



# The Knight Light

Fr. Thomas A. Judge Council 6893, District 9 Suffolk Chapter

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PO Box 1151, East Northport, NY 11731 <http://www.frjudge.org>



## Grand Knight's Message February 2018

Brothers and Members of the Fr. Judge Council Family,

Lent is a time of preparation. As we prepare for the suffering, death and ultimately the Glorious Resurrection of Our Lord we need to focus on our inner self. We need to reflect on our lives, how we practice our faith, worship God, treat others and live the Gospel message. We need to seek forgiveness from God for our sins and in return show forgiveness to others. Forgiveness allows us to heal. Heal ourselves and heal our relationships.

Brothers, our council is hurting and needs to be healed. The council cannot heal itself, it needs its members to perform that healing. Ash Wednesday is February 14<sup>th</sup>, the beginning of the Season of Lent. Use the six weeks of Lent to reflect, forgive and heal our council.

My personal and heartfelt *THANKS* goes out to all the brothers that attended the March for Life on Friday, January 19<sup>th</sup> in Washington DC. This is the 45<sup>th</sup> year that the March has been held. The message that it brings to our politicians is central to our beliefs as members of the Knights of Columbus. The March for Life and the rally in Albany are extremely important events to keep the Pro-Life message current and in front of the people. We can never relax on this extremely vital social issue. Thank you again brothers and remember this is an issue that needs to be in hearts and minds 365 days a year.

Our 70s Concert was a wonderful success. The committee put in a tremendous effort in planning the concert and then executing the plan. A crowd of close to 200 people enjoyed the music of "Just Cause" the food from Andiamo's and all the homemade desserts made by members of the Columbiettes. Chairperson Jackie Pirocato, who has been doing this for 10 years now, delivered a wonderful event again! Thank you Jackie and thank you to all the Brother Knights and Sister Columbiettes who helped make the concert a success.

Friday nights were busy in January. Friday, January 5<sup>th</sup> was a "soup and sandwich" night. The menu theme was breakfast for dinner. We were also treated to the movie "Called and Chosen", on the life of Father Vincent Capodanno. Fr. Vincent was a Marine Chaplain in Vietnam and was killed in action in 1967 while out on patrol with his platoon. Fr. Vincent Capodanno is being considered for Sainthood. Mark Capodanno presented the movie to us and is involved with Fr. Capodanno's Cause for Canonization. We donated part of the proceeds to this effort.

Friday, January 19<sup>th</sup> we hosted a 2<sup>nd</sup> degree. Fourteen candidates made their 2<sup>nd</sup> degree, unfortunately none were from our council. Finally on Friday, January 26<sup>th</sup> we held Martini Night. A crowd of 34 enjoyed the magnificent creations of master bartender, John Hnath. John does a fabulous job right down to the specific garnish for each martini. Richard Fitzgerald was John's assistant for the evening. Appetizers and dessert were also served to the guests in attendance.

We held the council's Free Throw Contest on January 8<sup>th</sup>. Thank you to all the brothers that came out that night and supported the event and a special thanks to photographer George Morrish. Please see the article in this Knight Light for details and photographs. The district free throw will be held on Monday, February 12<sup>th</sup> at the St. Anthony of Padua Parish Hall at 7:00pm.

Our council will hold a Super Bowl Party on February 4<sup>th</sup>. Steak dinner, chili before the game, wings at half time all make our Super Bowl Party one of the best. All profits from the Super Bowl Party are used to support our charitable endeavors.

Friday, February 16<sup>th</sup> will be the start of our Friday Lenten Dinners. The menu will be different each evening. The cost will be \$12/person for dinner, soda and desert. To reserve your place please contact Rich Ronde (631) 889-3026 or [rronde@verizon.net](mailto:rronde@verizon.net) by the Wednesday before each Friday Night Lenten Dinner. Schedule and details for the Friday Night Lenten Dinners are in the Knight Light.

