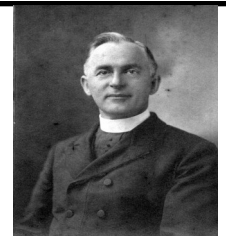




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## CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

### The Gift of Unity in Charity

Since Easter, the beauty of the liturgy has been accompanied with the book of Acts of Apostles recalling the miracle of the beginning of a Christian community and its unity. This unity is a gift, the great gift for which we should pray every day for Christians and human beings, especially nowadays when Christians and minor religious entities are being persecuted and decimated.

Barnabas who was sent to Antioch "saw the grace of God," which is the unity of the believers in Christ Jesus who remained faithful to the Lord in firmness of heart.

May the penetrating grace poured out by the sacraments unify us more perfectly in Christ and in His teaching through the Catholic Church, which is not something decided later by the work men did in the early experience of the Church. Indeed: "In keeping with the Lord's command, the Gospel was handed on in two ways: *Orally*" by the apostles who handed on, by the spoken word of their preaching, by the example they gave, by the institutions they established, what they themselves had received - whether from the lips of Christ, from his way of life and his works or whether they had learned it at the prompting of the Holy Spirit and "*In writing*" by those apostles and other men associated with the apostles who, under the inspiration of the same Holy Spirit, committed the message of salvation to writing." (CCC 76).

"In order that the full and living Gospel might always be preserved in the Church, the apostles left bishops as their successors. They gave them their own position of teaching authority." Indeed, "the apostolic preaching, which is expressed in a special way in the inspired books, was to be preserved in a continuous line of succession until the end of time." (CCC 77).

This living transmission is called Tradition, since it is distinct from Sacred Scripture, though closely connected. Through Tradition, "the Church, in her doctrine, life and worship, perpetuates and transmits to all generation all that she herself is, all that she  
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### Knights (and Maryknights) In Action

I recently sat down with Al Wigmore midway through a Bingo program and found myself in awe of what was happening in front of me. I looked over at Don Phillips as he just shook his head while proclaiming "that woman just don't stop!" Don helps sell pull tabs and while he was taking a much needed break, T. Fitz. came over and grabbed another stack of pull taps to sell. She too was shaking her head at Don, but I am pretty sure her thoughts were a bit different. Probably something like "come on old man!"

I too walked away shaking my head in amazement. There are at least 16 volunteers working Bingo every Wednesday. I realize we hear it all the time "Please come support our Bingo program," so I won't repeat myself. Please take a moment to thank each and every one of the Bingo Team - they do a great job.

### Council Communion Mass

Sunday, May 1, 8:30 a.m.  
Christ the King Church  
2301 Colston Dr., Silver Spring, MD 20910  
Celebrated by Chaplain Fr. Ettore Ferrario

Followed by breakfast at the Council - \$10 per person

See you there!

## Grand Knight's Station

Terrence Moore

I was recently advised that once you get through February the Grand Knight simply breezes through the rest of the fraternal year. Well that might be so, except this is the time of year that the Deputy Grand Knight prepares for his fraternal year. Many months ago I began that process and enthusiastically bided my time. I still have that enthusiasm and now it is coupled with a bit of GK experience. This process may be a bit different this year, but many of the steps we put in place to make the transition will remain in place. We relied on the assistance and experience of almost a dozen PGKs and look forward to that continued assistance and experience. We increased the engagement of our officers, committees, trustees and most importantly our membership. Finally, we created a communication plan that attempted to keep the membership informed and opened the lines of communication.

All this we hope to continue and improve upon while transitioning into the new fraternal year with the goals and plans we have spent months working on. The new fraternal year holds great promise and with the membership's blessing we look forward to great times.

We have published the 2016-17 budgets in this issue (see pages 4 and 5) and expect to present them to the membership at the next business meeting (Tuesday, May 3) for discussion and vote. Please review and reach out to the creators with questions and comments prior to this meeting if at all possible.

