



Pius Knights

THE NEWSLETTER FOR ST. PIUS X
COUNCIL #10332 PLAINVIEW, N.Y. 11803
MEETINGS 2ND & 4TH THURSDAYS' 7:30 PM ROOM #1

WATCH FOR CHANGES

13th DISTRICT DECEMBER 2019

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GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE:

"If you're going to talk the talk, you've got to walk the walk." "Practice what you preach." Great phrases that tell us that our actions truly speak louder than words. As we prepare for the commemoration of the birth of Jesus, let us all try to live a Christian life, not just by words, but by our actions. *"Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit. Rather in humility value others above yourselves, not looking to your own interests, but each of you to the interests of the others."* *Philippians 2:3-4*

I write this GK Message immediately after returning from the Interfaith Worship Service. This was my first time attending and I have to tell you, it was a moving service. In a small Church in Plainview we were able to have people from all different faiths together, all supporting each other for a common cause of love, peace and friendship. As Deacon John had said, we may not be able to change the world tomorrow, but we can start right here in Plainview-Old Bethpage. A big thank you to Father Valentine for hosting this event. If you have not attended in the past, give it a try, you won't be sorry.

Recruitment/Membership:

St Pius X Council would like to welcome new 1st Degree Member Brian Tadler to our Council. We have also received two transfers, Richard Pardo and Robert Grady. We also had an old friend re-join our Council, Tony Citrolo. Lastly, Wiener Maingrette completed his Form 100 and is looking to join our Council. Once we schedule his 1st Degree, Wiener will be able to join our meetings.

Fourth Degree Meeting:

Thank you to all the members that assisted with the set-up and break-down of the November 18th Fourth Degree Meeting that St Pius X Council hosted in Madonna Hall. It was an exciting night and I hope we will be able to host again in the near future. Christmas Tree Lighting On December 3rd the Knights of Columbus will conduct our annual tree lighting ceremony at 7:30PM in the St Pius X Parking lot. We will light the tree, sing some Christmas songs and enjoy some hot chocolate and pastries. Please make every effort to attend as this will be a great way to kick off the Christmas Season.

On Sunday December 8th, the St Pius X K of C will sponsor the James J. Maune Memorial Pancake Breakfast with Santa. The event will run from 9AM to 12PM. Children 12 and under are free and adults only pay \$10. You can't beat that. Please contact Neil DeRosa if you are able to assist with this event.

Christmas Party:

The 13th annual Parish Christmas Party sponsored by the K of C will be held on Saturday, December 14th. This promises to be another fun night to spend with you Parish friends and Brother Knights. Better hurry, the \$5 discount expires on December 1st.

Other Dates to Remember:

REMINDER: No Social Meeting this December

Quote of the Month:

"Live your life so that your children can tell their children that you not only stood for something wonderful, you acted on it." – Unknown

Krista and I wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

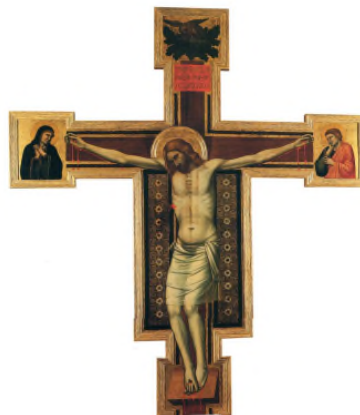
Grand Knight Tom Hoefling



HAPPY BIRTHDAY:

Ed Coyne 12/2,
Gloria Plaisance, 12/20,
Eugene Robinson 12/27,
Leon Komondorea 12/8,
Jane Kosiba 12/10.

In Memorium



Donald Graham, PGK Dec.18th, 1996
George Drew Dec. 21st, 1995
Herman Esposito, Dec. 22, 2001
Richard J. Schroeder, Dec. 29th, 2005,
George P. Schirm, Dec. 20, 2016



The Nassau Conference had a
meeting on November 25th 2019
at Our Lady of the Island Council

WALTER P.
KELLENBERG

Assembly

078



Sunday December 8th Jos.
Barry Co., Christmas
Party 2 P.M. to 6 P.M.
45 Heitz Pl., Hicksville
C.G. should arrive at 1:15
P.M



New Haven, CT

SUPREME NEWS

www.kofc.org

Since 1972, councils have sponsored the Knights of Columbus Free Throw Championship. This program encourages boys and girls between the ages of 9 and 14 to exercise the values of sportsmanship and healthy competition by going up against participants throughout their jurisdictions in an effort to be named the winner at the Supreme level.



SD WALLY WYCH

STATE COUNCIL NEWS

State Deputy Wally Wych and the State Family will be in attendance at the Nassau Chapter Christmas Party and Testimonial for Past Chapter President Ted Newkirk

The Nassau Chapter Website is:
<http://www.nassauchapterkofc.org/>



President Tony Ippolito

At the most recent Conference meeting on Monday November 25th President Tony Ippolito spoke of the Nassau Chapter Scholarships available to the Nassau Chapter members.