February is the Father Thomas A. Judge Council's anniversary month. Our council received its charter on February 17, 1977. This year we celebrate 41 years of service to the Order, our priests and parishes, our country and the principles of the order – Charity, Unity and Fraternity.

To our Fr. Judge Family, please make every attempt to use the season of Lent to reflect on your life and prepare yourself for Our Saviors Passion, Death and Rise to Glory on Easter Sunday. Six weeks seems like a long time but it will sneak up on you very quickly. Spend some time each day during Lent preparing yourself.

Fraternally,

*Richard R. Ronde*

Richard R. Ronde, Grand Knight



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### Announcements and Committee Reports Committee Chairmen in Parentheses

#### Nocturnal Adoration (Bob Slingo, PGK)

Adoration is a good way to take time to relax and pray before the Blessed Sacrament in the solitude of our Church. If you would like to participate, call Bob Slingo at 631-486-2875. Father Judge Council Nocturnal Adoration at Saint Anthony's Parish covers three bands.

#### **BAND SCHEDULE 1st Quarter 2018**

<u>BANDS</u>	<u>FEB</u>	<u>MAR</u>
NON-ROTATING BAND is always at 10:00 PM		
FOUR	5:00 AM	11:00 PM
FIVE	11:00 PM	12:00 Mid

These are bands Four and Five, which rotate in time each month through Friday night into Saturday morning and a non-rotating band that is always at 10:00 PM Friday evening.

#### Membership and Degrees (Ed Perillo & Jerry Dano)

If you have a potential member, please contact Ed Perillo at 631-754-8606. You can also email Jerry Dano at [jeromedano@yahoo.com](mailto:jeromedano@yahoo.com). If you email Jerry, enter "KofC membership" on the subject line. For questions on KofC degrees call Carlo at 631-261-1253.

#### Council Hall Rental (Bob Mahon)

Please rent our beautiful Hall if possible. Turn back a page and see it on pages 2 and 3. Talk it up; tell your friends. Father Judge Hall specializes in family oriented events. We do Sweet Sixteen parties, Christenings, Birthday parties, Bar Mitzvah, Bat (Bas) Mitzvah, Confirmations, Golden and Silver wedding Anniversaries and even Weddings! For details on rental costs see the two page ad on pages 2 and 3 and then call Bob Mahon at 631-262-1891. You can email Bob at [frjudgehall@gmail.com](mailto:frjudgehall@gmail.com)

The Banquet Manager Search Committee is currently in the process of selecting a fellow brother who can take on this important role. See page 23 for detail's.

#### Promotional Items (George Morrish)

Brother George Morrish has taken over the duties of Brother Frank Collins in managing the sale and distribution of Knights of Columbus promotional items. These are items such as shirts, jackets, ties, etc. If you need an item, George has all Council inventory in his possession. You can call George at 631-368-7219. You can email Brother George at [piperncpd@aol.com](mailto:piperncpd@aol.com).

#### Columbiettes (Susan Susco President)

If you are a Catholic female who is 19 for years old or older and are interested in making a difference in your community and your church through your faith, join the Columbiettes. Please email our President Susan Susco for information at [ssusco@optonline.net](mailto:ssusco@optonline.net). You can also call Susan Susco at (631) 261-5125.

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## Help Wanted, Volunteers Needed

### • Drivers

Drivers are always needed for Brothers having no transportation to meetings, etc. Call Don at 631-368-6657.

### • Knight Light Reporter/Assistant Editor

Call Bob at 631-680-1702 to volunteer for anything in this announcement. Better would be to email Bob at [bobspera@optonline.net](mailto:bobspera@optonline.net).

## Fr. O'Leary Scholarship Committee

### (Clem Massaro, PGK, Chairman)

The Father Lawrence O'Leary Scholarship was approved at the May 2017 officers meeting.

