



# BISHOP DELANY ASSEMBLY

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## S E P T E M B E R 2 0 2 2 N E W S L E T T E R

### ASSEMBLY OFFICERS 2022-2023

Faithful Navigator	Adam W. Whitehouse, FN, PGK	978-256-4727
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Faithful Admiral	John L. Salyards, PFN, PGK, FS	978-251-2821
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### 2022 – 2023

### FRATERNAL YEAR CALENDAR

**DATE: SEPTEMBER 28, 2022**

**ACTIVITY: MONTHLY MEETING**

**LOCATION:**

**IMMACULATE CONCEPTION  
CHURCH -- PARISH HALL**

**October 26, 2022 Chelmsford**

**November 9, 2022**

**December 14, 2022 Tewksbury**

**January 25, 2023**

**February 22, 2023**

**March 22, 2023**

**April 26, 2023**

**May 24, 2023 Election of Officers**

**June 28, 2023 Changing of the Guard**

## Bishop Delany Assembly – Faithful Navigator Report

Worthy Sir Knights:

I hope you and your families had a blessed summer season filled with peace and laughter.

Thank you to all the Sir Knights who marched in the Fourth of July parade in Chelmsford. It was a very nice day and everyone watching the parade was happy to see the knights of Columbus in the parade.

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We also had a quite successful workday in support of the Benedictine Abbey and Monks on Saturday, August 20th. We helped with light carpentry and painting. We also painted several outdoor statues! Hopefully more councils and assemblies will volunteer to help Br Joachim with this needed work!



God bless America  
Adam Whitehouse, Faithful Navigator

## From the Desk of the Admiral: Sick and Distress

Please remember the following Priests, Sir Knights, and family members in your prayers:

SK James Awiszus' mother, Jean, passed away.

SK Michael Dinneen's wife, Margaret "Peggie", passed away.

"It is a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead, that they may be loosed from their sins..."

*Catechism of the Catholic Church 958; Lumen Gentium 50*

SK Ralph Nelson, PFN Paul Sidari, SK Bob Chevalier, SK Luigi Iacovellio, SK Bob Laviolette,  
PFN Tom Casey's wife, Mary; Faithful Pilot Troy LeBlanc's wife, Angela, daughter, and son-in-law.

"Watch, O Lord, with those who wake, or watch, or weep tonight,  
and give your angels charge over those who sleep.

Tend your sick ones, O Lord Christ. Rest your weary ones. Bless your dying ones.

Soothe your suffering ones. Pity your afflicted ones. Shield your joyous ones.

And for all your love's sake. Amen."

*Prayer of St Augustine*

Please contact me at [bug\\_and\\_buzz@verizon.net](mailto:bug_and_buzz@verizon.net) or (978) 251-2821 should you need to add a Sir Knight or their family member to our prayer list.

Fraternally,

Faithful Admiral John L. Salyards, PFN

## We are in need of two Officers

The Faithful Scribe is Open as no one came forward to fill that role during the election process.

The Faithful Purser has become Open as James Peltier, who was elected to the position, has been relocated in his workplace to North Carolina.

A special election will be held to fill these two important roles as soon as possible.

**THE HOLY ROOD COLLABORATIVE**  
of St. Mary, St. John the Evangelist, and St Margaret Parish's

# ***1,000,000 Hail Mary Challenge***

St Anne's & St Catherine's Parishes are welcome to join us!

May 1st – October 31<sup>st</sup>, 2022



It is that time again to come together as Rosary Warriors and pray the most Holy Rosary. This will be our 5<sup>th</sup> straight year of adoration. Please join us!

