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# **ONE NATION UNDER GOD**

## THE KNIGHTS NEWS

Charity, Unity, Fraternity, Patriotism Grand Knight – Edward Massari Webpage: www.kofc3826.org Email: kofc3826@gmail.com

#### 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 2019 WORTHY OFFICERS 2018 - 2019

Friar	SK Msgr. Ken Tuzeneu	609-698-5531	Lecturer	SK Ted Stopkowski	609-618-1122
Grand Knight	SK Edward Massari	609-698-8619	Inside Guard	SK Joseph Vaccaro	609-693-9954
Deputy GK	SK Michael Rua	609-713-7171	Inside Guard	Don Kralle	609-242-5896
Chancellor	SK Jon Hughes	609-245-6406	Outside Guard	SK Bob Tinervin,PGK,PFN	609-296-7055
Warden	SK Anthony Kappmeier	609-312-7442	Ins Field Agent	James Castrovilly	732-599-3810
Financial Secr.	SK Frank Miri	609-661-8971	Trustee 1st Yr	SK John Pescatore,PGK	609-978-0946
Treasurer	SK Louis Serrao,PGK	609-848-3779	Trustee 2nd Yr	SK Ray Wojcik	609-978-0970
Recorder	Michael Sicilia	609-489-2270	Trustee 3rd Yr	SK Chester Mankowski,PGK	609-693-7447
Advocate	SK Ralph Pasqua	732-241-5886	District Deputy	SK Jeff Hawarden,PGK	732-768-0479

## **CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE**

Here's a great article that I shared in our parish bulletin entitled, "We Grow Old by Deserting Our Ideals," by Samuel Ullman

General Douglas MacArthur was so inspired by Samuel Ullman's poem that he popularized it and kept a framed copy in his office while Supreme Allied Commander in Japan. He quoted it so often in his speeches that it became known as 'MacArthur's Credo.'

THE POEM:

"Nobody grows old by merely living a number of years.

People grow old only by deserting their ideals.

Years wrinkly the skin by to give up enthusiasm wrinkles the soul.

Worry, doubt, self-distrust, fear and despair...

These are the quick equivalents of the long years

That bow the head and turn

The growing spirit back to dust.

Whether 70 or 16, there is, in every being's heart the love of

Wonder, the sweet amazement of the stars, and the star-like

Things and thoughts, the undaunted challenge of events.

The unfailing childlike appetite for 'What's Next?'

You are as young as your faith, as old as your doubt,

As young as your self-confidence, as old as your fear,

As young as your hope, and as old as your despair.

So long as your heart receives messages of b

Beauty, cheer, courage, grandeur and power from

The earth, from man and from the Infinite, so long are you young.

When all the wires are down, and all the

Central places of your heart are covered with

The snows of pessimism and the ice of cynicism,

Then, and only then, are you grown old indeed,

And may God have mercy on your soul."

Happy New Year! Msgr. Ken

## **GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE**

I don't know how much of the nightly news you've been watching. Everyone is looking for conflict and they have their opinions and they don't seem to care who it might hurt. Take a quick scroll through social media and you'll see family members and friends in a war of words over the simplest of disagreements. Friendships are often ruined with one harsh word. We choose to never speak again with one another after one trivial dispute. Perhaps you can recall a moment when you contributed to anger and division yourself, but it looks to me like we could all use a little peacemaking.

*"Blessed are the Peacemakers, for they will be called children of God,"* Jesus told his disciples in Matthew 5:9.

We desperately need God in our lives. He teaches us how to respond in this age of perpetual conflict. Proverbs 18:21 cautions us with this: *"Death and life are in the power of the tongue"*. Choose you words carefully.

Conflict can't continue if you don't participate. This essentially all boils down to one simple rule: **Be a peacemaker, not a troublemaker.** 

In Hebrews 12:14 we're told, "*Strive for peace with everyone.*" The Apostle Paul also implores us, "*If possible, on your part, live at peace with all*" - Romans 12:18.