Please consider making a donation to help fund the *Father Lawrence O'Leary Scholarship*. Thanking you in advance for all your support. Checks should be made payable to "Father O'Leary Scholarship Fund".

Application and more details in the centerfold, the middle four pages. Be careful in removing the centerfold.

### Ads in the Knight Light and website (Joe DiPenta)

If you want to advertise in the Knight Light, contact me, at 631-499-7792. You can email Joe at [jdipenta@hotmail.com](mailto:jdipenta@hotmail.com).

Ads in the in Knight Light are \$100.00 for 11 issues for a business card ad. A double ad is \$200.00. The fee for all larger ads are roughly proportional to the size of the sponsorship and are negotiable. Small \$50.00 ads are no longer offered or sold. Existing \$50.00 ads will be continued.

Free ads are offered to significant sponsors (\$500.00 or more) of any Father Judge Council event. Events include the Annual Feast, the Sam Russo Golf Classic and the Squires Steak House dinner. Free ads are provided for any event run by the Father Judge KofC Council, the Columbiettes, Squires or Little Knights.

Free ads are provided to all charitable programs of local parishes provided all proceeds go to charity. Free ads are provided for any charitable purpose when presented by a Knight and approved at the Council leadership meeting.

### Affinity Program (Bill O'Donnell)

Our Council is part of the Affinity program at TD Bank. We will receive **cash credits** if you affiliate your accounts with the Father Judge account at TD Bank. This holds true for new and existing accounts. More details will follow in future Knight Lights and emails from our council.

You can call Bill at 631-239-5640 or cell 516-885-

4547. You can email our Treasurer Bill at [wcod@optonline.net](mailto:wcod@optonline.net). TD Bank presented their service agreement with us at our social meeting this past Sept 18 to answer any questions.

### Need a ride to a meeting? (Don Maltby, PGK)

If you need a ride to a Council meeting or any event for any reason, call Don at 631-368-6657. He will get a ride for you **if possible**. **If you would like to help a Brother who needs a ride, call Don!**



## Website <http://www.frjudge.org>

### (Mike Norton, PGK)

It's nice to read the Knight Light but as soon as you get it, it is out-of-date. Things change and we cannot magically update our newsletter. We can send emails if we have your email address. But these updates come in bits and pieces and it is too much for us to send an email for every change. If you have access to the web, you should visit our website frequently, at least once a week. During the month we add events and make other changes. We also inform you of important changes in our parish. You can visit our parish website by a direct link from our website. You can also go directly to:

- **Supreme Council**
- **New York State Council**
- **Diocese of Rockville Centre**
- **St. Anthony of Padua Church,**
- **Our Lady Queen of Martyrs**
- **St. Francis of Assisi**
- **St. Philip Neri Parish,**  
Northport, NY

There are over twenty (20) direct links to Catholic websites and there will be more! Also included are important messages from **Supreme Council** that request action that cannot wait until the next issue of the Knight Light. Events change and you may not want to go to a dance and find out that the entertainment had to be changed or there is a new speaker at your next meeting. The website also has important information on Council History to include all our Past Grand Knights. All members of our family, listed below are included on our website, Check the website to learn of any changes.

- Little Knights
- Squires
- Columbiettes
- Fourth Degree

We also have ongoing events that have changes or milestones. Here is just a selection of these changing programs or events:

#### **Basketball Shootout**

- **300 Club**
- **Dinner Club**
- **Annual Cruise**
- **Pasta Dinner**

So, you can wait for an email or a call or just take your chances. If you want to know what's up **Bookmark** our Website and visit it at least weekly. The bookmark process is different for each browser. So use your council's website and know what's up!

The KL is also available in FTAJ Council Hall behind the bar but within reach of any visitor. Copies not taken become available in the St. Anthony's vestibule.

