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Grand Knight's Message

I don't know about you but I am still recovering from Italian Night. What a feast! Thanks to our Worthy PGKs John Savin and John Campanaro for hosting this wonderful event. Thanks to all who worked behind the scenes and thanks to those who attended and made for another great party at Memorare Council.

Sadly, I was informed that a member of our Council, Bro. Phil LoGuidice was struck by a car outside of the Council while on his way to attend Italian Night. Please keep Bro. LoGuidice in your prayers for a speedy and healthy recovery. Please be careful when crossing the streets around our Council or any street for that matter because STOP signs do not stop cars, drivers do...or too often don't.

Last month I detailed the calendar of events for October. I intend to do the same for each coming month and will get to it shortly. As we look into the near future, we are having some difficulty making sure our next events will each be as enjoyable as Italian Night was. Keeping the prices affordable requires more member participation with the planning, ticketing and preparing for each event. Just getting the event to happen requires having someone as Chairman of the event and support from a Committee to do the work. Our officers and members have always stepped up when asked and to paraphrase some famous words, now is the time for all good members to come to the aid of their council! Our annual New Year's Eve Party needs your help now! Our past Chairmen, PGK John Campanaro and Nick Florio cannot run the party this year. It is the responsibility of our Council Officers to try to chair an event or at least take reservations and help with the organization, planning and setup for an event. We cannot do this alone! It's time for all of us to step up as a team and lead our council through another successful Columbian Year! I need to hear from anyone willing to take on the New Year's Eve Party celebration planning before our November 7th Council Meeting. Additional support is also needed for our annual Council Christmas Party on December 19th. Please see me after any meeting

or give me a call if you can help in any way! Now for November's happenings! In addition to our regularly scheduled Council Activities listed on the Council Calendar, some important dates to remember for November are: Thursday, November 1st is All Saints Day; Sunday, November 4th when we turn our clocks back one hour as Daylight Savings Time ends; Tuesday, November 6th is Election Day when we will VOTE in one of the most important elections of our times; Sunday, November 11th is Veterans Day when we say THANK YOU! to those who served and serve still to keep us safe and free; Wednesday, November 14th and Thursday, November 15th when our Memorare Columbiettes conduct the Exemplification of their 1st Degree and their Major Degree ceremonials; Saturday, November 17th when Worthy PGK Alan Malangone and others will distribute the Food For Families boxes; Thursday, November 15th through Wednesday, November 21St when we conduct our C&B Drive at Zorns in Bethpage; Wednesday, November 21st when we conduct our annual Memorare Council Memorial Mass in the Cathedral Room; Thursday, November 22, Thanksgiving Day when we gather with family and friends to share a feast and give thanks to God for all of his blessings!

Speaking of blessings, let us keep in mind and always in our prayers, those who have little or nothing to eat throughout the year. Please make every effort to pick up an extra can or box of non-perishable food and leave it in the Council Mail Room downstairs or call PGK Alan Malangone if you want to make a cash donation. Time is short and we must do all we can to demonstrate the first Principle of Our Order, Charity! I started this month's message by saying how full I was from the Italian Night feast. I will end by asking you to join me in prayer and by acts of faith to make sure others can experience that same feeling of fullness. "Let's go shopping!" and fill those food boxes! May Almighty God, our Father, bless you and your families with peace and the fullness of His Love this Thanksgiving Day and always. Be well and God Bless, Bob Wahl, GK

MEMORARE'S FALL



By Charles Barr

Memorare Council will conduct its Fall Blood Drive on Monday, November 19, 2012, from 3 PM to 8:30 PM.

A complimentary roast beef dinner will be served to all donors.

For years, the blood supply on Long Island has been very low and procedures have had to be postponed as a result. We ask that you give serious consideration to donating a pint and if you cannot for some reason perhaps you can ask a family member, neighbor, friend or co-worker to donate.

Remember, you never know when you will be on the receiving end.



