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Grand Knig<mark>hts Message</mark>:

Another month has come and gone. This month was Groundhog's Day. This year he did not see his shadow which means an early spring. For most people this would be a good thing. However I am not most people and I love the cold and the snow. With that being said not much was done in the month of February. We did receive a check for \$736 from all of the C&B Books that were sold. Thank you PGK Neil Derosa for being the chairman for that and doing an amazing job. We will be starting up shortly for the New Year. When Neil sends them out please mail them back to him. This really helps the council out. The State Council this year will be trying to start a new event for C&B **Books.** They will be doing a picnic. I would love for us to be the Host Council for this. We will get extra books for doing that. It could be a huge win for us. Plus we are able to get our name out there and show what St Pius can do! Hopefully by my next message we will have more information on it. The month of March is a very busy month for our council. We need everyone's help to make this a successful month. On March 5<sup>th</sup> we have our St Patrick/ St. Joes Dinner. Set up will be earlier in the day. We need to set up tables/ chairs and stations in the gym. We need to have it in the gym for the Irish step dancers; we had to do it early this year because of how Easter falls. Hopefully people will be out of the snow and ready to start celebrating the spring and the Easter season. On March 10<sup>th</sup> Atria will be hosting a Wine and Cheese day for us between 4pm-6pm. They donate a bunch to us. It would be great if we can have a great turnout for this FREE event. It is on the same day as our regular meeting so our meeting time has changed to 6:30pm instead of 8pm. On Friday March 18<sup>th</sup> we will be doing the Stations of the Cross at 7pm. That same weekend we will have Breakfast with the Easter Bunny on Sunday March 20<sup>th</sup>. All hands on deck for this event. It is a huge Fundraiser for us. There will be NO MEETING on March 24<sup>th</sup> as that is Holy Thursday. There will be a social On Wednesday March 30<sup>th</sup> at Cue 9. See Arnold Bendig for details. Erica and I will like to wish everyone a very Happy Easter!!

## Fraternally, Grand Knight Dominick Sala



## SUPREME NEWS www.kofc.org

New Haven Ct.

Patrick Kelly, Knights of Columbus vice president for public policy and chairman of the board of the March for Life, began the rally by commending the marchers for traveling to the capital despite "a major storm barreling down on Washington, D.C." He said each one has a key role to play in what he referred to as "the most important human rights movement of the 21st century."



The New York State Knights of Columbus Convention will be March 24th to March 26th. GK Dominick Sala & PGK Neil DeRosa will be our Delegates. The Nassau Chapter Website is: <u>http://www.nassauchapterkofc.org/</u>



Mike Galgano is the Nassau Chapter President.

The Nassau Chapter Ball is just around the corner. The Grand Knight has purchased a table and if you are interested please contact him quickly. This year the Chapter will be honoring the retired priests of the "St. Pius X Enriched Living Center " in Amityville, N.Y.



HERE IS OUR STORY MONTH BY MONTH 1979 TO 1999

KAIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HISTORY

1979: The Order holds its first Marian Hour of Prayer program. Images of Our Lady of Guadalupe circulate among the Order's councils.

1979: In cooperation with the U.S. bishops, the Order underwrites the filming of Pope John Paul II's first pastoral visit to the United States.

1979: The Knights establishes a \$1 million Father Michael J. McGivney Fund for New Initiatives in Catholic Education to be administered by the National Catholic Educational Association. Annual proceeds are used to this day to finance programs that advance Catholic schools.

1981: The Order establishes the Vicarius Christi Fund, with annual earnings used for the pope's personal charities. The initial fund of \$10 million is increased to \$20 million in 1988.

1981: The Order begins a four-year restoration of St. Mary's Church, the birthplace of the Knights. The renovations include work on the organ, floors, pews, ceilings, statues and more. The project is capped by the placement of a 179-foot steeple atop the church.

1982: The Knights of Columbus celebrates its centennial. President Ronald Reagan attends the Order's 100th annual convention. Also in attendance is Cardinal Agostino Casaroli, who is sent by Pope John Paul II as the pope's personal envoy.

1982: The Order establishes several funds to help finance studies for priests and seminarians in Rome at pontifical colleges. These funds have been increased over the years to support seminarians and priests from the United States, Canada, Mexico and the Philippines.

1984: In recognition of the Order's volunteer service, President Ronald Reagan awards the Knights a President's Volunteer Action Award at White House ceremonies.