**Council Proposed Budget** – Grand Knight, Terrence P. Moore – [tpmoore@pbs.org](mailto:tpmoore@pbs.org)

**Clubhouse Proposed Budget** – Clubhouse President – William Zimmerman - [wjzmman@aol.com](mailto:wjzmman@aol.com)

**Building Committee Proposed Budget** – Building President – Frank Zarrelli - [flzarrelli@gmail.com](mailto:flzarrelli@gmail.com)

We ask this in an effort to save time, not to limit input. The May business meeting is an extremely important meeting as these budgets set the tone for the next fraternal year. A considerable amount of time has been spent on creating these budgets and there were

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### Insurance - Ask Eligible Men to Join

Today, I want to address the growth of the Order. Membership growth is the fuel that keeps this great fraternal engine running. All our charitable works at the council, state, national and international level are thanks to our hard-working members. And more members equals more charity. We know that the membership blitz is a tried and true way for councils to get more men to join. We see these pushes often in March, in celebration of Founder's Day, and again in October. We must remember that we have a duty to ask each and every Catholic gentleman to join our ranks for the good of the Church, the community and the Order. What if the only reason he hasn't joined is because no one has asked him yet?

- Brian Graham

## Grand Knight's Station

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many contributing factors considered. The goal in creating the Council Proposed Budget was to clearly spell out each and every line item and be completely transparent.

This is not a critique of past years, but we truly wanted to understand what was meant by each and every line item and be prepared to support its presence. It is important that the Council budget is tied in directly to programs and events.

These budgets are not created by any one person; the Proposed Council Budget has already been reviewed by the trustees, officers and numerous PGKs. This is truly a collaborative effort and this is why the May Business meeting is so important; the membership has the final say. Please plan on attending the May Business meeting; a quorum is required and expected.

The Convention is but weeks away and we have dozens of members attending. Please read the announcement in this issue and plan to join us.

### **Remember in your prayers:**

#### **Deceased:**

Robert P. Neff, Father of members Paul and John Neff  
Gene Janutolo, friend of Jim Mannion  
John Pate, friend of Russell Sutton  
Cashen Bohlander, student of Rob Seubert

#### **Sick:**

Savana Grace, granddaughter of Jack Wade  
John Eiker, friend of Terrence P. Moore  
Ellie Horner, friend of Terrence P. Moore  
Julia Pyska, friend of Gus Gusman  
Antonio Zarrelli, father of Frank Zarrelli  
Jim Ries, member, friend of Rob Seubert

In case of illness or death of a member, please contact Financial Secretary Rob Seubert at 301-681-8181

## **Rosensteel Council Presents Sunday Breakfast - All You Can Eat**

May 1 from 8 to 11 a.m., \$10 per adult

Eggs, hash browns, hash, fresh fruit salad, pancakes, French toast, bacon, sausage, muffins, juice, coffee, Bloody Marys, mimosas, screwdrivers and more, including "Sweets by Brother Bill Finnin."

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herself is, all that she believes." "The sayings of the Holy Fathers are a witness to the life-giving presence of this Tradition, showing how its riches are poured out in the practice and life of the Church, in her belief and her prayer." (CCC 78).

- Fr. Ettore Ferrario

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The Maryknights shared a delightful **Anniversary Brunch** on April 10 with 57 Maryknights in attendance! We really enjoyed the lovely venue of the Norbeck Country Club in a beautiful room overlooking the golf course.

**A special thanks to Past President Margie Cuff for organizing such a lovely event.** Thanks also to Peggy Seleski and Jeanne Berman for their assistance. And we are very grateful to the Seleski family for sponsoring us at their club. Margie reminded us of some of our many past achievements and past presidents. The Maryknights continue to be a group of amazing, strong and supportive women. It was wonderful to celebrate our 56th together!

At our April meeting, our speakers were **Tom and Natalie Liniak of Sports Plus**. As you have undoubtedly heard, Sports Plus is our selected charity recipient for the 2016 Charity Ball. Tom and Natalie recounted their journey as they came to understand their son's diagnosis of autism and how best to help him live a "normal" life. They realized there are no programs that accepted learning disabled children into sports programs and other social programs open to "typically developed" children. So they founded Sports Plus. This program incorporates not only the learning disabled child but their siblings and others as a way of integrating them socially. The program serves approximately 300-350 participants each year and we are thrilled to be able to assist them in their efforts to help children realize their potential.

