

LADIES ANCIENT ORDER OF HIBERNIANS



“Our Lady of Knock” Division #87 – Organized February 4, 1992

October Meeting Nov 3rd , 7:30pm

November, 2020

Mask Required, No food or drink

President's Corner

Dear Sisters,

We will be having our November meeting at Division 39 on Tuesday November 3rd. We must follow all the CDC Covid-19 guidelines by maintaining social distance and everyone must wear a mask. Masks will be worn throughout the meeting unless you stand to speak, then you may remove it while you are speaking and put it back on when you are finished. If you do not feel well, are immune compromised or are just uncomfortable to be around others, please stay home, we will get any important information to you

We had our nominations for Division Officers at our October Meeting. Since all who were nominated were unopposed there will not be a need for an election in November. Please join me in congratulating the new board for 2021-2022:

President	Eileen Smith
Vice President	Kathy Annan
Recording Secretary	Linda Nevedomsky
Treasurer	Bernadette Coyne
Financial Secretary	Donna Kearney
Irish Historian	Anne Foody
Mission & Charities	Kris Bucko
Catholic Actions	Ann Marie Kuvik
Mistress at Arms	Maria Gallagher
Sentinel	Grace McDowell
Grievance Committee	Sr. Lisa Breslin & Barbara Hurd

During November we remember those that have gone before us specifically on All Souls Day. A tradition we started a few years ago for is remembering our LAOH sisters who have passed away. We will do this at our November meeting. We have listed the names in the newsletter. If we have forgotten anyone, please contact Eileen Smith or me so that they can be remembered.

Due to the current situation with the pandemic, there will not be a Hibernian Ball this year. We will put off naming a Woman of the Year and Granuaile until next year when we all can celebrate together.

Even with the Covid restrictions, the projects we've supported in the past still have a need for our assistance. Ann Marie Kuvik is selling chances \$10 each for the Hibernian Hunger Project. There will be only two drawings 11/14 and 11/21 with a \$500 prize each. These will support the Food Basket Drive in December. Tickets will be on sale at the meeting or by contacting Ann Marie.

In December we will again collect gift cards for Secret Santa. If you wish to donate a gift card, please make sure it's for a business that the parents or guardians can shop such as Walmart, Target, etc.

Thanksgiving is the time to feel gratitude to God for all the good things in life I wish you and your families a Happy Thanksgiving!!

I look forward to seeing you at the meeting, Tuesday November 3rd, 7:30 p.m. at Division 39.

In Our Motto,
Linda

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NOV. 3RD

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IRISH POTATOES

If you haven't had a chance to settle up due to all the quarantine restrictions, please contact one of the officers to make arrangements.

DIVISION SHIRTS

If you ordered and/or paid for one of the long-sleeve tee or sweat shirts, please contact Eileen Smith or Linda to make arrangements.

IRISH HISTORY CONTEST

2020/2021 National Ladies Ancient Order of Hibernians Irish History Contest

All students from Grades 6 through 12 are eligible for the contest.

Deadline to send entries to me (division) electronically is **November 15, 2020**. My email address is afoody813@aol.com

The topic is "**The Impact of the Irish Anglo Treaty of 1921**". We will accept entries about any person, event or structure that has to do with this topic.

You can prepare a typed paper, PowerPoint presentation, Film/Documentary or Website. Please see contest rules and guidelines by sending me an email and I can send to you or go to www.ladiesaoh.com – click on "National Board" Go to "Irish Historian" and then to "Irish History Contest". You can click on each link to see the rules and guidelines. Please review carefully as the contest rules and guidelines are VERY specific and strict.

Level 1 – Grades 6 through 8 – Typed paper is to be between 500 and 1,000 words.

Prizes: 1st place - \$500.00 2nd place - \$250.00

Level 2 – Grades 9 through 12 – Typed paper is to be between 750 and 1,500 words.

Prizes: 1st place - \$1,000.00 2nd place - \$500.00

Any questions, contact Anne Foody, Irish Historian, Division #87 Port Richmond – afoody813@aol.com

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Family News

Birthday Blessings to Our Sisters



Special Intentions

Rich Hrapzynski
Greg Riley

The intentions of our Division 87
members

November

Patricia Donahue	1
Joanne Walker	8
JoAnne McStravick	17
Kate Centofante	21
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Marie Griffitt	26
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Memorials



In Memory of All Souls, especially members of LAOH Division 87 who have gone to eternal rest.

