

THE RAYS OF MARY



Regina Mundi Council #4052 Assumption B.V.M. Parish - Feasterville, PA

March 2020 www.koc4052.org

GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE:

Brothers,

March will be a busy month for our council. Two of our biggest events, our Saint Patty's Day Party, and our Lenten Fish Fry, are almost here. I hope that you all will take part in both, by volunteering to help work the events, or by just coming out and enjoying yourself!

But we can't forget that we are also in the season of Lent. Do we spend as much effort preparing for Easter as we do for the other events in our lives? Lenten reflections and prayers, faith sharing and study groups, the stations of the cross, adoration, the rosary, and of course, confession. They are all readily available throughout Lent. Whatever we do to prepare for the resurrection of Our Lord, prepares us for our own resurrection as well.

Vivat Jesus,

Brother Rich





CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE

Brothers all,

I write this brief message on March 4, that is, one week after the beginning of this particular Season of Lent. I really NEED Lent, at least since it suggests "Spring time"! I am not a fan of winter; the darkness truly affects my disposition, so that which is suggestive of Spring is especially appealing to me. I really NEED Lent for another reason, which you may be able to relate to. I need these 40 days to look into my soul to discover what is good and holy, and that which is not. God has made each of us for Himself! This awesome truth, so well understood by St. Augustine, is meaningful. While God desires that we be with Him in heaven, He also desires that we have a growing relationship with Him in this life.

I admit, brothers, that I get distracted pretty regularly by my doing. I am just too busy at times, which benefits no one. I sometimes think more about my trials or burdens than my daily blessings. I have discovered a predominant fault, or blemish on my soul, that is, self-condemnation. I NEED this Lent to see the defects of my soul, and to seek a closer relationship with God. Why do you NEED this Lent?

Please see this Lent as a "Spring time" for your soul. God is always waiting to deepen His relationship with you too.

Vivat Jesus!

Father Mike Davis







ASH Wednesday February 26, 2019

Palm Sunday March 29, 2019

Holy Thursday April 02, 2019

Good Friday April 03, 2019

Easter Sunday April 05, 2019

















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REGINA MUNDI OFFICERS

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Missing Knights



Brother Knights

If you haven't been to a meeting or participated in one of our activities in a while, Lent is starting and this might be a perfect time to get back into the swing of things. Plan and help out with all the things scheduled to be done. Suggest new ways to fulfill the mission of the order. The meetings are the first Thursday of the month and the social meetings are the third Thursday of the month. Both are at 7:30 PM

You can't go back and change the beginning, but you can start where you are and change the ending.





THE MCGIVNEY PRAYER:

God, our Father, protector of the poor and defender of the widow and orphan, you called your priest, Father Michael J. McGivney, to be an apostle of Christian Family life and to lead the young to the generous service of their neighbor. Through the example of his life and virtue may we follow your Son, Jesus Christ, more closely, fulfilling his commandment of charity and building up his Body which is the Church. Let the inspiration of your servant prompt us to greater confidence in your love so that we may continue His work of caring for the needy and the outcast. We humbly ask that you glorify your venerable servant Father Michael J. McGivney on earth according to the design of your holy will. Through his intercession, grant the favor I now present (here make your request). Through Christ our Lord. Amen



Prayer Requests

Please remember in your Prayers, our Military, especially those in "Harms Way", our Police, Fire, and EMT personnel. Please pray for Fred and Barbara May, Gene Tusa, Bud Sander, Lynne Burkett, Rosemarie Dolnycky Claire Dawson, Patty White, Jackie Sander, William and Marie Bell, Donna Crowley, Rick and Cindy Wehlal and Gia Grace Capello and all the members of Regina Mundi Council.

Vivat Jesus!

Rich Spencer, GK



Rose for Life

Scheduled for Baptisms:

Mar 01

Chris Dern and Jack Kelly

Mar 15

Michael Arment and Ray Burkett

There are two Baptisms Scheduled for March 1st There are three Baptisms scheduled for March 15th.

April 05

Fred May and Rich Gathercole

April 19

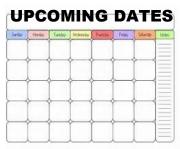
Jim Brennan and George Benson Jr.



Jesus promises that those who believe and follow Him will live forever.

The gospel recount Jesus saying, I am the Resurrection and the Life: whoever believes in Me, even if he dies, will live. These words clearly identify Jesus as the Son of God, the Author of Life and the One who will bring our salvation. The words also give the promise and hope of Eternal life in Heaven to all who believe in Him and persevere in faith.





