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Grand Knight's Message

Brother Knights and
Sister Columbiettes

The month of October proved to be a busy month for our Council and we had some very nice accomplishments starting with the Farmingdale Columbus Weekend Fair. On Saturday October 8th we had our table and canopy along with our new Council banner set up at the Village Green next to our Sister Columbiettes during the street fair. We sold some Olive wood crosses, magnets, chances, 50/50, and accepted donations from the fair goes and we offered recruitment info for our Council.



On Sunday, October 9th a decent turnout of our Brother Knights along with Father George, marched in the Columbus parade down Main St. to the Village Green among some welcoming applause from our residents.

Many thanks to Jane Zollo, Assistant to our Pastor, for her work in adding our website to the Parish website. Great job and it adds awareness and news of our Council.

The following Saturday, October 15th we had a Food Drive at Stop and Shop from 10AM to 2PM to help our Parish Outreach. I and several Knights participated handing out fliers of needed items to those entering the store. Our

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Chaplain's Message

My Dear Brother Knights,

November is a month of Holy Days and Holidays!

The month starts with the Festival of All The Saints, those canonized and not officially canonized who have faithfully followed our Lord and who did all they could to follow His example in their lives. They are our heroes, they are the Catholic Hall of Fame! May we follow their example of faithfulness! On the second day of November we remember all the Souls of the Faithful Departed and pray for the souls in Purgatory to help them on their journey to the glories of heaven!

On Saturday, November 5th at 5pm Mass, Saint Kilian's Parish is honored to host Archbishop Timothy Broglio, the Archbishop of all Catholics in every

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Columbiette Chatter

Dear Sister Columbiettes

Fall is here and it's a nice time of year. The trees are turning all different colors. Its amazing what God's paint brush can do. This is the time of year to be Thankful for family, friends and the many blessings we receive.

On November 11, 2022, Friday we will be having our first fundraiser. It will be

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Editors Corner

The Mariner will be printed once a month with one issue for the months of July and August, for a total of eleven (11) issues by and for the Farmingdale Council #2204, Knights of Columbus.

Meetings are held on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month in the Council Hall located at the intersection of Morton Street and Garity Place. The mailing address is 1 Morton Street, Farmingdale, NY 11735-4340. The deadline for material for publication in the Mariner is the Friday that follows the 3rd Wednesday of the prior month. PLEASE keep this deadline in mind for articles you wish to have publish in the Mariner.



**Father McGivney
Pray for Us**



Good of the Order

Brothers those in need will always be with us. If you can remember to bring some kind of dry or can goods, such as tuna, vegetables, pasta cereal etc., to each meeting, the Council will arrange to get this food to the Parish Pantry.

We must always have new members flowing into our ranks and it is your privilege and your duty as a Knight of Columbus to recruit and retain the strength your needs to carry on the great works so well begun. You know as well as I do that there are many fine unselfish Catholic gentleman who would be Knights if we would but give them a word of suggestion and lead them towards our banner. I appeal to each and everyone of you to select one man that you deem worthy and lead him to us. Brother's please communicate to the Council that a Brother or family member is ill.

Please keep the following Knights, Columbiettes, Family members and Friends in your prayers. Please also keep in your prayers all others who have requested our prayers, but due to miscommunications or timing, are not listed. God knows who they are and a simple thought to include them is sufficient.

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Recently Deceased

POPTORTOSO

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Please inform the Grand Knight, Deputy Grand Knight, Financial Secretary of Any Brother that is Sick or has Passed Away.

Happy Birthday Brothers

November

Joseph Caltagirone	Frederick J Kramer
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John Czelusniak	Vincent R Rotondo
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James C Ferris	Gabriel Vaca
Richard S Garczynski	Eric J Walczyk
Thomas W Kennedy	James A Walter
	John A Zablotty



List of Upcoming Important Dates

NOVEMBER-2022

- 1—Social Meeting Tuesday, 7:30PM
- 1—ALL SAINTS DAY
- 5—Mass for Military vocations, St Kilian Church, 5pm
- 8—ELECTION DAY
- 8—Officer's Meeting, Council #2204, 7:30pm
- 11—VETERAN'S DAY
- 11—Columbiette Supermarket Bingo,
1 Morton St, 7:00pm
- 15—Biz Meeting, Council #2204, 7:30pm
- 24—THANKSGIVING DAY
- 27—FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

DECEMBER-2022

- 6—Social Meeting Tuesday, 7:30PM
- 8—FEAST OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION
- 11—BINGO by the Columbiettes, 1 Morton St, 7:00pm
- 12—FEAST OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE
- 13—Officer's Meeting, Council #2204, 7:30pm
- 20—Biz Meeting, Council #2204, 7:30pm
- 24—CHRISTMAS EVE
- 25—CHRISTMAS DAY
- 31—NEW YEAR'S EVE

**You will be notified of any changes as soon as possible.
All Officers meetings will be held at the Council Hall**

A PRAYER FOR OUR PRIESTS

We thank you, God our Father, for those who have responded to your call to priestly ministry. Accept this prayer we offer on their behalf: Fill them with the sure knowledge of your love. Open their hearts to the power and consolation of the Holy Spirit. Lead them to greater union with your Son. Increase their faith in the Sacraments they celebrate as they nourish, strengthen and heal us.