Anyone who wants a snail-mail copy will get it that way and that includes our advertisers. You can call the Hall and leave a message or just tell any brother. Mike Norton, PGK, maintains the snail-mail list. Ed Schnepf, PGK, applies the mailing labels and delivers your snail-mail KLS to the Post Office. **Thank you Ed!** We are happy to do this for you but it is an expense. It costs just under \$20.00 per year per-snail mail subscriber. If you wish to pay to offset this expense, send a check each year for \$20 to our Hall ATTN: Financial Secretary.

The address is the return address on the Knight Light itself. You may also simply make an additional donation of \$20 to our parish or any Roman Catholic Church.

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# February 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>January 28</b> <b>K of C</b> <b>Monthly Mass</b> <b>10:30 AM</b> <b>St. Anthony of</b> <b>Padua RRC</b>	<b>January 29</b>	<b>January 30</b>	<b>January 31</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b> <b>Nocturnal</b> <b>adoration</b> <b>See page 4</b>  6:30 PM Soup & Sandwich (soda, coffee, & dessert) at the Council	<b>3</b> <b>Nocturnal</b> <b>adoration</b> <b>See page 4</b>
<b>4</b> <b>Super Bowl</b> <b>52 Party. See</b> <b>page 15</b>	<b>5</b> Business Meeting, repast 7:30 PM, meeting 8:00 PM  Meeting will include 6893 Corporation Election. See page 15 for nominees	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>11</b>	<b>12</b> 7:00 PM District Free Throw at St. Anthony's Parish Center	<b>13</b> Tuesday, 7:30 PM, 6893 Corporation Meeting	<b>14</b> Ash Wednesday	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b> 6:30 PM Lenten Family Dinner Night	<b>17</b>
<b>18</b>	<b>19</b> 7:30 PM, Social Meeting, Father Judge Hall	<b>20</b> 7:30 PM, DD Meeting at TBD	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> 6:30 PM Lenten Family Dinner Night	<b>24</b>
<b>25</b> FTAJ KofC 10:30 AM Mass – All invited to attend	<b>26</b> Dress-a-Girl 6:30pm  Officers Meeting, 7:30 PM	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>March 1</b>	<b>March 2</b> 6:30 PM Lenten Family Dinner Night	<b>March 3</b>
<b>March 4</b>	<b>March 5</b> Council Business Meeting, repast 7:30 PM, meeting 8:00 PM	<b>March 6</b>	<b>March 7</b>	<b>March 8</b>	<b>March 9</b>	<b>March 10</b>

## Future Calendar Events

To add to future entries, email bob at [bobspera@optonline.net](mailto:bobspera@optonline.net). Call or text Bob at 631 680 1702.)

Date	Event	Details
February 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Lenten dinner	
March 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Lenten dinner	
March 9 <sup>th</sup>	Lenten dinner	
March 16 <sup>th</sup>	St. Patrick's Party	
March 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Lenten dinner	

COLUMBIETTES PATRONESSES



Blessed Virgin Mary



St. Theresa  
the little Flower



St. Joan of Arc



### 'Columbiettes and Friends' support Dress a Girl around the World

We work under the guidelines of an organization called "Dress a Girl Around the World".

Visit their website. [www.dressagirlaroundtheworld.com](http://www.dressagirlaroundtheworld.com)

All dresses and dolls are sent to Ambassadors who deliver them in person to girls in dozens of countries around the world. Each dress had a Dress a Girl label that is intended to help keep the girls safe by indicating that they are under the care of the organization.

**Pictured (standing) Maria, Marilyn, Kathy (seated) Maryann, Ann, Marci**

Our next session will be on Monday, February 26th - 6:30-9:30pm at the Knights of Columbus hall.

Interested?  
Questions?

Call Agatha Piropato  
631 499 7138 or  
Sue Perillo 631 617 2111.



The "Dress a Girl" program is going strong! On January 22nd, twenty-one ladies came together for our monthly charity event. At the end of the evening, we had 15 beautiful dresses and 24 adorable dolls ready to be donated.