March 4	Assembly Officer's Meeting	7:30 PM
March 5	Council Meeting	7:30 PM
March 14	St. Patrick's Day Party	6:30 PM - 10:30 PM
March 18	Assembly RSVP Mass	TBD
March 19	Council Social ?	7:30 PM
March 25	Veteran's bingo and ice cream	6:00 PM
March 26	Council Officer's Meeting	7:30 PM
March 27	Philadelphia Chapter Meeting	7:30 PM
March 27	Fish Fry Friday	4:30 PM - 7:00 PM
March 29	Sunday Rosary Service	
April 1	Assembly Officer's Meeting	7:30 PM
April 2	Council Meeting	7:30 PM
April 5	Palm Sunday	
April 5	St. John's Hospice	10:00 AM – 2:00 PM
April 12	Easter Sunday	
April 15	Assembly Conclave	8:00 PM
April 16	Council Social	7:30 PM
April 25	Adopt-a-Highway / Garden Cleanup	7:00 AM

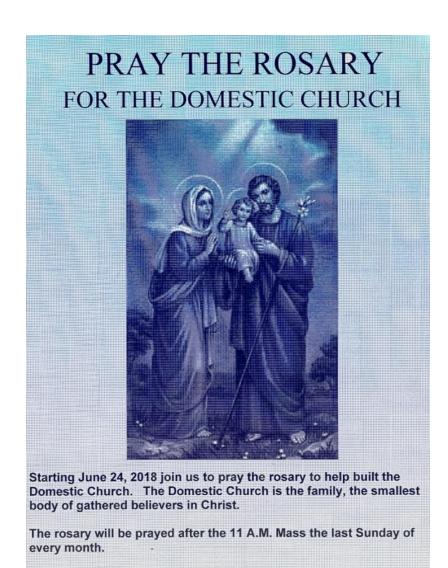


Fernando J. Giron	3/04	George "Bud" J. Sander Jr.	3/04	Gerard J. Mc Phillips	3/06
Richard J. Walsh	3/09	John E. Bradley	3/13	Robert A. Conrad	3/14
William Zimmerman	3/15	John H. Winkelspecht	3/20	Charles H. Dugan	3/22
John I Kelly	3/23	Chris M. Dern	3 /25		









Parish Organizations imcluding the Flame of Love and the Legion of Mary have promised to lead the Rosary after Mass on the last Sunday of the month. We of the Regina Mundi Council have promised to lead the Rosary on the 5th Sunday of the Month. Please <u>make an effort to join us.</u>

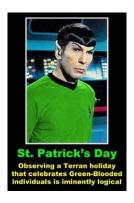
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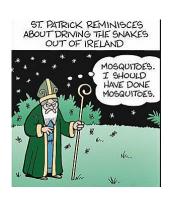
JUST FOR LAUGHS













Murphy told Quinn that his wife was driving him to drink. Quinn thinks he's very lucky because his own wife makes him walk.

Finnegan: My wife has a terrible habit of staying up 'til two o'clock in the morning.

I can't break her out of it.

Keenan: What on earth is she doin' at that time?

Finnegan: Waitin' for me to come home.

Paddy spies a letter lying on his doormat. It says on the envelope: "DO NOT BEND". Paddy spends the next 2 hours trying to figure out how to pick the bloody thing up.

Paddy & Mick find three grenades, so they decide to take them to a police station.

Mick: "What if one explodes before we get there?"

Paddy: "We'll lie and say we only found two."

Reilly went to trial for armed robbery. The jury foreman came out and announced, 'Not guilty.'

'That's grand!' shouted Reilly. 'Does that mean I can keep the money?'

(Irish Jokes courtesy of Brother Ed Fitzpatrick)





Installation of Our New Archbishop

On Tuesday February 18th, a new Archbishop for the Archdiocese of Philadelphia was installed at the Cathedral Basillica of Saints Peter and Paul in Philadelphia. His name is Archbishop Nelson Perez. He is not new to Philadelphia as he was ordained at St. Charles Boromeo Seminary and served for many years as a parish priest at St. William's parish on Rising Sun Avenue.

The installation was attended by an Honor Guard of aproximately 20 Knights of Columbus in the new uniform. Unfortunately I wasn't able to get a screen shot of the Knights. Also in attendance, among the many priests and decons, were Father John Kelly and Father Michael Davis of Assumption BVM. I wasn't able to get a screen shot of them either. I was able to a get screen shots of our former RSVP seminarian, now Deacon August Taglianetti who was the Archbishop's primary assistant. He also read the Gospel. I was also able to get a screen shot of Deacon Eric Umille who was one of the Deacons reading the prayers of intercession. He read his in Italian.







































Pro-Life





40DAYS FORLIFE

You can protect mothers and children

by joining this worldwide mobilization!

