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# ONE NATION UNDER GOD

## THE KNIGHTS NEWS

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Grand Knight – SK Michael Rua

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### COUNCIL MTGS.

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

### OFFICERS MTGS.

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

### COLUMBIA CLUB MTGS.

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

### Columbian Squires

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

### Squire Rose Circle

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

### LADIES AUXILIARY

Our Ladies Auxiliary is  
being reorganized

# ***THE KNIGHTS NEWS / August 2019***

## **WORTHY OFFICERS 2019 – 2020**

<b>Friar</b>	SK Msgr. Ken Tuzeneu	609-698-5531	<b>Lecturer</b>	SK Ted Stopkowski	609-618-1122
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<b>Advocate</b>	SK Sal Nicosia	609-661-5161	<b>District Deputy</b>	SK Jeff Hawarden,PGK	732-768-0479

## **CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE**

In this month of August the Church celebrates the Feast of the Transfiguration on August 6. Since it only occasionally falls on a Sunday (this year on a Tuesday) and it is not one of the Holy Days of Obligation, it is easy to overlook. This great event in the life of Jesus (the Fourth Luminous Mystery of the Rosary) is that moment after Peter made his profession of faith in Jesus as the Messiah. Jesus takes Peter, James and John up the mountain. While there, Jesus changed in appearance as His face shone like the sun and Moses and Elijah stood with Him. Through these signs, the divinity of Jesus was revealed to His disciples.

It is interesting to wonder what the apostles thought after this incredible revelation. It is easy to assume that they quickly forgot it by their behavior throughout the ministry of Jesus and it is also obvious that they forgot it at the time of the Crucifixion when they all abandoned Jesus. If they remembered the transfiguration experience, they might have had the courage to remain with Jesus, knowing Who He is.

Rather than looking back and criticizing the apostles, it is more fruitful to challenge ourselves. Have you had any transfiguration moments in your life? I believe everyone has—a moment of prayer, a special time after receiving Communion, a feeling of the Divine that suddenly comes over us, a miraculous event, a sense of peace and comfort in the midst of trial. Each of these are gifts to us, moments when God reveals His presence and His love. Do we remember these transfiguration moments? We should ask ourselves whether or not we then remember them as we go through life. Like the apostles, we can forget or even ignore these moments of grace, failing to trust in the presence and love of God.

I invite you to take some time to recall those transfiguration moments in your life – then take time to make sure that you do not forget. Take them with you in your memory and in your heart, so that when the cross comes, you will remember glory!

Msgr. Ken

# GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

## “Volunteerism”

*"Each of you should use whatever gifts you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms." 1 Peters 4:10*

Merriam Webster states that volunteerism is "the use or involvement of volunteer labor, especially in community services." As I sat at the Knights raffle table each evening at the carnival, I was amazed at the incredible work of every volunteer. Despite the heat, many people put in countless hours prepping and maintaining the carnival. In fact, every volunteer, young and old, had a smile on their face and an incredible glow of joy and happiness flowing through their veins because of their desire to serve God and his church.

As we move forward, and as Peter reminds us, use whatever gifts you have to continue to serve others and our church. Remember, even small deeds can make a big difference.

As the sign at the volunteer table proclaimed: *"We could not have done it without you"*. God Bless my brother Knights and all the other volunteers.

Vivat Jesus,  
Mike Rua G.K.

## INSURANCE MATTERS

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YEARS  
OF GROWTH

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Knights of Columbus  
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YOUR SHIELD FOR LIFE

Fraternally,  
James Castrovilly  
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# ANNOUNCEMENTS



## PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBPAGE AT [www.kofc3826.org](http://www.kofc3826.org) FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

