

## **PIUS KNIGHTS** THE NEWSLETTER FOR ST. PIUS X

COUNCID #10332 PLAINVIEW, N.Y. 11803 MEETINGS 2<sup>ND</sup> & 4<sup>TH</sup> THURSDAYS' 7:30 PM ROOM #1 \*WATCH FOR CHANGES\*

13<sup>th</sup> DISTRICT JANUARY 2015 Editor-in-Chief D.D. James R. Albert, PGK ddjra13@gmail.com

Grand Knight's Message:



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<u>Insurance Agent:</u> Jose Maldonado On Tuesday, December 2nd we held our annual Tree Lighting ceremony. The weather was not cooperating, so Father Valentine said a prayer and blessing and the 70 Adults and children present went to Madonna Hall for hot chocolate and some treats. Bob Jurik our chairman of the event did a great job of organizing the event and leading everyone in Carol-ling. This was a wonderful start to the Christmas Season. Thanks to Gene Robinson for purchasing and setting up for the repast, and Anthony Corrente and Dom Sala for helping clean-up.

On the same night we had a First and Second degree at Barry Council. New Brother Ken Mannion received his First and Second degree and Brother Bob Masi received his Second degree. This Columbian year 5 new members have joined our Council.

Our Breakfast with Santa was a tremendous success. We raised over \$2,000.00 which will provide the final funds for the flooring in Madonna Hall. To date we have raised \$9.500.00 for the flooring. This was a real team effort as we served over 270 Adults and children. I want to thank the following Brothers DD Jim Albert, Bob Munao, Vic Orlando, Tony Pierno, Jose Maldonado, Ralph Plaisance, Gene Robinson, Anthony Corrente, Joe Kosiba, Sal Manziello, Nick Hart, Arnold Bendig, Chris DiPierri, Bob Masi, Harold Mayer, Pete Sallie, Bill Bullwinkel, Bob Jurik, Jim Zeigler, Rich Hart, Zach Beriloff, Joe DeRosa, Ray Alexander, Ken Krogman, George Blochl, Mike Yaccarino and Phil Saglimbene. These Knights prepared, cooked, decorated and cleaned up after a very grueling day. BROTHERS I SALUTE YOU ALL. I also want to thank our Columbiettes for donating muffins, cakes and cookies which made the breakfast tastier.

Our Christmas Party was well attended. Thanks to Chairman Ralph Plaisance and Jim Albert for organizing the event. The money raised from this event will go to scholarships for four Catholic High School students. Special thanks to those brothers who assisted in the set-up and clean-up after the party!

Brothers, this year dues are \$37.00 and must be submitted between January 1, 2015 until February 28, 2015 without penalty.. We have kept the dues the same for many years, even as our operating costs have increased. Dues received March 1 and after, will increase to \$42.00, so please submit the dues before then to save money.

Fran and I want to wish all of the "Pius Knights", Columbiettes and their families a Happy and Healthy New Year. *Fraternally, Grand Knight Neil DeRosa* 



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During this Football Playoff season go to the Supreme website and Joe Lombardi, grandson of legendary football coach Vince Lombardi, talks about the legacy of faith and service his grandfather built for his family and the value of membership in the Knights of Columbus.



COUNCIL NEWS"

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At the "Mid-Year" meeting State Deputy Carmine Musumeci stated that Pope Francis would be coming to Philadelphia, PA in September 2015. He also stated that neighboring N.Y. would be assisting in the celebration. He further stated that Supreme Knight Carl Anderson would be at the Albany "Prayer Rally". The Nassau Chapter Website is: http://www.nassauchapterkofc.org/



Steve Driscoll President

## AND THE WINNERS ARE:

CCD GRANT WINNERS: \$125 each Brian K Cleary, Joseph Barry Council #2520 Michael Trimarco, Our Lady of Mercy/Lamb Council #5723

ELEMENTARY GRANT WINNERS: \$250 John Voyes, Our Lady of the Island Council #6911

John Passarella, Sign of the Cross #11254

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HERE IS OUR STORY MONTH BY MONTH 1910 TO 1917

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**1910:** Notre Dame Council 1477 is chartered in the spring of 1910, becoming the first of nearly 250 college councils worldwide.

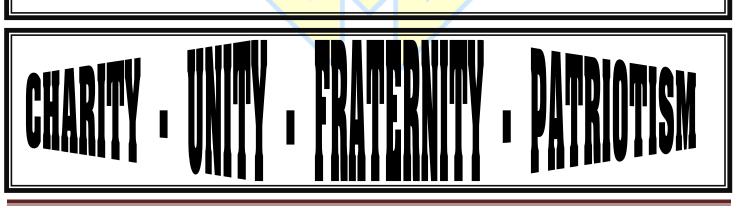
**1912:** With support from the Knights, the Christopher Columbus Memorial Fountain is dedicated in Washington, D.C. Some 20,000 Knights attend the ceremonies, which are overseen by President William H. Taft.

