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Dear Sister Columbiettes,  
 I can't believe it is already December. Thanks to all who helped at St. Paul's Abbey making wreaths. The pet supplies/food were dropped off to Fr. John's Animal Rescue. An article for this and the duffel bags has been submitted to the newspaper. For our December meeting, please remember to bring in socks for adults, men and women. More women than men. We are also collecting men's tank tops in sized medium and large. These, along with the socks, will be donated to the nursing homes for the residents in need. The tank tops are being collected for the elderly women to wear under their shirts.

Thank you to Sue Bodnar for offering to shadow Patty Losey with the scholarship committee. It was great to see so many faces at our November meeting. We had 43 members attend for our membership retention meeting. We did get 6 names of women who may be interested in becoming members so hopefully we are looking at a 1<sup>st</sup> degree soon. Don't forget we are singing at Barnhill, Valley View and The Homestead on Saturday, December 17<sup>th</sup>. Come to one, two or all three. The residents do enjoy the entertainment.

**Grand Knight's Message:**  
**Council Christmas Social,**  
**St. Joseph's Community**  
**Center, Sunday, December 4th,**  
**from 4 - 7 PM.**  
 Catered by Dominick's, with a great Italian menu. Good selections from the menu, the price is \$5.00 adults and \$3.00 for Children under the age of 12. Guests and friends are welcome!

**December 15th: Council**  
**meeting at Good Shepherd**  
**Church in Andover, NJ. 7:30**  
**PM.**

**December 25th: Merry**  
**Christmas!**

January 7th and 8th, the Council is having a Rose sale after all the Masses to sponsor a Bus for the March for Life. This will be conducted in the three parishes that the Council supports.

On behalf of Grand Knight Thomas Sullivan and the Officers and members of Don Bosco Council, we wish all the Columbiettes a most blessed and Merry Christmas!  
 Jim Bird, PGK



- James Fagan (brother of Pat Keegan)
- Jerry Woodring and Family
- Susan Kadar
- The Kerwick Family
- Nancy Bliesath (Daughter of Connie Pyne)
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- Kathleen Restuccia(Sister Columbiette)
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- The Veliz Family
- Mary Gregory (Sister of Pat Fitzpatrick)
- Dominick Restuccia (Brother Knight)
- Jason Palazzo (Grandson of Margie Palazzo)
- Kerri Knight (Daughter of Pat Fitzpatrick)
- Amy Keegan
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- Pat Fitzpatrick
- Mildred Bugge
- Carol Strand



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[kofc7784.org](http://kofc7784.org)

[donboscocolumbiettes.weebly.com](http://donboscocolumbiettes.weebly.com)

[www.squirettes-marysangels.weebly.com](http://www.squirettes-marysangels.weebly.com)

President's Message cont.

I'm sure we are all looking forward to our Christmas social on December 9<sup>th</sup> with dinner and a show.

Please remember that when parking behind the school for our meetings, we CANNOT block the driveway or the doors to the classrooms. There needs to be a path that the faith formation students can be picked up behind the school and continue through. We do have to remember that there are children back there so be careful driving back there. Also, it is a fire hazard to completely block the driveway. So, please be mindful when parking and if there is no room, park out front and we will watch for members coming in the front door.

I would like to wish everyone a very Happy Thanksgiving, A very, Merry Christmas and a safe and Healthy New Year. May the angels in heaven protect and guide us all.- Pat Keegan



Everyone's help is needed for our Santa Social on Dec. 11<sup>th</sup>. Please be at St. Joseph's Community Center at 8am to set up tables and chairs, Santa's house, Bake Shop, and Christmas Gift Shop. Also help is needed to for clean-up at at 2pm. We do not need Christmas Flea Market items this year because we have a lot left over from 2015. We do, however need at least 3 baked goods from each member to sell. Please mark what the item is, and if there are nuts in the ingredients. We want this year's charity to get some good cash.

Also we need VOICES on St. Dec. 17 to sing to the folks at the Nursing Homes. All are welcome to sing with us. A Merry thank you to you! - Anne K



**Knights' Calendar of Events**



**December**

4<sup>th</sup>  
**Council Christmas Social, St. Joseph's Community Center, 4 - 7 PM**

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**December 25th: Merry Christmas!**

**January**

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**Columbiettes Calendar of Events**

**December**

4<sup>th</sup>  
**Council Christmas Social, St. Joseph's CC, 4 - 7 PM**

5<sup>th</sup>  
**Auxiliary Meeting 7pm St. Joseph's CC**

9<sup>th</sup>  
**Calamari Sisters 8pm**

11<sup>th</sup>  
**Santa Social 10am-2pm**

17<sup>th</sup>  
**Christmas Caroling**

**NO MEETING IN JANUARY**

**SEE YOU ON FEBRUARY 6TH**

