



THE RAYS OF MARY



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

September 2022 www.koc4052.org



GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE:

My Brother Knights,

It is hard to believe that summer is coming to a close already. I want to thank you for your continued support of our council activities and parish.

We held a St. Joseph Icon prayer service, as well as our Trenton Thunder baseball game night. Both were a great success.

As we look ahead to a busy couple of months, I want to invite you to come out to our meetings, bring your ideas, and join your brother knights in carrying out our mission of charity.

Let me close by encouraging you all to find ways to grow deeper in your faith of God.

Vivat Jesus,

Richard Gathercole

Grand Knight

Regina Mundi Council





CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE:

Father Mike is on Sabbatical.



A PRAYER FOR PROTECTION IN TIME OF PANDEMIC



The ancient fresco of Madonna del Soccorso (Our Lady of Help) in St. Peter's Basilica was restored with the support of the Knights of Columbus to mark the Year of Faith (2012-2013). Photo courtesy of Fabbrica di San Pietro/M. Falcioni.

O Mary,
you always brighten our path
as a sign of salvation and of hope.
We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick,
who, at the Cross, took part in Jesus' pain
while remaining steadfast in faith.

O loving Mother,
you know what we need,
and we are confident you will provide for us
as at Cana in Galilee.

Intercede for us with your Son Jesus,
the Divine Physician,
for those who have fallen ill,
for those who are vulnerable,
and for those who have died.

Intercede also for those charged with
protecting the health and safety of others
and for those who are tending to the sick
and seeking a cure.

Help us, O Mother of Divine Love,
to conform to the will of the Father
and to do as we are told by Jesus,
who took upon himself our
sufferings and carried our sorrows,
so as to lead us, through the Cross,
to the glory of the Resurrection. Amen.

*Under thy protection we seek refuge,
O Holy Mother of God.*

*In our needs, despise not our petitions,
but deliver us always from all dangers,
O glorious and blessed Virgin. Amen.*

Adapted from the prayer of Pope Francis

KNIGHTS OF  COLUMBUS

IT'S NOT OVER, PLEASE BE CAREFUL !



REGINA MUNDI OFFICERS

2022/2023

Grand Knight	-	Richard Gathercole
Deputy Grand Knight	-	Steve Jackson
Chaplain	-	Rev. Michael Davis
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Three Year Trustee	-	Anthony M. Porretta, PGK, PFN



2022 SEPTEMBER

Sunday • Monday • Tuesday • Wednesday • Thursday • Friday • Saturday

AUGUST

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OCTOBER

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Polish Festival

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LABOR DAY



Polish Festival

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St. John Neumann
Assembly
Officer's Meeting

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Polish Festival

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help tear-down
rose table
**Hand out
flyers**

Polish Festival



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Regina Mundi
Social
Meeting

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**PADRE PIO
FESTIVAL**

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**Hand out
flyers**



**PADRE PIO
FESTIVAL**

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**First Day
of Autumn**

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**Pancake
Breakfast**

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Philadelphia
Chapter Meeting
St. John Neumann
Installation of
Officers

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Regina Mundi
Officers
Meeting

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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 blessed 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.



Please remember in your Prayers, our Military, especially those in “Harms Way”, our Police, Fire, and EMT personnel. Please pray for quick recovery and Blessing for:
Barbara May, Steve Cook, John Carroll, Nick Marcantonio, Martin Eagan, Stephen Kaiser, Pat Corey , and all members of Regina Mundi and their families.

May God Bless them and watch over them!
Grand Knight - Regina Mundi Council
Richard Gathercole



Upcoming Known Scheduled Baptisms:
Sunday September 4th 12:00 PM
none scheduled
Sunday September 18th 12:00 PM -
a Baby Boy – Fred May

There may be additional assignments.

Volunteers are always needed for Baptisms !
Baptisms are on the first and third Sundays of each month after the 11:00 AM Mass.



Words to Live By

To be a disciple is to have faith and follow Jesus.

After Christ asks, Who do you say that I am? Peter answers, You are the Christ. May our profession of faith be the same. And then, as James implores us, we must demonstrate that commitment to our faith by our words and actions.



PRAY THE ROSARY FOR THE DOMESTIC CHURCH



Starting June 24, 2018 join us to pray the rosary to help built the Domestic Church. The Domestic Church is the family, the smallest body of gathered believers in Christ.

The rosary will be prayed after the 11 A.M. Mass the last Sunday of every month.

