



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

Mariner Editor,  
 S.K. Mike MacGowan

Monthly Meetings  
 2nd & 4th Tuesdays

**Council Officers**

- Rev. Patrick J Keating.....Chaplain
- Gilbert Gonzalez.....Grand Knight
- Edward Hodel...Deputy Grand Knight
- William R. Grey...Financial Secretary
- Francis M. Fraser.....Chancellor
- Brian K. Falvey.....Recorder
- Sean M. Cummins.....Treasurer
- Peter G. Pasacrita.....Lecturer
- John F. Zenko.....Advocate
- Lawrence M. Finn.....Warden
- Paul O. D'Onofrio.....Inside Guard
- James J. Robson.....Outside Guard
- Bennett Flynn, PGK...Outside Guard
- Frank Longhitano, PGK .....Trustee, 1 Year
- Frederick W. Sutton.....Trustee, 2-Year
- Joseph J. Abramitis, PGK...Trustee, 3 Year

**DIRECTORS**

- Willie Grey, FS.....Program Director
- James Quinn.....Admissions
- John Zenko...Nominating Committee
- Willie Grey, FS.....Scholarships
- Kevin Scanlon, Sr.....Orphan's
- Chris Corcuera.....Youth Director

**Long Island Chapter Delegates**

- Joseph J. Abramaitis, PGK
- Daniel F. Guez, PGK

**26th District**



**HUDSON MARINER**

CHARITY                      UNITY                      FRATERNITY                      PATRIOTISM

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**Grand Knight's Message**

Dear Brother Knights, Families, and Friends,

As we enter the month of March, we also find ourselves already well into the holy season of Lent. This is a time of reflection, sacrifice, and renewal as we journey toward the glorious Resurrection of Our Lord, Jesus Christ. May this Lenten season draw each of us closer to Him and strengthen our faith, our families, and our Council.

March also brings us a joyful celebration as we look forward to Saint Patrick's Day in honor Saint Patrick. Our council will host a Saint Patrick's Day Brunch on Sunday, March 8th from 2 PM to 6 PM. I encourage all of you to come out with your families and friends for an afternoon of food, laughter, and solidarity as we celebrate together.

Please note that our Annual 50/50 Raffle, originally scheduled to be drawn on Valentine's Day. Date will be determined for the drawing. This change is being made in an effort to increase participation and make the drawing even more exciting. We hope this allows more members and guests to take part.

Looking ahead, please mark your calendars for our Eddie A Memorial Knight at the Races, which will be held on Saturday, April 25th, with the first race starting at 2:00 PM. This is always a wonderful event that brings our Council together in support, remembrance, and fraternity.

With all of this being said, let us embrace the month of March with faith and joy. I look forward to seeing all of you soon.

God Bless

Fraternally yours,

Gilbert Gonzalez

*Gilbert Gonzalez*

Grand Knight

# CHAPLAIN'S CORNER



**Father Patrick J. Keating**

**Dear Brother Knights,**

I am sure we are all looking forward to the arrival of spring this year, especially after such an extremely cold winter. We are anticipating to the days becoming longer, the weather getting warmer, and the arrival of baseball.

We are on our Lenten journey, which started on Ash Wednesday. Lent is an important time of spiritual preparation. I have always thought of Lent as a type of "spring training", a time when all of us get back to the basics of our Catholic faith. We are invited to exercise our souls a little more during this sacred time. Lent gives us an opportunity to prepare through prayer, fasting, and almsgiving (charity).

I pray that your Lenten journey towards the Holy Season of Easter may be a blessed time. Also, I wish to extend my greetings to you for a Happy Saint Patrick's Day and a Happy Saint Joseph's Day. May the example of Venerable 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**



**Knights of  
Columbus<sup>®</sup>**



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



**SICK OF THE COUNCIL**

**DECEASED OF THE COUNCIL**

**James C. Hanley  
Charles F. Menzer  
Robert F. Zorn  
Patrick P. Leavy**



**G .W. HUDSON COUNCIL**



**ANNUAL FUNDRAISER**

**Support our charitable events and expenses with a**

**50 / 50 Raffle**

**\$20 per Ticket / 3 for \$50**

**Drawing To Be Determined**

**(It will not be next week)**

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## 2026 MEMBERSHIP DUES NOTICES

The dues notices were sent out via email and then via U.S.P.S. Please be prompt in returning your payment and if you have any questions or concerns please contact me at

(347) 733-4653

Electronic payments can be made to [3701FS@gmail.com](mailto:3701FS@gmail.com) using Zelle, Venmo and PayPal.

