



# The Knightly News



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**October 2017**

Knight of the Month		Past Grand Knights				Family of the Month	
Bob Murphy	July	Richard Head (Charter)	1992-1994	Kevin Craddock	2005-2006	Brad & Mary Salmon	July
Alvaro Rodriguez	August	A.J. Ascone	1994-1996	Mark Mulholland	2006-2007	Al & Debbie Grimmig	August
Freddie Paras	September	Matthew Borkowski	1996-1997	Andrew Garlichs	2007-2008	Mike & Deb O'Grady	September
	October	Andrew Garlichs	2007-2008	Rich Kovaleski	2008-2009		October
	November	Stephen Munchak	1997-1998	Rosario Chechile	2009-2010		November
	December	Willie Putnam	1998-1999	Richard Flaherty	2010-2011		December
	January	Al Grimmig	1999-2000	James Auwaerter	2011-2012		January
	February	Joe Beres	2000-2001	Al Grimmig	2012-2014		February
	March	Paul Bourgeois	2001-2002	Tom Martin	2014-2015		March
	April	Richard LaRoche	2002-2003	Ed Rollins	2015-2016		April
	May	Gary Petty	2003-2004	Jason Seiler	2016-2017		May
	June	John Tillie	2004-2005	Mike Paulucci	2017-2018		June

## Grand Knights Letter

### Greetings Brother Knights,

Thanks to all that have supported the Parish picnic and made it a success. We tried something new this year – Saturday after the 5:30 mass. We sort of ran out of sunlight. We will be going back to Sunday next year.

As a reminder, on Saturday October 21st<sup>th</sup> we will be hosting a spaghetti dinner in Monsignor Hannan Hall. We will need help with set-up and clean up afterwards

Friday November 10th is Casino night. We need a good turnout of brother knights to support this event.

I would also like to take a moment to recognize our Knight of the Month – Freddie Paras. He is our Lecturer. He is fairly new to the Knights and has been very active. Good job Freddie!

I would also like to recognize our

Family of the Month – Michael and Debbie O'Grady, Mike is our Treasurer. Debbie is the President of the Ladies Auxiliary. Thanks for all you do for the council and the parish!

As a reminder - Our next meeting is scheduled for October 17th. Hope to see you there.

As Padre Pio always said "Pray, Hope and Don't Worry".

Saint Andrew pray for us.  
Mary Queen of the Knights pray for us.

Vivat Jesus and may God Bless,

*Michael Paulucci*

Grand Knight

## Knight of the Month

**Freddie Paras**

## Family of the Month

**Mike & Debbie O'Grady**

### Deputy Grand Knight's Letter

#### Brother Knights,

In the past few newsletters, I talked about the importance of charity in our council and order. I think it is important to occasionally revisit our order's principles to remind ourselves of the reasons why we joined the Knights and why we do the good work that we do. Of course, everyone knows our principles of charity, unity, fraternity and patriotism, but do we really know what they mean? Let us take a look at our second principle of unity and how important it is to our council and the order. What is the meaning of unity? Unity means the quality in individuals to do some work as a group without jeopardizing individual interests in any way. For us knights, it is the feeling of oneness, togetherness, and harmony as we collectively put forth our charitable energy to achieve a common goal. We are not lone actors but we work together as one.

In 1776, the Latin phrase *e pluribus unum* ("out of many---one") was suggested by Ben Franklin and Thomas Jefferson as aptly describing the creation of one nation out of thirteen colonies. Since 1873, federal law has required that the phrase appear on

every coin minted by the U.S. Treasury. The phrase *e pluribus unum* is a perfect description of the unity shared by the members of the body of Christ. While there are many members, we are joined into a spiritual entity---the church. We are not many but we are *one*. The purpose of this unity is at least twofold: (1) that believers may be one with the Father and the Son and (2) that the world may believe that the Father sent Jesus. Did you know that Jesus prayed for our unity? In **John 17:20-26**, Jesus prayed for our unity with him and with God the Father:

(20) "I pray not only for them, but also for those who will believe in me through their word,

(21) so that they may all be one, as you, Father, are in me and I in you, that they also may be in us, that the world may believe that you sent me.

(22) And I have given them the glory you gave me, so that they may be one, as we are one,

(23) I in them and you in me, that they may be brought to perfection as one that the world may know that you sent me, and that you loved them even as you loved me.

(24) Father, they are your gift to me. I

wish that where I am they also may be with me, that they may see my glory that you gave me, because you loved me before the foundation of the world.