Marge Fait did an outstanding job lining up a slate of candidates for the 2016-2017 Maryknights Offices. They are for: **President - Beth Ward; Vice President- Theresa Fitzgerald; Treasurer - Carol Walper; Secretary -Maevae O'Neill and Historian- Victoria Dassing.** Elections will be held at our May meeting and nominations may be taken from the floor. As we prepare to elect our new officers, please reflect on what positions or committees you might like to be involved with this upcoming year. And as we begin May, the month of our Blessed Lady, please pray the Rosary for your Maryknight sisters past, present and those who are about to lead us in the upcoming year.

### **District Deputy's Message:**

Brothers All,

Take care of your spiritual life, your relationship with God, because this is the backbone of everything we do and everything we are. Take care of you family life, giving your children and loved ones not just money, but most of all your time, attention and love. Take care of your relationships with others, transforming your faith into life and your words into good works, especially on behalf of the needy. Be careful how you speak; purify your tongue of offensive words, vulgarity and worldly decadence. Heal wounds of the heart with the oil of forgiveness, forgiving those who have hurt us and medicating the wounds we have caused others.

These are just some of stated wishes of Pope Francis to the Vatican employees before the start of the new year. They are worthy goals for all of us. Vivat Jesus.



- Tom Kelly

**Fr. Rosensteel Council # 2169**  
**Proposed Council Budget**  
**w/2015-16 Estimated Actual**



	Est. 2015-16	2014-2015	2015-16	2016-17		Est. 2015-16	2014-2015	2015-16	2016-17
<b>EXPENSES</b>					<b>INCOME</b>				
Church	\$ 9,000.00	\$ 7,000.00	\$ 10,500.00	\$ 11,000.00	Bingo	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 24,000.00	\$ 20,000.00	\$ 20,000.00
Community	\$ 9,000.00	\$ 16,000.00	\$ 9,200.00	\$ 12,700.00	KC Charity Fund	\$ 500.00	\$ 3,500.00	\$ 3,500.00	\$ 3,500.00
Council	(Bingo included) \$ 32,000.00	\$ 41,800.00	\$ 36,400.00	\$ 50,600.00	Clubhouse	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 2,000.00
Clubhouse	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,000.00	\$ -	Council	\$ 43,450.00	\$ 40,000.00	\$ 40,000.00	\$ 50,350.00
Culture of Life	\$ 5,500.00		\$ 5,000.00	\$ 5,000.00	Dues	\$ 33,000.00	\$ 40,600.00	\$ 35,000.00	\$ 35,000.00
Youth	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 4,900.00	\$ 4,700.00	\$ 4,700.00	Super Bowl Pool	\$ 12,000.00		\$ 12,500.00	\$ 12,000.00
Family	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 5,600.00	\$ 5,500.00	\$ 3,500.00	KL Advertising	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 1,800.00	\$ 1,800.00
Miscellaneous	\$ 41,500.00	\$ 41,300.00	\$ 40,300.00	\$ 34,900.00	Building Assoc.				\$ -
					Misc.	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 5,000.00	\$ -
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$ 105,000.00</b>	<b>\$ 116,600.00</b>	<b>\$ 116,600.00</b>	<b>\$ 122,400.00</b>	<b>Total Income</b>	<b>\$ 113,450.00</b>	<b>\$ 114,600.00</b>	<b>\$ 122,800.00</b>	<b>\$ 124,650.00</b>
Nun's Appreciation Night		\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	<b>Council Income Breakout</b>				
Seminarians / Vocations		\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 2,000.00	NYE Dance receipts	3000			\$ 2,500.00
Church Parties		\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,500.00	New Member Inits	200			\$ 400.00
Papal visit			\$ 1,000.00		Crab Feast	2000			\$ 2,400.00
Priest Appec. Dinner			\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,500.00	Oyster Roast	1500			\$ 1,500.00
Comm. / Memorial Breakfast		\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00	KL Ads	2000			\$ 2,000.00
