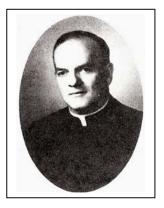
Father Maher's Knightly News

FR. PETER PAUL MAHER COUNCIL 6793 KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE

Monsignor Donald Essex, Pastor, Our Lady of Grace Church

The month of November begins with the Solemnity of All Saints, a holy day of obligation. The earliest observance of a feast in honor of all the saints is a 4th century commemoration of "all the martyrs." In the early 7th century, after waves of invaders plundered the catacombs, Pope Boniface IV gathered up 28 wagon loads of the bones and reinterred them beneath the Pantheon, a Roman temple dedicated to all the gods, which the pope rededicated to the memory of all the saints. The feast began to be celebrated on November 1 in the 9th century. Today the feast honors the obscure as well as the famous--the saints each of us has known.

November concludes with the Feast of St. Andrew Apostle. As is the case of all the apostles except Peter and John, the Gospels give us little about the holiness of Andrew. He was an Apostle. That is enough. He was called personally by Jesus to proclaim the Good News, to heal with Jesus' power and to share his life and death. Holiness today is no different. It is gift that includes a call to be concerned about the Kingdom, an outgoing attitude that wants nothing more than to share the riches of Christ with all people. May we imitate Andrew and all the saints! [Reflections based on "Saint of the Day" by Leonard Foley, O.F.M.] May God bless you all.

DISTRICT DEPUTY'S REPORT

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> 'Be ye fishers of men. You catch 'em - He'll clean 'em.'

It's hard to believe that the Fraternal Year is already one third complete. How are you doing on the New Year's Resolutions that I suggested back in July?

- 1. Please make an effort to attend your Council's Business Meetings to keep abreast of what's happening in your Council.
- 2. Remember why you joined the Knights and what activities you indicated an interest in on your Form 100. Then get involved in at least one Council event this year to help your Council succeed. If you participated in one Council event this past year, make it two events this year. Don't wait to be asked to volunteer; when you hear about an event and who the Chairman is, call him to offer your assistance. Many hands make for light work. You'll have fun and you'll be appreciated.
- 3. Invite at least one Catholic gentleman that you know to join the ranks of our Order. He might just say yes!'

Marilyn and I wish you and yours a very Happy Thanksgiving while you celebrate with and appreciate your family members near and far! *Vivat Jesus!*

Motto: "Lord, help me to say 'Yes' to Your will."



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GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

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Brother Knights and Ladies,

Elaine and I offer our sincere thanks to all of the gracious Knights and Ladies who have stepped up and made this first third of the fraternal year so eventful and enjoyable. The Tootsie Roll Campaign continues in full force. Contact Steve Sutkowski to assist at one of our collection locations. Our web site for donations at www.kofc6793.org has been an effective way to participate in this program and has been used by many of us to make our contributions.

The Council Art Show was held the weekend of October 23-25 at Washington Art Works. This was a truly spectacular event with great participation that showcased quality art by many established artists in assorted media. This was a great success and my thanks to everyone who contributed to this Council fundraiser.

I thank our Chaplain, Monsignor Essex, and the parishioners at Our Lady of Grace Parish for hosting the Pro-Life Mass on October 11th. This Culture of Life event was both fun and moving. The mass was followed by a donut and coffee reception provided by the parish. That social time was then followed by a presentation by Larry Grayson in the Media Room that was outstanding and touched on ways that we may affect the moral fiber of this Nation; beginning with acts each of us can take (the power of one). I thank Larry for his informative and touching message.

Our 16th annual Halloween Party at the Inwood House was another great success. Thanks to Paul McFarlane and Joe Krempasky for their leadership of this event. The food was great, the entertainment lively and a good time was had by all, including the Knights and Ladies who supported this event. I was especially pleased to have an opportunity to renew friendships with residents that I have known for many years.