(25) Righteous Father, the world also does not know you, but I know you, and they know that you sent me.

(26) I made known to them your name and I will make it known, that the love with which you loved me may be in them and I in them.”

It is a prayer for community. Jesus prays that, “**all** may be one.” To be a follower of Jesus is to be a part of a greater whole. Within that community, the prayer is for unity: “that all may be **one**.” To become a part of Christ is to become a part of the larger community; a part of the one. To become a knight is to become a part of Christ and the larger community; a part of the one.

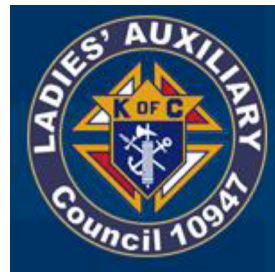
How ironic is it that our founder, Father Michael J. McGivney, chose unity as a main principle of our order? Not only does God want us to be in unity with him and each other but Father McGivney knew the importance of this principle to our success in the church and in the Knights of Columbus. If we work in the spirit of knowing that we are in unity with Jesus Christ and God the Father, we will be unified with our church and with our brother knights to make life better for our community and parish. So I invite you brothers to come be one with the Lord

and with your brother knights as we fulfill our obligations as Catholic gentlemen in the Knights of Columbus. We look forward to seeing you in the future so we can accomplish great things when we work together in unity.

Vivat Jesus!

Tom Reynolds

Deputy Grand Knight



On the fourth Tuesday of the Month, the Fr. Julius Cilinski Council's Ladies Auxiliary meets at 7:30PM in the Padre Pio Room at St. Andrew's. The Ladies Auxiliary is open to any spouse, mother or unmarried daughter 18 years of age or older, of a member of the Council. The Auxiliary's focus is to promote friendship among members and family, participate in charitable activities, assist in promoting the welfare of the Council and provide service to others. For more information please contact their President, Deb O'Grady ([ddogrady@verizon.net](mailto:ddogrady@verizon.net)).

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## Editor's Corner

If you spot any errors, they are unintentional. Please send me the corrections and I will make sure the corrections are made.

Also if you have any input or ideas for the newsletter please let me know

(algrimmig@gmail.com) .

Fraternally,  
*Al Grimmig*  
Newsletter Editor



## **Degree Knights Eligible for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree**

Sujith Abraham  
Matthew Buonocore  
Thomas Clarey  
Thomas Cox  
Matthew D'Ercole  
Edmond Duggan  
Michael Gambone  
Anthony Gomes  
Terrence Gregory  
Karl Heintz  
Stephen Hetrick  
J Michael Hoffman  
Brian Hudson  
Jiji James  
Kenneth Janoski  
Naim Kassar  
Eric Klos  
James Landzinski  
Matthew Lannon  
John Long  
John Lovejoy  
Carlos Lozano  
Thomas Markel  
Korey Mc Cabe  
Sam Mc Cormick  
Charles Mc Cullough

Christopher Moses  
Michael Murphy  
Michael Olszewski  
Marco Ortube  
Jeffrey Pichocki  
Richard Popp  
Nathan Poumade  
Peter Princi Jr  
Barnabas Rebeiro  
Robert Scenna  
Larry Schechtel Jr  
Patrick Scholl  
Jose Sebastian  
Rafael Sepulveda  
Aaron Skouby  
Mark Sobczynski  
Joseph Strada  
Gregory Strauch



## **Second Degree Knights Eligible for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree**

Daniel Browne  
Joseph Catalano  
Thomas Curtin  
Craig Eichenlaub  
Bennett Ellis  
Richard Ferrick  
James Ferrick  
John Henebery  
Sean Hill Sr  
Richard Hott  
Tim Hugo  
Bill Jugus  
Andrew Lynch  
Michael Mancil  
Rijo Mathew  
William Mc Menamin  
David Metcalf  
Neal Miller



Stephen Sawka II  
Brian Shaw  
Edward Shedlick  
Christopher Smith  
Thomas Smith  
Tim Speidel  
Jeffrey Williams



### **Third Degree Knights Eligible for the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree**

Rev. Joseph Bergida  
Rev. Justin Puthussery  
Pedro Alvarez  
Samuel Aronhime  
Steve Bahr  
William Banick III  
Joe Bartoletta  
Larry Bifareti  
Frank Bonsiero  
Thomas Botticelli  
Shane Bowie  
Arnold Brown  
Jan Burford  
Richard Burnham  
Michael Byers  
James Caputo Jr  
Russell Carolla  
Matthew Carr  
Louis Cernak Jr  
David Chechile  
Michael Chechile  
Kevin Clune  
William Coy  
Frank Delisi III  
Joe Digrado  
Matthew Doherty  
Nicholas Doherty  
Terry Donahue

