

# LADIES ANCIENT ORDER OF HIBERNIANS



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

Have a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year  
Stay tuned for meeting updates due to Covid Conditions

December, 2020

### President's Corner

*Dear Sisters,*

*Here it is December already, the month we prepare to celebrate Christmas Day and the birth of Jesus Christ. Of course, this year we will be celebrating differently due to the pandemic.*

*We cannot have a meeting or Christmas party, but we can still support our charities. We will be collecting any monetary or gift card donations for Secret Santa. AOH & LAOH Division 87 are planning a walk around Port Richmond to collect on December 12th . Please see the details inside the newsletter.*

*Since the last newsletter we provided gift cards to the Providence House Shelter for Thanksgiving and we supported PROPAC with a donation to feed the police, firemen and National Guard during the recent period of unrest.*

*This is my final President's Message, I just want to take the opportunity to thank you all for your support these past 5 years. We could not have done all the good work we did without your generosity. You all make me proud to belong to such a wonderful organization of women.*

*I'm not going far I'll still be on the board as the recording secretary. I don't know what 2021 will bring but hopefully we can all gather safely again.*

*God gave His greatest gift to us on that first Christmas Day and may the wonder of it always guide and light your way. May God's Blessings be with you and yours. MERRY CHRISTMAS!*

*In Our Motto,*

*Linda*

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A message from Chaplin:

During this time of seeming darkness, my prayer is that you will turn to the Light. See the beauty of the season, see the joy in a child's eyes (even if it's on a screen), recall the blessings of past Christmases, and remember that God is with us. Your faith is your friend. Draw on it and always have deep Hope, even if you have to dig for it. Enjoy each moment and pray for all of us who mourn and worry. Happy Christmas!

Sister Lisa

A message from Mission and Charity:

As this is my final message as an elected officer, I would like to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. I won't be going far, just fading to the background. But I will still be here to help with our fundraisers (when we can start again). Nancy

Email updates, with yahoo groups closing we have moved to a new email notification system. By now everyone should have received an email from google groups. If you have not received an email, please contact Nancy Jones at [nancyssimplefood@gmail.com](mailto:nancyssimplefood@gmail.com) to be added.

## Family News

### Birthday Blessings to Our Sisters



### Special Intentions

Rich Hrapzynski  
Greg Riley  
Tiffany Golden

The intentions of our Division 87  
members

## December

Kristine Bucko	8
Barbara Fisher	10
Natalie Smith	23



Congratulations to Member Jaclyn Jones (daughter-in-law of John and Nancy Jones) for being named the first employee of the month of November.



### Memorials



We lost another member, one of our YaYa;s. Please keep Margaret (Marge) Synakowski and family in your prayers.



**ATTENTION PORT RICHMOND\*  
SANTA CLAUS 🎅 IS COMING  
TO THE NEIGHBORHOOD**

ON SATURDAY DECEMBER 12TH  
: **SANTA CLAUS 🎅**  
AND AOH LAOH DIVISION 87  
WILL BE SPREADING CHRISTMAS CHEER!  
SANTA WILL BE RIDING THROUGH THE NEIGHBORHOOD  
IN A FIRE ENGINE!  
WAVING, PLAYING HOLIDAY MUSIC,  
AND GIVING CANDY CANES  
TO ALL THE NEIGHBORHOOD CHILDREN.  
STARTING AT 9:00 AM  
AOH 🍀 LAOH DIVISION 87  
AND SOME SPECIAL GUEST.  
WILL BE WALKING ALONG SIDE  
COLLECTING DONATIONS FOR OUR SECRET SANTA PROGRAM.  
\*DOING EVERYTHING WE CAN TO SAFETY  
INSURE SOCIAL DISTANCING.  
WE WILL DO A LOOP, STARTING AT  
SAINT GEORGE (2700 VENANGO)  
TO BELGRADE, TO **CLEARFIELD**  
TO THOMPSON, BACK TO SAINT GEORGE.

FOR MORE THEN 25 YEARS, AOH, LAOH 87  
HAS BEEN DOING A GREAT THING.  
OUR SECRET SANTA PROGRAM GOES LIKE THIS  
\* WE COLLECT DONATIONS, MONETARY,  
TOYS, GIFT CARDS, SUPERMARKET CARDS.  
\* WE COLLECT NAMES OF DESERVING FAMILIES  
WHO NEED A HAND UP THIS HOLIDAY SEASON.  
\* WE DISTRIBUTE THE DONATIONS TO THESE DESERVING FOLKS,  
JUST SAYING THAT IT IS FROM SOMEONE WHO CARES.

AOH 🍀 LAOH DIVISION 87  
AS ALWAYS, IN OUR MOTTO;  
FRIENDSHIP, UNITY AND TRUE CHRISTIAN CHARITY!

# Puzzle

No prizes, no pressure, a little puzzle just for fun.

# Holiday Tunes

- Away in a Manger
- Choir of the Bells
- Dominick the Donkey
- Frosty the Snowman
- Holly Jolly Christmas
- Jingle Bell Rock
- Jingle Bells
- Let it Snow
- Little Drummer Boy
- Little St Nick
- O Holy Night
- Rudolph
- Santa Baby
- Silent Nigh
- Silver Bells
- The Christmas Song
- The First Noel
- Winter Wonderland



S G R D A M A F C I F Z Z X F K U H J X  
W A W A Y O B R E M M U R D E L T T I L  
C K M B H P L O D U R J T G J I H Z N O  
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# *Blessings at Christmas*

*The First Noel  
the Angels did say,  
Was to certain poor shepherds  
in fields as they lay.*

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