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Grand Knights Message For January

Brother Knights and their families,

As we start this new year, we are saddened by the passing of our fellow Brother Knights, PFN/PGK Peter Joe and Br. Daniel Piasta. To all who passed in our family, our hearts go out to you.

We are currently looking for volunteers to conduct the new Degree Ceremony. Any Brother that is interested, please contact PGK Frank Buczynski, Financial Secretary at 732-887-5501 or email at pgkfrank@gmail.com.

We had our Adult Christmas Party last month and it was a great time. I'd like to thank everyone who came out and helped out, especially PGK Joe Kraus, PGK Dennis Rinaldi and PGK Wendell Ubelhoer. It was great to see everyone.

On behalf of myself and Council #5088, I'd like to wish everyone and their families a very healthy and Happy New Year!

**Vivat Jesus,
GK Tony Faz**



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Columbian Year 2021—2022

Council Officer's

Grand Knight	Anthony Fazioli 732-259-1239
Chaplain	Fr. David Kosmoski 732-634-4355 (h)
Deputy Grand Knight	Eric Potyrala 732-634-8620 (h)
Chancellor	PGK Tom Botti 908-930-1859
Financial Secretary	PGK Frank Buczynski 732-634-1798 pgkfrank@gmail.com
Recording Secretary	PGK John Hugelmeyer
Treasurer	PGK Joe Kraus
Advocate	PGK Frank Pelzman
Warden	Tom Krygier
Guards	Michael Caracappa Curtis Mike Daley Bob Pinto
Trustees	3yr PGK Al Favale 3yr FDD/PGK Greg Schmitt 1yr PGK Angelo Valguarnera

Council Directors

Membership	PGK Tom Botti
Program	PGK Frank Pelzman
Church Activities	FDD/PGK Greg Schmitt
Lecturer	PGK Dennis Rinaldi

Youth

	Anthony Joe
Fraternal Activities	PGK Eric Potyrala 732-634-8620 (h)

Remember to Call

Death of Member or	PGK Wendell Ubelhoer 732-388-8954
Member's Family	GK Anthony Fazioli
Sick or Hospitalized Member	PGK Eric Potyrala

Board of Governors

President	PGK Wendell Ubelhoer 732-388-8954
Vice President	PGK Jim Farese
Treasurer	PGK Doug Bost
Secretary	Joe Jacob
Past Grand Knights	FDD/PGK Greg Schmitt FDD/PGK John Scioscia PGK Carmine Farese
Trustees	3yr Curtis Mike Daley 2yr PGK Tom Botti 1yr PGK Frank Panzino
Third Degree	Tom Krygier Mark Haidacher Anthony Joe Jesse Deluca Chris Growney Anthony Fazioli
Grand Knight	Eric Potyrala
Deputy Grand Knight	PGK/PFN Phil Svoboda
Honorary Members	PGK, PCCP Al Cursi

Chairman

Oasis	Greg Schmitt 732-397-4907
Payroll Chairman	
Building Maintenance	Joe Jacob

Important Phone Numbers

Council Home	732-636-9696
Booking Agent	732-675-1173
Insurance Agent Office	732-955-6730
Jim Fischetti Cell number	917-573-9751
Bulletin	FDD, PGK John Scioscia 732-221-3436 jscioscia913@gmail.com



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Calendar Of Events

January

1	New Years Day	
6	Business Meeting	8pm
13	Officers Meeting	8pm
20	Business Meeting	8pm
27	Board of Govenors Meeting	8pm
30	Corporate Communion After 10am Mass	

February

3	Business Meeting	8pm
6	AC Bus Trip— See Flyer	
10	Officers Meeting	8pm
12	50's/60's Dance See Flyer	
14	Valentines Day	
17	Business Meeting	8pm
21	Presidents Day	
24	Board of Govenors Meeting	8pm
27	Bowling Tournament see Flyer	

