



George W. Hudson Council #3701
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2nd & 4th Tuesdays

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Grand Knight's Message

My Dear Brother's,

February is often known for being a month dedicated to love. We will celebrating the month of love at our Valentine's Dance Party on February 17th.

This year, Ash Wednesday and Valentine's Day fall on the same date, February 14th. The first Sunday of lent is February 18th.

As we enter the month of February, let us reflect on the virtues of Charity and love that are celebrated during this time. This month, let us continue to embody the values of Unity and Fraternity that define our organization.

February is not only about Valentine's and romances, it's about the relationships with family and friends. Valentine's Day, we emphasize the importance of love in our lives.

In February the days get longer the evening's lighter, before you know it spring is here. Lent is a time when we focus on God prayer, fasting, and giving.

Our Unity as brothers and our commitment to serving others exemplify the true meaning of love,

Thank you and God Bless

Fraternally Yours,

Gilbert Gonzalez

Grand Knight

CHAPLAIN'S CORNER



Father Patrick J. Keating

Dear Brother Knights,

On February 14th, we will begin our Lenten journey with Ash Wednesday. Lent is a holy time where we as Catholics have an opportunity to deepen our faith. Lent is a time of preparation: through prayer, fasting, and almsgiving (charity). The Knights of Columbus are known worldwide as being a fraternal organization of Catholic Men who live their faith, as we have seen over the years.

So often we have the best of intentions, but time seems to fly by so quickly. Therefore, this Lent, I invite you to try to do a small thing each day of Lent, as a way of growing closer to Christ. Try to set aside five minutes each day, either in the morning or the evening for a quick prayer, perhaps the Our Father, a Hail Mary, and a Glory Be; if you have more time perhaps you can pray the whole Rosary. In the Rosary, we reflect on the life of Jesus, through the eyes of Our Blessed Mother. Lent is a chance for all of us to recharge our souls. We live in a world that is constantly challenging our faith, and we need to be strong, we need to be people of hope. We can only do this if we are praying, prayer is the oxygen of our spiritual lives.

I pray that your Lenten Journey towards the Holy Season of Easter may be a blessed time. 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



Our Founder
Venerable
Michael McGivney



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Columbus®**



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



SICK OF THE COUNCIL

DECEASED OF THE COUNCIL

Dennis O'Shea



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MARK YOUR CALENDAR—UPCOMING EVENTS

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13TH

MONTHLY LECTURER MEETING 8PM

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14TH

ASH WEDNESDAY, START OF LENT

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14TH

VALENTINE'S DAY

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17TH

VALENTINE'S PARTY 6PM TO 10PM

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19TH

PRESIDENT'S DAY

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27TH

MONTHLY GENERAL MEETING 8PM

100 TO ONE CLUB

5263883	DECEMBER WINNERS		5263883
	President #79.....	1,200 Votes	
	Vice President #85.....	500 Votes	
	Secretary #10.....	300 Votes	
	Council.....	500 Votes	

5263883	JANUARY WINNERS		5263883
	President #85.....	1,200 Votes	
	Vice President #84.....	500 Votes	
	Secretary #10.....	300 Votes	
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If paying by check please mark what month you are paying for.

Thank you, Billy Quinn

2024 MEMBERSHIP DUES NOTICES

The dues notices have gone 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.

Electronic payments can be mail to 3701FS@gmail.com using Zelle, Venmo and PayPal.

Thank you,

William R. Grey,
Financial Secretary



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

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Although you may see many events that are coming up, they are not possible without you. I am looking for some brothers who want to be more involved in Hudson and keep us going strong. So please reach to me so we can plan more events at Hudson. Lets make those memories for our families, that we have done so many times over the years. So reach out to me if interested so we discuss how YOU can help your brother Knights. Thank You and God Bless!

Willie Grey, FS /Program Director

347-733-4653 * hudsonevents@gmail.com

No idea is a bad one, having NO ideas at all is worse!



HUDSON STRONG!



**Join Today Be Part of Something
Special - Be A Knight!**

**George W. Hudson Council #3701
2024**

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

**BECOME A MEMBER
TODAY!**

**Visit Hudson on the
Web!**

KOFC3701.org

20K DRAWING

**Drawing is
Sunday, May 19, 2024**

**Cocktail Party
2:00pm to 4:00pm
Drawing at 3:00pm**

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

Bill Quinn, Chairman

Music by
MARTY G & THE G-MEN

\$50 Per Person * Open Bar * Food * Great Music

Valentine's Party

Open Bar **HOT FOOD Buffet**

Where: **G.W. HUDSON COUNCIL**
 When: **SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17th, 2024**
 Time: **6 PM to 10 PM**

**** Contact Mike MacGowan 347-992-1922 or Willie Grey 347-733-4653 for reservations ****

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Ticket #1 _____ Ticket #1 _____

Knights of Columbus
 G.W. Hudson Council #3701

Annual 50/50 Raffle
 Drawing to be held in Feb. 2024
 (TBD @ Hudson Event)
 \$20 Each or 3 for \$50

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
 G.W. HUDSON COUNCIL #3701

ANNUAL FUNDRAISER

Support our charitable events and expenses
 with a **50 / 50 Raffle**

\$20 per Ticket / 3 for \$50

Drawing date Saturday, February 17, 2024
 @ Hudson's Valentines Party
 Hudson Council - 4918 Queens Blvd Woodside NY 11377

See Willie Grey for details.

"Keep The Tradition Alive"

St. Patrick's



Brunch



Knights of Columbus

49-18 Queens Blvd



Sunday, March 3RD



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



**For Reservations Contact Mike Reddington, PGK
at the Council 718-446-3701**



HUDSON COUNCIL EVENT



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



Saturday, April 27th
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 SATURDAY 718-446-3701

