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NAVIGATOR'S MESSAGE

My Dear Brother Sir Knights:

I hope you and your families had a wonderful Summer. The end of August and the beginning of September hold the start of a new and exciting Fraternal Year. As always there are expectations and ideas to be considered. Each of you has something to give to the Assembly. I pledge that my team of officers is ready and committed to moving our Assembly forward. Any time that you can give to any of the Assembly Committees will be appreciated. We are also hoping to receive cooperation from the individual Councils as we will be sending out a questionnaire to assist in your input to the Assembly. In addition, please contact me if

any Council desires an Officer or Committee member from the Assembly to attend one of your Council meetings, in order to explain the Fourth Degree, our Assembly, and how to help your Council recruit new Fourth Degree candidates for the 2012 Class on May 29, 2012.

This past class in May of 2011 only had six Candidates from our Assembly – an all-time low. In trying to raise support, Sir Knight Gerald (Gerry) Dugan has agreed to be the Assembly Membership Chairman this year. Your support is needed to make this year a banner year.

Also, this September 11th is the 10 year anniversary of our Country being attacked. The Assembly

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Color Corps will be joining Peace Council #4518 in a special Mass at St. Madeline Church, Ridley Park, PA to commemorate this tragic event. We all need to show our Love for this County and our Troops. Any involvement you can give to your local Community in Remembrance of this day, please do so.

Inside this newsletter you will find information concerning our Conclave meetings, and also about the upcoming Installation of Assembly Officers and Mass. Please attend if you can. You'll find it very interesting.

As your Navigator, I will do whatever is needed to achieve the Goals of the Assembly.

> Fraternally yours, SK Benjamin J. Linowski, Jr. Faithful Navigator

History of the Fourth Degree (Part 4)

(Part 3 appeared in the March 2011 Newsletter)

Exemplifications in the PA East District are normally held in May and June each year. As a First or Second Degree member, you are a "Member" of the Knights of Columbus. After the Ceremonies of the Third Degree you are a full Knight in the Order. After the Exemplification of the Fourth Degree you are a complete Knight in the Knights of Columbus. Not all Knights wear plumes, capes and swords, only those Knights who belong to the Fourth or "Patriotic Degree." These Knights are called "Sir Knights". We volunteer at public functions to add color and dignity to the occasion, and to demonstrate publicly our loyalty to the church, or to our country. There is a tendency today to dress "casually" as much as possible, slacks, no tie, old clothes, etc. It takes pain, it takes nerve, and it takes discomfort to be dressed up in black clothes, with white collar, lined cape and carrying a sword, wearing a chapeau with feathers.

Why do it? To demonstrate in a positive way that Church, Law and Country are concepts that deserve our esteem and high regard, especially during times when authority, law and decency are being trampled upon and disrespected by so many. It is by one's example that most preaching is done!



CONCLAVE MEETING

The first Conclave meeting for this Columbian year will be Wednesday, September 7th, at 8:00 PM at the Springfield Inn, on Baltimore Pike, Springfield, PA. Those wishing to have dinner with us at 7:00 PM, prior to the Conclave should contact SK Joseph S. Paoletti at 610-604-4755 regarding your attendance and menu selection. Remember, each Conclave is held on the 1st Wednesday of each month. Dinner is always at 7:00 PM, followed by the Conclave meeting at 8:00 PM. If you cannot make the Dinner, please try to make the meeting.



INSTALLATION OF ASSEMBLY OFFICERS

The Installation of the Assembly Officers will be on Tuesday, September 13th, at Our Lady of Charity Church, located in the 200 block of Upland Road,



Brookhaven, PA. A Mass will be celebrated at 7:30 PM, followed by the Installation. Light refreshments will follow.



MEMBERSHIP

It's not too early to recruit Third Degree members for the Fourth Degree. All councils should use the updated Form 4 Application. Remember, the Memorial Day weekend Exemplification seems to arrive faster each year, so let's get those Second Degree Knights to a Third Degree.

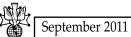


Attention All 4th Degree Sir Knights

Cardinal Dougherty Assembly is still seeking email addresses from our membership.

There are times between Conclaves when important information must be disseminated to all members, such as deaths of Fourth Degree members, parish visits by the Archbishop, etc. Please forward your email addresses to me at

tfvalent2@comcast.net Tom Valent, PFN, Editor



Comptroller Message

It is the beginning of a new fraternal year and I think that the newsletter boosters, with the help of Gerry Paradis, PFN, are up to date and current. If your name is not there and it should be or if the expiration date is incorrect, please let me know.

The easiest way to join the newsletter booster club is to enter the amount on the dues statement that you receive with your November newsletter and include the amount in your dues check. You can include the donation with your dues no matter when your booster expires. I will add the time on to the date on the booster page. You can either make a donation to offset the cost of printing and mailing the newsletter or you can take a newsletter boost er with a minimum donation of \$ 10.00 and your name will appear on the back page of the newsletter for one year. If you would want to extend the date of expiration, you can donate more than \$ 10.00 and I will add the extended months on to the date in the newsletter. The dues statement has both ways listed to give you a choice of how to donate to the newsletter.

There have been some mistakes with dues being posted in the past. If you receive your bill and you think that a mistake has been made, please call or write a note. Please include your phone number, as the phone number on your ledger card might be different from when you took your fourth degree and not your current number. It is sometimes easier to check out the records with the member on the phone to explain any questions that he or I might have. I hope to keep my mistakes to a minimum this year but I'm sure that something will happen.

If any member ever has a question, please do not hesitate to contact me. I can be reached at

> 217 Scottdale Road Lansdowne, PA 19050-2328 610-256-7600,

> > Fraternally yours, John J. Cruice, Jr., PFN

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The School of Nazareth

As we move into the month of September, we will see the end of the summer and vacations for many and the beginning of a new school year. In thinking about school, there is one school that I would propose to you that we do not have to graduate from, that we do not have to stop attending, a school from which we can continually learn. On the surface, this might not sound too appealing and enticing because if you are like me I have had my fill of school. However, the school that I am speaking about is the "School of Nazareth."

Pope Paul VI, in a homily given in Nazareth on January 5, 1964, said, "How I would like to return to my childhood and attend the simple yet profound school that is Nazareth." In this school, he said that we can learn three things, "First, we learn from its silence. If we could only once again appreciate its great value...The silence of Nazareth should teach us how to meditate in peace and quiet, to reflect on the deeply spiritual, and to be open to the voice of God's inner wisdom and the counsel of its true teachers." The Holy Father then continued, "Second, we learn about family life. May Nazareth serve as a model of what the family should be. May it show us the family's holy and enduring character and exemplifying its basic function in society: a community of love and sharing..." He then concluded with the third point: "Finally, in Nazareth...we learn about work and the discipline it entails...I would like to remind everyone that work has its own dignity. On the other hand, it is not an end in itself..."

These are valuable lessons that the Holy Father gives us-lessons which resonate as much today as they did 47 years ago. In the spirit of the Servant of God, Fr. Michael McGivney, we can continue to learn

from this "School of Nazareth" by valuing silence and prayer, family life and work and know that the fruits this will bear will help us to grow and mature in our faith as a Knight of Columbus.

> Vivat Jesus, Fr. Dennis