Thank you, **Grand Knight Rich Ronde** for your continued support. And, thanks to **Dr. Ray Mascolo and the Squires** for their generous donation of \$300 to further our charitable efforts. Our next session will be on Monday, February 26th - 6:30-9:30pm at the Knights of Columbus hall. Interested? Questions? Call Agatha Piropato 631 499 7138 or Sue Perillo 631 617 2111. **Just join us and join the fun!**

# St. Baldrick's Shaving — 2018!!!



It's that time of year again and we're kicking off our 2018 effort to fight childhood cancer by raising funds through the annual St. Baldrick's head-shaving event on Sunday March 11th at Miller's Long Island Ale House in Commack (3:00 pm).



Last year our Knights of Columbus team raised over \$6,100 and all together over the last 11 years, we have raised almost \$90,000 to fund cancer research! All of us have been touched by this disease and your support over the years has led to unbelievable breakthroughs in cancer research. If you would like to join in the effort to fight this dread disease, please go to our Fr. Thomas A. Judge K of C team website at [www.stbaldricks.org/teams/FrJudgeKofC2018](http://www.stbaldricks.org/teams/FrJudgeKofC2018).

Click on "Donate" or contact Bob Slingo at [\(631\) 486-2875](tel:6314862875). Thank you!





**Knight Light Event Guidelines**  
**(Bob Spera)**

To help keep producing a quality Knight Light, Brothers and Sisters need to think in advance of the coverage that they want. They should consider pictures and story. If they don't care, we will try to do what we can but it works best when the managers give attention to coverage. I would appreciate it if managers would copy me on their event correspondence and include me in meetings if I can attend.

Event managers should have event coverage as an agenda item at their event meetings. We will try to attend meetings to help with this but I am often away. It is best to have one person to take pictures and one person to cover the story and it is really good when they work as a team. George Morrish and Joe Dipenta are usually available for pictures and I am less available. Any Brother or Sister can take pictures. All you need is a cell phone. Thought should go into photography and we don't want to get every picture that is taken. All pictures require editing and sizing and most need to be tossed. Very few people do this and I think I have to accept this. If the event managers want a flyer, they need to work it up but we can help. We prefer ¼ Page ads at least to start. Non Council religious events should be ¼ page but we have been

accepting full page ads. Before ads appear, there should be lead-up. There should be an announcement in the KL as soon as an event is scheduled. This will set off an alarm for unanticipated conflicts. The announcement should be repeated and enhanced every month until the event happens. We will request a monthly update by email but it may not be necessary to change the announcement every month. Every announcement should be repeated or updated each month until the event happens.

I cannot use PDF for ads or articles in the KL. Submitting PDFs is a new and annoying phenomenon. I may be a cause of this problem because I send drafts in PDF as it is universally receivable. PDF conversion programs do not work well. The technology to convert is new and awful. Usually it is best to do a print screen but this yields a week result. I often have to reconstruct an ad from scratch if it is submitted in PDF format.

After the event, I need the pictures and story quickly especially toward the end of the month. Sometimes it is necessary to put off the coverage of an event until the following month.

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# Lent — 2018

Lent for the year 2018 is observed beginning on Ash Wednesday, February 14 and ending on Thursday, March 29.

Lent begins on Ash Wednesday each year and for Catholics it starts a 40 day period of fasting.

## Friday Night Lenten Dinners at Father Judge Hall

We will be hosting Lenten Dinners again this year starting on Friday, February 16<sup>th</sup>. Other dates are as follows:

Friday, February 23<sup>rd</sup>

Friday, March 2<sup>nd</sup>

Friday, March 9<sup>th</sup>

Friday March 23<sup>rd</sup>

The menu will vary each week and each menu will be appropriate for lent. Each will be an appropriate meal for a Friday night in Lent. Doors will open at 6:30pm and we will begin service at 7:00pm.

Complete meal including soda, coffee and dessert

Cost is \$12/person or \$30/family.

