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### THE KNIGHTS NEWS

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Grand Knight – SK Michael Rua
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#### **COUNCIL MTGS.**

2nd Tuesday of the month Msgr. Reinbold Hall St. Mary's Church W. Bay Ave. Barnegat, NJ

#### **Columbian Squires**

Squire Circle for boys ages 10-18 for information contact Chief Counselor Tom Davies 347-728-2654

#### **OFFICERS MTGS.**

4th Monday of the month Msgr. Reinbold Hall St. Mary's Church W. Bay Ave. Barnegat, NJ

#### **Squire Rose Circle**

Squire Rose Circle for girls ages 10-18 for information contact Head Counselor Janine Davies 347-728-2655

#### **COLUMBIA CLUB MTGS.**

Scheduled as required St. Mary's Rectory W. Bay Ave. Barnegat, NJ

#### **LADIES AUXILIARY**

Our Ladies Auxiliary is being reorganized

# THE KNIGHTS NEWS / January 2020 WORTHY OFFICERS 2019 – 2020

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# **CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE**

I am sure everyone is familiar with the "Divine Praises." They are recited at the end of Benediction and were composed around 1800 in reparation for profanity and blasphemy. Recently, a new feast was added to the Liturgical Calendar, this year observed on Friday, January 3, The Most Holy Name of Jesus. While we reverence the Holy Name of Jesus, and, indeed all that is Holy, it is obvious to each of us that we live in a culture where the sacred is readily cast aside and things holy are casually mocked. It reveals the pervasiveness of evil. We could easily speak of an epidemic of blasphemy.

In light of this awful trend, it is incumbent upon us as Knight of Columbus to live the spirit of the Divine Praises. Just as we dedicate ourselves to defending life, I invite us to renew our commitment to fight against all forms of disrespect to the Name of God, Jesus, Mary and all saints, indeed, all that is holy. The Knights have always been defenders of the Church and her clergy. May we also be known for our defense of all that is sacred.

Tragically, there are so many instances of profanity that at times it can feel like swatting flies, but we must be diligent. We can't solve everything, but we can do our small part.

Here is one story along these lines that I once heard many years ago and has remained with me. It seems there was this man who was shopping in a grocery store. As he went about his business, he kept bumping into another man who was also shopping. Each time they bumped into each other, the man telling the story heard the other man mindlessly misusing God's name. With each chance encounter, the other man kept using profanity. Finally, he couldn't take it any longer and our hero shared what he decided to do. He started deliberately following the man around the store and when he heard him say, God d...., he would say out loud, "God be praised." After a few times, the blasphemous shopper caught on and confronted the man. The speaker shared his response: "I told him that if he was going to damn Him, then I was going to praise Him!" As it turned out, the man, thankfully, accepted the lesson and admitted he needed to change.

I don't know if I would have that same courage, but it is an inspiring example of one small way of combatting the tide. As we begin a new year, may we be committed to protecting all that is sacred, all that is holy, above all, the Name of God, the name of Jesus!

"Blessed be God; Blessed be His Holy Name; Blessed be Jesus Christ, true God and true man; Blessed be the Name of Jesus; Blessed be His Most Sacred Heart; Blessed be His Most Precious Blood; Blessed be Jesus in the Most Holy Sacrament of the Altar; Blessed be the Holy Spirit, the Paraclete; Blessed be the great Mother of God, Mary most holy; Blessed be her holy and Immaculate Conception; Blessed be her glorious Assumption; Blessed be the name of Mary, Virgin and Mother; Blessed be Saint Joseph, her most chaste spouse; Blessed be God in his angels and in his saints."

I wish to each a Blessed and healthy New Year!

## **GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE**

My dear Brother Knights,

A New Year is upon us, New Beginnings, New Life, New Challenges and as Brother Knights we accept the challenges in Service to one and Service to all. I Challenge all of My Fellow Knights to go above and beyond our call of duty, not only with the monthly Breakfasts, the Lenten Fish Fry's, the Carnival, the Golf Outing and all the Fundraisers we do in cooperation with other organizations, but to reach out to others in need. We must help our brothers who are sick or in distress, visit them in the hospital, and above all to pray unceasingly for all those in need of prayer.

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace:
where there is hatred, let me sow love;
where there is injury, pardon;
where there is doubt, faith;
where there is despair, hope;
where there is darkness, light;
where there is sadness, joy.
O divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek
to be consoled as to console,
to be understood as to understand,
to be loved as to love.
For it is in giving that we receive,
it is in pardoning that we are pardoned,
it is in dying that we are born to eternal life.
St. Francis of Assisi

Enough said, Happy New Year to you all, Party Hearty my Brothers.