Gen. Church Activities		\$ 1,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 3,000.00	FS FICA	350			\$ 350.00
	<b>Church</b>	\$ 7,000.00	\$ 10,500.00	\$ 11,000.00	Installation of Officers	1000			\$ 2,800.00
					Golf Tourney	3500			\$ 2,000.00
Culture of Life			\$ 5,000.00	\$ 5,000.00	Building end of year disbursement	8000			\$ -
	<b>Culture of Life</b>		\$ 5,000.00	\$ 5,000.00	Tootsie Rolls	5000			\$ 5,000.00
					State Council Raffle	3000			\$ 3,000.00
Nursing Home Parties		\$ 1,000.00	\$ 700.00	\$ 700.00	RSVP Reimburse( Sem. Supreme reimburse.)	400			\$ 400.00
Donations		\$ 2,000.00			Needy Family Reimburse( Supreme reimbursement)	500			\$ 500.00
Right to Life		\$ 5,000.00		\$ -	Charity Fund Donations	2000			\$ 2,000.00
Needy Family Program		\$ 8,000.00	\$ 8,000.00	\$ 8,000.00	PGK Testimonial	1000			\$ 2,500.00
Reading Program for MPC			\$ 500.00		donations	12000			\$ 12,000.00
Tootsie Roll				\$ 2,000.00	Convention				\$ 1,500.00
General Community Activities				\$ 2,000.00	St Patrick's Day				\$ 1,500.00
	<b>Community</b>	\$ 16,000.00	\$ 9,200.00	\$ 12,700.00	St Valentines Day				\$ 300.00
					Anniversary Dinner				\$ 2,500.00
Bingo				\$ 10,000.00	Promo Items				\$ 3,000.00
Golf Tournaments		\$ 2,000.00	\$ 300.00	\$ 500.00	Appreciation Night				\$ 2,200.00
Installation of Officers		\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 2,500.00	<b>Council Income</b>				\$ 50,350.00
Council Crab Feast		\$ 1,900.00		\$ 2,000.00					
Social Meetings		\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00					
Obits & Wakes		\$ 5,000.00	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 1,000.00					
Softball		\$ 1,000.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 1,000.00					
New Year's Dance		\$ 4,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00					
St. Patrick's Dance		\$ 800.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00					
St. Valentines Day			\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00					
Super Bowl		\$ 7,000.00	\$ 7,000.00	\$ 7,000.00					
GK Contingency Fund		\$ 3,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,500.00					
Anniversary Celebration		\$ 500.00	\$ 3,500.00	\$ 2,000.00					
Promotional Items				\$ 3,000.00					
General Council		\$ 2,000.00	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 3,500.00					
Smoker		\$ 800.00	\$ 800.00	\$ 800.00					
Appreciation Night		\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00					
Convention Expenses		\$ 4,000.00	\$ 3,500.00	\$ 4,500.00					
PGK Testimonial		\$ 2,000.00	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 2,500.00					
Mary's Widows Luncheon		\$ 800.00	\$ 800.00	\$ 800.00					
	<b>Council</b>	\$ 41,800.00	\$ 36,400.00	\$ 50,600.00					
Squires		\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00					
Children's Christmas Party		\$ 600.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00					
Other Children's Parties		\$ 600.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 400.00					
Scholarships		\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00					
University of Maryland Dinners		\$ 700.00	\$ 700.00	\$ 800.00					
	<b>Youth</b>	\$ 4,900.00	\$ 4,700.00	\$ 4,700.00					
Halloween Party		\$ 600.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00					
Council Picnic		\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,000.00	\$ 3,000.00					
	<b>Family</b>	\$ 5,600.00	\$ 5,500.00	\$ 3,500.00					
State / Supreme Council		\$ 9,800.00	\$ 9,800.00	\$ 9,800.00					
Knight Life		\$ 13,500.00	\$ 13,500.00	\$ 12,500.00					
Telephone		\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00	\$ 500.00					
Council Web Site		\$ 600.00	\$ 600.00	\$ 600.00					
Fin. Secretary comp.		\$ 7,500.00	\$ 7,500.00	\$ 3,500.00					
General Operations		\$ 9,400.00	\$ 8,400.00	\$ 8,000.00					
	<b>Miscellaneous</b>	\$ 41,300.00	\$ 40,300.00	\$ 34,900.00					