Come out and join us on Friday nights during Lent to enjoy a meal and relax with friends during this special time of the year as we prepare ourselves for the celebration of our Lord's Passion and Resurrection.

Contact Grand Knight Rich Ronde by Tuesday of each week to reserve your place for that week:

[RRonde@verizon.net](mailto:RRonde@verizon.net)

(631) 889-3026

## What is Lent?

Lent is an important season in the Church's year. Every year Christians use Lent to prepare themselves for the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ, on Easter Sunday.



## When is Lent?

Lent is the forty days before Easter. Christians do not include Sundays in the forty days because they celebrate Jesus' resurrection every Sunday. Lent begins on Ash Wednesday and ends on Holy Saturday.





**FR. THOMAS A. JUDGE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS  
COUNCIL 6893**

**SCHOLARSHIP IN MEMORY OF FR. LAWRENCE J. O'LEARY**



**Rev. Lawrence J. O'Leary**

**Fr. Lawrence O'Leary was our beloved Chaplain for 25 years. He was an active participant at our meetings and social events. Members looked to him for spiritual and personal guidance, which he willingly gave. This scholarship is a goal towards keeping his memory alive.**



## **FR. THOMAS A. JUDGE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS THE FR. LAWRENCE O'LEARY SCHOLARSHIP ELIGIBILITY AND REQUIREMENTS**

The purpose of this \$500 award is to provide financial assistance to an applicant to further his or her Catholic High School education. This scholarship is a onetime award per student.

- Applicant must be enrolled in a Catholic High School, grade 9, 10, 11 or 12 as of September 2018. Proof of acceptance is required. Grade average at time of application must be a minimum of 2.0 or a "C". Transcript of latest grades will be requested.
- Applicant must be related to a member of Fr. Thomas A. Judge Council, Knight or Columbiette, in good standing, living or deceased, or be a Squire.
- Application must indicate student's involvement in Church, Community or School activities and must include a statement from a Priest, program mentor, teacher, counselor, etc. as to student's character.
- An essay entitled, "How my Catholic background helps me be a better person for myself and toward others." Essay should not exceed 150 type written words.
- Signature of parent or guardian is required.

Applications should be submitted to Fr. Thomas A. Judge Council, P.O. Box 1151, East Northport, NY 11731. Attn: Richard R. Ronde, GK, and must be post marked no later than March 31, 2018. Scholarship award will be presented to the student at the Council's June 2018, meeting. Student's application will be given a numerical identification. Names will not be available to Scholarship Committee members.

The decision of the Committee is final.



## FR. LAWRENCE J. O'LEARY SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

### FR. THOMAS A. JUDGE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL #6893

(Please print or type)

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ TELEPHONE \_\_\_\_\_

CATHOLIC SCHOOL OF ATTENDANCE SEPT. 2018 \_\_\_\_\_

GRADE \_\_\_\_\_ GRADE AVERAGE (present grade) \_\_\_\_\_

NAME AND RELATIONSHIP OF FR. JUDGE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEMBER:

\_\_\_\_\_

EXTRA-CURRICULAR INVOLVEMENT (i.e., Church, School, Community)

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

I vouch that all information above is true and will provide the required proof, if requested.

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

GRAND KNIGHT SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

FINANCIAL SECRETARY SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_

On a separate sheet, please attach a 150 word (typed) essay titled, **"How my Catholic background helps me be a better person for myself and toward others."**

Applicant must be related to a member of Fr. Thomas A. Judge Council, Knight or Columbiette, in good standing, living or deceased, or be a Squire and will attend a Catholic High School in September 2018. Application must be postmarked no later than March 31, 2018.