Remember to support our Memorial Mass for deceased Brother Knights on November 7th. Mass will be at Our Lady of Grace Church, celebrated by our Chaplain at 11 am, followed by a luncheon at the Tavern Restaurant. Also support our Silver Rose Service on November 15th. It will be in the Chapel at St. Peter's Church at 3:30 pm. The service will be presented by our Chaplain, Monsignor Essex, and our Associate Chaplain, Deacon Tom Cioffi.

Upcoming events you will have an opportunity to support and enjoy include a play (Guys and Dolls) and reception for our families at the Olney Theater at 8 pm on December $4^{\rm th}$. The event

Chairman is Joe Feakes and tickets may be purchased by contacting him (more information is in the "Family News" section of the newsletter). Christmas with St. Nick at St. Patrick's on December 5th. Caroling at Montgomery General Hospital in mid-December and our annual Christmas party where we show our support for our Seminarians, being organized by Steve Sutkowski. Consider a donation to support our Seminarians. One of our brother Knights, who wishes to remain anonymous, has pledged to match donations up to \$1000.

Remember the importance of recruitment and retaining and engaging our Brothers and their families, making them welcome and a vibrant part of our Council.

Please visit our web site at www.kofc6793.org or our Facebook page at www.facebook.com/Knighs of Columbus6793. Consider coming to a meeting to help us plan and execute our activities for the year. Make the time to participate in our activities. Become a more active member of our Council. You can reach me at 301-871-8928 or taylorwf8@verizon.net.

God bless you and your families!

FRATERNAL BENEFITS ADVISOR REPORT





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Teach Your Children Well

Raising children is probably the hardest job you'll ever take. It requires you to wear more hats than you ever thought possible. Cook, chauffeur, nurse, counselor and many more... and that's often in one morning. One of the most important roles you accept as a parent is that of a teacher. Before they even get to school, you'll teach your children so much, and before they get out into the world, you'll instill values that they will carry with them.

Sometimes the values you want to impart (respect, compassion, accountability, financial responsibility, etc.) often run counter to what our instant-gratification driven society values. So, we strive to teach by example.

This is one good reason to carry enough life insurance to protect your family. This one simple act can show what you value. You'll show them that you love them and are concerned about their welfare. You'll show that you take your responsibility to provide for your family seriously, and that you want to make sure they're provided for even if you're not around. You'll show them that investing money in your life insurance protection is more important than the new set of golf clubs you might want, the newest and best home theater system you've had your eye on, or whatever else you might be sacrificing to pay the premiums.

It will teach them about priorities. Sure, it may not sink in at the time, especially if any of the sacrifices made prevent them from filling what they see as their immediate "needs" (really things they want, not need, like the newest DVD, video game or article of clothing). In the long run, they will learn from what you do and what you don't do. Only you can choose the lessons you will teach.

Let's meet to review your existing coverage. My needs analysis, provided free, will help teach you where your coverage may be lacking. We can plan today to secure your family's future and set in motion lessons that will last a lifetime.

Council 6793 is honored to hold a Silver Rose Service on Sunday, November 15 at 3:30PM in the Chapel at St. Peter's Church in Olney.



Our Chaplain, Monsignor Essex will lead the service, assisted by Associate Chaplain, Deacon Tom Cioffi.

FOURTH DEGREE NEWS

SULLIVAN BROTHERS ASSEMBLY 2861 "WE STICK TOGETHER!"