Through prayer and fasting, peaceful vigils and community outreach, 40 Days for Life has inspired 725,000 volunteers!

With God's help ... we've seen proven results in 19 coordinated campaigns:

- 12,668 babies saved from abortion
- 141 abortion workers converted
- 75 abortion centers closed

Here's how to take part:

- Vigil Site: Outside Planned Parenthood,2751 Comly Rd. (at Roosevelt Blvd.)
- Vigil hours: 7 am to 3 pm Monday thru Saturday
- Local contact: Anita Flynn, 267-456-4582 aflynn3250@yahoo.com OR your parish Pro-Life coordinator
- Learn more and get involved by visiting our campaign at:

Vigil Days

K of C day - March 21st at Comly Road Planned Parenthood Assumption BVM day - April 4th at Warminster Planned Paenthood

610 Louis Drive, Suite 303, Warminster, PA



Special Olympics



Special Olympics needs help with events coming up in April

This only takes a few hours on the day of the event from about 9:00 AM to about 1:00PM. This is a good way give back to the community and help the less fortunate. I hope we can help them out. It is good when we are seen in public doing good deeds. Anyone who goes will be asked to keep score, time the event, etc. All events are track and field.

Anyone interested or if you have any questions please let me know. Below are the times and places of the events.

Fraternally,

Brother Bob Conrad Youth Director 215-801-8320 Rac1375@msn.com

Tuesday - April 7, 2020 - Germantown Super Site - Benjamin Johnson Stadium Woolston & Sedgwick Ave, Philadelphia, PA

Thursday - April 16, 2020 - Northeast High School

1601 Cottman Ave, Philadelphia, PA

Wednesday- April 22, 2020 - Germantown Super Site - Benjamin Johnson Stadium Woolston & Sedgwick Ave, Philadelphia, PA





Knights of Columbus Lenten Food Drive.





Begins on February 26th and

ends on Palm Sunday

To Help: Donate non-perishable food item

Where: Assumption BVM Church

Food will be collected before Mass on Sunday

Goal: 5,000 pounds of food

Why: All food collected will stock our

Parish and local food pantry

List of Items Most in Need

1. Soup-"hearty" like Campbell's chunky

2. Soup- "creamy' like mushroom or chicken

3. Breakfast or energy bars like Quaker or nature valley.

4. Canned chicken meat

5. Canned chili with or without beans

6. Pasta sauces ready made.

7. Dinner Kits taco, "Hamburger helper"

8. Cooking oil canola or vegetable

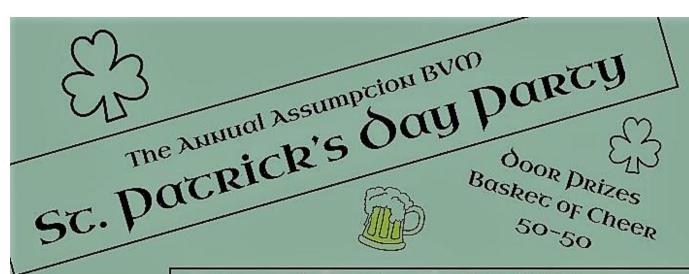
9. Canned tomatoes like dice or whole

10. Cake and cookie mixes.

11. Teas, cofffee, and juices

For more Information, Call Rich at 267-261-7337 OR email rpg1061@GMAIL.COM

Regina Mundi Council #4052





Saturday March 14, 2020 6:30 PM to 10:30 PM Assumption BVM Hall

Irish dance Competicion Open to All



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Tickets \$35 Per Person

Includes Ham & Cabbage Roast Beef, Salads, & Deserts Beer and Mixers

Tickets available at the Parish Rectorary and at the door





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CELEBRATING MARY'S YES

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25 AT 7PM
SOLEMNITY OF THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD

ROSARY RALLY FOR VOCATIONS

Mark your calendars for an Archdiocesan-wide Rosary Rally and the inauguration of a new initiative aimed at building up a culture of vocations.

All are invited - clergy, religious and lay faithful - to join the Seminarians in praying the Rosary and listening to a presentation on how to foster and promote vocations in the Archdiocese of Philadelphia.