- August 3 - 4:** 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.
- August 4:** ST. MARY’S MONTHLY BREAKFAST: IS CANCELLED FOR THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD RETREAT
- August 14:** VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL LUNCH: Our council will be providing a lunch of hot dogs, chips and a drink. If you can please contact Mike Rua for more information. We also will be serving ice cream!
- September 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
- September 16:** ST. MARY’S ANNUAL GOLF OUTING: To be held at Ocean County Golf Course at Atlantis. This event is to support Ken’s Kitchen, St. Vincent DePaul and other local charitable events. See insert for more details.
- October 6:** TOY RUN FOUNDATIONS MOTORCYCLE TOY RUN: The Toy Run Foundation, Inc. provided toys to needy children through Saint Mary’s Parish from Ocean Township, Barnegat Township, Stafford Township, Veterans Haven, Fort Dix, Operation Santa Claus, Southern Ocean County Hospital Emergency Room and Community Medical Center Pediatric Ward and Emergency Room. Registration began 10:30 a.m. at the Southern Regional High School parking lot, Route 9 Manahawkin. \$10 registration per person plus a toy. Please pass this info to your motorcycle riding friends.
- October 6:** ST. MARY’S MONTHLY BREAKFAST: IS CANCELLED FOR THE TOY RUN FOUNDATIONS MOTORCYCLE TOY RUN



*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 3rd and Sunday August 4th***) 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!

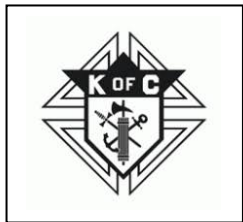
Sincerely,  
*Ed Massari*

*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*



# ST. MARY'S ANNUAL GOLF OUTING

## September 16, 2019



Hosted by  
Knights of Columbus  
Annunciation Council #3826

Dear Friends and Neighbors,

June 20<sup>th</sup>, 2019

Once again, we are asking for your support of the *St. Mary's Annual Golf Outing* being held on **Monday, September 16, 2019** at Atlantis Golf Course. The proceeds from the event benefit:

- **Ken's Kitchen:**  
Serves between 250-300 meals a week to area residents year round.
- **St. Vincent DePaul:**  
Offers monetary assistance alongside a food pantry and assists approximately 210 families per month
- **Piece of the Puzzle:**  
Supports local high school autism programs.
- **Knights of Columbus Charities:**  
Scholarships, Hospitals and Pro-Life Causes.

You can support St. Mary's golf outing by being a sponsor. This will make the 2019 Annual Golf Outing a complete success. Tee box sponsorship is only \$100.00 per hole and it is tax deductible. A sign with your family or business name will be posted at one of the tee boxes. At the conclusion of the event, the names of all sponsors will appear in the St Mary's Church Bulletin.

If you are interested in playing, the cost is \$100.00 per player. The cost includes golf, hotdog lunch, dinner and door prizes! Come alone or better yet put together a foursome and come out for a day of fun that will support the important local charities listed above.

Enclosed you will find information and forms for your use to make a donation and to sign up for the outing.

Please make checks payable to St. Mary's Church and write "**Golf**" in the memo section. You can mail the checks until September 2<sup>nd</sup> to the following address:

**Knights of Columbus #3826 P.O. Box 91 Manahawkin, New Jersey 08050**

After Sept. 2<sup>nd</sup>, checks must be dropped at the church office no later than Sept. 10<sup>th</sup>.

Remember, your support of St. Mary's Golf Outing will greatly help those in need!

Sincerely,

Rev. Msgr. Kenard J. Tuzeneu, Pastor

**St. Mary's Annual Golf Outing on Monday, September 16<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

**Tee Off at 12:30 PM  
Atlantis Golf Course**

**Registration starts at 11:30AM – Shot Gun Start – Best Ball/Scramble Format**

The \$100 fee includes golf, hotdog lunch during play, and dinner, refreshments & prizes immediately after golf at the **“Cuisine on the Green”** (which is located at the Atlantis Golf course).

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**GOLF REGISTRATION**

We are limited to **110 Golfers**. Payment of \$100 per golfer is due by **September 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2019**.