Grace Dolan, Rita Donnelly, Ellie Shipton, Carol McCandless, Joni Murphy, Doris Iacovine, Barbara Roche, Bea Coyne, Catherine Riley, Josephine Schneider, AnnMarie Carr Hanson, Kathleen Hennessy, Beth Scott, Fr. Daniel Moriarty, Helen Henry, Dolores Bowers, Marianne (Mag) McGuire, Maureen Breslin Daly, Jackie Saier, Aggie Lawlor, Marlene Davis, Peggy Nicholson

In Memory Of...

As we remember all our LAOH division sisters who have gone before us, this past year our division has lost quite a few of our members and to make matters worse we were hit with the Covid Pandemic, we could not visit them, comfort their families and in some cases could not attend their funerals. We remember those below and please continue to pray for them. We will also honor all our sisters who have passed to eternal life at our at our November meeting.

Marianne (Mag) McGuire

Mag lived in Hatboro, originally of Philadelphia was 66 yrs old. She was first generation Irish descent and actively involved in the Irish community. Mag was one of the original members of Division 22 before transferring to Division 87. She was the beloved wife of Michael McGuire. In addition to her husband Mike, Marianne is survived by her two daughters and their spouses, her Step-son, and her three cherished grandsons John, Jimmy and Aidan Baker, as well as, her three brothers and their spouses. She was also the cousin of Maureen Daly and Sister Lisa. Maureen and Mag were best friends, literally from the crib until God called them both to Himself. Mag passed away on December 26, 2019 and Maureen on December 29, 2019, three days apart. She is greatly missed by her family and many friends. Rest in peace.

Maureen Breslin Daly

Always interested and dedicated to her Irish roots, Maureen Breslin Daly was the founding President of Division 22, and served in various capacities over the years. After a hiatus of a few years, Maureen joined Division 87 where she served as our Sentinel and Immigration & Education Officer. She was a dedicated and fun loving member whose presence always made a difference. Maureen is survived by four children and 14 grandchildren, three brothers and one sister. She is greatly missed by her friends and family, as well as, the Irish community. We know she is in a "better place" now. Rest in peace.

Jacqueline (Jackie) McGady Saier

Jackie was a staple of Port Richmond. She loved her Irish heritage, joining LAOH Division 87 in 1995, she was the Catholic Action Officer for a time and was a member until the end. She was well versed in genealogy, always willing to help anyone who was interested in tracing their roots. She could always be found volunteering at community events in Port Richmond with the Friends of Campbell Square, Memorial Day Parade, and the LAOH. She loved and enjoyed life and friends but most of all she loved her family. Her grandchildren were her pride and joy. Rest in peace.

Agnes (Aggie) Lawlor

Aggie was a proud mother of five children Jimmy, Kathleen, Patrick, Michael, and Timothy Mulvenna. She is survived by two children Kathleen Rosas, Timothy Mulvenna, her Daughter in law Colette Salamon, and her Godchild Sharon Atkinson. She has six grandchildren who she loved more than life itself. Aggie joined LAOH Division 87 in 2002 and was one of our Ya-Ya's, a term of endearment reserved for a group of lifelong friends and members of Division 87. She attended daily Mass at 6:30 a.m. at St Anne sitting on the Blessed Mother side of the church and always had her coffee with her. After Mass she would be off to get her grandkids ready and off to school on time. She is well known for her chauffeuring duties. She was often seen carting around a car full of kids in Port Richmond. She never said "no" to anyone who needed a ride but it had to be on her schedule. She always had an upbeat attitude no matter what. Aggie always made you feel good about yourself and others. Rest in peace.

Marlene Davis

Marlene joined the Ladies Ancient Order of Hibernians in 2001 when Division One was created in Center City. She served as the Mistress of Arms and Sentinel. When Division One closed in 2010 she moved over to Division 87 where she loved her newfound sisters. Mar was a fixture when it came time to make the "Famous Irish Potatoes." She loved mixing, bagging, and rolling and would be there from start to finish. Marlene was proud to be a member and helped as much as her health would allow. Mar loved spending time with her children and many grandkids. She will be remembered as a kind and compassionate person who helped anyone even strangers. Rest in peace.

