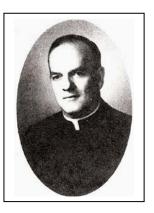
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### **CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE**

Reverend James Boccabella, Pastor Our Lady of Grace Church

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Sometimes we need arbitrary mileposts to gauge where we are, how far we've gotten, how much further we have to go. Our birthdays, anniversaries, and the changing of our calendars each January 1 remind us that, whether we are aware of it or not, time marches on, or, as the Knights remind us, Tempus Fugit, Memento Mori. This can be depressing if we don't remember the true beauty of Christmas – not just the historical event of Jesus' birth but what that birth brought about, the access to eternal glory in Heaven. We are on a pilgrimage back to God, and we are one day closer to our destination than we were yesterday. God does not want us to fear that day, but rather that we look forward to it as the reunion of lovers. If we don't have the latter attitude, we're missing the point of Christmas, and, really, the reason Jesus came into the world.

The best preparation for that day? To show love, to be love, to all around us, starting at home, expanding to our circle of friends, growing to the strangers whom we don't know and who don't know us. This is the final exam before Jesus: "When I was hungry, thirsty, in need, how did you respond?" If you find yourself stymied as to how you will answer that question, make one of your New Year's resolutions to be more involved in the activities of the Council, where many blessed events of kindness and charity and witness to our Faith occur.

We are called to be holy warriors, to be witnesses of a better way of living to all the world, and the Knights stand out significantly as one of the most charitable organizations on the planet. Tempus fugit. How will you respond?

Motto: "Lord, direct our actions to fulfill Your will."

### DISTRICT DEPUTY'S REPORT

SK Joseph F. Krempasky, District Deputy (30) E-mail: JKrempasky@gmail.com ~ Phone: 301-570-4891



January 1 - The Feast of Mary, the Mother of God January 4 - St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

All Grand Knights and Deputies should be planning to attend the Mid-Term Meeting, on January 5 at Columbus Gardens - Baltimore. There will be much to discuss including plans for the upcoming State Convention. Wives are welcome to attend for their day of fun and leisure.

Our New Faith in Action program page is "up and alive" on the K of C website. Announcements regarding the four program categories will be made monthly to update each area of interest.

Form 1728 - Annual Activities Report must be submitted before January 31.

The Special Olympics Partnership Profile Report (form 4584) is due to Supreme before January 31.

Please remember those that are less fortunate during this new year. "Whoever is generous to the poor lends to the Lord, and he will repay him for his deed." (Proverbs, 19:17) We can do this through our Helping Hands program, which gives families the opportunity to assist those in need.

This January 18, U.S. councils will be praying and marching in Washington, DC to show our solidarity against the abortion of unborn children. Councils are encouraged to preorder signs, stating our position, from K of C Supplies Online.

The first half of our fraternal year is complete. Every council can still achieve the Star Council award. Most do not have much difficulty in accomplishing everything but membership and insurance goals. With a little ingenuity and effort, this too can be accomplished. Please consider enlightening other catholic gentlemen about the wonderful product that comes from the Knights of Columbus.

**Vivat Jesus** 

#### **GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE**

GK Steve Sutkowski, Grand Knight

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It is my hope that you all had a very enjoyable and peaceful holiday with family and friends. Our council looks forward to new accomplishments and challenges in the year ahead.

December was a great month for us thanks to the work and commitment of several members and families. I already noted last month the contributions of our cooking and support crew at the Breakfast with Santa and I understand the group cooked up the largest amount of pancakes, etc. in recent years. I am also pleased to report that we had the greatest amount of attendees including kids at our Christmas Party, and special thanks go to our head coordinator and Master of Ceremonies Fred Whitman for his efforts. Recognition also goes out to Joe Feakes and Santa for their wonderful presentation, Jack Giacalone in the Keep Christ in Christmas poster contest winner presentations, Bill Kollins for his work on the raffle, Jim Street for the drinks and set-ups. Innocent and Donna and family for preparations and also the popcorn machine which was a big hit, Chris Romano for the Christmas tree and music, and several others for their work to make this a big hit.

Steve Goldhammer was instrumental once again in our Caroling event at the Montgomery Hospital which had a terrific group join together in song for the benefit of the patients. And last but not least, our thanks to the work performed by Don Hemke in coordinating the delivery, label placements, and distribution of the Matthew Kelly books at our three churches together with several helpers and the individual coordinators at each church.