SK Innocent d'Almeida, Faithful Navigator [www.sullivan2861.org]



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

CHURCH NEWS

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ST. PATRICK'S PARISH HIGHLIGHTS

Website: http://www.stpatricksmd.org
Reverend William E. Foley, Pastor



FRANCISCAN MONASTERY OF THE HOLY LAND IN AMERICA will present CLAIMING OUR FUTURE CONVERSATION on November 10 at 7:00 pm. This is a continuation of a series that is offered on the second Tuesday of every month. The next presentation will be by Fr. Ronald Pecci, OFM, of Brooklyn, New York, Director of Postulants of Holy Name Province. The presentation is free and open to the public and is also available as a live stream conversation if you are not able to

attend. The Franciscan Monastery is located at 1400 Quincy Street NE Washington, D.C. 20017. Fr Jim Garner is the director of the program is available for questions at (202) 526-6800

FOOD DRIVE

Get your Cans out there! St Patrick's is sponsoring a food drive on November 14 between 8 am and 4:00 pm. Volunteers are needed to direct traffic, load and unload cars, sort, and count and load cartons for Holiday Giving or help with serving refreshments. Start your Holiday season off right with this wonderful opportunity to make a difference for our community. Tell your neighbor, friends and your family to come out for a spirited day of greatly needed charity work and let's make this a success! Sign up now at www.greggannoncfd.org/churchs/st-patricks-church

ST. PETER'S PARISH HIGHLIGHTS

Website: http://www.stpetersolney.org
Reverend Thomas M. Kalita, Pastor



St Peter's is offering the opportunity "TO PUT ON CHRIST" on Monday, November 2, 2015 at the 7:15 mass. This is a special All Souls Commemoration in the Main Church to pray for those who have gone before us and to also remember in a special way those who have been buried from Saint Peter's Parish since All Souls Day 2014. Please come out on November 2 to pray for the souls of the faithful departed and to reaffirm that we belong to a communion of saints and must continue to pray for those who have gone before us. This promises to be a very moving experience.

MEMBERSHIP NEWS

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

Remember when you heard the phrase "there is no "I" in team"? How about this one, "There is no "U" in membership".

Guess what, there is a YOU in membership and it all has to deal with why YOU became a Knight of Columbus. Look around, there are men YOU see at work, at Church, and in the neighborhood. Why not share what YOU have seen and experienced with others. YOU can make a difference. If YOU need any help, please call.

COMMUNITY NEWS

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ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL ANNUAL INWOOD HALLOWEEN PARTY

MANY, MANY THANKS to everyone who helped to make last month's **16**th **Annual Inwood House Halloween Party a success!** The Inwood residents thoroughly enjoyed all the time, talent and treasure you shared with them!

Joseph Krempasky, Inwood 2015 Chairman and Paul McFarlane, Community Activities Chairman

PRAYER REQUESTS



Please keep these Knights and families in your prayers.

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Pray for the souls of all our deceased armed forces.

FAMILY NEWS

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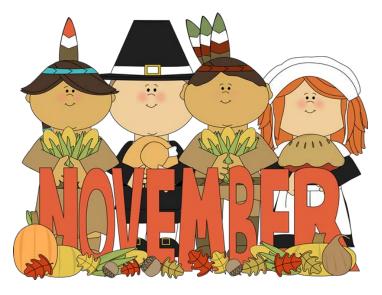
As we announced in last month's newsletter, our council is hosting a "NIGHT AT THE THEATRE". December 4, 2015 is the event. Olney Theatre is presenting the award winning classic "GUYS AND DOLLS".

Memorable music and dancing will provide a wonderful evening of SHOW BIZ.!

The cost is \$42.50. For this you get prime seats at a 20% discount, a private reception and an intermission snack. The reception is at 7pm, the show is at 8. Seating is limited. For more info and to reserve seats contact Joe Feakes Tel: 301-774-0137, or email: josephfeakes@aol.com

SUPPORT OUR COUNCIL'S "FOOD FOR FAMILIES" PROGRAM!

It's nearly Thanksgiving and you're planning a wonderful and blessed celebration for your family. Might you help make another family feel just as happy and blessed?



Please buy and bring any of the items listed below to any Council event. We donate these to St. Patrick's and St. Peter's Food Banks to help our parishes' families.