"JOIN US" *UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS:*

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| December 3rd | Order-Wide Tree Lighting Ceremony Church Parking Lot |
| December 5th | Officer's Meeting Thursday 7:30PM Room#1 |
| December 8th | Final Drawing C & B Villa Roma Mid-Year Mtg. |
| December 8th | Feast of the Immaculate Conception |
| December 8th | Sunday Breakfast With Santa Pancake Fundraiser |
| December 12th | Thursday Council Meeting 7:30PM Room #1 |
| December 14th | St. Pius X Council Annual Christmas Party |
| December 21st | Chapter Christmas Party/Testimonial Thursday 8:00PM SMMS |

ANNUAL CHAPTER CHRISTMAS PARTY OPEN TO ALL

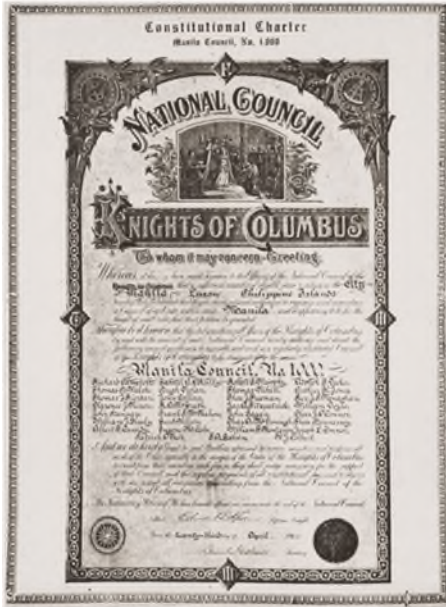
DECEMBER 25th MERRY CHRISTMAS

December 26th **THERE IS NO MEETING** AND NOT RESCHEDULED



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HISTORY

HERE IS OUR STORY MONTH BY MONTH 1882-1889



Along with the addition of “patriotism” to the Knights’ principles came the first Fourth Degree exemplification, which took place Feb. 22, 1900, in New York City, with 1,100 Knights participating. A similar event took place in Boston in May with another 750 candidates taking the patriotic degree.

By the beginning of the 20th century, the fledgling Order was growing dramatically. Councils had been chartered throughout the United States and Canada, and international expansion continued to Mexico and the Philippines in 1905, along with Cuba and Panama in 1909.

The Knights also turned their attention to college campuses, and in more ways than one. In 1904, more than 10,000 Knights and their families attended ceremonies at The Catholic University of America in Washington, D.C., in which the Order presented the school with a grant for more than \$55,000. The funds, used to establish a K of C chair of American history, began a long history of support for CUA. In addition, students at the University of Notre Dame in Indiana soon organized their own K of C council. Chartered in 1910, Notre Dame Council 1477 was the Order’s first college council, launching a subset of the Knights that today includes councils at 244 schools worldwide.

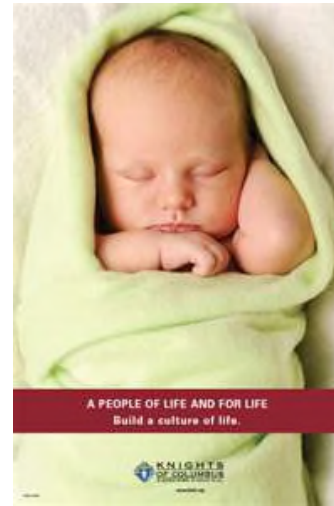
- **1900:** The first exemplification of the Fourth Degree takes place on Feb. 22, 1900, in New York City; 1,100 Knights receive the degree. The following May, another 750 Knights take the degree in Boston.
- **1904:** More than 10,000 Knights and their families attend ceremonies at The Catholic University of America in Washington, D.C., in which a check for \$55,633.79 is presented to the school for the establishment of a K of C chair of American history. From 1909 to 1913, Knights raise \$500,000 to establish a permanent endowment for CUA.
- **1905:** The first council in the Philippines — Manila Council 1000 — is chartered by U.S. citizens after the Spanish-American War. The same year, the Order expanded to Mexico, establishing Guadalupe Council 1050 in Mexico City.
- **1909:** U.S. workers in the Canal Zone institute Balboa Council 1371 in Panama City. A degree team from Mobile, Ala., then visits Cuba and institutes San Agustin Council 1390 in Havana.
- **1909:** A reported 5,000 Knights meet James A. Flaherty’s train in Philadelphia in 1909 when he arrives at the annual convention where he is elected supreme knight.