UPCOMING EVENTS

- Nov.15-21 C & B Sales at Zorn's in Bethpage
 - 15 Columbiette Major Degree
 - 17 Thanksgiving Basket Assembly and Distribution
 - 19 Council Fall Blood Drive
 - 21 Memorial Mass and Commemorative Ceremony
 - 29 Memorare Golf Club awards Dinner

These events are detailed in this issue. Consult the Council Calendar on page 3 for further events. THE MEMOGRAM

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HEARD 'ROUND MEMORARE

By Mike Bonagura E-mail: editor3476@aol.com

Before starting this column, I sat at my desk for about a 1/2 hour wondering what I was going to write. I did not have a clue. I glanced over the Council calendars for November and especially December and saw all the events that will take place in the Cathedral Room for this period. Then I said to myself, "Self, I said, what would happen if we did not have a Cathedral Room?"

You know the possibility exists that such an occurrence could happen. The Club has been experiencing losses for many years and if business does not improve in the very near future, the Club would be forced to close the building and thus pushing the Council into a storefront for meetings. No more bar, Columbian Room for socials, no rooms for various Committee meetings.

Then I thought what could be a possible solution. The solution, of course, is for business to pick up. However, the members of Memorare can play a big part in this picture by having their events, i.e. weddings, anniversaries at the Council. I know, a lot of family members say but it is a Knights of Columbus hall. Not so if you have been to the building lately (and a lot of you haven't been near this place since you took your Degrees). On weekends, it becomes Memorare Caterers specializing in these events at comparable, if not, lower prices than other caterers and you are the only event in the Room. So why not give us a try? Call our Banquet Managers, PGK Sal DeAngelo or Greg Macerino at 516-8261542 or visit our website at memorarecaterers.org.

There I managed to write a column and hopefully get things moving again. By the way, this is my originality. I was not, repeat, NOT, coerced by anyone to print this message. I now sound like a politician running for office.

The next 2 issues of the Memogram are double months so you Chairmen of events coming up in February and March better get going with your details.

Just as this issue was going to press, something happened to a team that plays in the Northern part of New York City. As I said last year, misery loves company. I did, however, pump my fist and gave out a, "yessss".

I'll leave with this thought, "Jesus, help me to be trustworthy and honest in small and great matters alike."

THE ALL-AMERICAN TURKEY DAY holiday was always on the last Thursday of November-thanks to an 1863 proclamation by President Abraham Lincoln—until 1939 when President Franklin D. Roosevelt moved Thanksgiving to the second to last week of the month. His intent was to lengthen the shopping season and boost sales in the midst of the Great Depression. The idea a kind of low-key Federal Stimulus Plan—was not well received because it ticked off traditionalists (some states continued the last Thursday tradition) and football fans (rivalry games set years in advance on the customary holiday date had to be cancelled) not to mention calander makers with suddenly unusable inventory. Responding to the public outcry, Roosevelt in 1941 signed a law declaring the fourth Thursday of every November as national Thanksgiving Day.

COUNCIL CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING

The annual lighting of the Council Christmas tree will take place on Monday, December 3, 2012, at 7:30 PM.

There will be the singing of the traditional Christmas carols. Hot chocolate and cookies will be served to those attending in the Columbian Room.

This event is under the direction of Bro. Ralph Schneider and is free to all attending.



PRAYER

Venerable Michael J. McGivney (1852-90)
Apostle to the Young, Protector of
Christian Family Life and Founder of the
Knights of Columbus,
Intercede For Us.

CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

We are now at the beginning of the Year of Faith which was initiated by Pope Benedict XVI on October 11 with a Synod of Bishops on the New Evangelization. Here in our diocese the Belong More Deeply initiatives are working to bring about the Holy Father's call to a renewal of faith and to evangelization.

The "Dogmatic Constitution on the Church" of the Second Vatican Council, whose 50th anniversary we celebrate this year, affirmed that "the holy people of God . . . anointed by the Holy One [remains] attached unfailingly to the faith, penetrates it more deeply through correct judgment and applies it more fully to life." You and I together are "the holy people of God," a term for the Church which Vatican II brought to the forefront. It means that we are all called. by virtue of our baptism, to an active role in building up the Church, each of us according to our talents and our individual vocations. As the Council said, we are to apply our faith "more fully to life."

Therefore we are all evangelizers, although I feel that lay persons can be the most effective agents of spreading the gospel by word and by example. In your daily contacts with family members, friends, neighbors, and colleagues you have opportunities to affirm your faith, not by preaching at people but by your Christian example and by sharing with others how you came to believe what you believe.

