

George W. Hudson Council #3701 49-18 Queens Blvd. Woodside NY 11377 718-446-3701

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Monthly Meetings 2nd & 4th Tuesdays

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# HUDSON MARINER

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### **Grand Knight's Message**

Brother Knights, Families, and Friends,

First, I would like to extend my heartfelt congratulations to our newly elected officers, and to those continuing in their roles. I wish you all the best of luck and great success—your leadership and dedication are the strengths of our council.

As October arrives, autumn is upon us—a season of change and renewal. Let us remember that new membership is the lifeline of our council. Now is the time to get back to business and continue building a strong future for Hudson Council #3701. This month brings us important dates to keep in mind:

October 13th - Columbus Day

October 28th - Membership Orientation & Insurance Drive 6pm to 8pm

October 31st - Halloween, let us be safe out there while enjoying the festivities.

Please remember, everything we do is possible only through your participation.
Together, let's make Hudson Council stronger than ever. Thank you for your
continued commitment and dedication - let's make this October a memorable one.

Ongoing Fundraisers & Activities:

C&B Swing Cards - \$5 each

C&B Raffle Tickets - \$3 each, \$12 a book, or 2 books for \$20

Football Fundraiser Tickets - \$20 each.

General Meetings: October 14th and October 28th

Finally, I ask you to support our Bridge to Life Program. Mothers and babies in need depend on our generosity. Baby products and donations are greatly appreciated.

We are also blessed to celebrate the recent canonization of St. Pier Giorgio Frassati and St. Carlo Acutis on September 7, 2025. These two young men remind us that holiness can be lived in ordinary days - through service, prayer, and love. St. Pier Giorgio devoted himself to helping the poor while St. Carlo Acutis, even at just 15, used his talents to share the beauty of Eucharist with the world. May their examples inspire us, especially the youth, to say "yes" to God's plan in our own lives.

Thank you, brothers, for all that you do. May God bless you and your families.

Fraternally yours,

Gilbert Gonzalez

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**Grand Knight** 

### CHAPLAIN'S CORNER



### Father Patrick J. Keating

Dear Brother Knights,

As we begin a new year, we congratulate our newly installed officers. We are grateful for their willingness to serve our council, and we thank them.

As members of the Knights of Columbus, we must stand as proud Catholic gentlemen, defending our nation, and most importantly, defending our Catholic faith and our Church. We live in a time that requires courage, namely, courage to be faithful to the Gospel of Jesus Christ and to be faithful to the example of our founder. The Knights of Columbus have been promoting the dignity of all human life since our foundation.

October is the month of the Holy Rosary. The Knights of Columbus have a great devotion to the Most Holy Rosary, and we as Catholic gentlemen should always look to honor our Blessed Mother and defend our faith. Praying the rosary, especially during October with the family is a wonder way of sharing the faith and growing closer to God as a family. There is an expression that many of you have probably heard: "the family that prays together, stays together".

May the example of Blessed Michael McGivney continue to guide the work of our council. Please know that you and your family are in my daily prayers.

In Christ, Father Patrick J. Keating







### Please pray for the sick and deceased of George W. Hudson Council



#### **SICK OF THE COUNCIL**

WILLIAM KEATING, FATHER OF REV. PATRICK J. KEATING DENNIS BRANCO

#### **DECEASED OF THE COUNCIL**

ROBERT F. MCKIBBEN (HOT DOG)

PATRICK FINN, BROTHER OF LARRY FINN

EDWARD HART, SR.

KATHLEEN HILLIARD, WIFE OF RED HILLIARD

MICHAEL P. REDDINGTON, PGK

JOHN P. HOLLYWOOD

JOHN F. RYAN

CATHERINE GREY, MOTHER OF WILLIAM R. GREY, F.S.

KATHERINE KEY, MOTHER OF KEVIN KEY

### DO GOOD GIVE BACK!



Knights Gear supports KofC Charities with a donation from each and every purchase made on Knights Gear!



Visit Hudson on the Web! KOFC3701.org

### HUDSON STRONG!

Visit our Face Book Group!
"K of C — GW Hudson Council #3701"



## MARKYOUR CALENDAR UPCOMING EVENTS

MONDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2025 TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2025 TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2025

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2025 FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2025 COLUMBUS DAY
MONTHLY LECTURER MEETING 8PM
MEMBERSHIP ORIENTATION &

INSURANCE DRIVE 6PM - 8PM (before meeting)

MONTHLY GENEARL MEETING 8PM

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If paying by check please mark what month you are paying for.