Dried Beans or Peas - Macaroni and Cheese - Spaghetti and other Pastas - Snacks (cookies, crackers, granola bars, nuts) - Cold or Hot Cereals - Juices - Pancake Mix - Syrup - Chili - Canned Fruits and Vegetables - Rice (bagged or boxed) - Peanut Butter - Jelly - Jell-O - Pudding Mixes - Canned meats (Spam, Ham, Corned Beef, etc.) - Beef Stew - Soups - Canned Chicken - Muffin Mix - Dried Milk - Tuna/Chicken/Hamburger Helper (Any boxed dinners) - Ramen Noodles, Rice & Side dishes, etc.

PLEASE CHECK EXPIRATION DATES ON ALL ITEMS.

COUNCIL NEWS

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A Memorial Mass for our departed Brother Knights will be held SAT/NOV/07 at 11AM at Our Lady of Grace Church in Leisure World.



There will be a luncheon afterward at The Tavern in Olney. All widows, Knights, and their families are invited. Call or email Fred Whitman if you plan on attending on 240-882-6748 or email Shagger43@yahoo.com

GET YOUR COUNCIL 6793 JACKET! ORDER BY MON/NOV/16

We are again offering these great jackets for council members and their spouses. These excellent quality mid-weight jackets are Maroon in color with black fleece lining. The K of C 3rd degree emblem is embroidered on the left side with the words, "Knights of Columbus Fr. Peter Paul Maher Council, Olney MD" encircling it. Your name will be embroidered on the right side.



We have ordered and delivered over 60 jackets from previous orders. Sizes are Medium (38–40), Large (42-44) and X/Large (46-48). Jackets will be approximately \$70 each, but the more we order, the less they will cost. This is not a fund raiser, so our cost is your cost. We want to let everyone know that the Knights of Columbus are present and living in Olney. Please call

Me, Jack Giacalone (301-774-6338 or <u>jgiacal@verizon.net</u>) to see, try on, and order one of these great jackets. <u>Orders must be placed</u> no later than Monday, November 16. *Thank you!*

2015 TOOTSIE ROLL PROGRAM EXTENDED TO NOVEMBER 8

- ► We need volunteers to cover the **Olney Liquor Store**: 2-Hour Shifts on Saturday (NOV-07 from 10AM-8PM) and Sunday (NOV-08 from 10AM-6PM). Contact **Steve Sutkowski** on **301-890-9308** or via email **Ssutko9208@aol.com**.
- ► Consider making a donation to the Tootsie Roll Program on our website at www.kofc6793.org

BREAKFAST WITH ST. NICK

Once again Fr Peter Paul Maher Council will be preparing the Pancakes and Sausage at St Peter's Breakfast with St Nick on **Saturday, December 5, 2015**.

We need volunteers to work three shifts: Set up Shift 6 - 8 am, 1st sitting shift 8 - 10 am and the second sitting shift 10:30am - 12pm.

Please arrive 15 minutes earlier for the 2 sittings and don't forget to bring your hat. Please let me know which shift or shifts you can work and remember spouses are welcomed.

Thanks Jack Giacalone, 301-774-6338 or jgiacal@verizon.net

JOIN THIS \$1,000 MATCHING CHALLENGE TO GROW OUR SEMINARIANS' FUND



Again this year, a Council Brother (who wishes to remain anonymous) offers to "match your donations" to our Seminarians' Fund up to \$1,000! This most generous challenge is effective through December 31, 2015.

If you will, please make your check payable to "Knights of Columbus Council 6793" and mail it to Don Hemke, Financial Secretary, Council 6793 (18729 Willow Grove Road, Olney, MD 20832).

CULTURE OF LIFE NEWS

SK Stephen Goldhammer, Chairman, Culture of Life E-mail: SEGoldhamm@aol.com ~ Phone: 301-570-9613

Maryland Against Physician Assisted Suicide



You may have already seen the news: <u>California on Monday</u>, 12 October, <u>legalized physician assisted suicide</u>. After similar legislation failed during California's regular legislative session earlier this year, proponents were able to sneak a bill through during a special legislative session.