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**(For Committee Use Only)**

CONTROL NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

FR. THOMAS A. JUDGE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS  
COUNCIL 6893

SCHOLARSHIP IN MEMORY OF FR. LAWRENCE J. O'LEARY



(announcements continued from page 11)

### **Little Knights (Carey Ng)**

The Little Knights Auxiliary is open to boys and girls ages 5—12. They meet monthly on Saturday mornings at the Fr. Judge Hall in Hewitt Square. They are involved in our charitable donations at Thanksgiving and Christmas time as well as participating in the Memorial Day Parade. Meetings and supervised by trained adult leaders and are always centered around a fun activity.

Meeting dates for the remainder of the Columbian Year are as follows:

Saturday, February 17

Saturday, March 17

Saturday, April 28

Saturday, May 19

**Our next meeting is Saturday, January 20 at 10:30am.**

### **Membership Dues and Maintenance**

#### **(John Piropato Jr., Financial Secretary)**

Brothers, our new Columbian year began on July 1 and with that day came the assessment of the 2017-2018 dues in the amount of \$50.00 for regular members and \$10.00 for honorary or student members.

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If the payment of your dues would cause undo hardships or they cannot be paid for any other reasons, please do not hesitate to contact the Grand Knight so that other arrangements may be made. Any discussions and requests are always held in the strictest confidence.

If you are not required to pay annual dues because of your membership status please consider making a contribution to your Council by sending a payment to the Financial Secretary at the address above.

### **6893 Corporation Election**

At the Council Business Meeting on Monday, February 5, 2018 the 6893 Corporation will hold an election for its Board of Directors. Nine (9) members of the Board need to be elected to the following positions:

Three individuals to the position of Director, Three (3) Year Term

Three individuals to the position of Director, Two (2) Year Term

Three individuals to the position of Director, One (1) Year Term

Revised Nominations as of January 28, 2018 are:

Three (3) Year Director

Carl Finke

Fred Leonardo

Mike Simonelli

Two (2) Year Director

Robert Mahon

Donald Maltby

Joe Buscarello

One (1) Year Director

Ronald Smith

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## **Knights of Columbus Insurance**

### **(Timothy O'Keefe)**

### **Greetings to Father Judge Council, Ways to Pay for Whole Life**

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Great music, tasty food, and tons of prizes were all part of the fun at the Knights/ Columbiettes 70's dance. Many people took part in a group "Hustle" lesson, and many dressed up as they did in the Seventies. Over 200 people enjoyed this great event, and helped to make it a big success!



Ash Wednesday is February 14.  
First Lenten dinner February 23<sup>rd</sup>  
See Calendar on page 6 for other Lenten dinners



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The 2018 March for Life was an historic and beautiful day. President Trump and Vice President Pence addressed Marchers from a satellite rally in the White House Rose Garden. We also heard from Speaker of the House Paul Ryan, and many cultural leaders and pro-life generation speakers who shared their personal stories about our 2018 March for Life theme “love saves lives.” And we marched! Over one hundred thousand strong marched through the streets of D.C. to the Capitol and United States Supreme Court to ask for protections for the unborn and to peacefully protest the human rights abuse of abortion.

Here Bob Slingo's report on the trip and the march

This year's March for Life in Washington was probably the best one ever in the many years I've been participating! The day began at 4:30 AM with a special mass at St. Anthony's in East Northport celebrated by our pastor, Msgr. Joe Mirro. After mass we boarded the bus and were on our way arriving in Washington at about 10:15 AM. Our first stop was Congressman Tom Suozzi's office where he cordially invited us into his office. He explained his position on abortion, which he is personally opposed, but said he will not oppose taxpayer funding of Planned Parenthood. After visiting with the Congressman, we proceeded to the mall where we listened to the speakers who would officially kick off the March for Life. This year's speakers included Speaker Paul Ryan, Vice president Pence and President Trump, all who gave very inspirational talks focusing on this year's theme, "Love saves Lives!". A great day for life!"

