Form](#) with the check to designate beneficiaries. Detailed instructions are [here](#). Please note that each beneficiary must be a 501(c)(3) charity. This can be verified [here](#).

Another important Special Program that needs your support is the **Autism Awareness and Family Support** program. Did you know that 1 in 41 persons in NJ are born with or develop Autism? The NJ State Council is supporting the organization Parents Of Autistic Children (POAC) www.poac.net which supports families in all 21 counties of NJ. Your council can help with the following: a) Donations: Hold a fund-raiser or just write a check payable to "POAC Autism Services" & send to POAC, 1989 Route 88, Brick, NJ 08724. b) Participate in a [Walk-A-Thon](#). c) Have your council, as well as members, become sponsors of/join POAC www.poac.net/ways-to-help. File the program report [on-line](#) before 3/31/2018. The [State Chairman is Bernie Ernst, FDD](#).

Finally, there is still time to donate toward the February 24th **Polar Bear Plunge** in support of **Special Olympics!** Visit the [NJKofC Polar Penguins Plunge page](#), click on "MEMBERS" and make your donation today! Give toward any team member or select [State Chairman/Team Captain John Gazis, FDD](#) to show your support!

Keep up the great work and thank you for all that you do for the Order and our Catholic Church!
[Marty Boyle, FDD](#), Director of Special Programs

CULTURE OF LIFE CORNER

Brothers:

This month brings us a great opportunity to let our lawmakers know how important it is that we return to a Culture of Life. The March for Life in Washington and the Rally in Trenton are key to this.

If you are not sponsoring a bus to Washington, there is information on the State Council website at this [LINK](#) that may help you find one leaving from your area. Be sure to check it out. If you can't do that, then plan to attend the Rally for Life in

Trenton organized by New Jersey Right to Life. Details can be found on their website through this [LINK](#).

Other great programs for this month would be a Life Chain with Truth Booth Cards (pp. 10-32, 33) or Bells for Babies (p. 10-36).

We also have our second Turn Off the TV Day coming up on February 15. Be sure to get started planning now, and get your parish involved! All the resources you need to do this are on the State Council website at this [LINK](#).

Remember, Pro-Life is one of the things that the Knights are known for. Be proud of it. You may never know how the good things that you do might influence or save a life. Please have your members say a prayer for those at risk of abortion at your next council meeting.

[Steven J. Richardson, FM](#)

Culture of Life Programs Director



INSURANCE MATTERS

Brothers,

We are half way through the fraternal year. Wow, time really flies. As your councils start to line up your activities and make plans for membership growth, also take a look at what you can do to increase participation in our insurance program.

The Knights of Columbus insurance program is the engine that drives our fraternal and charitable train. Last year over \$42 million dollars from the profits of the insurance department were donated to charity, (out of the total of \$152 million total), and another \$80 million dollars from the profits of the insurance department covered fraternal expenses. All of the costs of the staff at Supreme, all of the costs of the Supreme convention, all of the fraternal outreach programs to grow the order are paid for by the profits of our insurance program. Sure we send per capita to Supreme from each council, but that amounts to only about \$12 million dollars a year.

When you insure with us, you not only protect your family, your income, your retirement nest egg, your stream of income in retirement, etc., but you also help the Order do our charitable and fraternal work.

As we start the new calendar year, take a moment to think about where you are and where you want to go. What do you want for your family and for yourself? Then schedule a meeting with your Knights of Columbus Insurance Agent to see how the order can help you and your family meet those goals.

That's who we are and what we do. Protecting Catholic families since 1882. We are your insurance company.

[Charles Miraglia](#)
General Agent



WEBMASTER

Overworking Your Thumbs!

Maybe it is many of us have gotten used to the "Twitter World" of 144 characters (now 288), or wanting to send a quick burst via "smart phone", but I have noticed a marked increase in abbreviations especially in the salutations part of a letter or response to an officer.

Call me old school, but I feel it is a sign of respect to take the time to spell out, by way of a salutation in a letter or e-mail, "Worthy Grand Knight" rather than – as I've seen increasingly often – "WGK"... At our meetings do we rise in our place and address our Grand Knight as simply WGK? Not that I've observed around the state thus far.

I have been copied on e-mails to our State Deputy wherein he is addressed as "WSD". Where does it end?

The real question is, more to the point, where does it begin. In my mind, it begins with each member understanding that despite familiarity with one's superior officer, respect begins with acknowledgement of an officer's elected or appointed status.

Take the time to address your superiors properly, even if they themselves may have a laissez-faire attitude personally, maintaining proper protocol lays the way for proper protocol for their successors.

Speaking of abbreviations, although it is presumed that the "X" comes from the [Greek](#) letter [Chi](#), which is the first letter of the Greek word [Χριστός](#), which in English is "[Christ](#)". The "-mas" part is from the Latin-derived [Old English](#) word for [Mass](#). Even though "technically" there may be justification, unless Greek is your native tongue, it is generally frowned upon to abbreviate Christmas as just "Xmas".

Finally, do we *really* need to abbreviate Vivat Jesus! As just "VJ"??? I see it way too often. Take the time to spell it out. Work those thumbs on your smart phone! It will maintain proper protocol, now and for the future.

Help Wanted: If anyone would like to assist with data entry tasks, please give me a call 24/7 – 732/ 504-7496. My motto: "I never work anyone harder than I work myself!" 😊

Vivat Jesus!!! [Bernie Ernst, FDD](#)

NJ State Council Webmaster

SQUIRES CORNER

Brothers,

I hope your Christmas and New Years Holidays were great.