Deceased Members for January

JOHN PALOCZIE	1968
JOHN EAGAN	1973
H RICHARD PRYCE	1983
CHARLES SERAMBA	1987
ALFRED CAVALLARO	1987
H PHILIP A. MICELI	1994
WALTER J. SESNY	1994
JOSEPH A. WUKOVETS	1994
SALVATORE C. FORGIONE	1997
FRANK J. BAUMGARTNER	1999
GIUSEPPE (TONY) DI MARTINO	2000
H WILLIAM F. DWYER, PGK / PFN	2000
JOHN TEVIS	2002
PETER J. RICOTTA	2002
ROBERT ABRAMO	2003
FRANK BUCZYNSKI	2004
JOHN J COGAN	2005
JOHN WAVERCZAK	2005
STEPHEN NAGIEWICZ	2006
TOM LARDIERE	2006
JOHN WELTER	2007
ROBERT NOVAK	2011
DAVID M ORTMANN	2011
JOHN R. DE ANGELIS	2012
WILLIAM T. HIGGINS	2012
JOHN JAMES MURPHY	2013
FRANK J. DELMONTE	2015
MICHAEL FLORIO	2015
GEORGE R. KIPILA	2015
RAPHAEL (RALPH) CASSESE	2016
EDWARD J. BRUTON	2016
JOHN J (JJ) DE LUCA, PGK/PCCP	2017
GERALD T. CONNELL	2018
CARL L. MANAKER JR	2018

Let us always keep them in Our Prayers



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Happy Birthday to

Michael S Potyrala	01/02
Richard F Clark	01/04
Edward J Trackim	01/04
William J Alberts	01/06
Ralph Franco	01/07
DGK Anthony D Fazioli	01/08
Ronald J Parker	01/09
Philip F Svoboda PGK	01/09
William C Gibbons	01/10
Arthur J Neves	01/10
Michael W Burkhart	01/11
Henry R Schulz PGK	01/14
Peter M Del Popolo	01/23
George J Adams	01/26
Nicholas J De Palma	01/26
Nicholas A Pross	01/26
Frank J Ranelli	01/26
Dexter Yager	01/28
Anthony H Pichalski Jr	01/30
Francis J Decibus	01/31
John R Frobose	01/31
Robert Stromick	01/31

Fourth Degree News

Check with FN	For meeting place and time
	4th Tuesday of Each Month

Flags: We have 3' x 5' flags kits with pole at a cost of \$15.00.
 Contact PGK / PFN Phil Svoboda (732) 634-5820
 PGK / PFN Michael J. Choma (732) 259-3500
 Faithful Navigator Kenneth M. Egan **908-720-8073**

Color Corps: Join the Color Corps. Any Sir Knight interested in Joining should call PGK / PFN Michael J. Choma (732) 259-3500

Membership: The Fourth Degree is open to any Third Degree Member over the age of eighteen years of age in good standing, who is a citizen of the country in which he resides, and is a practical Catholic in union with the Holy See.

The primary purpose of the Fourth Degree is to foster the spirit of patriotism by promoting responsible citizenship with a love of and loyalty to the Knights' respective countries through active membership in local Fourth Degree groups (called "Assemblies"). Fourth Degree members must retain their membership as Third Degree members in their local's council in order to remain in good standing.

COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Brother Cory Spillar is the Councilman for the Third Ward. Any Brother in the Third Ward should feel free to contact him on community matters at [732-236-4501](tel:732-236-4501). Please feel free to pass this information on to any residents who are in the Third Ward.



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NOCTURNAL ADORATION SOCIETY

Cancelled Until Further Notice

Nocturnal adoration will be in Our Lady of Hungary Church, in Perth Amboy. All members of our council and their families are invited to attend

All adorations are on the first Friday of the month from 8:00 to 9:00 PM.

HAVE YOU SPENT AN HOUR WITH JESUS YET?

The driving directions from Avenel:

Take Rahway Ave. (County Road # 514 West) towards Woodbridge. Slight left at monument onto Berry St. towards Sewaren. Turn left onto Woodbridge Ave (County Road # 652) and go over the Turnpike. Turn right onto West Ave. (County Road # 611) towards Perth Amboy.