PLEASE JOIN US AT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING SEVEN LOCATIONS:

ARCHBISHOP RYAN HIGH SCHOOL • BISHOP SHANAHAN HIGH SCHOOL • CARDINAL O'HARA HIGH SCHOOL CATHEDRAL BASILICA OF SAINTS PETER AND PAUL • OUR LADY OF CZESTOCHOWA POPE JOHN PAUL II HIGH SCHOOL • ST. RAYMOND OF PENAFORT PARISH

PARTNERING ORGANIZATIONS











FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT HEEDTHECALL.ORG/ROSARYRALLY
OR CONTACT THE VOCATION OFFICE AT 610.667.5778



2ND ANNUAL ASSUMPTION BVM







\$10.00 - FRIED FISH, FRENCH FRIES, COLE SLAW, AND COCKTAIL OR TARTAR SAUCE

EAT-IN OR TAKE-OUT

FOR TICKETS CALL - 215-470-2050
TICKETS AVAILABLE AT THE DOOR

MARCH 27, 2020 4:30 PM TO 7:00 PM

ASSUMPTION BVM CHURCH HALL

1900 MEADOWBROOK ROAD, FEASTERVILLE-TREVOSE, PA

Sponsored by



Regina Mundi Council # 4052



St. John Neuman Assembly #933

Assembly Officers





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Faithful 1-yr Trustee Rich Gathercole

UPCOMIING MEETINGS

Officer's meetings are the first Wednesday of the month and the Conclave is on the third Wednesday of the month unless otherwise specified. The location of these meetings varies based upon the host council.

March	4 th	7:30 PM	Officer's Meeting	at	Regina Mundi Council
March	18 th	7:00 PM	Assembly RSVP Mass	at	Assumption BVM
April	1 st	7:30 PM	Officer's Meeting	at	Pope Pius XII Council
April	14 th	8:00 PM	Conclave	at	Regina Coeli Council
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(Note the change to Tuesday due to schedule conflict)

Addresses of Assembly Meeting Locations

Pope Pius XII Council St. Thomas Aquinas Parish 601 Bristol Pike Croydon, PA 19021-1808	Holmesburg Council 3300 Knorr Street Philadelphia, PA 19149	St. John the Evangelist 752 Big Oak road Morrisville, PA 19067
Regina Coeli Council	St Charles Borromeo Council	Regina Mundi Council
9617 James Street	1193 Gravel Pike	1900 Meadowbrook Rd.
Philadelphia, PA 19114	Bensalem, PA 19020	Feasterville-Trevose, Pa





Saint John Neumann Medal

Brothers it is the time of the year to send in your Candidates for the Saint John Neumann Medal. One nominee per proposer.

We are looking for a person who has demonstrated exemplary service to God, Church and Country.

The proposed candidates' resume must be submitted to the Faithful Navigator, Anthony M. Porretta by March 1, 2020. AMP933@comcast.net

Color Corps

No Activity

HONOR GUARD

No Activity





Delaware Valley Veteran's Home

Ice Cream and Bingo

March 25th 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM







On March 25th, we will once again visit the Delaware Valley Veterans Home at 2701 Southampton Rd, Philadelphia, PA 19154 at 6:00PM.

Volunteers are needed to help set-up, serve the ice cream, help with the Bingo, and clean-up afterwards.

I've done it the last three years and everybody has a good time.

The Veteran's really appreciate it.

Come on out, talk to the Veterans, hear some interesting stories, and show these Veterans how much we appreciate their service to the country and to us.







PENNSYLVANIA EAST DISTRICT



Fourth Degree - Knights of Columbus Calvert Province

SK Sean M. Connelly, Sr., Master Exemplification of the Fourth Degree Saturday, May 9, 2020

St. Peter Church 2835 Manor Road West Brandywine, PA 19320

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Seating Request: If you would like to be seated with certain Knights please list them in the space below.

Copies have been sent to the Financial Secretaries of each council in the Assembly.

PHILADELPHIA CHAPTER

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The Regina Mundi delegates to the Philadelphia Chapter are:
Richard Spencer (GK), Anthony Porretta, Jack Eagan, Bob Conrad, Fred May,
Dan Donovan, George Dolyncky, and Rich Delp





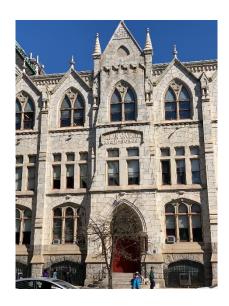
Chapter Meeting Dates

The tentative meeting scheduled for the 2019/2020 Fraternal Year is as follows:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Location</u>		
March 27	Roman Catholic High School		
April 24	Roman Catholic High School		
May 22	Roman Catholic High School		
June 26	Elections- Date & Location TBA		

All meetings are at Roman Catholic High School unless otherwise notified.