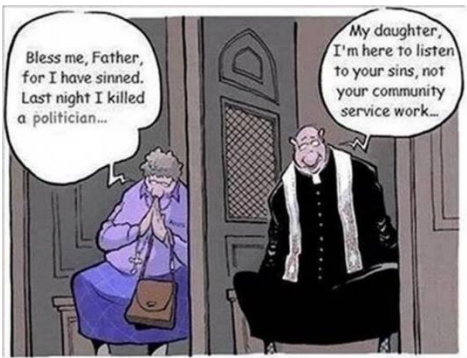
We of the Regina Mundi Council have promised to lead the Rosary on the 5th Sunday of the Month.

Please make an effort to join us.

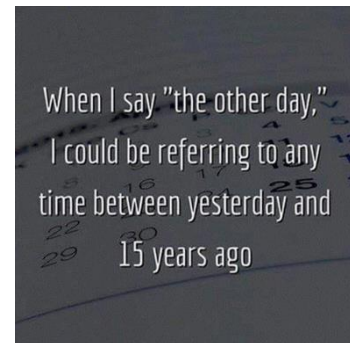
THE NEXT 5TH SUNDAY IS OCTOBER 30, 2022



JUST FOR LAUGHS



Dear Lord,
Please don't let Brussel Sprouts be a part of the cure of Covid-19 Virus.



Proofreading is a Dying Art, Wouldn't You Say ?

(Newspaper Headlines)

“Something Went Wrong in Jet Crash, Expert Says”
Really, You Think?

“Police Begin Campaign to Run Down Jaywalkers”
That's taking things a bit Far

“Panda Mating Fails; Veterinarian Takes Over”
What a Guy!

“Miners Refuse to Work After Death”
No Good Lazy so-and-sos

“Juvenile Court to Try Shooting Defendant”
See if that works better than a fair trial

“If Strike isn't Settled Quickly, It May Last Awhile”
Ya think?

“Cold Wave Linked to Temperatures”
Who would have thought?

“Red Tape Holds Up New Bridges”
Stronger than Duck Tape?

“New Study of Obesity Looks for Larger Test Group”
Weren't they fat enough?

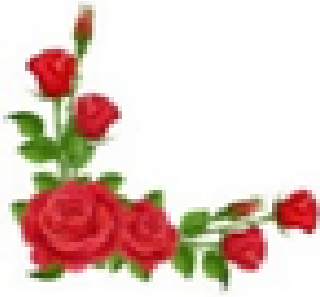
“Kids Make Nutritious Snacks”
Do they taste like chicken?

“Local High School Dropouts Cut in Half”
Chainsaw massacre all over again!

And The Winner IS:

“Typhoon Rips Through Cemetery; Hundreds Dead”





Rose for Life

We currently have 5 members who have volunteered for the Rose for Life

WE NEED MORE

Baptism are scheduled for the first and third Sundays of the month after the 11:00 AM Mass. It only takes about 15 minutes to hand out a Rosary and a Rose for each child Baptised. Some months there aren't any Baptisms and sometimes only one.

Before the covid-19 pandemic, we had 8 members and we were able to schedule two members for each Baptism on a rotating basis. That way, each member knew when they were scheduled and could make any arrangements, including trading off when necessary. Because we only have 5 , it is on a volunteer basis.

You have to attend Mass any way, why not attend the 11:00 AM Mass and stay an extra 15 minutes.

If you are interested or know someone who might be, please contact:

Jack Eagan at 267-449-8077 or irishrover13@comcast.net





Pro-Life



40 DAYS FOR LIFE

September 28, 2022

Thru

November 06, 2022

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 SITES

Comly Road Planned Parenthood
2751 Comly Road, Philadelphia, PA

Warminster Planned Parenthood
610 Louis Drive, Suite 303, Warminster, PA



KNIGHTS AT THE THUNDER

On August 7th, the Regina Mundi Council held it's annual Knights at the Thunder evening at Arm & Hammer Park in Trenton, New Jersey. The St. John Neumann Assembly provided the Color Guard and Brother Bob Miller sang the National Anthem. Everybody had a good time.