**FOR OUR CHURCH - OUR HOLY FATHER - OUR COUNTRY - OUR WORLD – OUR FAMILIES - FOR THE POOR SOULS IN PURGATORY, FOR AN END TO THE PANDEMIC, AND TO END ALL WARS!**

**HERE ARE SEVERAL QUOTES FROM THE FAITHFUL REGARDING THE ROSARY OVER THE CENTURIES.**

**“Give me an army saying the rosary and I will conquer the world.” Pope Blessed Pius IX**

**“One day, through the rosary and the scapular, Our Lady will save the world.” Saint Dominic**

**“If you wish peace to reign in your homes, recite the family rosary.” Pope Saint Pius X**

**“When we recite Our Lady’s rosary for a soul in Purgatory, that soul feels all the fires about it diminish and experiences a Heavenly relief.” Saint Hannibal di Francia**

**Please submit your Hail Mary totals on the Monday after each week, or at the end of each month, and email them to [psidari@ymail.com](mailto:psidari@ymail.com) or call them into Paul Sidari (978-729-1677) or into the Collaborative office. (978-256-2374)**

**Total Hail Mary’s Prayed - 4,523,728**

**2018 - 1,179,823, 2019 - 1,067,866, 2020 - 1,025,470, 2021 - 1,250,569**

**Knights of Columbus Councils and Rosary Groups Should Also Participate.**

**Rosary Procession:**

**St Mary Church, Chelmsford MA.**

**Date and Time:**

**Saturday October 15<sup>th</sup>, 2022 2:00 P.M.**

**Agenda:**

**Gather in Parking Lot. Line up and Process over to Gazebo Near Parish Center.**

**Rosary and Marian Songs begin at 2:30 P.M. Following Rosary Service, Process into St Mary Church for the Blue Mass if So Desired.**

**All Parishioners are Invited from Holy Rood Collaborative & Neighboring Parishes**



**The Rosary Service is Sponsored by the Bishop Ruocco Council K of C. All Brother Knights are Asked to Participate. Fourth Degree Knights Please Wear Uniform.**



## SEPTEMBER

Jude Russo  
Joseph Heider  
Joshua Wilbur  
Fr. William Tarraza  
Ralph Nelson  
Harold Coughlin  
George Hooper  
Robert Courtemanche  
Stephen Baxter  
Kenneth Ashley  
Michael Kendrick  
Antonio Almeida

## OCTOBER

Richard Casey  
Louis Cimaglia  
Rev. Mr. Thomas  
Walsh  
Gerald Hurley  
Joseph MacShane, III  
Edward Tucker  
Robert Donnelly  
Kevin Doherty  
Paul Flanagan  
Mark Veomett  
Frank Petrucci  
Anthony Barletta  
Thomas Casey  
Robert Toomey  
William Wallace  
Marcos Sousa  
Rev. Mr. Clifford King  
Karl Cote  
Roy Castine

**ANY ERRORS---PLEASE LET ME KNOW**

## Newsletter by Barry Bell

Reports and articles, that are to be included in the **OCTOBER** issue of the Bishop Delany Assembly Newsletter, need to be e-mailed to me at [btbell100@yahoo.com](mailto:btbell100@yahoo.com) **PRIOR TO OCTOBER 5<sup>th</sup>**. Please send the articles, I will edit them to fit and then publish the Newsletter following the new format listed below.

**If you wish to be kept informed, please send me your e-mail address for e-mail updates. We are no longer sending snail mail AND e-mails.**

### FORMAT FOR PUBLISHING THE NEWSLETTER

The date for submitting articles will not change. It will be the 5<sup>th</sup> of the month. What has changed is the **DATE TO PUBLISH** of the newsletter. It will now be published on the Wednesday following the week of the 5<sup>th</sup> of the month.

Example: **OCTOBER** Newsletter will be published on **October 12<sup>th</sup>**. The reason for this change is so that you know the publishing date and if you do not receive it by the publishing date, please let me know and I will send out another copy to you. You will also note the publishing date will be shown on the bottom of each page.

## **INFORMATION TO IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH PARISH HALL**

The Church is located at 144 East Merrimack Street, Lowell, MA. The Parish Hall is in the lower level of the Church. To get to the parish hall, go into the parking lot that is off Brown Street. Brown Street is located between the Lowell Memorial Auditorium and the Church. Go in the door marked PARISH HALL.