As we start up the year, I wanted to mention that applications for the scholarships are out and can be found in your NJ Grand Knights handbook or can be found on the State Squire/Squire Rose Web site @: www.NJSquires.org

[Fr John M Murray Catholic High School Scholarship](#)

[Fr John M Murray Catholic College Scholarship](#)

[John Attardo College Scholarship](#)

The 8th *Luminary Night* in December in Sparta had to be cancelled due to poor weather. A new Date is being scheduled. The profit from this fund raiser supports the many needy and homeless families in their area.

Youth are our keys to the future of the Knights of Columbus; our Squires/Squire Roses statewide are busy working food banks, attending retreats, and many miscellaneous projects assisting our councils, our parishes, and our communities.

Our Next Meeting of the State Squires Officers & Committee is Wednesday January 17, 2018 at 7:30PM. This is on Online Meeting.

Brothers, to start a Circle in your council;
Contact:

- **Peter Briody, PGK**
Columbian Squires/Squire Rose Director –
NJSquires@gmail.com

[Peter D Briody, PGK](#)

Columbian Squires/Squire Rose Program Director



MEMBERSHIP CORNER

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- We are also providing a new and predominately digital membership experience that seeks to form those men for committed, lifelong membership in the Order. It reinforces our identity as the premier organization for Catholic men and their families. It provides members with formational resources, financial resources, charitable opportunities, and much more.
- It does not eliminate degrees. When an online member is ready to convert to a council, he must go through the transfer process that any council-based member would, and take a first degree.
- Online members belong to State Divisions, under the jurisdiction of the state council. The state membership team will play a central role in helping new member who join online to find a local council and take their First Degree.

If you have not yet registered to attend your local Mid Term Grand Knight meeting, please do it today so the appropriate arrangements can be made for all attendees. I look forward to seeing you in January.

Mid Term Grand Knight Meetings:

- **January 6, 2018, Paterson and Metuchen** – Council #2393 in Basking Ridge. The meeting will start at 9:00 A.M. sharp (a Continental Breakfast will be provided starting at 8:15) and end around 2:00 P.M. Lunch will be provided.
The location is St. James Chapel Basement Auditorium, 184 South Finley Ave., Basking Ridge. The meeting will be held in the Chapel basement, which is attached to the Parish Center. Parking and the entrance to the lower level is in the rear.
- **January 13, 2018, Newark** – Council #4504, 1034 Jeanette Ave., Union. The meeting will begin with continental breakfast at 8:15 AM, with a program starting at 9:00 AM and will conclude by 2:00 PM. Lunch will be provided to all attending.
- **January 27, 2018, Camden and Trenton** – St. Michael's Church, Atlantic City. The meeting will be held in Quaremba Hall on the church grounds. A continental breakfast will begin at 8:15 AM, with the program starting at 9:00 AM. The meeting will conclude by 2:00 PM.

For driving directions to the meeting, please enter into your GPS: 21 N. Georgia Avenue, Atlantic City.

If any member of the Membership team can ever be of service to you or your council, please feel free to contact us.

A Happy and Holy New Year to you and your families!

VIVAT JESUS!

[Russell D. Petrocelli, FDD](#)

State Membership Director

MILESTONES



<u>COUNCIL</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>TOWN</u>	<u>CHARTER DATE</u>	<u>YRS</u>
<u>11017</u>	<u>Piscataway</u>	<u>Piscataway</u>	<u>1/1/1993</u>	<u>25</u>
<u>4524</u>	<u>St Francis of Assisi</u>	<u>East Rutherford</u>	<u>1/5/1958</u>	<u>60</u>
<u>3485</u>	<u>Epiphany</u>	<u>Mt Ephraim</u>	<u>1/6/1952</u>	<u>66</u>
<u>3397</u>	<u>Assumption</u>	<u>Glassboro</u>	<u>1/7/1951</u>	<u>67</u>
<u>552</u>	<u>Watchung</u>	<u>Plainfield</u>	<u>1/9/1901</u>	<u>117</u>
<u>836</u>	<u>Msgr John F Baldwin</u>	<u>Brick</u>	<u>1/10/1904</u>	<u>114</u>
<u>3630</u>	<u>Madonna de la Liberia</u>	<u>North Bergen</u>	<u>1/15/1953</u>	<u>65</u>
<u>4154</u>	<u>Queen of Heaven</u>	<u>Clarksboro</u>	<u>1/15/1956</u>	<u>62</u>
<u>3946</u>	<u>St Joseph the Carpenter</u>	<u>Roselle</u>	<u>1/16/1955</u>	<u>63</u>
<u>5486</u>	<u>John Fitzgerald Kennedy</u>	<u>Lincoln Park</u>	<u>1/19/1964</u>	<u>54</u>
<u>402</u>	<u>Our Lady of Grace</u>	<u>Harrison</u>	<u>1/22/1899</u>	<u>119</u>
<u>299</u>	<u>San Salvador</u>	<u>Perth Amboy</u>	<u>1/23/1898</u>	<u>120</u>
<u>2229</u>	<u>E G Alberque, Sr</u>	<u>Ridgefield Park</u>	<u>1/23/1921</u>	<u>97</u>
<u>2560</u>	<u>Fr Thomas Blake</u>	<u>Ocean City</u>	<u>1/24/1925</u>	<u>93</u>
<u>1082</u>	<u>Moorestown</u>	<u>Moorestown</u>	<u>1/28/1906</u>	<u>112</u>
<u>835</u>	<u>Bellville</u>	<u>Bellville</u>	<u>1/31/1904</u>	<u>114</u>

State Deputy Robert Hatler along with the entire NJ State Council and the Newsletter Staff would like to take this opportunity to wish **ALL** councils best wishes on their **Charter Anniversary**.

May your council continue to grow and do good deeds for many more years to come! Let's continue to grow our Order, expand our programs and continue to be "**Anchored in our Charity and Fraternity!**"

Happy Anniversary

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