Regina Mundi Installation of Officers

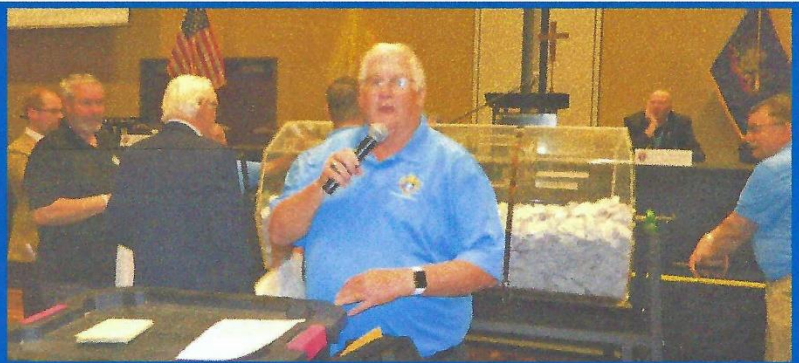
On Thursday September 1st, The Regina Mundi Council held its Installation of Officers for the 2022/2023 Fraternal Year at Assumption BVM church.



Photo Courtesy of Pat Owarzani



WINNERS OF THE 2022 COAL DRIVE!



AWARD	TICKET #	WINNER'S INFORMATION	COUNCIL
1 st PRIZE \$15,000	0029331	Morgan Roble	940
2 nd PRIZE \$10,000	0028972	Dyer	16868
3 rd PRIZE \$7,500	0053547	Liz Wilt Lilly, PA	11084
4 th PRIZE \$5,000	0085769	Julia Wright Portage	4259
5 th PRIZE \$5,000	0149698	Michael Maul York, PA	6353
6 th PRIZE \$5,000	0110588	Robert Harrill Monroesville, PA	4925
7 th PRIZE \$2,500	0112415	Chris Koch Pen Argyl, PA	3862
8 th PRIZE \$2,500	0133457	Greg Loveland Dundolk, PA	8891
9 th PRIZE \$2,500	0127924	Oakes Apache Junction, AZ	1333
10 th PRIZE \$2,000	0063632	Don Ankron Butler, PA	866
11 th PRIZE \$2,000	0035051	Anthony Usavage Pittston, PA	372
12 th PRIZE \$2,000	0114021	Kathleen Blocker Willow Grove, PA	4273
13 th PRIZE \$1,000	0093043	Chris Swain Belleville, PA	2555
14 th PRIZE \$1,000	0037938	Charles Johnson Philadelphia, PA	8252
15 th PRIZE \$1,000	0098461	Wm S. Hega Washington, PA	5826
16 th PRIZE \$1,000	0100111	J Klingman Quakertown, PA	4649



ASSUMPTION BVM



ANNUAL FALL PANCAKE BREAKFAST SIT DOWN AND TAKE OUT



WHEN : SEPTEMBER 24, 2022

WHERE: ASSUMPTION BVM PARISH HALL

TIME: 08:00 AM TO 11:00 AM

PRICE \$8.00 ADULTS
\$6.00 CHILDREN
(UNDER 12 YEARS OLD)

Volunteers are needed for set-up, servers, and clean-up

**Contact: Rich Gathercole at rgp1061@gmail.com or
Steve Clark at clarkfamily68@gmail.com**

Sponsored by  Regina Mundi Council #4052

ST. JOHN NEUMANN ASSEMBLY

Assembly Officers

2022-2023

Faithful Navigator	Fredrick G. May, PGK
Faithful Friar	Rev. Michael J. Davis
Faithful Captain	Edward Kligge , PGK
Faithful Admiral	Michael Ciampoli, PFN
Faithful Purser	Wiley Redding
Faithful Comptroller	Albert Scheck, PFN
Faithful Pilot	Nickolas Marcantonio, PGK DD
Faithful Scribe	Bob Thompson
Faithful Inside Sentinel	Richard Gathercole
Faithful Outside Sentinel	Thomas Hurley
Faithful 3-yr Trustee	Anthony M. Porretta, PFN
Faithful 2-yr Trustee	Mike Selinsky, PGK
Faithful 1-yr Trustee	John Carroll, PFN

UPCOMIING MEETINGS

Officer's meetings are normally 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.