I suspect that many people do not see themselves as evangelizers because they feel that they're not good enough Catholics to be talking about their faith. Fortunately, Christ has told us that he came for the sake of people who are imperfect but in need of God; and that's everyone. I can't imagine anyone being successful at sharing his or her faith who

thinks that that he or she is perfect and can help others get there too. I don't know about you, but I try to avoid such people.

The call to New Evangelization is first of all a call to continue our own journey of faith and to bring others along on that journey. In other words, we are called to belong more deeply to the Lord and to realize that our faith is a gift that should be shared.

Fr. Hayden

THANKSGIVING BASKETS

Chairman Alan Malangone, PGK, is accepting non-perishable food items and monetary donations for the baskets which will be distributed to the needy Brother Knights and Sister Columbiettes for Thanksgiving Day.

The baskets will be assembled and distributed on Saturday, November 17, 2012 at 9 a.m.

If you are aware of a Brother Knight or Sister Columbiette who is in need of assistance, please let Alan know and the family will be taken care of. This information will be kept in strictest confidence.

Right after this collection, we will conduct the Christmas Basket Collection so please keep this in mind. Your help is needed.

MEMOGRAM DEADLINE

The DEADLINE for the December/ January issue of the *MEMOGRAM* is Wednesday, November 14, 2012. Copy can be placed in your Editor's mailbox located in the electric room to the right of the entrance into the Columbian Room or it can be e-mailed at editor3476@aol.com.

NO COPY will be accepted after November 14.

COUNCIL CALENDAR NOVEMBER, 2012 PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED LOVED ONES

Nov. 1	All Saints Day
	Holy Day of Obligation
	Ladies Night7:30 PM
2	All Souls Day
4	Daylight Savings Time Ends
	Turn clocks BACK one hour
5	Retired Knights meeting12:30 PM
	Officers and Surge Program
	meeting7:30 PM
6	Election Day
7	Council meeting7:30 PM
9	Knighthood (Third) Degree
	exemplified at St. Mary/Maris
	Stellar Council, Lynbrook
11	Veteran's Day
12	Columbiette Officers
	meeting7:30 PM
14	Columbiette meeting7:30 PM
	First Degree
	Padre Pio Assembly meeting at
	Fr. Reilly Council8 PM
	MEMOGRAM DEADLINE for
	December/January issue
15-21	C&B Sales at Zorn's in Bethpage
	Columbiette Major Degree at
	Memorare7:30 PM
17	Thanksgiving Basket Assembly and
	Distribution9 AM
19	Semi-Annual Blood
	Drive3 PM to 8:30 PM
	Fishing Club meeting7:30 PM
20	Last Day to return C&B sold books
21	Tribinoral Triangle and
	Commemorative Service8 PM
22	Thanksgiving Day
	Columbian Room Closed
25	First Day of Advent
26	Squirette meeting7:30 PM
	Board of Directors meeting7:30 PM
29	Pro-Life Committee meeting7 PM



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Prayer to the Blessed Virgin

(Never known to fail)

Oh most beautiful flower of Mt. Carmel, fruitful vine splendor of Heaven, Blessed Mother of the Son of God, Immaculate Virgin assist me in my necessity. Oh, Star of the Sea, help me & show me herein, you are my mother. Oh, Holy Mary, Mother of God, Queen of Heaven & Earth, I humbly beseech you from the bottom of my heart to succor me in this necessity. There are none that can withstand your power. Oh show me herein you are my mother. Oh, Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to you. (3x) Holy Mother, I place this cause in your hands. (3x) Holy Spirit, you who solve all problems, light all roads so that I can attain my goal. You who gave me the divine gift to forgive & forget all evil against me and that in all instances in my life you are with me. I want in this short prayer to thank you for all things as you confirm once again that I never want to be separated from you in eternal glory. Thank you for your mercy toward me and mine. You must say this prayer 3 consecutive days. After 3 days, the result may be granted. This prayer will always be printed in the Memogram to satisfy your obligation to have it published if your request was granted. You need do nothing further.

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Membership is open to anyone who wishes to share in this mission of making known the life and work of Father McGivney and of encouraging devotion to his memory. All one need to do is fill out the application below and mail it in to become enrolled. There is no charge to enroll, but donations are accepted. As a member you will receive a newsletter and periodic updates on the progress of the cause for canonization.

