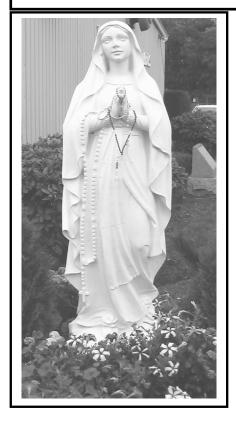




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"Say the Rosary every day, to bring peace to the world and the end of war."

Hail Mary full of Grace, the Lord is with thee. Blessed art thou among women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb Jesus. Holy Mary Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

<u>Council Meetings:</u> 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month at 7:30 pm. <u>Corporation Meeting:</u> 2nd Thursday of each month <u>Council Officer's Meeting:</u> 4th Thursday of each month <u>Squire Meetings:</u> 1st and 3rd Monday of each month @ 7:30 pm

SAINT PATRICK'S DAY PARTY

Saturday March 10th 2018 7:30 PM to 11:30PM - \$30.00 PP CORNED BEEF & CABBGAE DINNER OPEN BAR, D.J., COFFEE, TEA AND DESERT FEATURING THE A.O.H BAG PIPERS & STEP DANCERS FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT DAN THOMPSON AT 646-529-4850

OUR MEMBERS COME FIRST AFTER FEB 10TH WE WILL OPEN SEATS FOR OUTSIDE COUNCILS. PLEASE BOOK IN ADVANCE <u>WEBSITES</u> <u>www.kofc.org</u> www.olor4428kofc.org <u>www.newyorkknights.com</u> www.suffolkchapterkoc.com

DATES TO REMEMBER

Mar 01 Council Meeting Mar 02 Lenten Fish Fry Mar 08 Corp Officers Meeting Mar 10 St. Patrick's Day Party Mar 11 Pot Luck Dinner Mar 12 Columbiette Mtg Mar 17 St. Patrick's Day Mar 22 Council Officers Meeting Apr 01 Easter Jul 21 Fluke Fishing Trip

Friday Nite at Movies scheduled for Mar 9th CANCELLED due to Holy Thursday

REMEMBER

<u>IF IT IS THURSDAY,</u> <u>IT IS KNIGHTS OF</u> <u>COLUMBUS DAY</u>

REMEMBER – All copy for knight watch must be Sent to me by the 25th of the month. My Email address is 23taca@gmail.com



Dear Brothers;

During the Season of Lent, Christians commit to <u>fasting</u>, as well as "giving up" certain <u>luxuries</u> in order to "replicate the sacrifice of Jesus Christ's journey <u>into the</u> <u>desert</u> for 40 days". Many Christians also add a Lenten spiritual discipline, such as reading a <u>daily devotional</u> or praying through a <u>Lenten calendar</u>, to draw themselves near God.

Be diligent and available during Lent in inviting the Lord into your life. Open your heart to the areas of your life that need to change so that you may carry out his mission and experience the joy God has imagined for your life. Ask in prayer, for help in being be the best version of yourself as well as be an example of love. That He may give you courage when you are afraid, hope when you are discouraged, clarity in times of decision and hungry to learn all that the world has to offer. Prayer is so important that St. Alphonsus Ligori stated, "Whoever prays is certainly saved. He who does not is certainly dammed."

Giving alms has always been an important part of Lent. For many people, it means giving money to Catholic charities or some other good cause. But the concept of almsgiving goes much deeper. It is our response to the teachings of Jesus that encourage us to reach out to people in need---not just with our money---but with our time and our talents. Today we might call it 'stewardship'. Lent gives us the opportunity to cultivate a spirit of generosity. It gives us a chance to share what we have and who we are with other people. It puts us in communion with others and helps us understand that we are all members of the Body of Christ. Think carefully about how you will share your time, your talents, and your treasure during Lent. Keep in mind the words of the Lord Jesus who himself said "It is more blessed to give than to receive." (continued on page 3)

COLUMBIETTE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Sister Columbiettes:

Lenten season is upon us. It is at this time that we gather together for our Lenten Pot Luck Luncheon on March 11th. Let us show the community our strength and dedication in all that we do. If you only have time to attend either the mass or luncheon choose the mass. We will gather together and pray together as one. We will be joined by the 4th Degree Color Guard who will bring an air of dignity and ceremony to the mass. Our monthly meting is the next day, March 12th. At this meeting we will be voting on changes to our by-laws. At our February meeting there were read and put on the tables. I have also published them in this month's Knight Watch. Try to come to our March meting and let your vote count. We will be having a Tea and Social at the end of March. We will be announcing the Tea and Social as soon as a date is booked. For those of you not familiar with the Tea and Social, it is an afternoon set side where our membership committee will be at the Council and are available for any perspective members to come and ask questions about our wonderful organization. All potential members are welcome. Our 1st Degree will be at our April meeting. The next major degree is Tuesday, April 24th at the Patchogue Council. If you haven't made your major degree and you need a ride call one of the officers. All the Columbiettes Officers telephone numbers are listed on the Web Site under the tab "Columbiettes". Give the names of prospective members to Donna Daly @ 631-667-0503. Remember to keep up on our activities through the web site at http://www.olor4428kofc.org/