We have a number of areas of concentration this year including not only membership but advancing members through the various degrees and also bringing back some old members into the fold on an active basis. In addition, fundraising for our various charitable organizations will remain a key objective plus a focus on family events and recognizing our members with health problems and our widows also. I look forward to a great second half of our fraternal year thanks to the team efforts of all of you.

Visit our website at <a href="www.kofc6793.org">www.kofc6793.org</a> or Facebook page at <a href="www.facebook.com/KnightsOfColumbus6793/">www.facebook.com/KnightsOfColumbus6793/</a> to stay informed of our future activities. Attend our business meetings and read our Newsletter to find activities that interest you and join in. Become a more active Brother Knight and support our Council activities.

Fraternally yours.
Steve Sutkowski

#### FRATERNAL BENEFITS ADVISOR REPORT



### HAPPY NEW YEAR

Happy New Year! It's that time of year when we make resolutions. Have you made any yet? Maybe the realistic question is, "Have you broken some, yet?"

You may have a list of 5, 10 or even as many as 20 resolutions, such as getting in shape, eating healthier foods, improving on prayer life, being more thankful, spending more time with people that matter most in our lives, etc.

If not already on your list, there is one resolution I can help you keep in 2019: 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 Knights of Columbus Field Agent, I have a responsibility that I take very seriously in helping my brother knights and their families meet their goals and aspirations and make sure you are on track to make them a reality.

Contact me today!

#### **FAITH IN ACTION**

Fred Taylor, Chairman, Faith Programs
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Our Christmas Party was a great event again, the food and fellowship were outstanding! Brother Knight Jack Giacalone announced the winners of the Keep Christ in Christmas poster contest. The posters were delightful as were the winners and their families that attended. We also had many Seminarians there and they always make it a special event.

Brother Knight Don Hemke announced the eleven Seminarians that we are supporting this year, again more than any other Maryland Council. That is something we can all be proud of. Please remember to contribute to the support of our Seminarians. We have two matching challenges in place, one for \$1000 and another for \$500 that have been posted by Brother Knights. Please take the time to care for and love each other and to pray the Rosary frequently.

### ST. MARTIN'S FOOD PANTRY

As part of our Faith in Action Family service programs, we have instituted our Food For Families program. We will be collecting food for St. Martin's Pantry, who provides food to needy families.

There will be a box at all meetings for collecting food items. All food must be unexpired, sealed items. Items in shortest supply are canned soup, canned fruit, pasta sauce, "meals in a can (canned pasta, canned chili, etc.) and dry, unsweetened cereal.

So, when you are grocery shopping this month, pick up an item or two and help feed those in need.

#### YOU HAVE TO PLAY TO WIN

Winners of the Council Fall Raffle at our 2018 Christmas Party:

- First Place Jim Street (\$497.50)
- Second Place Don Hemke (\$298.50)
- Third Place Wayne Johnson (\$199.00)

Thank You to all brother knights who participated again this Fall, we raised \$1075.00 for our Seminarian Fund and \$250.00 for a very needy family!

Don Hemke, Council Financial Secretary

### **CHURCH NEWS**

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Reverend James Boccabella, Pastor



### A Sodality Theme "To Jesus through Mary"

On Tuesday, January 15, there will be a valentine card workshop in the Parish Center at 1:30PM.

### **Telephone Rosary**

The Washington Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women, in collaboration with the Archdiocese's Office for Family Life, will be holding their nightly rosary, (Monday through Saturday at 1:30 PM until September 4, 2019.

### ST. PETER'S PARISH HIGHLIGHTS

Website: <a href="http://www.stpetersolney.org">http://www.stpetersolney.org</a>
Reverend Thomas M. Kalita, Pastor



#### Women's Retreat

From January 18 to January 22, **Saint Peter's Women's Retreat** will take place at the Priest Field Pastoral Center in Kearneysville, WV. It is designed to be a wonderful opportunity to spend quiet time with the Lord while being in a community of Saint Peter's Parish women. This year's theme will be: "Master, I Want to See".

Rev. Andrew Wakefield will be our speaker. Included in the cost will be a Friday night dinner, three meals on Saturday, a breakfast on Sunday morning, and the free usage of daily facility. For more information on the cost of the retreat and to register, please visit Saint Peter's website at <a href="https://www.stpetersolney.org">www.stpetersolney.org</a> or call the Office of Adult Faith Formation at 301–774–0162.