Thank you,  
William R. Grey,  
Financial Secretary



## HUDSON COUNCIL

**\*PLEASE NOTE THE DATE CHANGE\***



### 20K DRAWING

Drawing is  
Saturday, May 16, 2026  
Cocktail Party  
2:00pm to 4:00pm  
Drawing at 3:00pm

Tickets are available, if you are interested in getting tickets, please call the Council (718) 446-3701

Bill Quinn, Chairman



## MARK YOUR CALENDAR UPCOMING DATES & EVENTS

**SUNDAY, MARCH 8, 2026**  
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**TUESDAY, MARCH 10, 2026**  
**TUESDAY, MARCH 17, 2026**  
**TUESDAY, MARCH 24, 2026**  
**SUNDAY, MARCH 29, 2026**  
**FRIDAY, APRIL 3, 2026**  
**SUNDAY, APRIL 5, 2026**  
**TUESDAY, APRIL 14, 2026**  
**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22, 2026**  
**SATURDAY, APRIL 25, 2026**  
  
**TUESDAY, APRIL 28, 2026**

**DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME STARTS**  
**ST. PATRICK'S BRUNCH 2PM TO 6PM**  
**MONTHLY LECTURER MEETING 8PM**  
**ST. PATRICK'S DAY**  
**MONTHLY GENERAL MEETING 8PM**  
**PALM SUNDAY**  
**GOOD FRIDAY**  
**EASTER SUNDAY**  
**MONTHLY LECTURER MEETING 8PM**  
**EARTH DAY**  
**THE EDDIE "A" MEMORIAL**  
**"KNIGHT AT THE RACES"**  
**MONTHLY GENERAL MEETING 8PM**



## 100 TO ONE

NEXT DRAWING WILL BE AT 1ST  
MEETING IN MARCH, DUE TO THE WEATHER



<b>5263883</b>	<p><b>FEBRUARY WINNERS</b></p> <p>President #.....1,200 Votes</p> <p>Vice President #.....500 Votes</p> <p>Secretary #.....300 Votes</p> <p>Council.....500 Votes</p>	<b>5263883</b>
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If paying by check please mark what month you are paying for.

Thank you, Bill Quinn

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

*"Keep The Tradition Alive"*

# St. Patrick's

## Brunch



***Knights of Columbus***

***49-18 Queens Blvd***

**Sunday, March 8th**

**2 P.M. to 6 P.M.**

*Come join us for good food & lots of fun!  
Irish Brunch Served with an Open Bar*

**Irish entertainment**

**\$ 55 Per Person**

*Children under 12 free*



Contact Michael Reddington @ 347-992-5120  
or at the Council 718-446-3701



# HUDSON COUNCIL EVENT

## THE EDDIE A MEMORIAL "KNIGHT" AT THE RACES

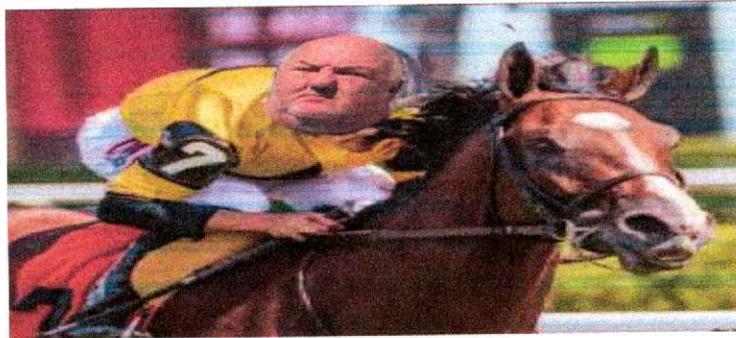


Saturday, April 25th  
First Race @ 2 PM



**\*\*Doors open at 1:15 pm\*\***

**\$20 Admission**  
(free with purchase of horse)



**\*\* BEER & FOOD INCLUDED \*\***

**\*\* CASH BAR AVAILABLE \*\***

**\*\* 50/50 RAFFLES\*\***

**ALSO AVAILABLE:**

***\$25 HORSE OWNERSHIP***

(Admission for 1, Name a Horse, \$50 for Win)

***\$125 RACE SPONSORSHIP***

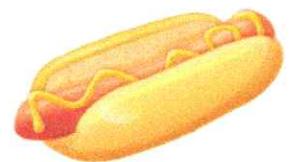
(Admission for 2, Name a race & horse, \$100 for win)

**For Details Contact**

**\* WILLIE GREY ( 347-733-4653 ) \***

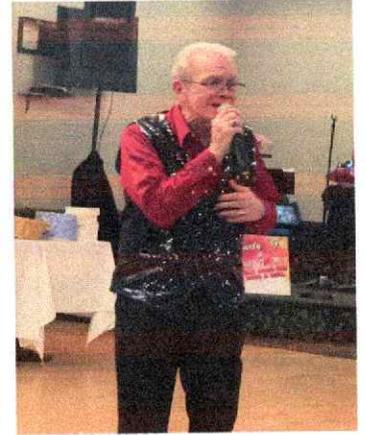
**\* MIKE MOORE ( 917-520-8641 ) \***

**OR CALL THE KNIGHTS 718-446-3701**





# Hudson Council Valentine's Dance





**OUR FOUNDER  
MICHAEL MCGIVNEY**

**HUDSON**



**STRONG!**

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



**Join Today Be Part of Something  
Special - Be A Knight!  
George W. Hudson Council #3701  
2026**

**Membership Recruiting Drive**

If you know of any Catholic Gentlemen 18-  
years and older, who would be interested in  
joining the largest Catholic men's  
organization in the world, please give the  
council a call 718-446-3701



**Archbishop Ronald A. Hicks  
Archdiocese of New York**