May God grant you always, A Sunbeam to warm you, A moonbeam to charm you, A sheltering angel, so nothing can harm you. Happy St Patrick's Day. Respectfully, Bobi

FR. DONNELLY'S MESSAGE

Dear Brothers and Sisters, SPRING CEANING

We are all looking forward to Spring and once the calendar turns the page into March we know that Spring is a few short weeks away. We begin to put our winter clothing in the back of the closet and start to wear lighter clothes. We may write a list of chores to begin our Spring cleaning.

What about the Spring cleaning of our spiritual lives? Have our sweaters and parkas covered up more than the cold? When was our last Confession? The season of Lent which ends the last day of March provides us all with the opportunity to cleanse our souls. Many parishes will be having Penance services or additional times for the Sacrament of Reconciliation during March.

Every parish in the Diocese of Rockville Center will be offering six hours of Confession on the 26th of March. We can visit a neighboring parish and not be embarrassed confessing our sins to a "stranger"! Let us all pray for our Brothers and Sister who will avail themselves of this cleansing of sins. I will be praying for all of you that we do the Spring Cleaning in our homes and lives.

God Bless Fr. Stephen

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\$50.00	290	Jim Theiling			
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Here are the Winners for Jan 11th					
\$50.00	114	Dom Benvenuto			
\$25.00	193	Georgette Fromigia			
\$25.00	011	Tim Byrne			
Here are the Winners for Jan 18th					
\$50.00	206	Al Strynkowski			
\$25.00	166	Tom Reilly			
\$25.00	005	Elileen La Monte			
Here are the Winners for Jan 25th					
\$50.00	245	George Jackson			
\$25.00	219	Gene Murray			
\$25.00	257	Pete Frazese			
Here are the Winners for Feb 1st					
\$50.00	260	Jim Valente			
\$25.00	287	Mark Giaini			
\$25.00	077	Jake			
Here are the Winners for Feb 8 th					
\$50.00	246	Peggy Sickenberger			
\$25.00	053	Bryan Riodan			
\$25.00	193	Georgette Fromigia			
Here are the Winners for Feb 15th					
\$50.00	147	Fred Pursino			
\$25.00	126	Joe Verdichio			
\$25.00	036	Joan Gillespie			
Here are the Winners Feb 22nd					
\$50.00	190	Connie Rigert			
\$25.00	073	Phil S. Maniac			
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ADMISSIONS COMMITTEE

Chairman: Gino Bartalini 631-666-9134 Brian Breckles – 667-8542, Joe Verdicchio 631- 586-9533, Frank Sampogna 586-9032 The next admission committee meeting will be held on 3rd Tuesday of month. Please call the Chairman.

March Happy Birthdays

Karen Bove-Reilly, Joanne Cocivra, Kevin Connors, John Coughlin, Joseph Courtney, Anthony Crisci, David Czark, Michael D'Achille, Wilfredo Dauz, Thomas Degratto, Ted Dipasquale, Thomas Donnlly, Vincent Favaco, Richard Friend, Ronald Garcia, Patrick Gillespie, Stephen Gillespie, Brian Goldberg, Willam Groh, John Hebel, Robert Kondel, John Lagattuta, Eileen Lamonte, Thomas Lechner, Dominick Lettieri, Harry Lipps, Peter Lombardo, Victoria Lynch, Robert Macaluso, Thomas Maliszewski, Elio Martucci, Mario Mauro, John McMahon, Jmes Monaco, Ronald O'Shea, Jeffrey Otto, GinaRagozzino, Grace Rapuano, William Regalbuto, Anthony Sangemeno, Joseph Saroli, JoAnn Sciacca, Warren Seaman III, William Seward, William Sperl, Nancy Sulenski, Brian Thomas, Michael Thury, Getano Todaro, Kevin Vaughn, Andrew Ventimiglia, Amelia Verne, Philip Vito, Dieter Wegner, Christine Wyhowanec.