### ST. PATRICK'S PARISH HIGHLIGHTS

Website: <a href="http://www.stpatricksmd.org">http://www.stpatricksmd.org</a>
Monsignor Charles J. Parry, Pastor



### Saint Paul's Honduras Clinic

The next mission trip to Honduras is planned for January 24 to February 1. We will provide dental, vision, and family medicine health care to the poor of the community. Also, there will be visits to small villages to treat those with the same needs but have no ability to get health care of their own. While health care professionals—doctors, nurses, dentists, EMT, technicians, and hygienists—are desperately needed, anyone who wants a life changing experience of sharing themselves with the poor is invited.

Please e-mail <a href="mailto:honduras@stpauldamascus.org">honduras@stpauldamascus.org</a> for more information regarding deadlines, costs, and other requirements. Information can also be found on our website at <a href="http://www.stpauldamascus.org/honduras-clinic">http://www.stpauldamascus.org/honduras-clinic</a>.

### FOURTH DEGREE NEWS

### SULLIVAN BROTHERS ASSEMBLY 2861 "WE STICK TOGETHER!"

SK Edward Day, Faithful Navigator [www.sullivan2861.org]



**Assembly Business Meetings** are held the **third Thursday** of each month at 8PM. See this newsletter's calendar for details.

### **FAMILY NEWS**

SK Joseph M. Feakes, Chairman, Family Programs E-mail: Josephfeakes@aol.com ~ Phone: 301-774-0137

Father Peter Paul Maher Council #6793, our Council, from its very beginning in 1976, has been a source of leadership for the Maryland State Council. From our membership have come a State Deputy, State Chaplains, Administrative Executives, numerous Directors and State Chairmen and Couples, District Deputies and District Wardens, Chapter Officers, and Assembly Officers.

Today we, as a council, are proud to carry on this leadership role within and beyond the Maryland State jurisdiction. Our membership includes:

- Jack Giacalone: Secretary to the State Deputy (and Vice President, Bishop McNamara Chapter of Grand Knights)
- District Deputy; Joe Krempasky
- District Warden; Kevin Kennedy
- Apostleship of the Sea Co-Chair: Innocent d'Almeida
- Rosary Chairman; Fred Taylor
- Pro-Life Chair couple: Joe and Lynn Feakes. Joe Feakes is also Provincial Marshall
- Fraternal Activities Co Chair; Robert Mazonky
- Ladies Activities Co Chair; Phyllis Giacalone
- Insurance Liason; Andy Colliton

As part of the Maryland State Family, our council has, is, and will be proud supporters of the Maryland State Council.

Please look for your opportunity to become part of this proud tradition.

### **CULTURE OF LIFE NEWS**

Steve Goldhammer, Chairman, Life Programs E-mail: segoldhamm@aol.com ~ Phone: 301-570-9613

- January 11, 2019 Defend Life's March for Life Kickoff Lecture. Rock Creek Council #2797, Bethesda, 7:30 pm. The speaker is Michael Voris, CEO of Church Militant. For more information, go to DefendLife.org or contact Lawrence Grayson at LPGrayson@verizon.net.
- January 13, 2019 March for Life Rally Kickoff, Fr. Rosensteel Council #2169, 5:15 pm. Free spaghetti and meatball dinner, followed by a host of pro-life speakers, dignitaries and musical entertainment. For more information, contact C. Michael Koon at (301) 922-9101.
- **January 18, 2019 March for Life**, Washington, DC. For more information, go to marchforlife.org/mfl2019.
- March 4, 2019 Maryland March for Life, Annapolis, 4:30 pm to 9:30 pm. For more information, go to www.mdmarchforlife.com.

### KOFC ULTRASOUND PROGRAM

Two donations to the State Ultrasound Fund were received recently. Father Burggraff Council #2061 sent in \$250, while an individual Knight sent a check for \$500. The ultrasound donation program needs additional funds to meet requests for sonogram machines from several pregnancy care centers. For more information or to make a donation, contact Lawrence Grayson at LPGrayson@verizon.net.

