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Chaplain's Message

There is no Chaplain's message for this month.

Grand Knight's Message

Brothers,

I'm both honored and humbled to become Grand Knight of our Council. I vow to lead this council to the best of my ability.

First, I would like to honor our outgoing Worthy Grand Knight, Joe Bisi.

Joe has done a tremendous job leading our council the past two years. They are big shoes to fill. I was honored to serve as his DGK; he mentored me and taught me a lot. I'm delighted that Joe has agreed to be my DGK. I thank him for this as he has become a great personal friend.

The past few years we have changed the culture of our council. We've instituted programs like twice monthly members nights and fraternal trips throughout the year. We've continued to reach our goals funding the various charities and assisting in many ways the communities that surround our council.

I also realize that for some of you it's difficult attending meetings. Life, family and work takes up a good deal of your time. I want to thank many of you who do have trouble attending meetings; you have answered the call for special projects we needed to get done. I'm extremely grateful for your time. To the rest of my

(Grand Knight contd.)

Brothers, I ask if you could give the Council twelve hours per year of service time that would be greatly appreciated. Twelve hours per year, that is half of a day; I am positive that you can do that. Twelve hours of service time per year from all of you will take this council to the next level.

In closing, I am excited to get started and I guarantee that I shall will provides 110% effort advancing this Council.

Vivat Jesus

Frank Mariconti, Sr.

Grand Knight

July Friday Night Dinner

Brothers

Our Council will be holding our **July Friday Night Dinner on July 20, 2018**. The menu for the dinner will be chicken oreganata, rice pilaf, vegetable and a tossed salad. Dessert, coffee and tea and soda are included in the price of just \$12 per adult and \$30 for a family consisting of parents and minor children.

The doors of our air-conditioned Hall will be open at 6:00 PM and dinner will be served at 6:30. You are urged to make reservations prior to Wed., July 18th by calling Mike DeAngelo at 201-664-5396.

Brothers, we need help at the Friday Night Dinners if we are to continue the Dinners, which are a major fundraiser for our Council. The Kitchen Crew is currently understaffed and the number of members that come to serve and clean up after the dinners is terribly inadequate. The members that come to help are excellent and their assistance is greatly appreciated. However, it is going to be difficult to continue the dinners if we do not get sufficient help. The tremendous amount of work that goes into putting on a dinner cannot continue to be done with the few members who help month after month after month.

Your help is needed; please respond when a call goes out for assistance.

The Kitchen Crew



This might have been yours if you participated in our 2018 Golf Outing.

Hope to see you next year.

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Fourth Degree Report

There are no Fourth Degree Meetings scheduled for July and August.

Calendar of Events for June and July 2018

July

- 07/04 Independence Day
- 07/05 Regular Business Meeting.....8:00 PM
- 07/09 Spectrum Canteen.....6:00 PM
- 07/10 First Degree..... 7:00 PM
- 07/11 Columbian Club Meeting.....7:30 PM
- 07/12 Members Night..... 7:00 PM
- 07/20 Friday Night Dinner..... 6:00 PM
- 07/25 Officers Meeting.....7:30 PM
- 07/26 Members Night.....7:00 PM

August

- 08/02 Regular Business Meeting.....8:00 PM
- 08/12 FR. McGivney's Birthday
- 08/14 First Degree.....7:00 PM
- 08/15 Assumption Day
- 08/16 Officers Meeting.....7:30 PM
- 08/17 Friday Night Dinner.....6:00 PM

Spectrum Canteen

The next Spectrum Canteen will be held on July 11. All the usual help is greatly appreciated.

Golf Outing a Success

June 11th began bright and sunny and only got better as the day progressed. Our annual golf outing to benefit the Scholarship and Charity Funds once again proved to be a resounding success.

This year with the Queen of Peace Council of Closter, 74 participants began their quest to win \$10,000, a 2018 Ford Mustang, airfare for two in the continental US, a big screen TV, a set of Callaway golf clubs, or a \$1000 shopping spree at the PGA Tour Super Store if they managed to get a hole in one. The prizes are safe since no one was lucky or skilled enough to accomplish this extraordinary feat.

The course was in great condition, the greens were fast, and the weather was terrific for a day on the links. The winning score was a 62, which is 10 below par for the course. Prizes were awarded for the closest to the pin on all four par 3 holes, along with the longest and straightest drives and lowest net score.

There were many new participants in this year's outing including a women's foursome and our oldest player to date, a 91-year-old former wrestling coach from Leonia HS – Phil Klocik. Our hole sponsors number was the same as last year, 42, with 13 new additions to the outing.

When the final tally is done, we will have achieved our goal of raising just over \$5000 for the Funds. This means that the Scholarships we provide will be able to continue for the foreseeable future.

This event is very labor intense and time consuming. Without the help of a very select few members who stepped up when asked, we would not be able to continue to host this outing. Whether they solicited gifts from local businesses, asked for hole sponsorships, donated gifts, or money, assisted at registration, or sat at a hole to be a witness to a hole in one their contributions are commendable and very much appreciated.


So, special thanks to Joe Bisi, Frank Mariconti, Jim Abrams, Bill Filon, John Marzulla, and Gus Molina. Thanks also to Orlando Setola for volunteering his father-in-law to sit at a hole. But the biggest thank you is reserved for Tom Diadone and to his wife, Annie, for their generous donation of the luncheon at the Florentine Gardens and to All American Ford for providing the Mustang as a prize.

Planning for next year's event is already underway and the hope is to make it bigger and better. It is not too early for you to begin thinking about getting involved and helping with this fund-raiser. It is your Council and the Scholarships are presented in your name, so why not be part of the picture next year.





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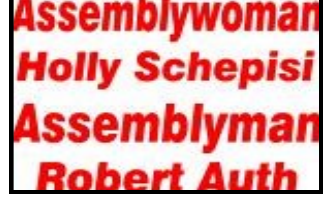
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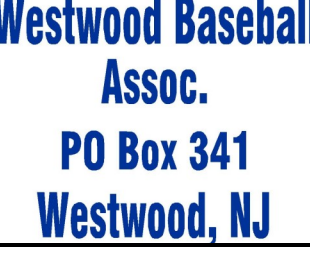
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