<b>Proposed Clubhouse Budget</b>		2015-2016	
		Proposed 2016-17 Budget	Budget
<b>Ordinary Income/Expense</b>			
<b>Income</b>			
<b>Catering Activities</b>			
Sales Members	230,000	240,000	
Sales Non-Members	64,170	54,170	
<b>Total Catering Activities</b>	<b>294,170</b>	<b>294,170</b>	
<b>Fraternal Activities</b>			
Ad Hoc Income	3,600	3,600	
Council Reimbursements	40,000	40,000	
Kitchen Bingo	6,100	6,100	
Kitchen Clubhouse Activities	32,000	32,000	
Knight's Room Bar Snacks	5,500	5,500	
Knight's Room Beer Sales	65,000	65,000	
Knight's Room Liquor/Wine Sale	28,000	28,000	
<b>Total Fraternal Activities</b>	<b>180,200</b>	<b>180,200</b>	
Interest Income	0	0	
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>474,370</b>	<b>474,370</b>	
<b>Gross Profit</b>	<b>474,370</b>	<b>474,370</b>	
<b>Expense</b>			
<b>Cost of Catering Activities</b>			
Advertising	4,000	4,000	
Commissions	3,000	3,000	
Credit Cd Service Fees	4,000	4,000	
Interest Expense	100	100	
Maintenance	10,000	10,000	
Payroll	50,000	50,000	
Sales Tax	18,000	18,000	
Supplies Food Items	110,000	110,000	
Supplies Linens	15,000	15,000	
Supplies Liquor/Wine	20,000	20,000	
Supplies Non-Food Items	18,000	18,000	
<b>Total Cost of Catering Activities</b>	<b>252,100</b>	<b>252,100</b>	
<b>Cost of Fraternal Activities</b>			
Cable TV Fees	2,870	2,870	
Cash over/short	0	0	
Sales Tax	10,000	10,000	
Supplies Bar Snacks	400	400	
Supplies Beer	42,000	42,000	
Supplies Liquor/Wine	10,000	10,000	
<b>Total Cost of Fraternal Activities</b>	<b>65,270</b>	<b>65,270</b>	
<b>Management &amp; General Expenses</b>			
Accounting Service	9,000	9,000	
Administrative Salaries	38,000	38,000	
Electric	22,000	22,000	
Gas	10,000	10,000	
Janitorial Salaries	24,000	24,000	
License/Permits	1,600	1,600	
Maintenance	3,000	3,000	
Miscellaneous	600	600	
Office Supplies	1,000	1,000	
Payroll Taxes/Benefits	11,000	11,000	
Penalties	0	0	
Pest Control	1,600	1,600	
Reconciliation Discrepancies	0	0	
Rent to Building Assoc	18,000	18,000	
Telephone/Internet	3,600	3,600	
Trash Pickup	5,600	5,600	
Water	6,000	6,000	
<b>Total Management &amp; General Expense</b>	<b>155,000</b>	<b>155,000</b>	
<b>Total Expense</b>	<b>472,370</b>	<b>472,370</b>	
<b>Net Ordinary Income</b>	<b>2,000</b>	<b>2,000</b>	

<b>Forest Glen Building Association, Inc</b>	
<b>Operating Budget</b>	
Revenue	2016-2017
Clubhouse Rent	\$ 18,000.00
Parking Lot Rent	\$ 30,000.00
	\$ 48,000.00
<b>Expenditures</b>	
General, Casualty, D&O, and Workers Comp Insurances	\$ 15,000.00
Maintenance & Repairs	\$ 14,000.00
Capital Improvements	\$ 13,100.00
Real Estate Taxes	\$ 3,500.00
Income Taxes & Professional fees	\$ 2,400.00
	\$ 48,000.00
Net Surplus	\$ -