Lord Jesus Christ, through the intercession of St. Jean Vianney, grant that your priests will be inspired to strive for holiness by the power of his example. As men of prayer, may they ponder your word, follow your will and faithfully lead the flocks you have entrusted to their care.

St. Jean Vianney, obtain for the Church an abundance of vocations to the holy priesthood. Through your intercession, may many faithful men hear Christ's call, and respond with courage and generosity.

Mary our Mother, guard with your maternal care these chosen ones. Intercede for our priests, so that by offering the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, they may be conformed more each day to the image of your Son, our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

St. Jean Vianney, patron of parish priests, pray for us!



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PRAYER FOR THE CANONIZATION OF THE VENERABLE SERVANT OF GOD MICHAEL McGIVNEY

Founder of the Knights of Columbus

God, our Father, protector of the poor and defender of the widow and orphan, you called your priest, Blessed Father Michael J. McGivney, to be an apostle of Christian family life and to lead the young to the generous service of their neighbor. Through the example of his life and virtue may we follow your Son, Jesus Christ, more closely, fulfilling his commandment of charity and building up his Body which is the Church. Let the inspiration of your servant prompt us to greater confidence in your love so that we may continue his work of caring for the needy and the outcast. We humbly ask that you glorify your venerable servant Father Michael J. McGivney on earth according to the design of your holy will. Through his intercession, grant the favor I now present (*here make your request*). Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

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Farmingdale Columbiettes #2204

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Knights did an excellent job and a great service for our Outreach. I was amazed at the number of folks who exited the store with many generous donations of food, toiletries, gift cards and monetary donations. It was great to see our community come through. Thanks to Jeana Lewis, our Outreach Director and Dave Christie who coordinated the food drive. Special thanks to Jeana for the very nice picture video she made with some of the photos I took during the event. You can view it on the St. Kilian Social Ministry/Outreach page on facebook.

Our Council is participating in the Opening the Sunday Scriptures program of our parish. We are meeting at 7PM every Monday for the length of the program and it is going very well.

Finally for the month, on Friday, October 28th we will be celebrating our Council's 100th Anniversary – Covid delayed - Oktoberfest Fundraiser from 7-11PM at our Council. As of this writing we are busy preparing for the event. We will be having grilled Bratwurst, cabbage, potatoes, bread along with Sam Adams Oktoberfest beer, wine, soda, bottled water, coffee, tea, dessert, door prize all for \$25 per person. We will also have raffles, 50/50 and a Lotto tree. Praying for a good turnout and a successful event. Many thanks to our Chaplain, Monsignor Rowan and the Rectory staff for promoting our ad in the Bulletin as well as the announcements after the Saturday, October 22nd 5PM Mass and the Sunday, October 23rd Masses.

Hoping everyone has enjoyed a safe and Happy Halloween to those who celebrate.

Saturday, November 5th is the special Mass for Military vocations at 5PM. I will be there and would like to see a nice turnout including our Brother Knights.

November 8th is Election Day and the all important Midterms. Please vote for candidates that are Pro Life and are in line with our Catholic faith and values.

Happy Veterans Day to all who served and thank you for your service.

We will be busy in November as we begin

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Knights in Action



St Kilian Council Knights, Dan Healy and Rich Wagner with the District Deputy, Paul Diorio, join Knights from neighboring councils in picking up and delivering over 30 wheelchairs to Amityville.



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branch of our U. S. Military. You're invited to come to this Mass and bring your veteran family members and friends. Friday, November 11th is Veterans Day, the day we remember those of us who had the privilege of serving in the US Armed Forces both home and abroad, in peacetime and in war. God bless all Veterans!

November also gives us the great civic holiday of Thanksgiving where we are reminded to thank our God from whom all blessings flow. I hope you and your families have an enjoyable and blessed dinner that day! Then Saturday, November 27th begins the holy season of Advent, where we prepare individually and as Knights to "Keep Christ in Christmas" in our hearts, in our homes and in our community. Let us use this Advent to prepare well for the great feast of Christ's birth into our world!

As always, you are in my prayers and I am ever grateful that our Parish and the Knights are now on the same road working together hand-in-hand to further the mission of the church in our community of Farmingdale! God bless you all and have a happy, peaceful November!

And don't forget to use our Catholic values and vote on Tuesday, November 8!