Welcome to the Guild. We ask your prayerful support that God's will be done and that the Spirit guide us each step along the way.

Yes! I wish to enroll in the Guild and to receive the newsletter.

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CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY Dec. 9th. 2012

This year's Children's Christmas Party for our children, grandchildren, relatives and friends of a member will be held on Sunday December 9th in the Cathedral room. As in the past years the price for adults and children ages 1 thru 12 has remained the same \$12.00. Both child and adult in the Cathedral room will be required to purchase an admission bracelet, which will entitled you to lunch consisting of hot dogs, chicken nuggets and French fries.

Thanks to the efforts of our raffles that we are selling now and will continue to sell the day of the party, this enables us to have this great Christmas party for our children. A SPECIAL thank you goes out to Don Tuffeil of East Meadow Bikes and DJ Bob Moulder for their continued generosity year after year.

Our day will start at 11:30 to 1PM sharp with each child having their picture taken with Santa Claus, this will give us time to print each picture before the end of the party. Lunch will be served following pictures along with clowns making all kinds of animals out of balloons. After lunch the children will be treated to a great magic show with the finishing touch of each child receiving a gift from Santa Claus. Food along with a cash bar will be served downstairs in the Columbian room for all adults who purchase an admission bracelet, BUT food must remain downstairs and not brought upstairs to the Cathedral room. If you have a group of 8-10 you can have a table reserved. Let us know at the time of purchase. NO ONE will be admitted without a bracelet.

Tickets will be sold in the Columbian room on Tuesday evenings and at the council meeting starting Tuesday Nov.6th. You can purchase your tickets from, John Campanaro PGK, or Joe Marchia PGK. Any questions call Joe Marchia at 516 661- 2073. Your total support will once again make this day a huge success. And remember it is a Christmas Tree and the season is Merry Christmas.

God Bless, Joe Marchia PGK

CHIPS FROM THE BOARD By Mike Bonagura

The Board of Directors meeting of September 28, 2012 started at 7:30 PM with prayers and the Pledge of Allegiance.

In the excused absence of Club Secretary John Savin, Club President George Milligan asked yours truly to act as Secretary for the evening.

HOUSE Chairman Charles HeIly stated that the ladies powder room in the Columbian Room was in need of refurbishment. Club President Milligan appointed Directors Augie Savarese and Jim Miller to assist Dir. HeIly in this project.

Dir, Guy Van Noy reported that the cameras had been received as well as the necessary cable so work will begin shortly in their installation around the Club premises.

ADVERTISING Chairman Bill Roller mentioned that requests for information about booking the hall had increased on the Club's website.

Several other Committee Chairmen gave their reports.

Next Board meeting will be Monday, November 26 at 7:30 PM.

Meeting adjourned at 10 PM with prayers.

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COLUMBIETTES NEWS By Maureen Murphy Ade

Many thanks to Joanne Verderosa for chairing our very successful Chinese Auction. Joy and Jennifer Chester did an outstanding job handling the reservations. Thank you to all who attended, as well as to those who contributed gift cards and prize baskets. Our next meeting is November 14th. We will be welcoming several new members that evening. The Major Degree will be at Memorare on November 15th at 7:30 PM. Please remember to bring non-perishable food items for our Thanksgiving Food Drive. Our December meeting and Christmas party will be on December 12th. Sign up at the November meeting for the party. The ticket price is \$ 10.00. Please bring an unwrapped present for a child in need.

SQUIRETTES NEWS By Joanne Verderosa

We are off to a good start with 7 new girls coming to join last month.

We had our Halloween party at the Oct.22nd meeting and thank Columbiette Past President Sue Longo for coming and helping out. Once again the Squirettes are collecting food for the Knights food drive. They will be going to lazor tag this month. Anyone interested in joing can come to our next meeting on Monday November 26th at 7:30pm. The dues are \$5.00 per year. Any catholic girl ages 11-18 are welcome. We meet the 4th Monday of each month Sept- June and try to do an event once a month. Get well wishes sent to our counselor Marge Savarase. Everyone misses her and we hope to have her back soon. Happy Thanksgiving to all.