1985: The Order presents a mobile television production unit to the Vatican Television Center for the taping, recording and transmission of papal ceremonies. It is used during Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev's historic visit with Pope John Paul II that same year.

1985: The Order agrees to underwrite the restoration of the 65,000-square-foot facade of St. Peter's Basilica, the first time it has been cleaned in more than 350 years. Several subsequent projects have taken place at St. Peter's, including the restoration of chapels and of the Holy Year Door.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO: Ralph Plaisance 3/15, Joe Kosiba 3/8.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO: Father Cannon Ordination 3/5/66 (50). Father Simons Ordination March 17, 1962 (54) Mary Lou & Salvatore Mascolo 3/19/77 (39).

## K.I.N. KAIGHTS IN ALLO

Sal Mascolo, Pgk (2), Larry Herbst, <mark>Gene Robinson,</mark> Ray Ludwig, Pgk <mark>Walter Priestl</mark>y, John Heilig. Artie Ven<mark>ezia. Pyk</mark> Frank LaBarbera, Tony Pi<mark>erno,</mark> DonDickinson. John Mazzolla, Jim Reilly. Phil Roeske PLEASE KEEP OUR BROTHERS IN YOUR **PRAYERS** 

**Remember our Brothers** who have gone before us and sleep in Christ.

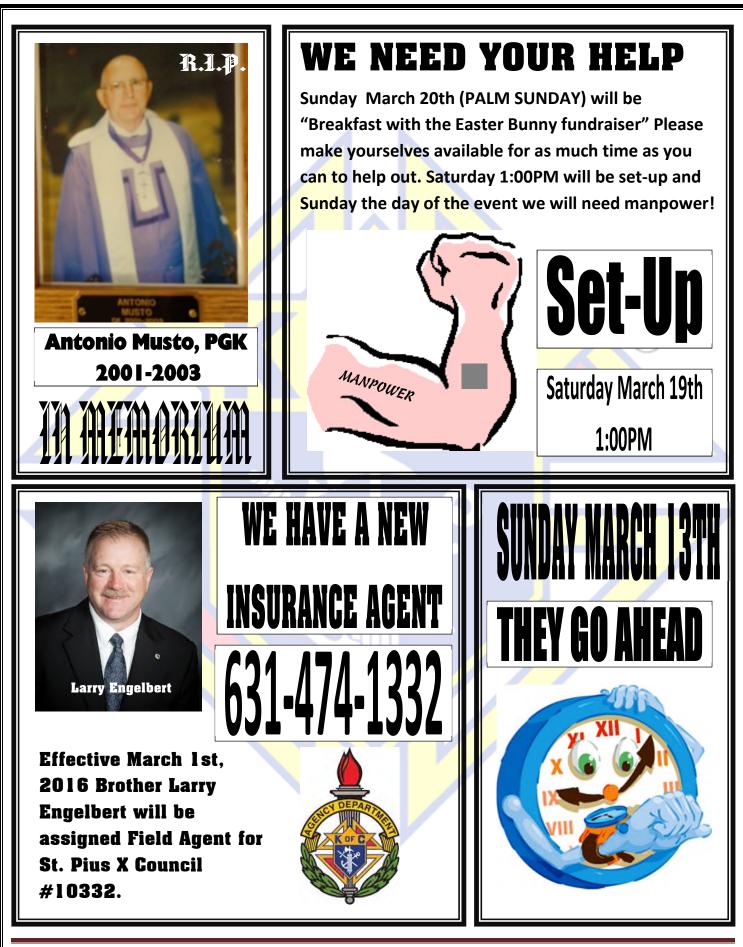
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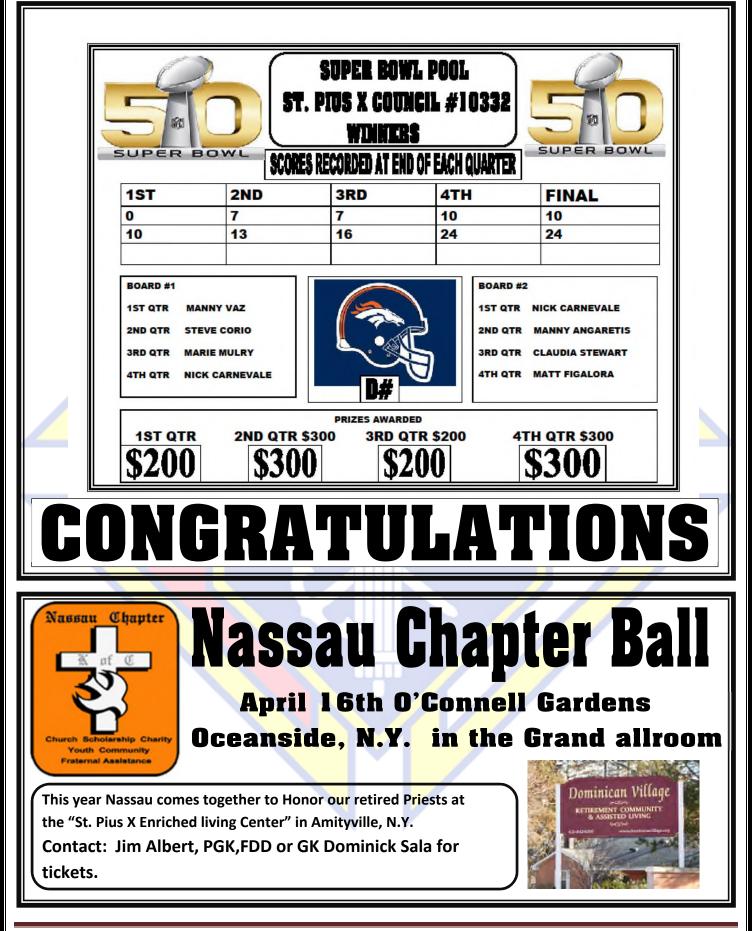
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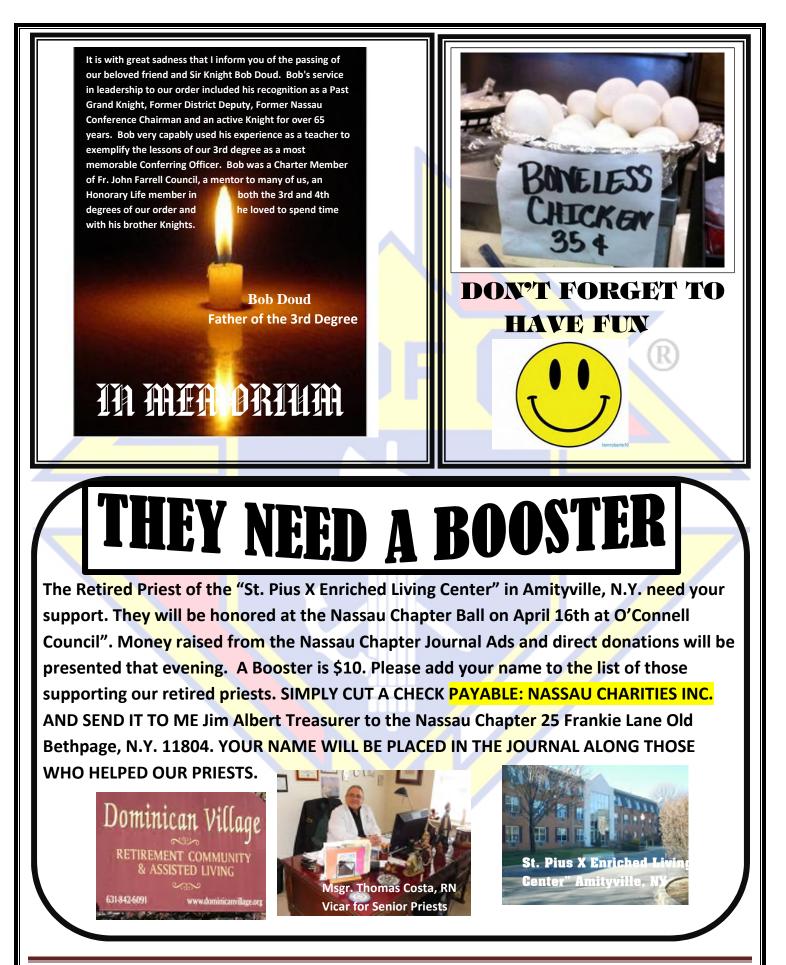


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Outdoor Mass at Our Lady of the Island in Eastport, N.Y.



May 15<sup>th</sup> 2015 10:00AM "Rosary Walk" **II:30AM OUTDOOR MASS The Mass will be performed in the Chapel in the event of inclement weather.** 