**1914:** Tens of thousands of copies of a "bogus oath" are circulated to defame the Knights of Columbus. The Knights, in turn, lay the groundwork for a lecture series and educational programs to combat anti-Catholic hostility. Between 1914 and 1917, the number of anti-Catholic publications drops from 60 to fewer than five.

**1916:** When National Guardsmen are sent to the U.S.-Mexico border to prevent Mexican Gen. Francisco "Pancho" Villa from raiding towns in New Mexico, Arizona and Texas, K of C councils in those states spontaneously respond to the religious and social needs of troops serving there.

**1917:** When the United States enters World War I, Supreme Knight Flaherty writes President Woodrow Wilson telling him that the Order plans to establish centers to provide for the troops' "recreational and spiritual comfort." The Knights' services, he says, will be offered "regardless of creed."

**1917:** By the summer of 1917, the Order opens service centers, or "K of C Huts," in training camps and behind the lines of battle. The Knights and independent fund drives raise nearly \$30 million to finance the huts.



Fraternally, Editor-In-Chief District Deputy Jim Albert



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Pro-Life Mass St. Patrick's Cathedral Sunday January 1 8TH I O: I 5AM JOIN YOUR BROTHER KNIGHTS



Seminarian Chris Bethge Don't forget to send a note of encouragement to our adopted Seminarian. A Greeting Card with your sentiments would be a boost for him!

<u>Contact Information:</u> St. Joseph's Seminary (Dunwoodie) 201 Seminary Avenue Yonkers, N.Y. 10704-1896

Happy Birthday to: Frank LaBarbera 1/24, Delores Mazzola 1/5, Cathy Komondorea 1/14. Michael Lauto 1/9, Pat Lauto 1/1

Happy Anniversary to: Josephine & Frank LaBarbera 1/25/53 (62), Katherine & Tony Musto 1/27/73 (42), Marion & Walter Priestly 1/17/53 (62), Mike and Pat Lauto 1/16/1960 (55)

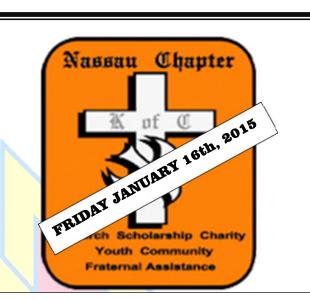




Walter P. Kellenberg Assembly 078 YOUR DUES are Due. Please send \$25.00 to SK Comptroller Charles Prancl at: 1130 Shelden Drive Westbury, N.Y. 11590-5416



The secret of a good sermon is to have a good beginning and a good ending; and to have the two as close together as possible



NEXT CHAPTER MEETING WILL BE AT FATHER FARRELL COUNCIL AT ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH HEWLETT, N.Y.

COUNCILS OF THE 13TH DISTRICT JOSEPH BARRY COUNCIL #2520 MERCY/LAMB COUNCIL #5723 MSGR. DELANEY COUNCIL #5983 ST. PIUS X COUNCIL #10332 HOLY FAMILY COUNCIL #11227 SIGN OF THE CROSS COUNCIL # 11254

Brothers All,

D.D. James Albert

Treasurer to the Board

I am back from the "Mid-Year Meetings" held at Villa Roma in Calicoon, New York. The State Family, Conference Officers, and District Deputies from all over New York State came together to report on the progress of the State and to draw the winners for the Charity & Benevolent Raffle. The State Deputy has informed us that we sold more C & B books than ever before. He also stated that Pope Francis will visit Philadelphia, PA in September 2015 and he pledged the help of neighboring N.Y. State to assist in the celebration. He also stated that Supreme Knight Carl Anderson was impressed with all the good work of the New York Knights and would be coming the Albany Prayer Rally.

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DISTRICT

We are halfway through the Columbian year and GK Neil DeRosa is very close to obtaining "Star Council". We need one additional insurance and new membership to attain the most prestigious award. Please help Neil who has worked so very hard for St. Pius X Council. I am also happy to report that Holy Family Council and Our Lady of Mercy/ Joseph Lamb Council are also close to achieving their "Star Council" Awards.

Fraternally, District Deputy Jim Albert

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## **C & B WINNERS DRAWN** DECEMBER 6TH 2015 **VILLA ROMA, N.Y.**

Prize	Winner	Membership Number	Seller/Council #		
\$ 25,000	Joseph McCarthy	2087023	Joseph McCarthy	259	
\$10,000	LindaSchook	03400057	F.Schook	4428	
\$5,000	F. Capbianco	0527879	same	4257	
\$1,000	Mark Ricafuerte	0148564	Same	337	
\$1,000	Richard L. Gaston	1866223	Same	5398	
\$1,000	Tom Gebert	0956382		197	
\$1,000	Joe Grasso	1012773	D. Giusto	14771	
\$1,000	Michael Giordiano	0813247	Rose Giordiano	4960	
\$1,000	Brian O' Keefe	0615542	Same	1463	
\$1,000	Mary Malone	0610088	Sullivan	9320	
\$1,000	William Donohue	1150139	Bill Donohue	6911	
\$1,000	Richard Price	0315231	Same	3701	
\$1,000	Mary Psarreas	0089264		5522	