West Ave is now State St. (County Road # 611). Continue on State St keep right and go under Route # 440 to Pulaski Ave. in Perth Amboy which is first right after Route # 440 and Portuguese Sporting Club is on the left.

Turn left on **Cortland St.** (La Asuncion Catholic Church is on right side). Our Lady Hungary is ¼ mile down this street on the right after Wayne St.

Parking lot is in the back of Church on Catherine St.

The address for your GPS is 697 Cortlandt Street, Perth Amboy, NJ 08861



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Columbian Club Corner

We are starting 2022, and hopefully it shows some brighter times ahead. St. Andrew, our Patron Saint, has guided us, and I'm sure will continue to do so. He has brought our Council family together stronger than ever, and hopefully this continues. I have used the word family instead of brotherhood because all was done by the men and ladies of the Council. Thanks to their generosity, we have stepped forward. I firmly believe, because we are a **STRONG** family, that 2022 will become better.

Hopefully with the support of our younger members (I consider anyone under 73 to be a younger member) and with the growth of our membership, we will secure our Council's future.

Thank you and God bless.

Wendell

IT'S CONVENTION TIME

I'M BACK

We will be having the same motel, "The Waters Edge Motel". The dates of the convention are Thursday, May 12, Friday, May 13 and Saturday, May 14 with check-out on Sunday, May 15, 2022. Approximate cost of rooms will be \$220 for 2 nights (Friday and Saturday) and \$310 for 3 nights (Thursday, Friday and Saturday). There will be a \$10 per person/per night fee for more than two people in a room. This fee will be paid to the motel upon check-in. Final cost will be determined by number of rooms booked.

Hopefully by May of next year the State Convention will be a "go". If not, we will again have a St. Andrew's K of C weekend. Please advise as early as possible if interested.

A deposit of \$100 is due to hold reservations. Deposits are now being accepted. First come, first served. Any questions, please call:

Wendell Ubelhoer

732-388-8954



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Volunteers Requested for Degree Team

The Knights of Columbus has rolled all three degrees, Charity, Unity, and Fraternity into one Degree Ceremony that can be shared with family members and friends. Upon completion of this Degree Ceremony the candidate becomes a Third-Degree Member. Currently the Degree Ceremony is presented online, but an in person Degree is preferable.

The Grand Knight and Officers agree that we should have our own team to call on when we have a new candidate for membership. We are looking for current Third-Degree members who are good at public speaking and can read their parts clearly from the ceremony book. No memorization necessary. If you would like to get involved with this activity, please contact me at 732-887-5501 or Email me at pgkfrank@gmail.com.

Thanks. PGK Frank Buczynski – Financial Secretary

Attention First- and Second-Degree Members

If you are a First- or Second-Degree Member you can become a Third-Degree member by registering to view the online ceremony. It will take approximately 45 minutes and upon completion you will become a Third-Degree Knight. If this interests you, please send me an Email and I will reply back to your Email with the information and link you need to view this Degree Ceremony. Send your request to pgkfrank@gmail.com.

Thanks PGK Frank Buczynski



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*** * * AC Bus Trip * * ***

Sunday, February 6, 2022

Harrah's

*Sponsored by St. Andrew's Knights of Columbus
109 Morrissey Avenue, Avenel*

Bus leaves Council home at 9:45 a.m. / @6 hours in casino)

Cost: \$35 / \$30 back

Continental breakfast at Council 8:00-9:45 a.m.

On bus: snacks

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• Call Hank Werte: 732-841-0278

Jesse De Luca: 732-857-7047



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50's 60's Dance



Sponsored by Columbian Club of Avenel

109 Morrisey Avenue



Proceeds donated to St. Andrew's Knights of Columbus

Live Music

Saturday, February 12, 2022



Dinner Features 3 Carving Stations

Roast Pork – Turkey – Beef

With Potatoes and Vegetables

Draft Beer, Soda, Coffee, Tea, and Dessert

Doors Open at 5:00 PM - Dinner at 5:30 PM

Dancing from 6:30 PM to 10:30 PM

(Bar closes at 10:00 PM)

\$35 per person

For Tickets or Information: Wendell Ubelhoer 732-388-8954