While this news is discouraging, the Maryland Against Physician Assisted Suicide coalition wants to be clear: What happened in California will not slow down our fight to defeat assisted suicide legislation in Maryland. In fact, our coalition continues to grow and we are more determined than ever.

To ensure that assisted suicide proponents know our resolve to keep assisted suicide out of Maryland is at even stronger, we are asking you to reach out to your Delegate and Senator today and tell them why you oppose assisted suicide.

To make it easy, you can use our online email form:

http://stopassistedsuicidemd.org/take-action/contact-your-legislator/ We know we are on the right side of this argument. Let's make sure Maryland's legislators agree with us. Contact them today. [Maryland Against Physician Assisted Suicide].

CHAPTER NEWS

Bishop McNamara Chapter - Established 1963 Website: http://www.kofc-md.org/state1415/mcnamara.asp



► MEETING: WED/NOV/18 at Sacred Heart Council #2577 (6111 Columbian Way, Bowie, MD 20715).

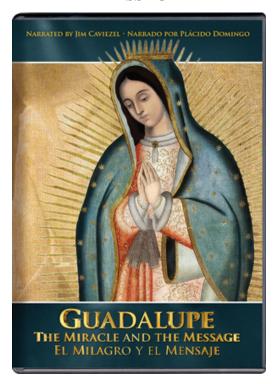
► EVENT: Memorial Mass & Silent Auction

► ATTIRE: Coat and Tie

SUPREME NEWS

Source: KofC Supreme Website [WEBSITE: http://www.kofc.org]

GUADALUPE: THE MIRACLE AND THE MESSAGE



A new documentary film narrated by actor Jim Caviezel offers original insights into the details, story and impact of the 16th century apparition of Our Lady of Guadalupe — one of the most recognizable religious icons in the American hemisphere.

The Knights of Columbus-produced film, Guadalupe: The Miracle and the Message, paints a comprehensive and inspiring picture of the history, facts and legacy of the image of Our Lady of Guadalupe. Being aired as part of ABC's Visions and Values Series, the documentary will have a broadcast window from Oct. 11 to Dec. 10.

The film delves into the inexplicable existence of the image that appeared on the tilma (cloak) of an indigenous convert named Juan Diego, who, over the course of four days in December 1531, received a series of visions of the Virgin Mary. The indigenous people were amazed how the image revealed important elements of the Christian faith through native symbols — an actual codex — that they could understand. Most experts and historians affirm that the image miraculously imprinted on the tilma resulted in the conversion of millions to the Catholic faith.

"The message of Our Lady of Guadalupe helped to build bridges between cultures and worlds and began the transformation of our continent into a Christian continent of hope," said Supreme Knight Carl Anderson, executive producer of the film. "The apparition helped to unite the entire continent in a way that didn't exist before. Through her intercession, then and now, those throughout this hemisphere have found a deep and shared sense of faith, hope and identity."

The image itself has long been puzzling to the scientific community, since it has been shown to exist without having been painted, has survived despite extreme age, adverse conditions and a bombing. The image also exhibits features reminiscent of photographs, such as reflections in the image's eyes, even though it appeared hundreds of years before photography.

Guadalupe: The Miracle and the Message brings this remarkable history to life through modern reenactments, 3D animations which allow viewers an unprecedented glimpse into the intricacies of the centuries-old wonder and interviews with leading theologians, historians and scientists.

The film also dispels popular myths, including that the image's impact does not extend past Mexico's border.

"Some see Our Lady of Guadalupe as a Mexican or as a Latin American, Hispanic phenomenon," said Supreme Knight Anderson. "However, this understanding is incomplete. Our Lady of Guadalupe is the patroness of all of America and of the Philippines as well. She is loved and embraced across cultural lines throughout this continent and beyond."