### Habitat for Humanity

#### **Habitat for Humanity of Washington, DC Building the Pope Francis House in Northeast DC**

Habitat for Humanity of Washington, DC (DC Habitat) has received a generous, anonymous donation in honor of Pope Francis and his recent visit to Washington, DC. Because this donor is passionate about engaging the Catholic community in charitable work, he has challenged DC Habitat to raise funds to match this \$60,000 contribution. The affordable housing charity is enlisting both volunteer service and financial contributions from the DC Catholic populace, as well as from interfaith groups and student organizations. The purpose of this house is threefold:

- To honor Pope Francis for his commitment to social justice and reinvigorating the Catholic Church;
- To provide a unifying, celebratory opportunity for both Catholic and non-Catholic volunteers to work together toward a common goal (as Pope Francis says, "Work confers dignity."); and
- To further Habitat's mission of building and preserving homes.

The Pope Francis house will be a rehabilitation of four one-bedroom condominiums in a building at 60<sup>th</sup> Street NE in Washington, DC. This development will serve the needs of residents in the lowest income bracket served by DC Habitat – those earning between 30 and 50 percent of the Area Median Income (AMI) and who are rarely able to afford homeownership.

If you are interested in contributing to the project or volunteering on the build site, please contact PK Drago at [Pau-lakatrina.Drago@dchabitat.org](mailto:Pau-lakatrina.Drago@dchabitat.org) or Mikelle Moore at [Mikelle.Moore@dchabitat.org](mailto:Mikelle.Moore@dchabitat.org). DC Habitat works to alleviate poverty housing by offering low-income working families "a hand up" to homeownership. To learn more about the organization and the Pope Francis House, please visit [www.DCHabitat.org](http://www.DCHabitat.org).

## **Knight of the Month**

I just happen to be writing this announcement on this member's 35<sup>th</sup> anniversary as a Rosensteel member. Many might say that we have a lot of members with this tenure or greater; well, this member can't do much about that as he joined Rosensteel the minute he was able. He was sworn in at the first available First Degree after his 18<sup>th</sup> birthday. Many define him as an employee opposed to a member; not this month. He is a 35-year third degree member that contributes a ton to our Council outside of being an employee. Please help me thank and congratulate John "and another" Matosian as our Knight of the Month.

## **Family of the Month**

Bill is a wonderful and valued member of our Council and I truly believe he won't take this the wrong way when I say that his greatest asset to our council takes place in his home. He and Allison have instilled a work ethic and commitment quality into their children that have proven to be invaluable to our council, prior to them even becoming Knights and Maryknights. Bill's presence is not limited to dropping off and picking up his kids for council and Squire/Roses events, but this is when you see him and Allison the most. All their children joined the Squires and Roses the moment they were allowed and their contributions and commitment parallel many of our most committed Council members.

Eddie was named Squire of the Year in 2014 simply because we couldn't appoint him Knight of the Year. Nick and Bridget rarely miss an opportunity to assist with programs and events. Peter has matured into the young man this council will be proud to have as a member and even prouder to say he served us well as a Squire. Quinn and Regan are destined to carry out the tradition.

Please help me in thanking the whole Mulholland family!

## **Retirees' Club**

Archbishop William Lori of Baltimore is the Supreme Chaplain of the Knights of Columbus. Recently, he encouraged us to assist our parish or our K of C council with a charitable project. Almost all of us practice charity on a very regular basis both in our parish charity donations and probably on a larger scale here in our own Council # 2169. There are many recurring charity projects initiated by our Grand Knight, Terrence Moore. Our Maryknights are already working hard to ensure that the annual Charity Ball will once again be a success. Many people assist with the monthly collection of prepared food and transport it to Fr. John's S.O.M.E. Mission in Washington. Many of the Maryknights provide baked goods when needed for special occasions. Why not find a charitable endeavor that you also can contribute your best efforts?