**NAME** \_\_\_\_\_ **PHONE** \_\_\_\_\_

**NAME** \_\_\_\_\_ **PHONE** \_\_\_\_\_

**NAME** \_\_\_\_\_ **PHONE** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Amount Due for a Foursome: \$400**

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**HOLE SPONSOR**

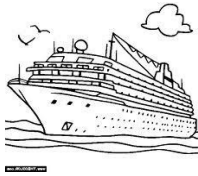
Name to appear on sign: \_\_\_\_\_

**Amount Due for Hole Sponsor: \$100**

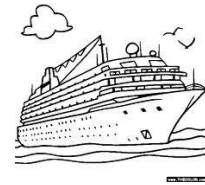
Please make checks payable to **St. Mary's Church** and mail along with this completed form to **Knights of Columbus #3826 PO Box 91 Manahawkin NJ, 08050**.

Please call Mike Rua at (609) 978-6508 with questions regarding the outing.





## UPCOMING CRUISES



**February 24 – March 6, 2020:** 10 night Western Caribbean cruise on the Norwegian Cruise Lines “Gem” from Cape Liberty, New Jersey. Cost of \$1,360.00 per person includes 2 perks.



## UPCOMING BUS TRIPS



**September 11 - 13, 2019:** Trip to Hudson Valley, 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.

**September 25, 2019:** Trip to Sands Casino. Cost of \$42.00 per person includes transportation, driver gratuity, \$30.00 in casino credit.

**November 19 - 20, 2019:** Trip to Mohegan Sun & Foxwoods Casino, Uncasville, CT. Cost of \$195.00 per person includes hotel, transportation, driver gratuity, baggage handling, \$20.00 free slot play at Foxwood Casino comps.

**December 4, 2019:** Trip to Sight and Sound to see “Miracle of Christmas”. Cost of \$139.00 per person includes admission, lunch, transportation and driver gratuity.



## UPCOMING TRIPS BY AIR



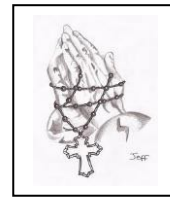
**NO AIR TRIPS PLANNED AT THIS TIME**

*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



Jane Hamill	Jul/2018	Colleen Miri	Apr/2019
Joe Brandimarte	Sep/2018	Sue Serrao	Apr/2019
Colleen Mattei	Sep/2018	Zachary & A.J. Havranek	Apr/2019
Sal Nicosia	Sep/2018	Gerald Lorino	May/2019
Anthony Scuorzo	Oct/2018	Carmella Lorino	May/2019
Steve Muench	Oct/2018	Monsignor Ken Tuzeneu	Jun/2019
Eleanor Mattei	Oct/2018	Joe Batista	Jun/2019
John Valdora	Oct/2018	Frank Miri	Jun/2019
Linda Glass	Nov/2018	Joe Greco	Jun/2019
Anton Picinic	Dec/2018	John Pescatore	Jun/2019
Ray Wojcik	Dec/2018	Sal Neclario	Jun/2019
Harold Meisner	Dec/2018	Michelle Wall	Jun/2019
Maria Cirilli	Dec/2018	Adell Tonia	Jun/2019
Frank Logan	Jan/2019	Julian Young	Jun/2019
Judy Penland	Jan/2019	Victims & Families of 911	INDEF
Tom Thompson	Jan/2019	Religious Liberties Act	INDEF
Sal Laprete	Jan/2019		
Maria Spanicciati	Jan/2019		
Joe Vaccaro	Jan/2019		
Mary Haller	Jan/2019		
Tim Ryan	Jan/2019		
Fran Morgan	Feb/2019		
Sal Laprete	Feb/2019		
Rick Fischer	Feb/2019		
Jeff Hawarden	Mar/2019		
Richard Porsch	Mar/2019		
Eileen Spanicciati	Apr/2019		
Jay Bowden	Apr/2019		
Megan Cicerello	Apr/2019		
John Bilotta	Apr/2019		