SAVE THOSE TABS

Save those aluminum can tabs which are found on soda, juice, snack and pet food cans. They are valuable to Birthright.

Bring them to a Council meeting where Bro. John Kopp, 799-7223, or Bro. Jim Gallagher, 522-4440, will collect them or give them a call.

SAVE THOSE LABELS

Memorare Council is collecting *Campbell Soup* labels. Bring them to any Council meeting where Bro. Tom Gallagher will accept them.

FOUNDATION NEWS

The Foundation Officers and Trustees voted at their September 21, 2012 meeting to donate to the following charitable organizations:

Massapequa Life Center of

Long Island

Long Island Veteran's Home in

Stony Brook

Seaford Historical Society to

support its Eagle Scout project

The Foundation Trustees were elected at the Council's September 20 meeting. The Foundation Officers were to be elected by the Club's Board of Directors at its October 29 meeting which took place after this issue went to press.

HONORED MEMBER

Memorare Council congratulates the following members upon reaching their respective plateau in the Order:

HONORARYLIFE

Bro. Stephen J. Reilley

Bro. James Ryan

Bro. Richard Andre*

*we apologize to Bro. Andre for misspelling his name in the October issue.

HONORARY

The Hon. Peter King

To achieve Honorary Life, the member must be 70 years of age and have completed at least 25 consecutive years of service in the Order. He pays no dues.

For Honorary, the member must be 65 years of age and have completed at least 25 consecutive years of service in the Order. He pays dues of \$20 annually.

FOURTH DEGREE NEWS By Augie Savarese, PFN

The Fourth Degree would like to congratulate the 9 new members to the Assembly.

Our next Assembly meeting is Wednesday, November 14, 2012 at Sacred Heart School building in North Merrick at 8 PM. We will be conducting a raffle for 2 turkeys. Remember, November 11 is Veteran's Day. Fly your flag.

The 22nd of November is Thanksgiving Day and the Assembly wishes everyone a Blessed and Happy Thanksgiving.

Also, November 6 is Election Day, a Very Important Day. GET OUT AND VOTE.

December 2 will be our Testimonial/ Christmas Party. More on this at the Assembly's November 14 meeting and in the December/January Memogram.

FRATERNAL NEWS

BROTHERS WHO HAVE PASSED AWAY

Bro. Donald Reisert

Bro. Donald Gibbons

Bro. William J. Nallan, Jr.

Bro. James N. Ryan

RELATIVES OF BROTHER KNIGHTS WHO HAVE PASSED AWAY

Anthony Puma, father in law of DGK John Kopp Gloria DeTommaso, aunt of DGK John Kopp Hubie Perez, nephew of Bro. Charles Holly, FN

BROTHER KNIGHTS WHO ARE SICK AND IN DISTRESS

Drew Cole, Tom Malinowski, Bob Zontini, PGK Larry Zontini, Bill Schwarz, Peter Montalbano, Phil LoGuidice, Leo Tricarico, Ron Plant, Ed Montalvo, Richie Montayne, Ed Shanahan

RELATIVES OF BROTHER KNIGHTS WHO ARE SICK AND IN DISTRESS

Rose Vromann, sister in law of PFN Augie Savarese

Marge Savarese, wife of PFN Augie Savarese

Lucille Meyer, wife of Bro. Gene Meyer

Alan Meyer, son of Bro. Gene Meyer

Donna Malkin, sister of Chan. Joseph Scarpa

Kayla Glander, wife of Bro. Sean Glander and daughter in law

of FS Dennis Glander, PGK

Maureen Loonam, wife of Bro. John Loonam

Susan Simpson, niece of PFN Bill Roller

Teresa Malangone, mother of PGK Alan Malangone

Arthur Malangone, brother of PGK Alan Malangone

ON THE GOOD NEWS SIDE

Belated congratulations to Bro. Lenny and Phyllis Tricarico on 44 years of wedded bliss (no date provided)

Happy 89th birthday to Bro. Leo Tricarico (no date provided), father of Bro. Lenny Tricarico

Congratulations to Bro. Tom and Catherine Gallagher celebrating 50 years of Marriage on November 3. Tom and Catherine at tended the Golden Anniversary Mass at St. Rose of Lima on September 23 and then went and celebrated on a cruise to New England.