Thank you, Billy Quinn



### G.W. HUDSON'S



### MEMBERSHIP ORIENTATION & INSURANCE DRIVE



Knights of Columbus
INSURANCE
YOUR SHIELD FOR LIFE

### WHEN

### Tuesday, October 28th 6 pm - 8 pm

(before the meeting)

\*Meet New Members

\*Sponsor A Friend

### WHERE

**GW Hudson Council** 

**49-18 Queens Blvd. Woodside NY 11377** 

\*Secure

WELCOME: ALL MEMBERS

## **INSURANCE INFORMATION**

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# NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION

### **SPONSOR**

PATRICK KEANE
K of C Insurance Field Agent
718-300-0810
Patrick.Keane@kofc.org

### **Contact**

Willie Grey , FS 347-733-4653

Patrick Keane 718-300-0810 for details



#### I Am a Life Insurance Policy

- I am a piece of paper, a drop of ink and a few dollars of premium.
- I am a promise to pay.
- I help people see visions, dream dreams, and achieve economic immortality.
- I am savings.
- I am property that increases in value from year to year.
- I lend money when you need it most, with no questions asked.
- I pay off mortgages, so that the family can remain together in their own home.
- I assure people the daring to live and moral right to die.
- I create money where none existed before.
- I am the great emancipator from want.
- I guarantee the continuity of business.
- I conserve the employer's investment.
- I am tangible evidence that a man is a good husband and father, and a woman a good wife and mother.
- I am a declaration of financial independence and economic freedom.
- I am the difference between an old man or woman and an elderly gentleman or lady.
- I provide cash if illness, injury, old age, or death cuts off the breadwinner's income
- I am the only thing that you can buy on the installment plan that your family doesn't have to finish paying for.
- I am protected by laws that prevent creditors from assessing the money
- I give to your loved ones.
- I bring dignity, peace of mind and security to your family.
- I supply investment capital that makes the wheels turn and motors hum.
- I guarantee the financial ability to have happy holidays and the laughter of children, even though father or mother is not there.
- I am the guardian angel of the home.
- I am life insurance





# HUDSON COUNCIL'S END OF SUMMER DANCE

















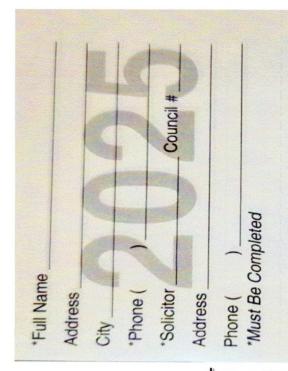


**HUDSON MARINER** 



### C & B Raffle Tickets





2025 New York State Council, K. of C. CHARITABLE & BENEVOLENT PROGRAM \$50,000 CASH PRIZES

**GRAND PRIZE - \$25,000** 2nd Prize: \$10,000 3rd Prize: \$5,000

(10) \$1,000 Prizes

Donation \$3.00 - Donor need not be present 2025 Final Drawing will be held on Saturday December 6th, 2025 Villa Roma • Callicoon, NY

Contributions to the New York State Council Knights of Columbus C & B Program are not deductible as a charitable contribution for Federal income tax purposes

### \$3 Each Ticket

\$12 per Book

(\$10 per Book if you buy 2 or more)

All Proceeds go towards

G.W. Hudson's C & B goal.

Hudson gets \$4 to \$6 from every book sold.

My Goal is for every member to sell at least two books or more. We can do this!!

"HUDSON STRONG"

Willie Grey – C & B Chairman 2025



### **HUDSON COUNCIL 3701**











We are looking for members to get more involved at Hudson's events and activities. Even more important to come up with new ideas / events that you would like to see happen, such as:

Radio Bingo, Movie Nights, Barn Dance, Sip-n-Paint Night, Comedy Night, Trivia Night, Day Trips, etc.

This is YOUR council. I want to hear your ideas and what you want to see at Hudson.

Remember there are NO Bad Ideas, but having NO Ideas at all is Bad!

"ALONE WE CAN DO SO LITTLE: TOGETHER WE CAN DO SO MUCH."