### PRAYER REQUESTS



Please keep these Knights and families in your prayers.

| INDIVIDUAL'S NAME                                  | RELATIONSHIP                   |
|--|--------------------------------|
| Rev. Fr. Thomas Kalita                             | Pastor/St. Peter's Church      |
| Rev. Fr. Louis Tou                                 | Past Chaplain/Council 6793     |
| Kayla MacBride                                     | Niece/Fr. Kalita               |
| Bill Gulban  | Brother Knight                 |
| Barbara Mazonkey                                   | Brother Knight                 |
| Karen Mazonkey                                     | Daughter/Bob and Barb Mazonkey |
| Robert (Bob) Horrell PGK                           | Brother Knight                 |
| Sue Worley   | Sister/ Jim Street             |
| Dennis Gehey                                       | Friend/ Fred Whitman           |
| Sherry Colliton                                    | Sister/ Andy Colliton          |
| Kate Carroccio                                     | Friend/ Andy Colliton          |
| Stan Boreler                                       | Uncle/ Pat McAleer             |
| Hunter Shaffer                                     | Nephew/ Ed Shaffer             |
| Penny Schwartz                                     | Widow/ Brother Knight          |
| Margaret Schwanke                                  | Widow/Brother Knight           |
| Jennifer McDonald                                  | Friend/ Fred Whitman           |
| Chuck Cozad  | Brother Knight                 |
| DECEASED'S NAME                                    | DATE OF DEATH                  |
| Luke Engler  | 11/27/2018                     |
| Victims of the Borderline Bar<br>Shooting          | 11/8/2018                      |
| Norb Reiner  | 11/2/2018                      |
| All the Victims of the Wild<br>Fires in California |                                |
| Judy Lemon   | 10/23/2018                     |
| Leslie Horrell                                     | 9/25/2018                      |

Continue to pray for the souls of our deceased armed forces.

### **BACK AGAIN THIS YEAR** \$1500 Matching Challenge

Two anonymous council brother knights have again issued a challenge to all brother knights. They will match all donations to the council Seminarian Scholarship Fund up to \$1500 from January 2019 through May 2019!

The council welcomes the opportunity again to respond to the most gracious generosity of our council brother knights!

### MARYLAND STATE COUNCIL NEWS

[Website: www.kofc-md.org]



### REFLECTIONS

### Holiness Offers Christmas Salve For A Wounded Church (by Lawrence P. Grayson)

The Church has been severely wounded by an increasing stream of accusations and investigations of clerical immorality and hierarchical concealment. Cardinal Theodore McCarrick was removed from public ministry in June for an allegation of sexually abusing a minor, and one month later, with further reports that he carnally corrupted adult seminarians over decades, he resigned from the College of Cardinals. In August, the Attorney General of Pennsylvania released a 1,400 page report describing widespread sexual exploitation of adult males in that state by hundreds of priests and pervasive hierarchical coverup.

Since then, 14 additional attorneys general have begun or announced investigations of the Catholic dioceses in their respective jurisdictions. In October, the U.S. Department of Justice issued subpoenas to probe clerical molestation of children in Pennsylvania. Then, on November 13, while the semi-annual meeting of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) was underway, two class action suits were filed in federal district courts by victims of clerical sexual abuse, one case accusing the USCCB and the Vatican of operating a criminal enterprise under RICO federal racketeering statutes.

And how has the hierarchy responded? With inaction, denial and silence. At the opening of the bishops' meeting, USCCB President Cardinal Daniel DiNardo announced that the Holy See had directed them to not vote on two measures aimed at improving episcopal accountability in sex abuse cases. In his report to the group, Francesco Cesareo, the chairman of the bishops' National Review Board said: "Today, the faithful and the clergy do not trust many of you. They are angry and frustrated, no longer satisfied with words and even with prayer. They seek action." But action was beyond their grasp. After the defeat of a proposal simply to encourage the Holy See to release whatever documents it could about Archbishop McCarrick, one bishop remarked "we cannot seem to speak clearly, even when we want to agree."

Many priests and bishops were stunned by the revelations and are disconcerted by the hierarchical inaction. An aggrieved laity is producing relentless commentary on social media about the betrayal, withholding donations to the Church, and contributing to numerous reports in the secular press. There has been little guidance for thoughtful deliberation, pastoral efforts and healing.

In spite of the moral darkness permeating the Church, things can change. Reform, however, will occur only when the true nature of the problem is recognized and addressed. Bishop Thomas Daly of Spokane remarked, "There is truly a diabolical nature to this crisis." Bishop Richard Stika of Knoxville expressed similar views, stating, "I believe Satan is behind all of this." Both are echoing St. Pope Paul VI, who in 1972, shortly after Vatican Council II, declared that "the smoke of Satan has entered the Church of God."