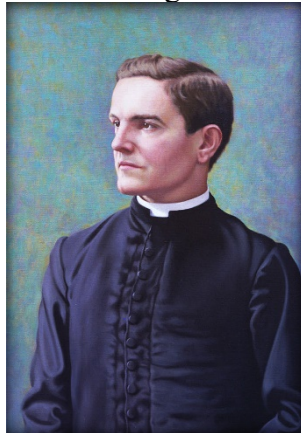
# PRAYERS FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED

Father John Basil	Jul/2018	William Morey III	Feb/2019
Deacon Bob Klein	Sep/2018	Lou Perrone	Feb/2019
Larry Schenk	Sep/2018	Kathy Boss	Mar/2019
Robert Serrao	Oct/2018	Nancy Skwiat	Mar/2019
George Weber	Oct/2018	Landon Jarin	Mar/2019
Conny Fitzsimons	Nov/2018	Susan Gentile	Mar/2019
Marge Berlinski	Nov/2018	Ralph Napoli	Mar/2019
Phil Hart	Nov/2018	Dorothy Nicosia	Apr/2019
Roger Wolford	Nov/2018	John Morgan	Apr/2019
Glen Bleakley	Dec/2018	Janet De Sena	Apr/2019
Fran Thompson	Dec/2018	Joseph L. Connors	May/2019
Angel Rendaje	Jan/2019	James O'Neill	Jun/2019
Dick Doyle	Jan/2019		
Bishop John M. Smith	Jan/2019		
Father Leon Buni	Jan/2019		
Deacon Dick Hamilton	Feb/2019		

*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.



It is my sad duty to announce the death on Jan. 22, 2019 of the Most Rev. John Mortimer Smith, Bishop Emeritus (2010-2019) and Ninth Bishop of the Diocese of Trenton (1997-2010), former Coadjutor Bishop of Trenton (1995-1997), former Bishop of the Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee in Florida (1991-1995) and former Auxiliary Bishop of the Archdiocese of Newark (1988-1991). Bishop Smith died in Morris Hall Meadows, Lawrenceville, after a long illness. He was 83 years old.

Born June 23, 1935, in Orange, to Mortimer and Ethel Smith, both now deceased, Bishop Smith was the oldest of three children with two brothers, the Rev. Andrew Smith, O.S.B., and Gregory Smith. Bishop Smith attended St. Benedict's Preparatory School in Newark, and John Carroll University in Cleveland, Ohio. He entered Immaculate Conception Seminary at Seton Hall University in South Orange in 1955 and was ordained a priest of the Archdiocese of Newark on May 27, 1961. A graduate of The Catholic University of America in Washington, D.C., Father Smith obtained a doctorate in Canon Law in 1966.

In the Archdiocese of Newark, Father Smith held several positions, among them Assistant Chancellor, Tribunal official, parish priest, Director of the Cursillo Movement and Dean of Bergen County. In 1971, Father Smith was named a Monsignor by now-Pope St. Paul VI.

In 1982, Monsignor Smith was appointed to the faculty of the Pontifical North American College in Rome where he served until his return to Newark in 1986. He was appointed Pastor of St. Mary Parish, Dumont, and, later, as the Archdiocese's Vicar General and Moderator of the Curia. On Dec. 1, 1987, he was named Auxiliary Bishop of Newark, and was consecrated Jan. 25, 1988.

Bishop Smith was appointed Bishop of the Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee on June 25, 1991. He returned to New Jersey as Coadjutor Bishop of the Diocese of Trenton in 1995 where he succeeded the late Bishop John C. Reiss in 1997. He served as Bishop of Trenton for 13 years until his retirement at age 75 in 2010.

Bishop Smith is survived by his two brothers.

May he rest in peace.

Most Reverend David M. O'Connell, C.M.  
Bishop of Trenton



# Brothers in Faith Shall Do Great Deeds



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Bill Elsner	Dec/2019	Ray & Mary Wojcik	Jun/2021
Harold & Florence Meisner	Dec/2019	Chester & Ginger Mankowski	Feb/2023
Jim & Carol Dionne	Dec/2019		
Bill & Theresa Benedict	Dec/2019		
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