NEW YEAR'S EVE DINNER DANCE

Memorare Council hopes to sponsor a New Year's Eve Dinner Dance on Monday, December 31, 2012.

However, a Chairman had not yet emerged for this event as this issue went to press. Grand Knight Robert Wahl is looking for a member to step forward and volunteer to run this party.

If no one comes forward, another alternative may be recommended.



PENNIES FOR ST. JUDE

Bring your pennies to any Council or Retired Knights meeting and give them to PGK Ray O'Regan who is collecting them and will make a donation later in the year to St. Jude's Children's Hospital.

MEMORARE CLUB PORK DINNER

Thursday, January 17, 2013
7 PM
Roast Pork with
Rosemary Potatoes
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Coffee, Tea, Dessert
Tap Beer, Wine, Soda
Music will be provided for your
dancing pleasure
Raffles and 50/50
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PGK John Campanaro

and can be purchased at Council meetings or in the Columbian Room on Tuesday evenings.

263-5944

THANK YOU

I want to thank all of the members of Memorare for their cards and prayers on my behalf during my recent surgery. Thank you all I really appreciate your kindness.

> Very Sincerely, Anne C. Derasmo (Sister Columbiette)

WAKE CALLS

In case of death, notify ANY OF the following IMMEDIATELY in order for a Wake Call to be issued:

Grand Knight

Robert Wahl (516) 776-2767

Deputy Grand Knight

John Kopp (516) 799-7223

Financial Secretary

Dennis Glander, PGK (516) 384-2013

Memorial Chairman

Richard Longo (631)-842-2275

2012 C & B DRIVE

Chairman Steve Skira relates that the C&B Drive for 2012 is coming to a close.

The deadline for returning sold or partially sold books to the Council is on November 20.

Steve is also asking for help, if you are available, to sell books at Zorn's in Bethpage on the following days, November 15 through November 21. Any help you can provide on any or all of the days will be greatly appreciated for whatever time you can spare.

DEFENSIVE DRIVING COURSE

Bro. Guy Van Noy conducts a
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periodically in the
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contact Guy at 516-735-0895 or
PGK Alan Malangone at
516-662-8755.

When enough participants express interest, the next course will be set up.

Cost for the course is:

AARP Member - \$17

Non-AARP Member - \$19

y y y TREE OF LIFE

Memorare Charitable Foundation sponsors a Tree of Life which is a lovely way to remember your loved ones.

LEAF -- \$125

3 lines of 25 characters each including spaces

ACORN -- \$300

3 lines of 25 larger characters each including spaces

STONE -- \$500

5 lines of 25 larger characters each including spaces

To obtain forms and additional information, contact PGK Joe or Sister Columbiette Barbara Pace, Tree Coordinators, 516-731-3342.

RETIRED KNIGHTS NEWS By Nick Tirino, PGK

Please keep this date in mind Dec. 6th Our annual Christmas Party will be held from 2pm till 6pm hosted by VP Bro John Brennan and his wife Jean. Always a good time. See elsewhere for details. We wish Bro. Bob Fitzpatrick a speedy recovery from a broken hip. Have to thank Bro. Chick Zizzo and golfers from Peninsula Golf Club for another donation of \$125.00 for St. Judes over the past five months we have collected \$1661.00 for St. Judes.

Congratulations to Bro. Chick and wife MaryLou on 50 years married on Jan. 21st. Also congrats to PGK Sal DeAngelo and wife Janet on 29 yrs married on Nov. 19th and to my son Bro. Richard and Daughter in law Dierdre on 12 yrs married Nov. 11th.

On a sad note Heather Puleschi niece of Bro. Tony DiDonato passed away on Aug. 23rd in Chapel Hill No. Carolina our prayers and condolences goes out to the family. On Oct. 8th we celebrated Columbus Day by having coffee and cake. What, no cannolis?

Our Treasurer PGK Sal DeAngelo reported there are members that still owe dues. Dues were due July 1st. Payment is \$10.00 a year. Members who have not paid their dues will not be allowed to attend meetings until dues are paid.

Wishing everyone a Happy Thanks giving and at our age eat as much as you want

As always please pray for our sick and distressed.

Fraternally Nick Tirino, PGK

COLUMBIAN ROOM NOTICE

ALL PERSONS renting the Columbian Room must pay the rental fee IN FULL within 10 days of signing the contract or the date will be LOST.