Carl Dorr  
Jim Feeney  
Bob Fells  
Jim Forneris  
Eric Freeman  
Charles Fullwood  
Robert Gelles  
John Greco  
Douglas Hill  
Mark Hoffman  
Kurt Hoffman  
Michael Humm  
Martin Hungate  
Gary Imhoff  
Jack Jackson  
Hutton Jackson  
Peter Juanpere  
Brendan Kelly  
Dennis Kelly Jr  
Chuck Kelly  
Michael King  
Sony Kuruvilla  
James Lis  
Stephen Loprieno  
Rafael Lugo  
Michael Masterson  
John May  
Christopher Mayer  
Lou Mazzatenta  
R Timothy Mc Crum  
Alan Mc Donald  
David Mc Ginn  
Paul Mc Kenzie  
Thomas Messina  
Derek Millis  
Patrick Morgan  
Mark O'Brien  
Joseph Palliparambil  
Carlos Pichardo  
Peter Princi  
John Roser Jr  
Jad Salem  
Ralph Sepulveda  
Patrick Sheil  
Michael Sheil  
Rony Thomas

Richard Thompson  
Mark Torch  
Earl Tortorich  
Paul Trampert  
John Vennitti Jr  
Richard Vetsch  
Rev. Lawrence Violette  
Daniel P Warcholak  
Kevin White  
Sean Yeronick



## Chancellors Corner

*By Alvaro Rodriguez*

On September 19th our council 10947 had an admissions degree.

It was performed by our First Degree team and it was a success.

Dilip Vadakkoot is our latest addition to knighthood, please congratulate him.

Our Council's next Admissions Degree will be November 21, we look forward to have 4 candidates.

I would also like to announce that if you are a 1st or 2nd degree Knight, we have a ceremony coming up that could help you attain full Knighthood. There will be a Second Degree ceremony on Oct 10th conducted at the George Brent Council in Manassas, at 9290 Stonewall Road. We look forward to have 3 candidates for this degree. There is also a Third Degree ceremony on October 21st at Chantilly. After each ceremony, there will be a meal and drink for all to enjoy along with the unity and fraternalism of

your brother knights. If you are interested, please Email or call me, Alvaro Rodriguez [arodriguez63@aol.com](mailto:arodriguez63@aol.com) cell: 703598-0074.



## Degree Team

Brother Knights, our Council is expanding our capability to field a quality 1st Degree Team in order to induct new members into the Knights of Columbus.

Our goal is to have two Knights qualified in each Degree Team speaking role.

Being a member of our 1st Degree Team is an outstanding way to contribute to our Council's good works. Catholic men must experience the 1st Degree in order to become Knights of Columbus. You can be part of that.

Those interested in joining the Degree Team please contact Brother Knight Jim Adams, [jladams1964@gmail.com](mailto:jladams1964@gmail.com). He will review the roles with you, provide you a copy of the material you will present orally during a 1st Degree Ceremonial and assist you in becoming a qualified member of our Council Team.

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## Who, What, When and Where

Please check out the calendar at the end of the newsletter to see what is going on,

when it's going to happen, and where it will be. Armed with that information hopefully the "who" will be you and your family will show up at our events and have a good time!

## October Birthdays

Danielle Landzinski	10/1
Debra Grimmig	10/2
Abigail Moses	10/2
Justin Sebastian	10/2
John Paul Jackson	10/3
Patricia Hetrick	10/4
Carl Dorr	10/5
Jeff Gillespie	10/5
Maryann Bartoletta	10/6
Carlos Pichardo	10/6
Richard Burnham	10/7
JoAnn Cernak	10/8
Michael Masterson	10/8
Aleigh Gambone	10/9
Alexa Ungerecht	10/9
Christa Bowie	10/10
Pat Wilkerson	10/11
Mary Ann Vicars	10/12
Jerome Sebastian	10/13
Patricia Ferrick	10/14
Olivia Gonsalves	10/14
Benedict Jackson	10/14
Nancy Halter	10/15
Michael King	10/16
Bennett Ellis	10/17
Dave Tubach	10/17
David McGinn	10/18
Joseph DiGrado	10/19
Anthony Gomes	10/20
Matt Doherty	10/22
Jean Marks	10/22
Debra O'Grady	10/24
Mirna Ochoa	10/25
Mark Friedlander	10/26
Shane Bowie	10/28
James McCarthy	10/29
Rijo Mathew	10/30