Pope Pius XII Council
Thomas Aquinas Parish
601 Bristol Pike
Croydon, PA 19021-1808

Holmesburg Council
3300 Knorr Street
Philadelphia, PA 19149

Mary Queen of Angels
11301 Academy Road
Philadelphia, PA 19154

St. John the Evangelist
752 Big Oak Road.
Morrisville PA

Regina Coeli Council
9617 James Street
Philadelphia, PA 19114

St Charles Borromeo Council
1193 Gravel Pike
Bensalem, PA 19020

Regina Mundi Council
1900 Meadowbrook Rd.
Feasterville, PA 19053

Our Lady of Calvary
11024 Knights Rd.
Philadelphia, PA 19154

St.John Neumann Shrine
1019 N 5th Street .
Philadelphia, PA 19123



COLOR CORPS

Nick Marcantonio, PGK,DD, Jr. is the Archdiocesan Co-Ordinator NickPGk61@yahoo.com
<mailto:NickPGk61@yahoo.com>

Robert Thompson is the Assembly Color Corps Commander rthombow152@gmail.com
Please let Nick or Robert know if you can help.

Bob Thompson, Fred May, Ed Kligge, and Steve Jackson were the color guard at the Knights at Thunder baseball game on August 7th. Bob Miller sang the Nation Anthem.

There were 14 Knights in attendance at the Father McGivney Mass at the Cathedral of Saints Peter and Paul on Saturday, August 20th. Among them were Bob Thompson, John Carroll and Nick DeMartines representing the St John Neumann Assembly.

HONOR /CHALICE GUARD



SK Francis C. Messing, Sr. of Mary Queen of Angels Council #12384 passed away on Wednesday, August 17th. The viewing was held at Dougherty Funeral Home on August 22nd. In attendance were Bob Thompson, Tom Hurly, Rich Konstance, Scott Lash, Ray Miller, and John Carroll. An additional Viewing and Funeral Mass were held on August 23rd at Queen of the Universe Church. In attendance were Fred My, Bob Thompson, John Carroll, Ray Miller, and Greg Baraniecki.



Philadelphia Chapter - Knights of Columbus

Chapter Officers

2022-2023

President	Atiba McCoy
Vice-President	Fred May
Immediate Past President	Dan McPeake
Secretary, PP	Dan Donovan
Treasurer	Jack Stanczak
Warden	Dan McPeake, IPP
Sentinel	Mike Ciampoli
Trustees	Mickey Kelly
	Mike Selinsky
	Donald Wells
	Hassell Mitchell
	Nick Marcantonio
	John Brown
	Wiley Redding
	Thomas Johnson, FSW
	Oleg Berezofski
	Tom Hasty



Chapter Meeting Dates

2022

September 28th (Please Note this is a Wednesday)
October 28th
November 18th (change due to Thanksgiving)
December * Date and Location TBA for Holiday Celebration

2023

January 27th
February 24th
March 24th
April 21st
May 19th (Change due to Memorial Day)
June * Elections - Date and location TBA -RCHS closed for summer

January 20,2023 – Match for Life

April 09,2023 - Easter

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

All meetings are at 7:00 PM on fourth Friday of month unless otherwise notified

Meetings are in the second floor Library. An elevator is available.

Some meetings may be virtual.

The Philadelphia Chapter is comprised of the following Councils:

Santa Maria #263	Charles Carroll #1364	Our Lady of Lourdes #4546
San Salvador #283	Madonna #3932	Regina Coeli #4921
Desoto #315	Immaculata #393 3	Rev. John McHugh #4935
Commodore Barry #578	St. Katherine Drexel #3938	Fr. Thomas Ryan #5036
Pinzon #904	Regina Mundi #4052	San Rafael #7125
La Rabida #1191	Core Mariae #4100	St. Benedict de Moor #8252
Holmesburg #1284	St. Jude #4273	Mary Queen of Angels #12384
St. Leo 's #1294	St. Charles Borromeo #4279	Pokrova #12561
St. Helena 's #15687		



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.



PRAYER FOR THE CANONIZATION OF THE VENERABLE SERVANT OF GOD

MICHAEL Mc GIVNEY

Founder of the Knights of Columbus

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. Please report all favors received to: The Father McGivney Guild
1 Columbus Plaza New Haven, CT 06510-3326 www.fathermcgivney.org

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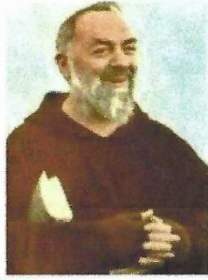
McGivney Guild

1 Columbus Plaza

New Haven, CT 06510-3326

www.fathermcgivney.org





St. Bede the Venerable Parish and Knights of Columbus
Council 15478 present the 7th Annual

PADRE PIO FESTIVAL

Saturday & Sunday, Sept. 17 & 18, 2022
1071 Holland Rd. * Holland PA (Southampton on GPS)
www.padrepiofestivalhollandpa.com

The tradition returns, with
many of your favorites also coming back!