"KNIGHTS IN NEED"

**PRAY FOR
OUR
KNIGHTS
IN NEED**



Gene Robinson, Lecturer Emeritus,
John Heilig, Artie Venezia, PGK
Don Dickinson, Sal Manziella, James
Doran, Ralph Plaisance, PGK, Tom
Burke, Ray Ludwig, PGK, Phil Roeske,
Mike DiCarlo, Ed Coyne, Phil Roeske,
Richard Marcantonio



**The Annual Pro-Life
Mass at St. Patrick's
Cathedral will take place
on January 19th 10:15AM**

MANPOWER NEEDED



**SET-UP OF THE MANGER IS SCHEDULED
FOR SATURDAY NOVEMBER 30TH 10:AM
PLEASE MARK IT ON YOUR
CALENDER. WE WILL NEED MANPOWER
FOR THIS ONE. YOUNGER BROHERS ARE
ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND**

THANK GOODNESS YOU'RE HOME...



...THE CHRISTMAS TREE FAINTED

***DON'T FORGET TO
HAVE FUN !***



Nassau Chapter Knights of Columbus



Annual Charity Ball

Sunday March 29th, 2020 12:PM to 5:00PM



This Year we will Honor



Dr. Jennifer DeMarco, DO

The New Nassau Gianna Center

INCLUDED IN YOUR EVENING

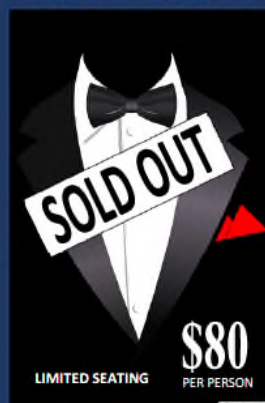
Five Star Cocktail Hour

Premium Open Bar Throughout The Evening

RSVP NOW

*Catered Dinner With Choice Of 10 Entrees
Dessert, Dancing, Entertainment*

Contact: Chapter Ball Chairman Ted Newkirk, PGK, PCP
(914) 318-7369 e-mail: ted.newkirk@yahoo.com



Grand Knight Tom Hoefling

**Is holding the remaining Tickets to the Nassau Chapter Ball.
If you want to attend this “Gala Event” at the Chateau –
Briand Catering Hall contact him at: (516) 659-9668 or
thoefling@optonline.net**

RECRUITMENT



1ST DEGREE OF OUR ORDER



On Wednesday November 6th at Memorare Council Seafood, N.Y. Brian Tadler received his 1st Degree of the Order. The Ceremonial witnessed by his brothers from St. Pius X Council. Grand Knight Tom Hoefling, Past Grand Knight Phil Saglimbene, Past Grand Knight Jim Albert, Deputy Grand Knight Marc Cashman, Chancellor Arnold Bendig, and Insurance Agent George Blochl Jr.

ST. PIUS X COUNCIL SUPERBOWL POOL



Scholarship aid is available for all “Knights of Columbus” members in good standing! If you are the parent or guardian of a child or grandchild attending CCD or about to enter a Catholic High School you are eligible for thousands of dollars in scholarship aid! The Nassau Chapter can award your child a \$1000 per year for each year they attend a Catholic High School. 2nd and 3rd place get one-time awards of \$500. Also, one-time awards of \$125 for children attending FAITH FORMATION OR CATHOLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL.

Get an Application Now!

Go to the Nassau Chapter Website for forms! or

Contact: Nassau Chapter Scholarship

Chairman Neil DeRosa, PGK, at 516-280-0033 or

nderosa@syncroservices.com



St. Pius X Parish Christmas Party 2019

Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus



**EVERYONE
IS INVITED**



Karknight the Magnificent
Going with a new Sing-A-Long
with Bill Bullwinkel

13th YEAR

JOIN US!

SATURDAY DECEMBER 14th

6:00PM "MADONNA HALL"

Catered by
 **FOODIES** Call for
your **RESERVED SEAT**
Today! It's Gonna be
Fun!



JUST \$30

PAY BEFORE 12/1

ONLY \$25 PER-PERSON

Ralph will conduct the 12 Days of Christmas –
reading "One Solitary Life" - and
"Karknight the Magnificent" will have his
10 Questions & Predictions - and
The Gingerbread House CONTEST!

Call to reserve your seat

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PROCEEDS FROM THE EVENT GO TO
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CHARITIES

RSVP

DECEMBER

BY

7th

Win a
"Gingerbread
House"



50/50 and Raffle Baskets too !!!

SUNDAY DECEMBER 8TH James J. Maune, PGK Memorial

Pancake Fundraiser

The St. Pius X Council #10332 will once again hold the Pancake Fundraiser in Madonna Hall. Please tell your friends and neighbors to come down and enjoy the best Breakfast on Long Island. All proceeds go to Knights of Columbus Charities. **9AM TO**

12:30PM



**Adults \$10, Children (12 & up) \$5, Children Younger than 12 FREE,
One Free Child with each paying adult.**