

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

Dear Brother Knights,

As we step into the New Year, I would like to take a moment to wish each of you and your families a blessed and joyful 2025. I hope your Christmas season was filled with peace, love, and the true spirit of Christ's birth. The start of a New Year is a time of reflection and renewal, both personally and as a council. Together, we have accomplished much over the past year, and I am deeply grateful for the dedication and commitment each of you has shown to our faith, our council, and our community.

This year, I encourage all of us to set goals that deepen our faith, enhance our councils work, and brings us closer together as Brothers.

Let us keep Christ at the center of all we do, ensuring that our efforts reflect his love and teachings.

Thank you for your unwavering dedication, may 2025 be a year filled with blessings, growth and opportunities to make a difference. Let us move forward with renewed energy trusting in God's guidance and grace.

Thank you and God Bless

Fraternally yours,

Gilbert Gonzalez

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**Grand Knight** 



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



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

MICHAEL REDDINGTON, PGK
JAMES BRUSINI
FATHER OF FATHER PATRICK J. KEATING

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



# 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



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# 100 TO ONE CLUB

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There are some 100 to One boxes open. It is \$25 per month and 3 chances to win each month.

1st Prize—\$1200

2nd Prize—\$500

3rd Prize—\$300

Council—\$500

This is one of our many fundraisers that keep Hudson council strong. So pleas reach out to Willie Grey 347-733-4653 for your box. Lets get involved if you are not already.



# MARKYOUR CALENDAR UPCOMING EVENTS

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 1, 2025 TUESDAY, JANUARY 14, 2025 TUESDAY, JANUARY 28, 2025 TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2025 FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2025 SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2025 TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2025

NEW YEAR'S DAY
MONTHLY LECTURER MEETING 8PM
MONTHLY GENERAL MEETING 8PM
MONTHLY LECTURER MEETING 8PM
VALENTINE'S DAY
VALENTINE'S DANCE 6PM-10PM
MONTHLY GENERAL MEETING 8PM

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

## **HUDSON COUNCIL**

Since September, our Council has been collecting packaged food for the needy. We were able to donate approximately 100-pounds of food to the St. Theresa's Food Pantry.. Hudson Council Officer's Brian K. Falvey, Recorder and Gilbert Gonzalez, Grand Knight delivered the food.

The Church is grateful for our generous donation.

We like to thank everyone that donated food for this worthy cause.







## **2025 MEMBERSHIP DUES NOTICES**

The dues notices will be going out mid November 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 using Zelle, Venmo and PayPal.

Thank you, William R. Grey, Financial Secretary









### 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

Tentative drawing date Saturday, February 15, 2025 @Hudson's Valentines Party

Hudson Council—49-18 Queens Blvd. Woodside, NY 11377



See Willie Grey for details



# Knights of Columbus Hudson Council Presents



# entine's Dance

Featuring







Performing "Live" The best music of the 50's, 60's, 70's & more...

Saturday, February 15, 2025 6:00pm to 10:00pm

49-18 Queens Blvd. Woodside, N.Y. 11377 \$50.00 Per Person Includes Food and Open Bar

For more details & to reserve tickets please contact:

Willie Grey (347) 733-4653 Mike MacGowan (347) 992-1922

#### **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!





Join Today Be Part of Something Special - Be A Knight! George W. Hudson Council #3701 2025

**Membership Recruiting Drive** 

If you know of any Catholic Gentlemen 18years 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!

# 100 to One

NEXT DRAWING WILL BE AT JANUARY 14TH MEETING

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

Thank you, Billy Quinn







# GEORGE W. HUDSON COUNCIL #3701

## HALL FOR RENT

#### **COME LOOK US OVER**



If you are looking for a hall to rent for a special occasion don't forget your Council.

Please call 718-446-3701 on Sunday, Wednesday & Saturday after 6 PM for details. Ask for Billy Quinn or Willie Grey, FS



MAIN HALL (UPSTAIRS)

HOLDS 90 TO 160 PEOPLE

THE PACKAGE COMES WITH BAR OPTIONS AND FOOD CHOICES.

McLoughlin Room (Downstairs)

THIS ROOM HOLDS UP TO 80 PEOPLE. BAR AND CATERING ARE AVAILABLE.