Our Prayers for Recovery

Frank Artile, Jean Fortuno, Lou Maurio, Vincente Frepane, Bernice Bourgarde, Roseanne Fuessell, Kiera Hass, Larry Busini, Ralph DeMartino, James Dawes, Roy Perticone, Joe Salari, Thomas Dudley, Joe Saroli, Catherine Martin, Joe & Barbara Dunne, Helen Karpowice, Don Martin, Steve Turturro, Bill McCartney, Maureen Olivo, Fran Gibson, Gina Ragozzino, Tom & Mary Ellen DiPasquale, Matthew DiBenedetto, Susan Soldano, Anthony Lazar, Frank Clark, Fr. Steve Donnelly, John Giammarino, Linda DiBenedetto, Sue Seamen

Pray for all the brave souls who have died or have been injured in conflicts around the world. Patrick Alessi

(Continued from page 2) Each spring, the farmer will awaken (prepare) the fields from their long winter slumber by cultivating and tilling the soil. This practice will remove the unwanted material, such as the weeds, and loosens the soil to optimize the retention and penetration of air, water and nutrients. Taking the time and devotion to ready the field will help ensure a bigger, hearty yield at harvest.

Not unlike the farmer, we come closer to God during the forty days of Lent. By fasting, abstaining, praying and almsgiving we are preparing ourselves to live more closely to God by shedding unwanted characteristics, opening our hearts to God and the Holy Spirit and allowing Them to cultivate the seeds of faith within us.

"On the cross they tried to give Jesus a bitter drink, like a drug, but he did not use it because his thirst was for LOVE, for SOULS, for YOU and ME". \sim Mother Teresa

Wishing you ALL a Blessed & Healthy Lenten Season! May today be the day we give up who we've been, for who we can become. Always, keep in your Prayers our Brothers & Sisters who are sick; ou deceased members; and All the Service Men & Women that protect us each and every day here and abroad. As well as our police, fire and EMS who put their lives on the line each and every day to help us

when we are in need.

Vivat Jesus Fraternally Yours, Daniel "FLUKE FISHING SATURDAY" July 21, 2018 – 8AM to 3:00PM On the Captree Star 3 Adults \$70.00 Children under 12 - \$60:00 Includes Rod, Reel, Bait, Bagels, Coffee, American & Italian Heroes, Salads, Soda & Beer Must Pay by July 7th Make Checks Payable to <u>"Knights of Deer Park"</u>

> Chairperson – Brian Breckles 631-667 – 8542 Co-Chairperson – Augie Virzi 631 – 644 – 7199 Boat leaves from Captree Basin

Our Lady of the Rosary Lenten Mass and Joint Pot Luck Luncheon Columbiettes – Knights – Corporation SUNDAY MARCH 11, 2018 11:00 AM Mass Saint Cyril & Methodius Followed with Lunch at Council Costs \$11.00 per person and bring a dessert Children under 9 free Deadline February 26th – No tickets sold at door Please call Tammy Loring at 631-242-151



BENEFIT FOR KYLE Hear Now and Always!

Share-the-Wealth!

Door Prizes!



Chinese Auction!

50/50!

Date: Saturday, April 21, 2018

Time: 6:00pm - 10:00pm

Place: Knights of Columbus, Rogan/Halpin #1816 Council 62 Carleton Ave, Central Islip Hall (631) 348-3507

Cost: \$25.00 pp includes Dinner, Soda, Coffee & Dessert

Kyle is in need of the new Cochlear BAHA 5 Hearing sound processors(His Ears). With rising out of pocket expenses over \$12,000 dollars, Kyle needs your help! Please help us raise money for his new Cochlear BAHA 5 Hearing Sound Processors and his continuous hearing needs.

Contact Stephen for Tickets or to Donate 631-357-4122

Thank you for your Support











BENEFIT FOR KYLE Hear Now and Always!

Kyle was born in China with Bi-lateral (both sides) Microtia (underdeveloped ear) and Atresia (no ear canal). His loving forever parents adopted him in 2010. Stephen and Nanci continue to make sure Kyle's needs are met. Kyle has undergone 3 surgeries since he has been home. With the rising out of pocket expenses for the Cochlear BAHA 5 Hearing sound processors, there will always be a continuing need for extras. Such as safety lines, batteries, battery door, & extended warranties. They need your help. Also Kyle continues to be prone to infections around the abutment sites. Kyle will always need a hearing processor. In the future there could be reconstruction of his ears.

Any Donations Can be sent to : Stephen Loccisano 668 Old Nichols Road Hauppauge, NY 11788

Please help Kyle Hear Now and Always!



Thank you for your Support











OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY COLUMBIETTES #4428 A vote will be held at our March 12, 2018 meeting on these revisions to our by-laws.