For more information about the film, including broadcast times and the DVD release, visit www.guadalupethefilm.com or follow the hashtag #guadalupethefilm.

MARYLAND STATE COUNCIL NEWS

"Be not afraid, our faith is our courage!"
[Website: www.kofc-md.org]



In honor of Pope Francis, the Knights of Columbus is extending its 1st Quarter Special Incentive to all recruiters. Between July 1, 2015 and now December 31, 2015, you will receive 2,000 VIP points for every new or former member recruited in this time period in addition to a medallion similar to the one above for the first new or former member recruited only. If you've already received a medallion for the 1st quarter, you will continue to receive 2,000 VIP for any member recruited in the 2nd quarter of this fraternal year.

YOUTH NEWS

Andy Colliton, Chairman, Youth Activities E-mail: APCollitonA@verizon.net ~ Phone: 301-924-2733



Are you a student OR do you know of a student who needs Student Service Learning Hours (A Montgomery County School Requirement)? If so, contact me!

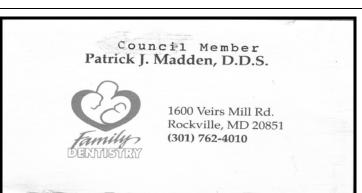
We have a few upcoming events where you can volunteer and earn them.



** Attend our Council's Silver Rose Prayer Service on SAT/NOV/15 at 3:30PM in the chapel at St. Peter's Church.

**Our Council has a limited number of tickets available for the play "Guys and Dolls" at Olney Theatre on FRI/DEC/04 at 7PM. Contact Joe Feakes to reserve your tickets! Email: josephfeakes@aol.com or call: (301-774-0137).













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NOV 01 SUN Daylight Savings Time Begins

NOV 03 TUE Election Day

NOV 04 WED Executive Meeting, 7:30PM, St. Patrick's Parish Center

NOV 07 SAT Annual Council Memorial Mass, Our Lady of Grace Church (11AM) Luncheon follows at Olney Tavern.

NOV 08 SUN Second Sunday 7PM Mass at St. Patrick's Church (Council 6793 Knights are needed for ushering.)

NOV 10 TUE Session for Prospective Members, St. Peter's Shepherd's Room, 8PM

NOV 11 WED Business Meeting, (7:30PM) OLGC-HS Classroom #114 ~ Arrive at 7PM to pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet.

NOV 15 SUN Council 6793 Silver Rose Event - St. Peter's Chapel at 3:30PM

NOV 16 MON DEADLINE to Order Council 6793 Jackets! Contact Jack Giacalone (301-774-6338) or jgiacal@verizon.net

NOV 25 WED Council Social Canceled due to Thanksgiving holiday.

NOV 26 THU Thanksgiving Day NOV 29 SUN First Day of Advent

DEC 02 WED Executive Meeting, 7:30PM, St. Patrick's Parish Center

DEC 04 FRI Council Night at Olney Theatre "Guys and Dolls" Show begins at 8PM, preceded by private reception at 7PM

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DEC 13 SUN Second Sunday 7PM Mass at St. Patrick's Church (Council 6793 Knights are needed for ushering.)

DEC 17 THU Sullivan Brothers Assembly #2861 *Business Meeting*, Fr. Cuddy Hall Council #2323 at 8 PM

DEC 23 WED Council Social Canceled due to Christmas holiday.

DEC 25 FRI Christmas Day

- ▶ For more information about or to participate in any council event, call Grand Knight Fred Taylor on 301-871-8928.
- ► Council Calendar: View it at: <u>www.KofC6793.org</u> (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.)
- ▶ DEADLINE: Newsletter content MUST be sent, via e-mail, to Paul McFarlane [PMKnight6793kofc@verizon.net]

NO later than the 15th of the month to be included in the following month's publication. Newsletter content questions or story ideas may be sent to Paul via e-mail, anytime or call him on (301-633-9439).