



Knights of Columbus



JEANNETTE COUNCIL, No. 1222
PO Box 274, Jeannette PA 15644-0274
October 2017

COUNCIL NEWS

Message from the Grand Knight

We would encourage those we have not seen for a while, to help us by praying for us, attending a meeting, volunteering for a committee, and especially **recruiting new members**. Notice at the bottom of the newsletter, we lost 10 members since our Memorial Mass last year.

If our Council is to continue to grow we need to **recruit more members**.

If you are interested in purchasing COAL tickets, they are going fast!! **If you haven't already returned your COAL tickets stubs & money, please do so ASAP**. The report needs to be finished soon. We would like to thank all those who helped sell tickets, especially Randy Urbani, Dick Harrold & Pat Rega. Please see Pat Rega or any officer for tickets.

Bob Pacelli - Grand Knight

Our Lady of Fatima Prayer Service - October 14

A Lady of Fatima prayer service will be held in front of the Blessed Virgin statue on the front lawn at Ascension Church in Jeannette, Saturday October 14th, 2017 at noon. This is commemorating the 100th anniversary of the apparition of Our Lady to the three shepherd children in Fatima, Portugal. We will process around the Church with a statue of the Blessed Virgin. The Color Corps have been requested to attend.

Memorial Mass – October 29

Our Memorial Mass this year will be held on **October 29 at Ascension Church in Jeannette**, in conjunction with the St. Vincent Assembly memorial service @ the 8:30 Mass. Food and refreshments will be served immediately after Mass in Mersinger Hall.

Please mark your calendars, and reserve the date. Please sit in the pews on the right on the Division Street side (nearest to Mersinger Hall).

Please show your support by attending this Memorial Mass.

Awards Banquet/Christmas Party – 4:00 Social, 5:00 Dinner

December 10 @ Denunzio's. See insert for more details.

BINGO

Our bingos are held on **Friday Nights** (subject to hall availability) at Mersinger Hall at Ascension Church, starting at 7:00. If you could volunteer one Friday a month, it would be appreciated. We need collectors, callers and/or kitchen workers. **Call Rick Reiter @ 724- 863-6837 or Bob Pacelli @ 724-523-9244 for details. Pot luck bingo – Oct. 27, Pizza bingo Nov 17**

We are selling tickets to support our Council. \$5 for 5 numbers to win \$500, please purchase a ticket and support our council. Buyers & Sellers are needed. See Pat Rega for details, 724-527-1430. PLEASE SUPPORT OUR COUNCIL'S FUNDRAISING EFFORTS!!

DATES TO REMEMBER-- MARK YOUR CALENDERS

October 24 – Tuesday - Council Regular Business Meeting – Ascension Church Basement - 7:30 P.M.
October 29 – Sunday – Corporate Memorial Communion Mass @ Ascension Church 8:30 A.M..
November 7 - Tuesday - St. Vincent Assembly Meeting, Ascension Church Basement - 7:30 P.M.
November 28 – Tuesday - Council Regular Business Meeting – Ascension Church Basement - 7:30P.M.
December 5 - Tuesday - St. Vincent Assembly Meeting, Ascension Church Basement - 7:30 P.M.
December 10 – Sunday – Awards Banquet/Christmas Party, Denunzio's Social - 4:00, Dinner- 5:00 PM
December 16 – Saturday – St. Vincent Assembly Christmas Party, Mersinger Hall – 6:00 PM
December 26 - Tuesday - Council Regular Business Meeting – Ascension Church Basement - 7:30P.M

State Council Scholarships:

The Pennsylvania State Council, Knights of Columbus, offers **TEN** scholarships for member's, sons and daughters. Each scholarship of \$3,000 is paid in four installments of \$750 per year. Information and qualifications for these can be found on the PA State Council Web site at www.pakofc.us. Click on "More Programs", then "Scholarships".

State Council Scholarship Applications must be completed and received before December 31, 2017.

K of C Scholarship Opportunities:

For information about scholarships offered by Supreme Council of the Knights Columbus for the upcoming year go to the Supreme website at: <http://www.kofc.org/un/en/scholarships/>

St. Vincent Assembly 918, Fourth Degree News

Fourth Degree Meetings are held at the Latrobe Council Home from May thru October. They are scheduled for the 1st Tuesday of the Month. The next meeting will be on November 7, at 7:30 P.M. in our Jeannette Council Home @ Ascension Church and is open to any 4th Degree Knight. **Please show your support by attending these meetings.**

FIELD AGENT

Fred Kernisky is our new Field Agent and **Ken Scott** is our General Agent. Contact Fred for any insurance questions or concerns at 412-773-1397 or Fred.Kernisky@KofC.org.

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Please remember in your prayers those members who are sick or in distress, especially: Pete Bellono, Albert Compton, Joe Conway, Chris Criner, Michael Jupina, Fr. Jim Reiter, Rick Reiter, Joe Stile, Al Vickery, Ed Antonacci's mother Rachelle, Pete Bellono's wife – Rose, Albert Compton's wife – Helen & daughter Patty, John Paul Evangelista's mother-in-law, Mike Werner's wife Shelly

2017 IN MEMORIUM

SK Philip X. Masciantonio - November 29, 2016

Dale E. Casper – December 7, 2016

SK John V. Graziano - December 16, 2016

SK Joseph G. Brown - December 25, 2016

SK Robert E. Locke – January 20, 2017

SK Bruno J. Mattucci – Jan. 30, 2017

SK Randal J. Macalus – Mar. 19, 2017

James R. (Spider) Burzio – June 21, 2017

SK Joseph J. Monstrola- Jul 7, 2017

SK Carl A. Masciantonio – Sept. 1, 2017

MAY THEIR SOULS AND ALL THE SOULS OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED, REST IN PEACE, AMEN.