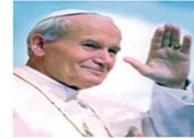


# The Knightly News

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**KNIGHTS  
OF COLUMBUS**  
IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.**Monthly Newsletter****June 2018****Important Dates This Month**

- Sunday, June 3<sup>rd</sup>, Corpus Christi Procession, Queen of Apostles
- Wednesday, June 6<sup>th</sup>, Officers' Meeting, Council Home, 7:30 PM
- June 9<sup>th</sup>/10<sup>th</sup>, Final Membership Drive of the Fraternal Year, Queen of Apostles, All Masses
- Sunday, June 10<sup>th</sup> @ 10:30 Mass—Corporate Communion, Queen of Apostles
- Wednesday, June 13<sup>th</sup>, Full Council Meeting, Council Home, 7:30 PM
- Sunday, June 17<sup>th</sup>, Father's Day
- Friday, June 29<sup>th</sup>, Visit the Vets in Martinsburg, WV

**GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE**

June 2018—the 30<sup>th</sup> will be the end of the fraternal year—my how time flies when you are having fun! It's very hard to believe that a year has gone by...our 60<sup>th</sup> year in fact. So many accomplishments, so much left undone, so much left to be done. And the year of learning more about the Order, the State Council and ALL the Knights do—every day. It has truly been amazing. Just a quick synopsis of our "Year in Review."

- Fed hundreds at Christ House via five multi-setting dinner servings
- Learned to pray together, be together, through four Corporate Communion and two 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Rosaries.
- Supported the Annual March for Life
- Donated over THREE tons of food to the Poor Sisters of St. Joseph
- Supported FIVE Seminarians
- Donated food and necessities to SIXTEEN families at Christmas
- Held and/or supported successful and highly competitive soccer and basketball challenges at the Council and District levels for the children
- Kept Christ in Christmas by selling religious cards throughout the Christmas season and then supported Virginians with intellectual disabilities through a very successful KOVAR campaign
- Supported Fr. Vives' 25<sup>th</sup> Priesthood Anniversary

- Held our 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration – attended by over 100 Knights, families and parishioners

This is just a sampling of our charity, unity, and fraternity this past fraternal year—a year that saw the Council gain TWELVE new Knights, and THREE new Sir Knights, and celebrate the lives of NINE Brothers that were called home by the Lord—may they forever Rest in Peace.

All those efforts noted above were only possible due to our "Same Ten Guys" setting a fine example for the next "Ten" guys to step up. That is one of the most satisfying accomplishments of this past year—getting more of our Knights involved on a consistent basis. We can do SO MUCH more together, relying on one another to pick up the slack, to recruit another Catholic gentleman, to rally more of our Brothers to get involved. Our "Same Twenty Guys" should be looking for at least the next 10 now, so we can do more with the "Same Thirty Guys" next year!

Other promising and very satisfying accomplishments this past year are the strong relationships the Council has forged with the Queen of Apostles parish, especially the priests, and with the Queen of Apostles Catholic School. These relationships should be mutually beneficial for years to come. We all have been blessed this past year!

As I stated at the beginning, so many accomplishments—I thank each one of you for your support this past year—yet so much is left to be done. I pray that next year's officers can hold on to the momentum the Council has gained this past year and make 2018-2019 the best year in the Council's storied history.

I would like to finish with one last special thank you....to my lady, Susan Williams, and son, Brett Williams, who have stood by me and supported me throughout the year. Our family endured much this past year—losing a loved one, caring for many, and navigating changes on all fronts...yet, we have stood strong with God's mercy relying on one another, helping one another and praying with and for one another. God is good. Thank you Sue and Brett!

And may God bless you, Knights of Pope John Paul II Council, and your families.

GK Roger

### KNIGHT OF THE MONTH

Before announcing this month's Knight of the Month, please let me apologize to last month's KOM, SK Innocent Nukuri, for not taking my medication and/or getting additional proofreaders on the job—typing Nuruki for Nukuri (at least one Knight is reading the newsletter!). My sincere apologies SK Innocent! Now, on to June's Knight of the Month, Sanford "Sandy" (The Ladle) Stone!