A spiritual crisis cannot be solved solely with material approaches. As Cardinal DiNardo said at the end of the bishops' meeting: "Our hope for true and deep reform ultimately lies in more than excellent systems, as essential as these are. It requires holiness: the deeply held conviction of the truths of the Gospel and the eager readiness to be transformed by those truths in all aspects of life." The cardinal's solution requires a concerted effort by all Catholics, clerical and lay, to live the faith they profess. They must rid the Church of those who use their positions for selfgratification and the exploitation of others. A reformation can start now by making it not only a period of spiritual reflection, but of repentance and renewal of the Church.

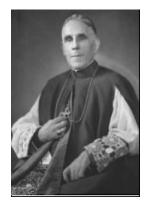
In this call for reform, there is an essential role for the laity. Bishop Thomas Daly of Spokane reminds us that, "During times of corruption and sin in the hierarchy and clergy, God raises up holy lay people and families to call again His Church back to holiness." Bishop Joseph Strickland of Tyler further emphasized that role: "This crisis needs the strongest lay voice possible." We are not in this place at this time by chance. God has willed us to work out our salvation in this period of moral corruption. Jesus, through His coming has given us the means – Grace, the Eucharist, the Sacraments, His Church – to attain that salvation.

Undertake activities to morally strengthen yourself to begin the renewal – say the Rosary daily, spend an hour each week in Eucharistic Adoration, go to Confession, attend Mass more frequently, meditate on the liturgical readings. Pray for the Pope, cardinals, bishops and priests that they are faithful to Christ. Pray that the Church, though it is composed of members with human weaknesses, remains one, catholic, apostolic and holy.

As the current crisis reflects a diabolical influence, corporeal sacrifice is needed. As recently deceased Bishop Robert Morlino of Madison, reminded us, "Some sins, like some demons, can only be driven out by prayer and fasting." And, it may also be time to reinstitute the Prayer to St. Michael following every Mass. When Pope Leo XIII wrote the prayer in 1884, he did so after having a horrific vision of evil spirits attacking and trying to destroy the Church. Although the prayer was no longer mandated after Vatican II, Pope John Paul II urged its continued recitation. The future course of the Church rests within the heart and will of each one of us. If we truly want a Church that fully reflects the teachings of Our Lord, we must lead our lives according to those principles.

#### **CHAPTER NEWS**

Bishop McNamara Chapter - Established 1963 [Website: http://kofcknights.org/ChapterSite/?D=103] McNamara Chapter Marshall - Michael P Davenport



Consider attending a Chapter meeting where Knights from other councils meet and discuss their programs. It's a great place to share and learn ideas for your council to participate in!

### **January Chapter Meeting**

**Date:** January 16, 2019

Time: 8PM

Location: Rosensteel Council, Rosensteel Ave, Silver

Spring, MD

### **SUPREME NEWS**

[WEBSITE: <a href="http://www.kofc.org">http://www.kofc.org</a>]
Source: K of C Supreme Website

#### AN APOSTLE OF HOPE

St. John Paul II encouraged us to confront evil in the world and to be witnesses of God's love



(by Supreme Knight Carl A. Anderson)

IN OCTOBER, I had the opportunity to be in Kraków, Poland, on the 40th anniversary of St. John Paul II's election as pope. While there, I visited the ground floor apartment at No. 10 Tyniecka Street, where the young Karol Wojtyła and his father lived during the Nazi invasion and occupation of Poland.

They had come to Kraków so that Wojtyła could attend the Jagiellonian University. But after the Nazis closed the university, Wojtyła began working in a limestone quarry. In 1941, he returned from work one evening to find his father in bed, dead of a heart attack. He would later say, "At 20, I had already lost all the people I loved."

Standing in the small, austere apartment in front of the wooden desk at which Wojtyła studied, the bed in which his father died and the tiny wooden stove in the kitchen, one could image the questions Wojtyła asked himself, and the prayers he recited, as his world crashed down around him and he struggled to make decisions about the future.

The day after the visit to Tyniecka Street, I was asked whether St. John Paul II is still relevant. With the images of his apartment still in mind, I said, "For St. John Paul II, evil and suffering were not abstractions, they were very real in his life.