The Retirees Bowling League Banquet is near. Consult with Bob Brown for reservations. It always promises a good meal, prizes and a last chance to socialize with your team members before summer. Do you recognize this prayer? "May Christ's words be on my mind, on my lips, and in my heart." It is silently recited at a particular part of every Mass as we make the small cross on our forehead, lips and over our heart.

Mark your calendars now for the May 24 retirees' luncheon at the Council and be there before 11:30 a.m. for the social hour and the pre-luncheon appetizers.

- VP Tom Leonard

## **NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT**

Brothers,

Below are the names the Nominations Committee will present and nominate to the membership at the May and June business meetings. Each member selected by the Nominations Committee meet the qualification requirements of the Council and our Order. The Nominations Committee recommends these brothers be elected for the open positions. Some positions remain open; however, the Nominations Committee is looking for qualified candidates and expects to fill the few vacant positions by the June business meeting when nominations will close and voting takes place. I urge you to consider taking on a leadership position; you do not need experience and you will not be alone as there are many brothers that will assist you in your duties as a leader.

There are two firm requirements for elected positions: the first is a candidate for any elected office must be a 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree member in good standing and the second is one can only hold a single elected office at a time. If you are not a 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree member and you would like to run for office, there are opportunities to take the degree(s) prior to the June election. Please contact Financial Secretary Rob Seubert for current degree schedules. It is easy, there is no cost to you to take a higher degree and the knowledge and lessons you acquire from the degrees are invaluable on both a personal and fraternal level. You will never regret taking a higher degree.

Nominations Committee Members:

Geoff Conway  
Mike Donnelly  
Russell Sutton, PGK

Contact the Nominations Committee if you are interested in running for an elected position. In accordance with the bylaws, nominations may be made from the floor at the business meetings with elections being held at the June business meeting.

### **Nominations Committee Recommendations – 2016 Council Elections**

GK - Terrence Moore  
DGK - Bruce Cotting  
Chancellor- James Mannion  
Warden- Gus Gusman (will resign from Building Company once elected per bylaws)  
Treasurer - John Fox  
Recorder - John Dollymore  
Advocate- Tom Kelly, DD, PGK  
Inside Guard - Mark Borkoski  
Outside Guard - Phil Atzert  
Outside Guard - Terrance Brady  
Trustee 3 Year -  
1<sup>st</sup> Alternate Delegate to the convention - Joe Marks, PGK  
2<sup>nd</sup> Alternate Delegate to State Convention - Mike Miller, PGK

### **Building Association**

Director 3 year -  
Director 3 year -  
Director 2 year -

### **Clubhouse Association**

Director 3 year – Wayne Miller  
Director 3 year – Joe Sparacino

*Fraternally, Russell R. Sutton, Jr., PGK*

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18 - Horner Family Memorial Rosary

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1. 8 - 11 a.m. Sun- day Breakfast Ponce	2.  Zapella	3. 7 - Business Meeting Bromley, Dollymore, Mullaney	4. <b>Bingo</b>  *Pizza Night	5.	6. Team 3, Jimenez  E III, Pistol, Hardman	7.
8. <b>Mother's Day</b>	9. Maryknights Meeting D'Antuono, Cas- sagrol	10.  McKinney	11. <b>Bingo</b>  Carey, Devol, Con- way	12. State Conven- tion Dowd	13. State Convention Team 4, Neff Carey, Conway, Wig- more, McNamara	14. State Convention Slattery
15. State Convention Dassing	16. D'Antuono, McNa- mara	17. 7 - Social Meeting Culkin, Devol	18. <b>Bingo</b>  *Pizza Night Horner Rosary, Cavaliere, McNamara	19.  Slattery	20. Team 5 Marks' Aggies Crab Imperial Lyon/Lynch Moore/Langley	21.  Dassing
22.  Maddox	23. D'Antuono, Seu- bert	24.  11:30 Retirees Lunch	25. <b>Bingo</b>	26.  Kreitzberg	27. Team 6, Girolami barbeque  E III	28. Memorial Day Weekend  Ambrogi
29. <b>Memorial Day Weekend</b>	30. Memorial Day Weekend D'Antuono	31.  Culkin, Devol				