Brother Sandy is another Knight that has stepped up this year to augment our "Same Ten Guys"! Sandy is, and has been for some time, a stalwart in the kitchen at Christ House! His culinary skills and quick wit keep the Brothers in the kitchen on their toes. Brother Sandy has also pitched in during the recent Membership and KOVAR activities, as well as served on the 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Committee. The Council (and those we serve) greatly appreciate Brother Sandy's contributions and proudly congratulate him on being named June's Knight of the Month!

### FAMILY OF THE MONTH

*Special Announcement!* The "Same Ten Guys" has officially morphed into the "Same Twenty Guys!" What a blessing! The June Family of the Month, Ciro and

John Cosgayon, have pushed us up over the top! Brother Ciro and his son, Brother John, have stepped up on several occasions lately, have regularly started attending Council meetings and can be counted on to be there when needed. Their involvement is a blessed example others can follow—get more involved with the Council and our activities, and in turn, get more out of the Order overall! Congratulations to the Cosgayons on being named—no, earning—the title of June's Family of the Month!

### Congratulations Abound!

**To our newest Sir Knights:** SK Son Mai and SK Innocent Nukuri. Brothers Son Mai and Innocent received the honors of the 4th Degree on April 21<sup>st</sup> in Palmyra, VA (outside of Richmond) as part of a class of 117 new Sir Knights. May God Bless them both as they continue their journey in the Order and step up to lead other Knights in our principles. Speaking of which...

**To our newest Knight:** Brother Elijah Wakhweya, completed his Admissions Degree at the Father Diamond Council (St. Leo's) on April 24<sup>th</sup>. Brother Elijah didn't waste any time getting indoctrinated into the principles—as he stepped right in and assisted the Council with the KOVAR collections the following weekend! We look forward to seeing our newest (and youngest) Knight at many more activities in the upcoming years! God has blessed us with Elijah, and we certainly pray for him and his family!

### To our Council Brothers that lead our Assembly (Fr. Walter Malloy Assembly, #1894):

The Council offers our most sincere congratulations to our fellow Brothers who were elected Wednesday, May 16<sup>th</sup> as Assembly officers for the 2018-2019 Fraternal Year:

Faithful Navigator: SK Carroll Glass

Faithful Purser: SK Paul Cataldo

Brother Richard Owen is currently serving a 3-year term as Faithful Trustee, and Brother Dennis Brown just completed a 3-year term as a Faithful Trustee (Both Brother Richard and Brother Dennis are Past Faithful Navigators and Former District Deputies).

Please personally congratulate each one the next time you see them!!

**Officer Election Results FY 2018-2019**

4522 Officer Elections were held at the Council home on May 23, 2017, at 7:30 p.m. SK Paul Cataldo, on behalf of the nomination committee, conducted the special meeting and the election proceedings. The Council thanks the outstanding work of the Nomination Committee, including PGK Richard Owen and PGK Carroll Glass. Your slate of officers for next year, commencing July 1, 2018, are as follows:

Grand Knight – SK Roger Williams  
 Deputy Grand Knight – SK Patrick Okoronkwo  
 Chancellor – SK James T. Moore  
 Recording Secretary – SK Dennis Brown  
 Treasurer – SK Paul Cataldo  
 Warden – SK Joseph King  
 Inside Guard – SK Leo Weston  
 Outside Guard – SK Tobias Amadi  
 Advocate – SK Ron Plavchan  
 1st Year Trustee – SK Joseph Lynem  
 Past Grand Knight Delegate – SK Dennis Brown

**For the Casey Club**

President: SK Vincent Apostolico  
 Vice President: SK Richard Owen  
 Treasurer: SK Craig Delaney  
 Secretary: SK Ron Plavchan

CONGRATULATIONS Worthy Sir Knights!