## 6893 Corporation Election

### 6893 Corporation Election

At the Council Business Meeting on Monday, February 5, 2018 the 6893 Corporation held an election for its Board of Directors. Nine (9) members of the Board were that night to the following positions:

### 6893 Board of Directors as of February 5, 2018

#### Three (3) Year Director

Carl Finke  
Fred Leonardo  
Mike Simonelli

#### Two (2) Year Director

Robert Mahon  
Donald Maltby  
Joe Buscarello

#### One (1) Year Director

Alex Short  
Brian Valeri  
Larry Giovanniello



#### Martini tasting

At left is a picture by George Morrish took at the Martini tasting on January 26. Georg described the event as a most enjoyable Martini tasting party.



The first Martini was called The James Bond Martini. John Hnath and Rich Fitzgerald were the mixologists and with the job came a license to kill. A good time was had by all.



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# Fr. Thomas A. Judge KofC Council #6893 St. Patrick's Day Party



## WHEN

Friday, March 16<sup>th</sup>  
7:00 PM

## WHERE:

Fr. Judge Hall

COST: \$35/  
person



We will be serving a traditional  
Corned Beef dinner with Beer,  
Wine & Soda and Coffee and Dessert.



Entertainment will also be provided.

We have received a Special Dispensation from Fr. Joe to eat  
Corned Beef on a Friday during Lent.

Step Dancing      Wear Green

For more information contact:

Ed Schnepf – (631) 757-3514

Carl Finke – (631) 877-1358





# Father Thomas A. Judge Council Basketball Free-Throw 2018



## Council Age Group Championship

Once again we had a great event and sent 9 players to the next level. These players will compete at the district level. These winners will compete at the district level. They will then advance to compete in Deer Park for the right to compete for LI championship. After that is the southern NY competition that includes the boroughs of NY. From there the finalists will compete for the state championship in their age group at West Point where the West Point KofC council will host the free throw and show them around the United States Military Academy.

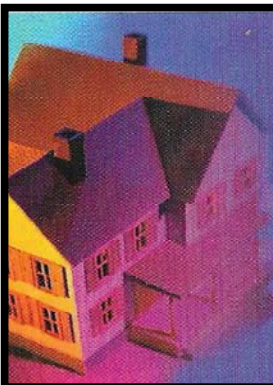
At Right is the roster of winners.

We all thank Bob Dabkowski for his fine effort in managing another highly successful father judge shootout event.

### Free throw winners and their schools


Age	Gen	Name	School
9	Girls	Ella Johnson	5th Avenue
9	Boys	Timothy Kropp	5th Avenue
10	Girls	Maya Weinerman	James Boyd
10	Boys	Logan Kelly	5th Avenue
11	Girls	Hailey Flood	Trinity Regional
11	Boys	James Bratchie	East Northport MS
12	Boys	Thomas Fitzpatrick	Trinity Regional
13	Girls	Gabrielle Andreatchi	Elwood Middle
13	Boys	Anthony Schieble	Elwood Middle






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Baked Ravioli	45.00	80.00
Ala Vodka	45.00	70.00
Primavera	45.00	80.00
White Clam	45.00	80.00

## Salads

	1/2 TRAY	FULL TRAY
Garden	35.00	50.00
Caesar	30.00	45.00
Greek	35.00	50.00

## Chicken

	1/2 TRAY	FULL TRAY
Parmesan	50.00	85.00
Francese	50.00	85.00
Marsala	50.00	85.00
Capricosa	55.00	95.00

## Seafood

	1/2 TRAY	FULL TRAY
Shrimp Parm'	75.00	125.00
Fried Shrimp	75.00	125.00
Shrimp Scampi	75.00	125.00
Fried Calamari	50.00	85.00
Baked Clams	40.00	75.00
Mussels	50.00	80.00

## Meat

	1/2 TRAY	FULL TRAY
Sausage & Pepper	50.00	85.00
Veal Parm'	70.00	125.00
Veal Marsala	70.00	125.00
Veal Francese	70.00	125.00
Meatballs or Sausage	45.00	80.00
Eggplant Parm'	45.00	80.00

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