Vivat Jesus, Mike Rua G.K.

### **INSURANCE MATTERS**

Please welcome our new Field Agent, Jim Pandolfo.

phone: 609-276-3062

e-mail: james.pandolfo@kofc.org



### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**



## PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBPAGE AT www.kofc3826.org FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

January 5: ST. MARY'S MONTHLY BREAKFAST: Sponsored by Knights of Columbus Annunciation

> Council 3826 will be hosting a parish breakfast with a family friendly cost in the Parish Center from 8:00am until 12:00 noon, every first Sunday. We hope your family will join our families. for a little food and community camaraderie. Volunteers are needed and always welcome.

STATUE DEDICATION: Monsignor Ken invites everyone to the unveiling and January 18:

> blessing of a new statue. This new statue was donated by the Knights of Columbus, "In Memory of All Children, Conceived but Never Born and Born but Forever Mourned". Dedication to take place at Saint Mary of the Pines Church following 4:00pm Mass on

Saturday, January 18, 2020.

January 23: MARCH FOR LIFE MASS: There will also be Mass before we leave at St. Mary's in Barnegat at 7:00pm on Thursday. Please come out and support the March for Life and

those who will be traveling to Washington D.C.

MARCH FOR LIFE: The pick-up points are at St. Mary's Church, Barnegat at 7:30am January 24:

and also at St. Mary of the Pines Church at 8:00am. To discourage no-shows, there is a token non-refundable fee of \$10.00 per person. We will make one stop on the way down. We will stop at a Wegman's food court on the way back. We will return about

11:00pm. Please call Al DelTufo or Frank DeSena.

ST. MARY'S MONTHLY BREAKFAST: Sponsored by Knights of Columbus Annunciation February 2:

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February 28: LENTEN FISH FRY: We are doing our Lenten Fish Fry's again this year.

Starting Friday February 28th during Lent. March 6:

Where: At St Mary's Parish Center at the Pines in Manahawkin. March 13:

March 20: Homemade Soup, Beer Battered Cod, Beer Battered Shrimp, French Fries, March 27: Coleslaw, Cocktail/Tarter/Lemon/Malt Vinegar, Coffee, Soda and Desert.

April 3: Kids meal, Mac and Cheese or Pizza.

> Take out is available. Call: 609-597-1814 Time: 4:30/7:30 pm

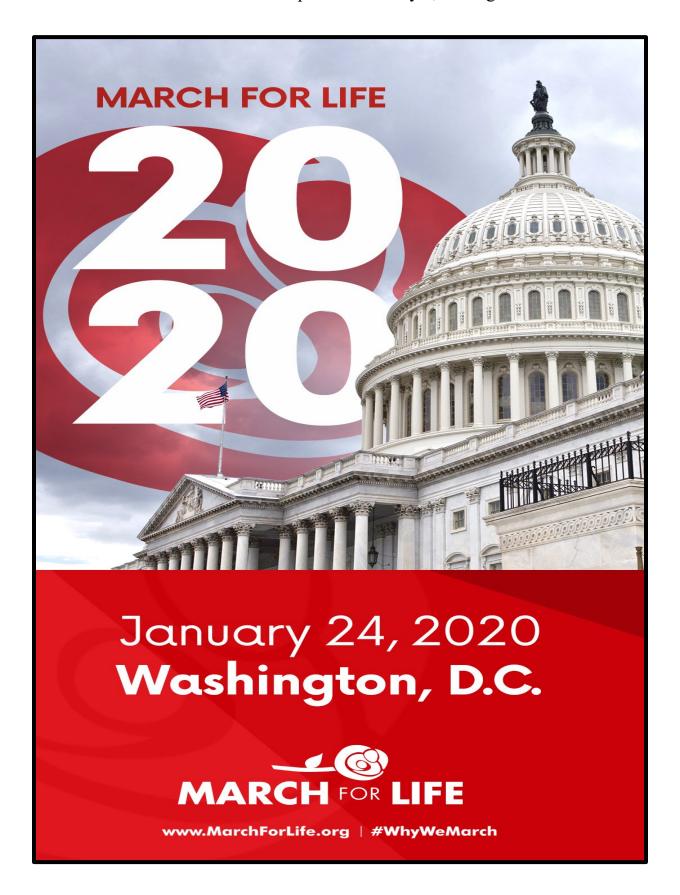
Bring your family and friends and have a good time!