Michael Mesce	10/30
Rosemarie Kennedy	10/31
Zerela Mancil	10/31
John Tillie	10/31
Kevin White	10/31

## October Anniversaries

James & Sherry Lis	10/2
Frank & Susan Bonsiero	10/6
Ralph & Bernie Sepulveda	10/8
Thomas & Suzanne Browne	10/10
Frank & Marlene Peterson	10/10
Kevin & Michelle Clune	10/12
Alvaro & Janice Rodriguez	10/12
Charles & Kim Fullwood	10/18
Andy & Katie Lynch	10/18
Michael & Dale Babauta	10/21
Terrence & Jocille Donahue	10/21
Michael & Debra O'Grady	10/24
William & Kathy Jugus	10/26
Andrew & Eileen Garlichs	10/27
Anthony & Mary Morelli	10/27
Anthony & Maxine Paulson	10/30
Patrick & Amanda Sheil	10/31

## Casino Knight – Nov 10<sup>th</sup>

On November 10<sup>th</sup> the Council will be hosting another Casino Knight. Brother Matt D'Ercole, owner of "Always Fun Casinos" will bring his Casino equipment and charisma to conduct fun games of chance, including Black Jack, Roulette, Craps, Texas Hold 'Em and special this year will also be Horse Racing. **We will need volunteers** to run the tables except for Craps and Texas Hold 'Em. So mark your calendars and plan to get your game on.

## Spaghetti Dinner Oct. 21<sup>st</sup>

We will be holding our first Spaghetti Dinner of the year on Saturday, October 21<sup>st</sup>. This is a major fundraiser event and is an all-hands effort. Profits from the Spaghetti Dinner will go to Hurricane Relief via the Knights of Columbus relief efforts. Please volunteer for this important event. Contact the Worthy Deputy Grand Knight Tom Reynolds for more details at [uscpcop@msn.com](mailto:uscpcop@msn.com).

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## God Bless America and God Bless Our Troops!

As we continue to enjoy the joys of summer, please pause and remember the brave men and women of the Armed Forces who serve in harms way. Say a little prayer for their safe return home. And let us pause to remember the rich history of our country steeped in freedom and liberty that was in part forged by Catholic Americans. Let us all be thankful for this great country, our Catholic faith and our Almighty God.



Knight of the Month – Freddie Paras



Family of the Month-Mike & Deb O'Grady



## First Degree Honoree

On September 19th our council 10947 had an admissions degree.

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**PGK/PFN Jim Adams – 1<sup>st</sup> Degree Honoree**

## Syro Malibar Presentation

On September 27<sup>th</sup> Father Justin Puthuserry gave a presentation on the Syro-Malabar Rite of the Catholic Church. Father “Justin” is the pastor of the local Syro-Malabar congregation that holds services on Sunday afternoon. Six of men of the Syro-Malabar congregation have joined our Council and we are honored to have them in our Council.



**Father Justin at Syro-Malabar Presentation**



**Compton Road Cleanup Oct14th**

### **Father Capodanno Guild – Nov 8th**

As we honor our military this coming Veterans Day, Mr. George Phillips, the Director of the Father Capodanno Guild will be speaking on Wednesday, November 8, 2017, at 7:00 pm in Monsignor Hannan Hall about Father's status in becoming a saint, his military career, and being a recipient of the Congressional Medal of Honor. Come honor our military and Father Capodanno. Light refreshments will be served.

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### **Please Check This Out!**

Please watch and share this interesting 90 second story from Harvard Professor Clay Christensen about how important religion has been to our country's success and how it is needed now more than ever. We as Knights have a duty to pass the torch to a new generation to protect our faith and our country.

[http://www.youtube.com/watch\\_popup?v=YjntXYDPw44&sns=em](http://www.youtube.com/watch_popup?v=YjntXYDPw44&sns=em)

### **New Second Degree Knights**

On October 11, Brothers Dilip Vadakkoot, Jiji James and Robert Scenna took their Formation Degree at George Brent. Please congratulate our new Second Degree Knights!