Fraternally,
Msgr. Mark Rowan

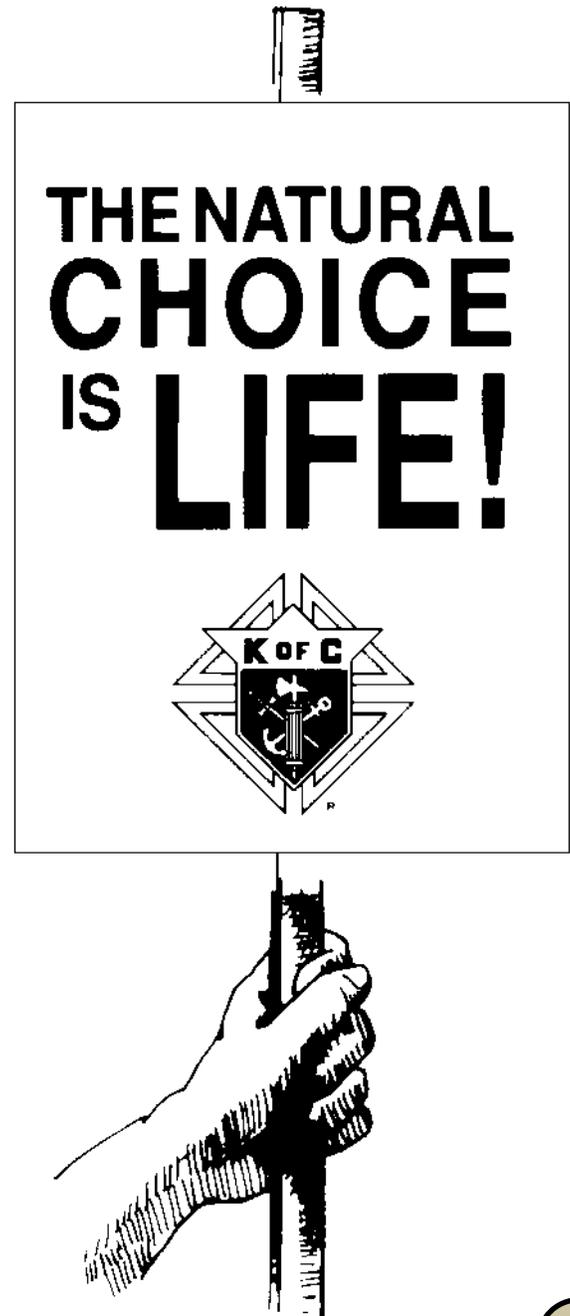
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preparing and planning for Advent, Keep Christ in Christmas, and Craft Fair in December, the children's Christmas party, food for families and whatever comes about.

Wishing everyone and your families a safe, healthy and Happy Thanksgiving. Despite the inflation and crime, there is so much to be thankful for.

Remember to pray for the unborn, pray for America, for our military, for Ukraine and peace in our world. God Bless.

Stay well and stay safe,
Thomas Schwarz
Grand Knight



St. Kilian Council at the Columbus Weekend Fair



St. Kilian Council Food Drive at Stop & Shop



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a BINGO Night. It will be at the Council Hall at 7pm. Admission will be \$10.00 / pp and it will include 1 Bingo pack, chips, 1 bottle of water and coffee or tea and cake. We will be selling raffles for a 50/50, a Lotto Board and a Chinese Auction. Tell all your family and friends and come join us for a fun evening. We are asking for any help that you may be able to give. Please call me at 516-822-3461 if you are available to help any way you can with this wonderful evening.

We are also planning to have our Christmas Luncheon on Saturday December 10th at Tre Scali. The fee would be \$35.00/ pp. If you would like to attend, please contact Jackie Sperlazzo. She can be reached at 516-420-8936. I would like to Thank her for Chairing this event.

For the meeting on Dec 5th 2022, please bring a baby gift for the Birthright Shower that Chapter hosts every year. It is greatly appreciated. I Thank you for your kindness.

If anyone has any ideas for future fundraisers, I would love to hear about them. Please contact me.

I am looking forward to seeing everyone at our next meeting on Monday November 7, 2022 at 7pm.

On Tuesday November 8th is election day – please get out and VOTE.

As always, please keep our distressed and deceased Sister Columbiettes in our prayers.

Have a Happy and Blessed Thanksgiving to you and your family.

Louise LaGatta
Columbiette President



Suffolk Chapter Report

My Brothers and Sisters,

The Chapter is the fraternal arm of the "Knights of Columbus", working for you and your families. The Chapter has many programs such as the FAC (Fraternal Assistance) which is available to all brother Knights and sister Columbiettes who find themselves in financial difficulty. This is kept strictly confidential, so any one in need should not be afraid to reach out for help. There are scholarship programs for your children and grandchildren, if they plan to attend a Catholic High School. We offer track and free throw competitions for children up to fourteen years of age, where they can win scholarship money for their education. There are fraternal activities for all members and their families. Why not take advantage of what we have to offer by coming to our monthly meetings, on the second Friday of the month, and represent your Council.

The Chapter also collects eyeglasses, can tabs and every Christmas we collect teddy bears for needy children. **THE CHAPTER WORKS FOR YOU, WHY NOT SUPPORT IT!!! REMEMBER, "CHARITY IS OUR MOST IMPORTANT PRODUCT".**

Fraternally,

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