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Please attend the Vigil Mass before trip to Washington, 1/23/2019 at 7:00p.m. at St. Mary's, Barnegat.





# **UPCOMING CRUISES**



<u>February 24 – March 6, 2020:</u> 10 night Western Caribbean cruise on the Norwegian Cruise Lines "Gem" from Cape Liberty, New Jersey. Cost of cabins begin at \$1,360.00 per person and includes two amenities and onboard credit. The ship will deport New York on February 24 where you will visit San Juan Puerto Rico, St. Kitts, St. Lucia, Barbados, Antiqua, St. Thomas, then returning to New York.



### UPCOMING BUS TRIPS



#### NO AIR TRIPS PLANNED AT THIS TIME



# **UPCOMING TRIPS BY AIR**



#### NO AIR TRIPS PLANNED AT THIS TIME

Proceeds from all of our trips go to
St. Jude's Hospital, Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, and many others.
For information or reservations for any of these trips
please contact Charles Serwin at 609-978-0970

# 2020 KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ANNUNCIATION COUNCIL #3826 MAHLER / PURCELL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

\*\*\*IMPORTANT - Applications must be received no later than April 1, 2020\*\*\*

MAIL APPLICATION TO: Scholarship Chairman KofC 3826 PO Box 91 Manahawkin, NJ 08050-0091 This is a fillable document which can be downloaded or printed from our website, www.kofc3826.org

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#### **Eligibility:**

- 1. Any child or grandchild of a member of Council #3826 in good standing as of February 1, 2020.
- 2. Any niece or nephew of a priest from St. Mary's or St. Francis' Parishes.
- 3. Member of High School Graduating Class of 2020 attending college or trade school in the fall of 2020.
- 4. Any member of the Squires Circle #5202.

#### You may attach additional pages as needed.

Section 1:				D ( CD: 41	
Applicant:Address:				Date of Birth	ı:
Phone #:		SocSec#			
Section 2:					
High School:					
Address:				Phone #:	
Class Standing:	SAT Score:	Math:	Verbal	:	_ ACT:
Date:	Signature of School	l Official:			
Print Name of School	Official:				
NOTE: Copy of trans	script must be submitte	d with this application.			
Section 3:					
Name of College(s)					
Address of College(s)				Phone #:	
Tuition & Fees:				Due Date	
Other Scholarship Aw	ards including amount of	awards:			
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# PRAYERS FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK OR IN NEED



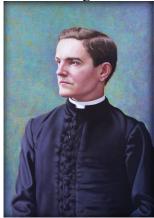
Frank Logan	Jan/2019	Adam & Mary Kupka-Irski	Aug/2019
Judy Penland	Jan/2019	Susan Laprete	Aug/2019
Tom Thompson	Jan/2019	Jeff Hawarden	Sep/2019
Sal Laprete	Jan/2019	Megan Sisarello	Sep/2019
Maria Spanictiati	Jan/2019	Helen Sicigo	Sep/2019
Joe Vaccaro	Jan/2019	Frank Greenwald	Sep/2019
Mary Haller	Jan/2019	Gary Thompson	Sep/2019
Tim Ryan	Jan/2019	Joe Brandimarte	Sep/2019
Fran Morgan	Feb/2019	Anne Taylor	Oct/2019
Sal Laprete	Feb/2019	Sal Laprete	Oct/2019
Rick Fischer	Feb/2019	Tom Ronan	Nov/2019
Richard Porsch	Mar/2019	Frank Davies	Nov/2019
Eileen Spanicciati	Apr/2019	Nick Palumbo	Nov/2019
Jay Bowden	Apr/2019	Gloria Sicilia	Nov/2019
Megan Cicerello	Apr/2019	Leonard Resto	Nov/2019
John Bilotta	Apr/2019	Jody DelTufo	Nov/2019
Colleen Miri	Apr/2019	Rose Vitale	Nov/2019
Sue Serrao	Apr/2019	Helen & Harry Kundrat	Nov/2019
Zachary & A.J. Havranek	Apr/2019	Ethan Pepper	Dec/2019
Gerald Lorino	May/2019	Jeff Staiger	Dec/2019
Carmella Lorino	May/2019	Anne Donlon	Dec/2019
Monsignor Ken Tuzeneu	Jun/2019	Victims & Families of 911	INDEF
Joe Batista	Jun/2019	Religious Liberties Act	INDEF
Frank Miri	Jun/2019		
Joe Greco	Jun/2019		
John Pescatore	Jun/2019		
Sal Neclario	Jun/2019		
Michelle Wall	Jun/2019		
Adell Tonia	Jun/2019		
Julian Young	Jun/2019		