Just as we are unable to be sinless and perfect in our own strength, we are unable to make peace with someone using our own strength. Christ tells us in John 16:33, "...you might have peace in me. In the world you will have trouble, but take courage, I have conquered the world."

We need Christ. When we're spent and exhausted and it seems like all hope for peace is lost, Christ calls us to put our trust in Him.

This New Year, humble yourself to the Prince of Peace. Ask him to fill you with his spirit so that the "...*peace of God that surpasses all understanding will guard your hearts and minds...*" - Philippians 4:7. This is the kind of peace that anchors our hearts, our minds and our souls to the One who made us and loves us.

May God continue to bless you all.

Vivat Jesus,

Ed Massari G.K.

## **INSURANCE MATTERS**

Happy New Year! It's that well known time of year when we make resolutions. There is one resolution I can definitely help you keep. Resolve to meet with me this year to update your Family Service Record and see where you stand. Your financial health is critical to your family's future security. As your field agent I have so much more responsibility than a simple financial advisor or stock broker. I will take a look at your dreams, goals, and aspirations and make sure you're on track to make them a reality.

Happy New Year to all my Brother Knights and your Families. Fraternally, James Castrovilly Field Agent 732-599-3810 james.castrovilly@kofc.org





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

- **January 6:** 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 17: MARCH FOR LIFE MASS: There will also be Mass before we leave at St. Mary's in Barnegat at 7:00pm on Thursday. Please come out and support the March for Life and those who will be traveling to Washington D.C.
- January 18: MARCH FOR LIFE: The pick-up points are at St. Mary's Church, Barnegat at 7:00am and at St. Mary of the Pines Church at 7:20am. To discourage no-shows, there is a token non-refundable fee of \$10.00 per person. We will make one stop on the way down. We will stop at a Wegman's food court on the way back. We will return about 11:00pm. Please call Frank DeSena for reservations 609-698-0142 or 609-619-1933(C).
- **February 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.*
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- March 8:<br/>March 15:LENTEN FISH FRY: We are doing our Lenten Fish Fry's again this year.<br/>Starting Friday March 8th during Lent.<br/>Where: At St Mary's Parish Center at the Pines in Manahawkin.<br/>Homemade Soup, Beer Battered Cod, Beer Battered Shrimp, French Fries,<br/>Coleslaw, Cocktail/Tarter/Lemon/Malt Vinegar, Coffee, Soda and Desert.<br/>Kids meal, Mac and Cheese or Pizza.<br/>Take out is available.<br/>Call: 609-597-1814<br/>Time: 4:30/7:30 pm<br/>Bring your family and friends and have a good time!

## "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 Rua Family	The Benedict Family	The Pescatore Family	The Galvano Family
The Serrao Family	The Massimiano Family	The Melillo Family	The Eckstrom Family
The Del Tufo Family	The Melindyk Family	The Petacciato Family	The Rinaldi Family
The Massari Family	The Leotta Family	The Cosma Family	The Reinsel Family
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The Murphy Family	The Pascale Family	The Patchus Family	The Fitzpatrick Family
AECOM	The Knight of Christ the Healer		Joe Rua
Ralph Pasqua	Workers of the Saint Mary	Annunciation Council	

With the help of these families and our council family we were able to send a check for \$3700.00 to the New Jersey State Council of the Knights of Columbus to assist our armed forces. Thank you all and may God bless you.



## March for Life Bus Trip to Washington, DC. Friday, Jan 18, 2019

Knights of Columbus invite you to join us for the "March for Life" bus trip to Washington DC" on Friday, Jan 18, 2019. We will leave promptly at 7:00 am from St. Mary's Church in Barnegat and at St. Mary of the Pines Church at 7:20 am.

There will be a Vigil Mass in St Mary's Church Barnegat on Jan 17, 2019 at 7pm.

Please note: There is no Mass in the morning.

We will make one stop on the way down and one stop for dinner at Wegmans Food Court in Maryland on the way back.

We will return about 9pm

There is a pay-in-advance, non-refundable fee of \$10 per person.