"St. John Paul II was an apostle of hope. He told us, 'Do not be conquered by evil but conquer evil with good' (cf. Rom 12:21). And he showed us that this could be done.

"He knew that the good is also not an abstraction but is a person — a person whose hands and heart care for others. And he called on each of us to take up this task."

I had also left the apartment convinced it was the experiences Wojtyła lived while there that gave him such great connectivity with young Catholics when he was pope — especially at World Youth Days.

In 2002, during the World Youth Day in Toronto, he said: "You are young and the Pope is old.... But the Pope still fully identifies with your hopes and aspirations. Although I have lived through much darkness, under harsh totalitarian regimes, I have seen enough evidence to be unshakably convinced that no difficulty, no fear is so great that it can completely suffocate the hope that springs eternal in the hearts of the young. You are our hope."

Nearly a decade earlier, in Denver, he said to the young pilgrims: "Christ needs you to enlighten the world and to show it the 'path to life.' ... The struggle will be long, and it needs each one of you. Place your intelligence, your talents, your enthusiasm, your compassion and your fortitude at the service of life!"

In the same homily, he called on young Catholics to "become more conscious of your vocation and mission in the Church and in the world." And he repeated to them the words of St. Paul, "I have great confidence in you, I have great pride in you; I am filled with encouragement, I am overflowing with joy" (2 Cor 7:4).

Still today, I meet bishops, priests and nuns who tell me that such encounters with St. John Paul II kindled their religious vocations. Others have said how his words strengthened their vocation to marriage and in the world.

As we prepare for what 2019 will bring to our Church and the world, let us as Knights of Columbus reflect on his words at World Youth Day in Toronto:

"The world you are inheriting is a world which desperately needs a new sense of brotherhood and human solidarity. It is a world which needs to be touched and healed by the beauty and richness of God's love. It needs witnesses to that love."

I am confident that a young priest from New Haven would have agreed!

By founding the Knights of Columbus, Father McGivney gave us a practical way to bring a greater sense of charity and unity within our Church and our communities.

Vivat Jesus!

### ~~~ RECENT COUNCIL COMMUNITY EVENTS ~~~











### **43rd Annual**

### Pancake & Sausage Day 2019

(Jointly Sponsored Knights of Columbus & Olney Lions Club)







### **SATURDAY FEBRUARY 23, 2019**

8:00AM to 2:00PM

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JAN 18 TUE -- March for Life, Washington, DC. For more information, go to www.marchforlife.org/mfl2019





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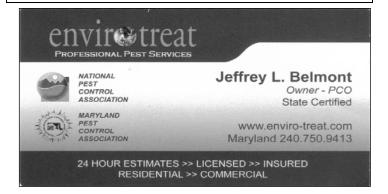
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| JAN 9 WED  | Business Meeting, 7:30PM, Our Lady of Grace Parish Center, Leisure World                              |
| JAN 16 WED | Bishop McNamara Chapter meeting, 8PM, Rosensteel Council, Rosensteel Ave, Silver Spring MD            |
| JAN 17 THU | Renewal of Obligations Ceremony, starts at 8PM (Color Corps event), Father Cuddy Hall, 17001 Overhill |
|            | Road, Derwood, MD 20855 US  |
| JAN 18 FRI | March for Life, Washington, DC. For more information, go to www.marchforlife.org/mfl2019              |
| JAN 23 WED | Social Meeting  |



| FEB 6 WED  | Executive Meeting, 7:30PM, St. Patrick's Parish Center                                 |
|------------|--|
| FEB 13 WED | Business Meeting, 7:30PM, Our Lady of Grace Parish Center, Leisure World               |
| FEB 20 WED | Bishop McNamara Chapter meeting, 8PM, Saint Rose or Father McKenna Council (TBC)       |
| FEB 23 SAT | 43rd Annual Pancake & Sausage Day, 8AM – 2PM, St. John's Episcopal Church Hall (Olney) |
| FEB 27 WED | Social Meeting   |

- ▶ For more information about or to participate in any council event, contact Grand Knight Steve Sutkowski on 301-890-9308.
- ► Council Calendar: View it at: www.KofC6793.org (Select "Event Calendar" at the left and the current month's calendar will be displayed.) Scroll forward to view upcoming events.) To view Monthly Business Meeting Minutes on the website: (On the HOME screen, scroll to the bottom of the page, on the right, select "Access Minutes" in the Council Minutes section.)
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