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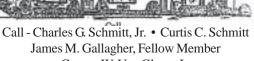
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MEMORIAL MASS AND SERVICE

The Annual Memorial Mass and Commemorative Service of Memorare Council for its deceased Brother Knights and Sister Columbiettes will be conducted on Wednesday, November 21, 2012, at 8 p.m. in the Cathedral Room.

A Solemn Mass will be celebrated with in the confines of the Commemorative Service.

Members attending the Mass and Service as well as families of our deceased members will be afforded the opportunity to recall fond memories of the following who have passed to their Eternal Reward:

BROTHER KNIGHTS

Donald Christno

Raymond Schiale

John L. Clark

Carmine Barbarella

Eugene Bree

Roy Emanuele

William Yard

Domineck Granite

Albert Mugford

Rudy Koenig, PGK, PFN

Frank Holdampf

Arthur Habeeb

Joseph Genovese

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Bernard Kearney

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Anthony Gallo

Thomas Walsh

Patrick Looney

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Edward J. Cordes

Vincent D. Dunn

Daniel Flannigan

Luca Fresiello

Arthur Monaham

Peter Roell

William Thomas

John N. Walsh

James N. Ryan

SISTER COLUMBIETTES

Mary Ruhnan

Anne Visnauskas, PP

Dorothy Plant

MEMBERSHIP NEWS By Pat Vivona, PGK

There will be an exemplification of the Knighthood (Third) Degree at St. Mary/Maris Stella Council in Lynbrook on Friday, November 9, 2012.

Any Formation (Second) Degree member desirous of taking this Degree should contact FS Dennis Glander, PGK, FDD, 516-384-2013.

PRO-LIFE

LIFE is our First Right without which NO OTHER rights exist.

If you know of a female who is pregnant and contemplating ending the pregnancy through abortion, the Long Island Coalition for Life has set up a hot line to counsel and guide the individual.

Call 1-631-243-0066; line is open 24/7.

COUNCIL CHRISTMAS PARTY

Memorare Council will hold its Annual Christmas Party for its MEMBERS ONLY and their guest on Wednesday, December 19, 2012, at 7:30 PM.

Party Chairman, Chancellor Joseph Scarpa, had not completed the party details as this issue went to press.

Full information and cost will appear in the December/January Memogram and will be announced at the Council's November and December meetings.



SHUFFLEBOARD NEWS

Greetings to all. Hope all are enjoying a fun and interesting season of shuffleboard. For the first time in a while, we have no blind. This Is a direct result of off season recruiting by our VP of operations and public affairs', Chip Valentine. Thank God he recruits more players. I feel like I am scaring more off for my "aggressive" bean counting and revenue collecting.

All kidding aside I want to thank every member for embracing the new payment plan and paying off the first half's dues in a timely manner. It has made my life much easier.

We seem to have allot of balance and parity in the league this year. There was only one undefeated team in the league as of last week. Not any more. Guns and Hoses cooled off the hot hands of The All Hands and handed them their first loss. Sorry Jack, I just could not help myself.

To recap around the league, the Shamrocks, Sliders, and Sluggers are in a three way tie for first in the Northern division. Raining Threes leads the Southern division. Holy Rollers lead the Eastern division and the formerly unbeaten All Hands lead the Western division.

Pizza night was a success. Everyone ate well and I have not heard of any cases of botulism. Looking forward, Hero night will be in December.

A special Thank You to Auggie S. and Joe Marchia for opening up and getting the boards ready. Thanks to many members for stepping up and getting the ref positions filled. Our games are staying close to schedule. Those of you who disagree only have yourself to look in the mirror to ask have I stepped up to ref. If your afraid to ask the mirror, ask me.

Our Hanger champion race is very tight. We have a three way tie for first, Pete Montalbano, John Tarpey, and Frank Veraline have three respectively. Twenty-five players have two and forty-four players have one.

On behalf of Alan Malangone PGK, I would ask that we start to bring a nonperishable item down to shuffleboard so that we can fill some Thanksgiving Baskets this year. We will set aside an area for this food drive.

