



118th Annual Vermont Knights of Columbus State Convention

“Endowed by Our CREATOR with LIFE and LIBERTY”

Brother Knights, Ladies and Guests;

It is our pleasure to extend to you and your family an invitation to the 118th Annual State Convention to be held the weekend of **Friday, April 29th, Saturday April 30th, and Sunday May 1st**. This years Convention will be held at the Capitol Plaza in Montpelier. This is a new venue for our Annual State Convention and we encourage you to take the virtual tour at www.CapitolPlaza.com

This package contains a flyer outlining the weekend’s activities, your registration information, menus, and a tentative itinerary. The Convention Committee is very excited about our new venue this year and are looking forward to providing an enjoyable experience for everyone.

We ask you to please provide this information to your Delegates so they can make their arrangements to attend the convention – Please Note, Reservations need to be sent or called into Anna Bruce No Later Than April 20th. The Phone number and address is on the Registration Forms, all questions concerning single night stay should be directed to Anna.

- ✓ Friday night is our Theme Dinner – “Made in Vermont” your meal will be the flavors of Vermont and we are planning to have a Power Point Presentation to take you through Vermont’s History.
 - ✓ Friday night’s Entertainment will be “A Night at the Races” Ladies, wear your Hats, bring your Parasols and we’ll all Cheer our Favorite Horses across the finish line.
 - ✓ Saturday’s “Ladies” Program will be a presentation by Deacon Gesualdo Schnieder, who will speak about the “Year of Mercy”. Saturday afternoon the Ladies will be free to visit local attractions, like the “Vermont Historical Society Museum” which is just across the street.
 - ✓ Hopefully all of the Councils have started putting together their Vermont-Themed Basket for the Basket party. Tickets for the party will be available during registration – Baskets will be judged on Theme and Merit and the best Basket will garner a 10% donation of the proceeds to the charity of their choice. There will also be a couple other raffles “Something-For-Everyone” at the same time.
- ADS PROVIDE FUNDING FOR OUR CONVENTION. We ask each Council and Assembly, if you have not yet placed your ad, to do so as soon as possible.

We hope to see all of you at the 2016 VERMONT KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS STATE CONVENTION.

Vivat Jesus,

DD Bob Shaw and the Convention Committee of District #7

Rutland Council #232, Middlebury Council #642, Fair Haven Council #810, Vergennes Council #3664,
and Bristol Council #10535