Make checks to: Knights of Columbus #3826

Mail to: Frank DeSena

12 Sandy Bottom Lane

Barnegat, NJ 08005

Please call Frank DeSena or Al Del Tufo for reservations 609-619-1933(C), 609-709-5592. Seating is limited, please call early!



**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.

July 14 - 21, 2019: 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



**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.

March 16, 2019: Trip to Hunterdon Hills Playhouse. Cost of \$115.00 per person includes transportation, tickets to a special St. Patrick Day celebration starring Andy Cooney, Chloe Agnew, Gary Wilson, the Guinness Irish Band and Irish dancers, and lunch.

**April 24 - 25, 2019:** 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.

**September 9 - 11, 2019:** Trip to Fishkill, NY. Cost of \$479.00 per person includes transportation, hotel, 2 breakfasts, 2 dinners, West Point tour, 2 hour Pride of the Hudson boat tour, Brotherhood wine tasting tour, and much more.



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



# PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK OR IN NEED



Barbra Mattei	Jan/2018	John Morgan
Frank DeSena	Jan/2018	Eleanor Mattei
John Donato	Jan/2018	John Valdora
Joseph England	Jan/2018	Linda Glass
Father Marcin Kania	Jan/2018	Ray Wojcik
Catherine Reinsel	Feb/2018	Harold Meisner
Barbara Robertson	Feb/2018	Maria Cirilli
William Moran	Feb/2018	Anton Picinic
Mildred Corr	Feb/2018	Religious Liberties Act
Tim Ryan	Mar/2018	Victims & families of 911
Ted Stopkowski	Mar/2018	
Erica Fisher	Mar/2018	
Maryanne Rickerhauser	Mar/2018	
Erin Rua	Mar/2018	
Kay Voelbel	Apr/2018	
Ralph Galati	Apr/2018	
Peggy Pongracz	Apr/2018	
Bob Dodds	May/2018	
Danielle Martini	May/2018	
Ben Eckstrom	May/2018	
Gordon Rice	May/2018	
Barbara Dubinett	Jun/2018	
Jane Hamill	Jul/2018	
Richard Porsch	Sep/2018	
Joe Brandimarte	Sep/2018	
Colleen Mattei	Sep/2018	
Sal Nicosia	Sep/2018	
Anthony Scuorzo	Oct/2018	
Steve Muench	Oct/2018	

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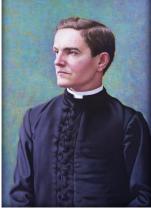
## PRAYERS FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED

John P. Vitolo	Jan/2018
Brandon Blair	Jan/2018
Ernest Anderson	Feb/2018
Gary Kostura	Feb/2018
Joseph Weaver	Mar/2018
Austin Freely	Mar/2018
Patricia Sroczynski	Apr/2018
John Boekell	Apr/2018
Linda Tuzeneu	May/2018
Nancy C. Westfall	Jun/2018
Stephen Carr	Jun/2018
Anna M. Pasqua	Jun/2018
Father John Basil	Jul/2018
Deacon Bob Klein	Sep/2018
Larry Schenk	Sep/2018

Robert Serrao	Oct/2018
George Weber	Oct/2018
Conny Fitzsimons	Nov/2018
Marge Berlinski	Nov/2018
Tim Hart	Nov/2018
Roger Wolford	Nov/2018
Glen Bleakley	Dec/2018
Fran Thompson	Dec/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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Michael & Anne Lemmo	Feb/2019	Bill Elsner	Dec/2019
George & Mary McGuire	Feb/2019	Larry & Peg Schenk	Dec/2019
Chester & Ginger Mankowski	Feb/2019	Harold & Florence Meisner	Dec/2019
Bob & Ruth Tinervin	Feb/2019	Jim & Carol Dionne	Dec/2019
John & Alice Melillo	Feb/2019	Bill & Theresa Benedict	Dec/2019
Joe & Minnie Costantino	Mar/2019		
Lou & Sue Serrao	Mar/2019		
Joe & Sally Cosma	May/2019		
Ed & Felicia Massari	Nov/2019		

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