# PRAYERS FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED

Angel Rendaje	Jan/2019	Joseph L. Connors	May/2019
Dick Doyle	Jan/2019	James O'Neill	Jun/2019
Bishop John M. Smith	Jan/2019	Alex Mathews	Oct/2019
Father Leon Buni	Jan/2019	Babe Weaver	Dec/2019
Deacon Dick Hamilton	Feb/2019	Rosemary (Macfarlane) Healy	Dec/2019
William Morey III	Feb/2019		
Lou Perrone	Feb/2019		
Kathy Boss	Mar/2019		
Nancy Skwiat	Mar/2019		
Landon Jarin	Mar/2019		
Susan Gentile	Mar/2019		
Ralph Napoli	Mar/2019		
Dorothy Nicosia	Apr/2019		
John Morgan	Apr/2019		
Janet De Sena	Apr/2019		

# All names will remain on our prayer lists for one year. Prayer to Father Michael J. McGivney

(Founder of the Knights of Columbus)

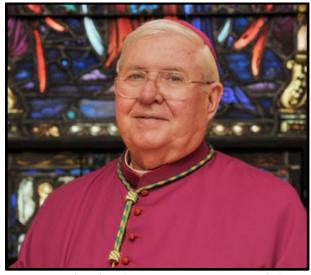


O great and glorious God, you imbued your holy priest,
Father Michael J. McGivney,
with deep priestly virtue and especially with pastoral concern for the poor,
the orphan, the widow, for the Christian education of youth,
for the protection of the faith of the working man of his day.

Now that his priestly ministry continues to spread to countless millions throughout the world through the efforts and influence of the Order of the Knights of Columbus, which Father McGivney founded, we beseech you, Heavenly Father, to raise your faithful servant, Michael, to the honors of the altar.

We ask this favor through our Lord Jesus Christ and His holy mother, Mary and our mother.

Amen.



It is my sad duty to announce the death on Jan. 22, 2019 of the Most Rev. John Mortimer Smith, Bishop Emeritus (2010-2019) and Ninth Bishop of the Diocese of Trenton (1997-2010), former Coadjutor Bishop of Trenton (1995-1997), former Bishop of the Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee in Florida (1991-1995) and former Auxiliary Bishop of the Archdiocese of Newark (1988-1991). Bishop Smith died in Morris Hall Meadows, Lawrenceville, after a long illness. He was 83 years old.

Born June 23, 1935, in Orange, to Mortimer and Ethel Smith, both now deceased, Bishop Smith was the oldest of three children with two brothers, the Rev. Andrew Smith, O.S.B., and Gregory Smith. Bishop Smith attended St. Benedict's Preparatory School in Newark, and John Carroll University in Cleveland, Ohio. He entered Immaculate Conception Seminary at Seton Hall University in South Orange in 1955 and was ordained a priest of the Archdiocese of Newark on May 27, 1961. A graduate of The Catholic University of America in Washington, D.C., Father Smith obtained a doctorate in Canon Law in 1966.

In the Archdiocese of Newark, Father Smith held several positions, among them Assistant Chancellor, Tribunal official, parish priest, Director of the Cursillo Movement and Dean of Bergen County. In 1971, Father Smith was named a Monsignor by now-Pope St. Paul VI.

In 1982, Monsignor Smith was appointed to the faculty of the Pontifical North American College in Rome where he served until his return to Newark in 1986. He was appointed Pastor of St. Mary Parish, Dumont, and, later, as the Archdiocese's Vicar General and Moderator of the Curia. On Dec. 1, 1987, he was named Auxiliary Bishop of Newark, and was consecrated Jan. 25, 1988.

Bishop Smith was appointed Bishop of the Diocese of Pensacola-Tallahassee on June 25, 1991. He returned to New Jersey as Coadjutor Bishop of the Diocese of Trenton in 1995 where he succeeded the late Bishop John C. Reiss in 1997. He served as Bishop of Trenton for 13 years until his retirement at age 75 in 2010.

Bishop Smith is survived by his two brothers.

May he rest in peace.

Most Reverend David M. O'Connell, C.M. Bishop of Trenton

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Stan & Bettyann Dirvin	Jan/2020		
John & Alice Melillo	Feb/2020		
Lou & Sue Serrao	Feb/2020		
Bob & Ruth Tinervin	Feb/2020		
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