Article 1 – ORGANIZATION Section 3 currently reads:

<u>Section 3</u> Each member shall pay dues of \$15.00 starting January, the same to be paid annually except Financial Secretary and Treasurer to be paid annually by the auxiliary. Honorary Life (25 Years consecutively) will be \$10.00.

Article 1 ORGANIZATION Section 3 is amended to read as follows:

Section 3Each member shall pay dues of 20.00 starting January, the same to be paid annually except Financial Secretary and Treasurer to be paid annually by the auxiliary. Honorary Life (25 Years consecutively) will be 0.00.

Article 1 ORGANIZATION Section 2 current reads:

Section 2 Nominations for office shall be carried out in the following manner:

(a) The President shall appoint <u>four</u> members for the Nominating Committee <u>(the first one appointed is</u> <u>the chairlady)</u> and three members shall be elected by the membership at the last regular business meeting in March.

Article 1 ORGANIZATION Section 2 is amended to read as follows:

Section 2 Nominations for office shall be carried out in the following manner:

(a) The President shall appoint <u>three</u> members for the Nominating Committee (<u>the immediate Past President is</u> <u>automatic and the chairlady</u>) and three members shall be elected by the membership at the last regular business meeting in March <u>for a total of 7 members</u>.

Article IV – MEETINGS Section 1 current reads:

ARTICLE IV ~ MEETINGS

<u>Section 1</u> Regular meetings of the auxiliary shall be held on the second Monday of each month, with the exception of July and August in accordance with Chapter XIII of the Constitution and Laws of the Order. All meeting shall commence at <u>8:00 P.M</u>. Twelve members shall constitute a quorum for business meetings. The quorum shall

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<u>Section 1</u> Regular meetings of the auxiliary shall be held on the second Monday of each month, with the exception of July and August in accordance with Chapter XIII of the Constitution and Laws of the Order. All meeting shall commence at <u>7:30 P.M.</u> Twelve members shall constitute a quorum for business meetings. The quorum shall

Article IV - MEETINGS Section 6 current reads:

<u>Section 6</u> It shall be the duty of all Officers to attend each meeting of the Auxiliary. In case of inability of any Officer to attend a meeting, due notice shall be given to the President and arrangements made to have all necessary books and papers in the possession of such Officer at the meeting. If an Officer is absent from a meeting, the presiding Officer shall designate a member to fill the chair in accordance with Section I of this Article.

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Article VI - COMMITTEES- SUNSHINE currently reads:

<u>SUNSHINE</u> - Committee to consist of Vice President. It shall be the duty of this committee to send get-well cards, etc. to Auxiliary members who are ill and unable to attend meetings. Healing cards will be sent to any member or Knight who is hospitalized or seriously ill and a small gift in the amount of not more than \$25.00 shall be purchased for any President, Past President or present Officer of the Columbiettes who is hospitalized.

Article VI - COMMITTEES -SUNSHINE is amended to read as follows:

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Article VII - FUNDS Section 2 currently reads:

<u>Section 2</u> The Treasurer shall deposit all moneys received from the Financial Secretary in a bank to the credit of the Auxiliary. Disbursements from these funds shall be made by check signed by the President and or Vice President and Treasurer. The Depository bank shall be furnished with a copy of this section.

Article VII FUNDS - Section 2 is amended to read as follows:

<u>Section 2</u> The Treasurer shall deposit all moneys received from the Financial Secretary in a bank to the credit of the Auxiliary <u>within the month received</u>. Disbursements from these funds shall be made by check signed by the President and or Vice President and Treasurer. The Depository bank shall be furnished with a copy of this section.

Article VII - FUNDS Section 3 currently reads:

Section 3 The President has a fund of \$100.00 to be used at her discretion during the Columbian year.

Article VII FUNDS – Section 3 is amended to read as follows:

<u>Section 3</u> The President has the authority to spend up to 100.00 to be used at her discretion during the Columbian year.

Knights of Columbus Our Lady of the Rosary Council 4428





LENTEN FISH FRY

Friday, March 2, 2018 6:30PM - 9:00PM

\$15/pp, \$8/per child under 12 year of age.

Includes: Fried Fish Platter w/French Fries and Cole Slaw, Soda, Light Dessert, Coffee/Tea Cash Bar

Chairperson: GK Daniel Tickets: Joe 516.848.8209 or Tammy 631.242.1151

** Tickets MUST be reserved prior to February 26th ** NO WALK-INS

> 759 Long Island Ave. Deer Park, NY 11729

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> Happy St. Patrick's Day

Fran Gibson