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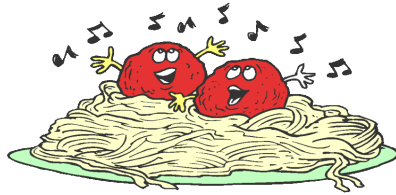
# Knights of Columbus

Fr. Julius J. Cilinski Council 10947

## *Spaghetti Dinner*

- Spaghetti
- Meatballs
- Sausage
- Garlic Bread
- Salad
- Glass of Wine or Soda
- Dessert

*\*Additional Wine or Soda Available*



## *Everyone is Invited!*

### **6:30 – 9:00 PM**

*Immediately After 5:30 pm Mass*

## **Saturday, October 21<sup>st</sup>**

**\$10/Person or \$35/Immediate Family**

**Monsignor Hannan Hall – St. Andrew the Apostle**

**6720 Union Mill Road – Clifton, VA 20124**

**For more information: Tom Reynolds: [uscpcop@msn.com](mailto:uscpcop@msn.com)**

*\*Profits will be provided to Hurricane Relief*



## October 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>1</b> KCIC Card Through December	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> Rosary 7-pm Business Meeting 7:30 pm - MHH	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> State Soccer Challenge New Kent N. Virginia
<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> Columbus Day Union Station Washington DC	<b>10</b> Officers Meeting 7:30pm Padre Pio Room 2 <sup>nd</sup> degree -GB	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> Compton Road Clean-up 9-11 am
<b>15</b> Coffee & Donuts 7:30- 11:45 am Monsignor H. Hall	<b>16</b> Knight and Family of Month	<b>17</b> Rosary 7-pm Business Meeting 7:30 pm - MHH Recruiting Drive	<b>18</b> District 19 Meeting Holy Trinity Gainesville, VA	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b> Spaghetti Dinner 4:30 – 9pm MHH
<b>22</b> Coffee & Donuts 7:30- 11:45 am Monsignor H. Hall	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b> 4 <sup>th</sup> Degree meeting	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>
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<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> Rosary 7-pm Business Meeting 7:30 pm - MHH	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> Casino Night 4:30- 9 pm	<b>11</b> Veterans Day 4 <sup>th</sup> Degree Portsmouth, VA
<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> Officer's meeting 7:30 pm Padre Pio Room (PPR)	<b>15</b> Council (990E) Filing with IRS	<b>16</b> Knight and Family of Month	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b> Thanksgiving Food Drive
<b>19</b> Thanksgiving Food Drive Coffee & Donuts 7:30- 11:45 am	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b> Rosary 7-pm Business Meeting 7:30pm - MHH First Degree?	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> Thanksgiving Day	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>
<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>		

## Council Officers for Columbian Year 2017-2018

Office	Name	Spouse	Phone
Chaplain	Fr. Christopher Mould		703-817-1770
Grand Knight	Michael A. Paulucci		703-968-4330
Dep. Grand Knight	Tom Reynolds	Debbie	703-774-8557
Chancellor	Alvaro Rodriguez	Denise	703-598-0074
Recorder	Kevin Brendel	Patrica	703-919-8626
Treasurer	Mike O'Grady	Deb	703-530-9831
Advocate	Mauricio Bertrand	Roxana	703-815-1891
Warden	Tom Canavan	Pong	703-968-6531
Inside Guard	Bob Murphy	Joyce	703-968-4288
Outside Guard	Kyle Brendel		703-915-7973
Financial Secretary	Rob Morson	Claire	703-830-5939
3-Year Trustee	Rich Flaherty, PGK	Kay	703-266-4891
2-Year Trustee	Tom Martin	Denise	703-624-1935
1-Year Trustee	Al Grimmig, PGK	Debbie	703-802-0530
Lecturer	Freddie Parras	Gosia	703-888-8760
Insurance Field Agent	Jim Bertine, PGK		703-845-3402





**Remember to Pray  
the Rosary  
Mary Queen of the Knights**

## Council Committee Directors

<b>Committee</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Spouse</b>	<b>Phone</b>
Church	Jeff Gillespie	Trisch	703-330-8765
Community	Mark Mulholland		703-867-6010
Youth	Pending		
Council	Pending		
Family	Pending		
Pro-Life	Tom Canavan	Pong	703-968-6531
KOVAR Co-Chair	Bryan Skokan	Bonnie	703-629-1831
KOVAR Co-Chair	Lou Cernak	Joann	703-322-0242
KCIC	Salvador Ochoa		619-588-6354
Membership	Tom Reynolds	Debbie	703-774-8557
Sick & Ill Outreach			
Retention	Al Grimmig	Debbie	703-802-0530
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## District #19 Officers

Office	Name	Spouse	Phone
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District Warden	Marc Burner	Stephanie	202-674-1262
District Wardern	Brian Henslee	Tammy	703-376-1372

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State Advocate			stateadvocate@VAKofC.org
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