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

NOON-5:00pm: All American Picnic Buffet
(Catered by McCaffery's Markets)
(wrist band is good from Noon to 5:00pm)

- Karaoke Contest (12:30pm-2:30pm)
- Live Entertainment by the Willie Lynch Band (3pm - 5pm)
- Bingo (3pm-4pm)
- Field Games (3pm-4pm)



NOON-9:00pm

- Food Vendors
- Craft Vendors
- Padre Pio Café
- Teen Volleyball (2pm-4pm)
- Inflatables Amusements
- Religious Articles for sale
- Raffle Baskets
- Elmwood Park Travelling Zoo - 1pm & 2:20pm



Festival Continues 5:30pm - 10:00pm

- Mass in Honor of PADRE PIO
- Followed by a blessing with Padre Pio relics

7:30pm - 9:00pm

- Special FREE Concert by the "Jersey Tenors"



SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

NOON-7:00pm:

- 12:30pm Solemn Mass in Honor of Padre Pio Guest Homilist: Fr. Thomas Betz
- 1:30pm Street Procession (accompanied by the Verdi Band of Norristown)



- 2:30pm Healing Service with Padre Pio relics
- 4:00pm Youth Holy Hour and Adoration, followed by games, food and fun!

ALL DAY:

- Italian food service by Maggio's Italian Restaurant in Southampton
- Specialty food vendors (including Kono Pizza, Rita's Water Ice, The Tot Rod, Tim's Barbeque, and more!)
- Games, inflatable amusements
- Craft Vendors
- Religious articles for sale
- Padre Pio Café and Kid's Pavilion
- Raffle Baskets



Musical Entertainment

- Sinatra Tribute Singer Steve Ritrovato
- Singer Joanne Caruso



The Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa

654 Ferry Rd, Doylestown, PA 18901

YOU'RE INVITED! *ZAPRASZAMY!*

**56th Annual
Polish American Family
Festival & Country Fair 2022**

SEPTEMBER 3-4-5 (LABOR DAY)
SEPTEMBER 10-11 - 12:00 - 8:00 PM DAILY
ADMISSION: \$12 PER PERSON



Volunteers are needed to help set-up and tear-down the Pro-Life Rose sale table.

Contact: Steve Jackson at sjjackson76@verizon.net

15th Anniversary of Man Up Philly!



Saturday March 4, 2023

Location: Campus of Cardinal O'Hara, 1701 S. Sproul Road, Springfield, PA 19064 at the St John Vianney Hall Theater.

Join us for this special experience and stand with your Brothers as true Men of God.

It's 2023 - Bring 3 friends

Archbishop Perez challenged all of us to use this next year to find three 3 people in our lives and invite them to join us. That's the challenge...for each of us to share why we go to Man Up Philly with three friends.

Registration fee includes: access to the conference and a box lunch.