Margaret (Peggy Ann) Nicholson

Peggy was known and loved by all whose life she touched and left a lasting impression on everyone she met. She was a longtime LAOH member and held various offices most recently Division Vice President. She wore many hats during her many years at Division 87 participating in fundraisers from Bingo, Irish potatoes, parades, golf outings, jingle bell run, bartending for cancer and her very own project of Lunch with Santa. In 2018 she crossed off her bucket list that trip to see Ireland and visit Our Lady of Knock Shrine. Family meant everything to her, She was the proudest mom to Nicholas and Ashley, but her favorite role was being a "Gammie" to Kaylee, Isabella, Kailee, Ellie, Ryan, and Logan. She gave it her all especially since she looked forward to watching her grandchildren who were her pride and joy grow. Rest in peace.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

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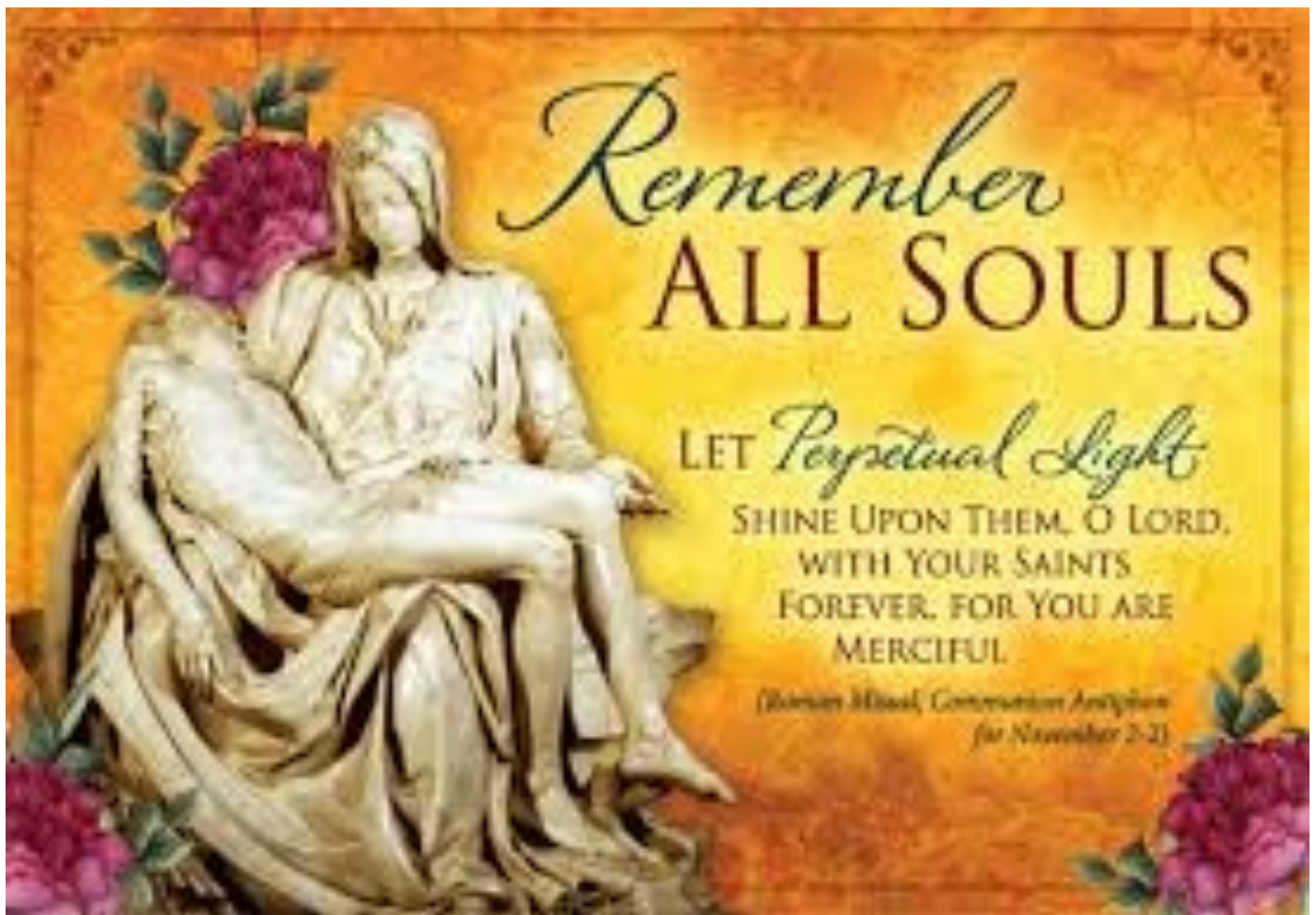
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