**Field Agent Changes - Again**

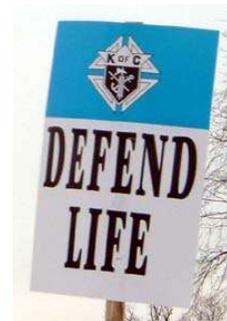
Our old friend, Brother Jim Bertine, has been reassigned as our servicing field agent until Jim Ulmer, the general agent, hires a replacement. Brother Jim's contact information follows below. Please don't hesitate to contact him with any financial questions or concerns. You can also book an appointment with him at this website:

<https://www.genbook.com/bookings/app/reservation/30085415?category=80556315>.

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**Pro-Life Volunteer Brunch/Picnic**

Join Brother Knights, their families, parishioners and other Pro-Life supporters Saturday, June 16<sup>th</sup> for a day of prayer, witness, and fun. The schedule follows:



8:00 AM Mass at Queen of Apostles  
 9:00 AM Rosary at 101 South Whiting St, Alexandria VA—the busiest abortion mill in the Arlington Diocese (2,263 abortions in 2016)  
 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM Brunch/Pot Luck Picnic at Lake Barcroft / Boat rides  
 Did you see what they did in Nebraska? Let's surround the abortion mill in Alexandria in similar fashion  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MyCvAhQek-g>

Please contact our Culture of Life Chairman, SK Larry Cirignano for more information. SK Larry can be reached at [larryvote@gmail.com](mailto:larryvote@gmail.com) or (202) 306-6863.

**A Special Reprint in Celebration of Father's Day  
Men on a Mission by Joseph McInerney**

Suppose you had a choice: your dream car with all the options and a summer home on the shore, or a life of daily toil spent with persons you truly love and who truly love you. Which would you choose? Think twice.

The answer lies in what really makes you happy. If there is more to happiness and fulfillment than material comfort, where can we turn to find the truth about these things? While there is always a limit to the number of things you can accumulate, or cars you can fit on your driveway, there is no limit to the amount of happiness a human heart can receive – or give. The same is true for love.

Ultimately, the human heart reaches out to the infinite and eternal love of God. The Second Vatican Council tells us that we should look to Jesus Christ to find the meaning of human fulfillment. "Christ...in the very revelation of the mystery of the Father and of his love, fully reveals man to himself and brings to light his very high calling" (*Gaudium et Spes*, 22).

**Mission: Redemption**

Christ's role on earth can be depicted in terms of a mission. God the Father sends his only-begotten Son into the world to reconcile it to himself. In other words, the mission of Jesus is nothing less than to save the souls of all people from all time. Christ achieves this mission through his roles as priest, prophet, and king. As the perfect priest, Christ offers himself as the

perfect sacrifice for the salvation of all humanity. As a prophet, he bears God’s message of reconciliation to the world, teaching about God’s love and mercy. As king, he rules the universe, exercising his authority through service and humility.

The mission of the modern-day father, like that of Christ, is the salvation of souls. The difference between them is the fact that Christ’s mission is universal, concerned with the salvation of all mankind. The father’s mission is concerned primarily with the salvation of his own family. Despite the difference in scope, the father has the same methods at his disposal to achieve this mission of salvation.

Through his share in Christ’s grace in the sacraments of Baptism and Matrimony, a father shares the grace of Christ’s death and resurrection with his children. He is also a priest in the sense that he brings his children to the sacraments, giving them a direct share in the grace of Christ. The father is a prophet – the bearer of God’s message – to his children by fulfilling his obligation to teach them the Catholic faith.

Lastly, he performs Christ’s kingly function as the spiritual head of his family. This headship is always exercised in a Christian manner, rather than a worldly manner. A father’s obligation to lead his family in holiness is not a call to domination, but to service.

**A Father’s Fulfillment**

Each week at Mass when reciting the Gloria we learn that Christ alone is the holy one. In living out the vocation of fatherhood, a man is called to imitate the holiness that led Christ to give his entire self for the love of his brothers and sisters. At its root, then, fatherhood is a call to holiness. The example of Christ shows that holiness consists in the radical gift of oneself for the sake of others.