Tickets

- **Early Bird Registration**

\$40.00+\$2.99 Fee

Select quantity: Early Bird Registration price: \$40.00

Sales end on Dec 28, 2023 Saturday March 4, 2023

- **Normal Registration**

\$60.00+\$3.69 Fee

Sales start on Dec 28, 2022

- **STUDENT Registration**

\$25.00+\$2.47 Fee

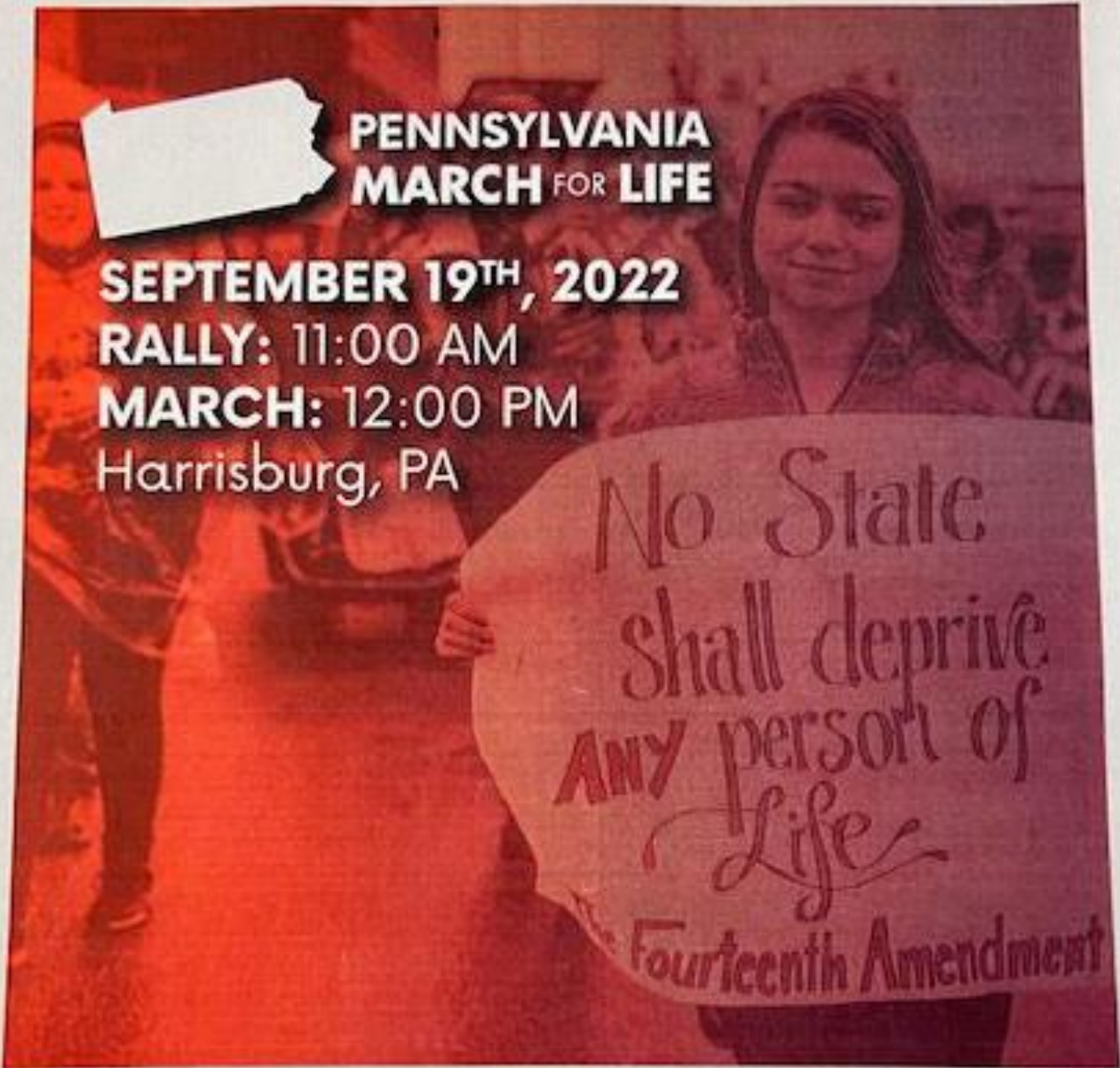
Sales start on Dec 28, 2022

This ticket is for all students: Middle School, High School, & University age

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PENNSYLVANIA MARCH FOR LIFE

SEPTEMBER 19TH, 2022

RALLY: 11:00 AM

MARCH: 12:00 PM

Harrisburg, PA

SAVE THE DATE

Join us for the Second Annual Pennsylvania March for Life on September 19, 2022 in Harrisburg, PA on the steps of the State Capitol Building. Hear from pro-life leaders about the most pressing issues of today and how you can build a culture of life in the great Keystone State.

Learn more at Pennsylvania.MarchForLife.org

The Philadelphia Chapter



Knights of Columbus



is proud to announce our

Catholic Man and Woman

of 2022



Fr. Dennis O'Donnell



Sr. Paula Napoli

and

Jerry Bowes receiving
The 2022 Past Presidents Award

JOIN US IN OUR CELEBRATION

Sunday, October 2, 2022

2:00 to 6:00 PM

Twining Hall, 4900 E Street Road, Trevoise, PA

TICKETS: \$35.00
(by September 23rd)

A Program Book

will be available to include
Ads of Congratulations or advertisements

For further information contact Rich Konstance at 215.637.5834 or rkonstance@aol.com

From the Editor's Desk

I hope everyone had a safe and happy summer.

Remember that this is your newsletter. Please don't hesitate to contact me with any ideas, complaints, and/or suggestions for upcoming issues.

Vivat Jesus!

Fraternally yours,

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