Again I would like to thank all who make Shuffleboard Night an enjoyable event. REMEMBER, everyone make the playoffs. So with that said, lets all enjoy the night no matter what the results are. WE have 168 league members as of the start of the season, so I guess we are doing something right.

Until next Tuesday, stay safe and GOD Bless to all of you and your families.

Fraternally,

Pauly G. and Chip

PS: At presstime, we learned that Bro. Phil LoGuidice was hit by a car in front of the Council while on his way to attend Italian Night. On behalf of the Shuffleboard membership best wishes to Phil for a full and speedy recovery.



MEMORARE FISHING CLUB By Ed Ireland

Seven of us went on the Captain James Joseph of Huntington Oct.5th and caught loads of large porgies. Ken ladarola even caught a couple of flounder. Great weather and great fishing. Mike Stackpole and Mike Majikas are catching lots of snappers in Norman Levy Park in Merrick. We volunteered at the "Fishing for pumpkins" at Hempstead Lake Park on Oct. 13". Thirteen of our members unloaded 500 pumpkins and distributed them as well as many other donated prizes to a lot of smiling kids. Jim Miller's two grandkids seemed to have a great time. Thanks to Nick Maffetone's college sons for helping. Larry Goggins did his usual great job at the barbecue. Our fishing contest was the highlight of the festival.

Our blackfish trip will be on Fri. Nov.9th at 7AM on the "James Joseph" in Huntington.

Our Christmas Party will be on Mon. Dec.17th in the Columbian Room at 7:30 PM. Please begin to plan your culinary delight for the party.

The tackle shows will be starting soon, so begin making up your shopping list. Here are some quotes I've heard over the years. "The biggest fish he ever caught were those that got away." "Nothing grows faster from the time it bites to the time it gets away." Last, " Nothing makes a fish bigger than almost being caught)

HAPPY THANKSGIVING TO ALL

GOLF CLUB NEWS By George Rafferty, PGK

Results of Memorare golf outing of Sept. 10th at Sawn Lake in conjunction with Padre Pio 4th Degree outing.

	GROSS	H'CAP	NET	NAME
1)	N/A	N/A	N/A	L. Goggin
2)				K. Kefer
3)				J. Kerley
4)				T. Murtagh
5)				N/A

Calloway System

Member - N/A

Non-Member - N/A

Longest Drive - over age 70 - Geogre O'Brien under 70 - Tom O'Reilly

Closest to the Pin - Charlie Ferrera and Tom O'Reilly Sorry for missing names etc etc lost info.



Results of the Sept. 24th outing at Stonebridge

	Gross	H'Cap	Net	Name
1)	91	29	62	J. Bertolini
2)	81	12	69	T. Morgan
3)	89	20	69	L. Goggin
4)	90	18	72	J. Kerley
5)	87	14	73	J. Carroll

Calloway System

Member -93 19 74 C. Buonocore Guest -94 20 74 D. Murphy

Closest to the Pin - Hole #9 - B. Scheffle, Hole #15 - S. Mormino Longest drive - over age 70 - J. Messina, under age 70- Ben Vogt

Stonebridge was our final outing for this year and the 94 players enjoyed a beautiful weather day. The golf officers extend a sincere THANK YOU to all who played in our outings.

NEWS---Your club awards night this year is on Thursday night November 29th...

Support our council programs and our Grand Knight Bob and his officers along with our board of directors.

MONDAY NIGHT FOOTBALL

Monday Night Football in the Columbian Room is thriving so why not come down and enjoy the games.

The schedule for November:

Nov. 5 Philadelphia at New Orleans

- 12 Kansas City at Pittsburgh
- 19 Chicago at San Francisco
- 26 Carolina at Philadelphia

All games start at 8:30 PM.



300 CLUB NEWS

Following are the winners for the first 2 months of the new season for the 300 Club:

Date	\$75	\$35
Sept. 11	Larry Kritish	Lavin Family
Sept. 18	Gerry Maxwell	John Chester, PGK
Sept. 25	Guy Van Noy	Donald Davis
Oct. 2	Charles Kuchewski	Art Frisenda
Oct. 9	Tom Lofrese, PGK	George Milligan, PFN
Oct. 16	Bill Roller, PFN	Gerry Maxwell

Tickets still available from Chairman Dennis Glander, FS, PGK, FDD, at \$35 each.