Fatherhood is the mission that allows a man to give of himself unreservedly. Thus, it is through fatherhood that most men will find their greatest happiness. To avoid fatherhood for the sake of that dream car, or that special summer home, is to cheat yourself out of one of life’s most rewarding experiences. By calling men to make a gift of themselves to others, God calls fathers to a life of remarkable holiness, indescribable happiness, and true fulfillment.

Reprinted from <http://www.fathersforgood.org> Joseph McInerney, a graduate of the Pontifical John Paul II Institute for Studies on Marriage and Family, lives in Springfield, Va., with his wife and five children. He is also a member of Springfield Council 6153.

**CASEY WOMEN’S CLUB**

The May meeting opened with the Hail Mary honoring Mary’s month; 9 members were in attendance. Jean Hughes, Recording Secretary, read the April Minutes; approved as submitted.

Ruth Zirkle reported on deposits and disbursements. Ruth Zirkle and Ethel Apostolico of the Charity committed recommended a CWC Spring donation to KOVAR. Recommendation was approved, and a check written. Geri Owen reported 10 people enjoyed the delicious Spring Lunch at the Annandale Culinary School in May.

**SAVE the DATE:** Our End of Year Party (EoYP) is scheduled for Saturday, June 23<sup>rd</sup>. Peggy Puritano is chairing the event. There will be no Retiree lunch during the months of July and August.

Member birthday Dianna Walsh, July 21<sup>st</sup>. A Happy & Blessed Birthday!

The September meeting is Thursday 13<sup>th</sup>. Marion Scaffidi and Connie King are planning to open the Fall season with a luncheon; additional information will be provided later this summer.

God Bless and enjoy your summer activities,

Connie King, President

**Happy June Birthdays!**

Walter F Glowicki	06-02
Robert L McMurrer	06-04
Philip J Moser	06-05
James William Amos	06-08
GK Roger L Williams	06-08
Patrick T James	06-10
Lucas D Kozosky	06-10
John F Izzi	06-11
PGK Joseph M Roney	06-11
Stephen W Nary	06-12
Jordan Andrew Ryan	06-16
Daniel J Stessalavage	06-16
MAJ Robert J Ulses	06-16
PGK John V Wenderoth	06-18
Michael M Hadeed Sr	06-19
Vicente L Guevara	06-22
Norbert G Phillips	06-28



**SAVE THE DATE**

**Tuesday, September 11, 2018**

**Knights of Columbus**

**Pope John Paul II Golf Tournament**

Westfields Golf Club in Clifton, VA

8:30 AM Shotgun Start

Food and beverages before, during and after!  
Individual registration as well as sponsorships available NOW!

Details to follow in next month's Newsletter!  
If you would like more information now and/or would like to participate on the Planning Committee, please contact SK Carroll Glass at [cdglass@gmail.com](mailto:cdglass@gmail.com) or call at (571) 723-0445

**HELP WANTED!!**

*Newsletter*



Handy with the computer? Have just 90 minutes a month left over? The Council needs you NOW!! SK Dan Zaharevich, the Editor-in-Chief of this very periodical, "The Knightly News," recently resigned after many years of dedicated service, to which we owe him immense thanks! THANK YOU Brother Dan!

Being the Grand Knight has many benefits—although picking up the title, Editor-in-Chief, is stretching it a bit! Certainly not a difficult, nor too time consuming "job"—it is a very important position within the Council, that needs immediate attention! Please contact GK Roger Williams for more information if you think you may have just 90 minutes a month available on your schedule!

HAPPY  
FATHER'S  
DAY!!!

WORLD'S  
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**The submission deadline for the July 2018 Newsletter is June 20th**

MAY THE HOLY NAMES OF JESUS BE PRAISED AND HONORED BY ALL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS AND THEIR FAMILIES, AND MAY IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY RULE IN ALL OF OUR HEARTS UNTIL WE ATTAIN TO EVERLASTING LIFE! AMEN! ST. JOSEPH AND ST. DOMINIC, ORA PRO NOBIS!

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