All meetings are at 7:30 PM unless otherwise notified









HOMELESS DINNER AT ST. JOHN'S HOSPICE Volunteers Needed

LOCATION: ST. JOHN'S HOSPICE

221 Race Street Philadelphia, PA 19107

DATE:

April 5, 2020

TIME:

10:00 AM thru 2:00 PM

ACTIONS:

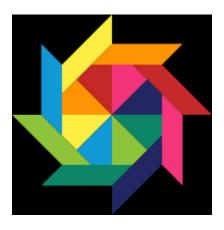
Serve food, wait tables, and clean-up

The parking around the Hospice is very bad. Those of us who can, meet between 9:00 AM and 9:30 AM at the lower parking lot of Maternity BVM church on Bustleton Avenue and car pool to St. John's. Otherwise see you there.









Prayers Unite the World

prayersunitetheworld.org

EVERY time our Church has had a need, our Brother Knights have responded. Right now, our Faith is under attack like it has never been and the Church needs its most faithful members to stand up and share its message of God's love with the world.

The Knights are partnering with "Prayers Unite the World" to do just that. Begun by a Brother Knight, "Prayers Unite the World" is a website where people can request prayers and then learn about many of the Religious communities and Catholic organizations from around the world.

We need to build an army of men who would be willing to share the Faith through the power of prayer. You do not need to explain the Faith. You simply live the Faith and let people know that God and his loving Church are with them. All through the power of prayer.

It only takes five minutes of time and it doesn't cost a dime.





You Are Called to Holiness Conference and Day of Recollection



His Eminence Raymond Leo Cardinal Burke, D.D., J.C.D.

Member of the Supreme Tribunal of the Apostolic Signatura

The Most Reverend Joseph E. Strickland, J.C.L. Bishop of the Diocese of Tyler Tyler, Texas

Reverend Gerald Dennis Gill, S.L.L.Director of the Office for Divine Worship Rector and Pastor, Cathedral Basilica of SS. Peter and Paul

Eucharistic Adoration, Marian Procession, and Rosary

Saturday, April 4, 2020

9:00 a.m. to 6:15 p.m.

Cathedral Basilica of SS. Peter and Paul

18th Street and Benjamin Franklin Parkway, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19103

Free parking in the Archdiocesan lot adjacent to the Cathedral

His Eminence Raymond Leo Cardinal Burke, D.D., J.C.D. will be the principal celebrant at the 5:15 p.m. Palm Sunday Vigil Mass in the Cathedral Basilica.

Admission: \$65 per person/\$20 per full-time student
No charge for Priests, Sisters, and Seminarians
Coffee and donuts during registration. Lunch will be served.

Reservations are required. Please see registration form on back of flyer.

Sponsored by: The St. John Neumann Chapter, Catholics United for the Faith

For additional information call: 215-247-2585 or email: holinessconference2020@gmail.com Visit: stjohnneumannchapter.org

You Are Called to Holiness Day of Recollection and Conference

Saturday, April 4, 2020

9:00 a.m. to 10 a.m. Registration, Coffee and Donuts 10:00 a.m. to 6:15 p.m. Cathedral Basilica of SS. Peter and Paul

Registration Form

Please respond by Friday, March 27, 2020

Admission: \$65 per person/\$20 per student Free: Priests, Sisters, and Seminarians

Name(s):			
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Please make all checks payable and send to:

St. John Neumann Chapter, CUF 183 Hillcrest Avenue Philadelphia, PA 19118-2621

For additional information call: 215-247-2585 or email: holinessconference2020@gmail.com Visit: stjohnneumannchapter.org



Amy's Fund Designer Bag Bingo

Benefitting the Women's Cancer Center at Fox Chase Cancer Center

AMY'S FUND BINGO FRIDAY, APRIL 3, 2020 \$30.00

ST. MARTHA HALL 11301 ACADEMY RD. PHILADELPHIA, PA 19154

DOORS OPEN AT: 6:30 GAMES START AT: 7:00



& MORE



EMAIL DENISEAKLIGGE@GMAIL.COM OR CALL
DENISE KLIGGE @ 267-270-8435
OR ED KLIGGE @ 267-262-2023

ADVANCE TICKET PURCHASES AND TABLE RESERVATIONS

MUST BE PURCHASED NO LATER THAN MARCH 31, 2020

Non-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ARE INCLUDED

TICKETS WILL BE SOLD AT THE DOOR

The official registration and financial information of Amy's Fund may be obtained from the Pennsylvania Department of State by calling toll-free, within Pennsylvania, 1.800.732.0999. Registration does not imply endorsement.

Ed Kligge is the Financial Secretary at St. Leo's Council.

Amy was his niece.



This is your newsletter, Please contact me with any corrections or suggestions or complaints you may have, or if you would like specific information to appear in upcoming issues:

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