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Business Meeting: 1st Wednesday of Month— October 2, 2024

October 2024



Worthy Brothers, I pray all is well. Time is marching on and has marched us into fall, We are all marching toward eternal life with Christ, remember you never know the day or the hour. Please continue to pray for our sick members of our Knights Community. We have been blessed by God who has responded to our request for healing members of our community. On a more somber note, the following funeral services for October are:

Bruce W. Coons

Friday, October 11th, Visitation: 11:00am, Mass: 12:00pm

Celebration of Life: Immediately following Mass at Columbus Hall

The services will include a military component, representation by the Fraternal Order of Police, and the Knights' Assembly 2454'

Roland N. Murray, Jr.

Saturday, October 26th, Visitation: 11:00am, Mass: 12:00pm

Celebration of Life: Immediately following Mass at the Knights Hall

Interment at a later date

Our First annual Deck Party, held on Sept. 29th, what a great party and turnout! It was nice to see the brothers and spouses/partners in a relaxed atmosphere. The food was great – thanks to Kevin and gang. The band was awesome with Armando, the drummer, a Fourth Degree Knight. For all those who attended, thanks for sharing your Sunday afternoon with your Brother Knights. Next “fun” get together is the Annual Christmas Gala, more information will be coming soon from Chairperson Worthy DD Joe Gangi.

On October 22, we will be having our traditional Oktoberfest Dinner from 500 PM to 630PM. The menu looks fantastic, Kevin and the cooking crew have planned a meal for everyone. Cost \$15.00. Check out the flyer to see the Bavarian delicacies. Having lived in Bavaria for three years, this is not only the best meal for the price in OC, maybe even in Bavaria. Wunderbar! See the flyer on page 3!

Get out there and recruit! Let’s continue our success over the last three months on bring in new members. Let us set a challenge goal for the rest of the year to bring in 10 new members. We all know at least one good Catholic friend that would make a great Knight. Talk to him and share your experiences. The registration process is EASY and online. Here are the steps: go to KOF.C.ORG, select join. Here is a link to help with the online form: <https://www.kofc.org/en/resources/for-members/membership-growth/online-membership-application-walkthrough.pdf>. Questions, talk to Worthy Brother Jack Kelly.

Upcoming Events:

** Monthly Council 9053 Meeting, October 2nd. Officers at 530PM general meeting 630PM

** BINGO, Oct 4, Team 4. Have some fun, come out and play. If able and wish to volunteer, call Tom Anderson

** October 5, 2024, Eucharist Conference held at the OC Convention Center, 08:30 – 4:00 PM Registration is easy, \$35.00 includes lunch. <https://www.cdow.org/eucharisticcongress/>

** October 10th Assembly 2454 Meeting, 6:30 PM

** October 16th, Columbus Club meeting 10AM, All are welcome!

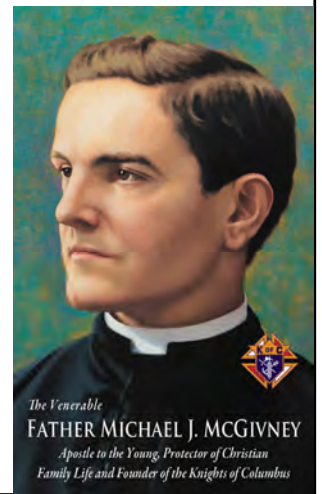
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Vivat Jesus,

Ken Hidenfelter, Grand Knight

**Lord, what can WE do today!
Knights’ motto: Make a difference in
someone’s life**



The Venerable
FATHER MICHAEL J. MCGIVNEY
Apostle to the Young, Protector of Christian
Family Life and Founder of the Knights of Columbus

Faith In Action

Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship: US Bishops' Reflection on Catholic Teaching and Political Life



As a nation, we share many blessings and strengths, including a tradition of religious freedom and political participation. However, as a people, we face serious challenges that are both political and moral. This has always been so, and as Catholics we are called to participate in public life in a manner consistent with the mission of our Lord, a mission that he has called us to share. As Pope Francis teaches,

An authentic faith . . . always involves a deep desire to change the world, to transmit values, to leave this earth somehow better than we found it. We love this magnificent planet on which God has put us, and we love the human family which dwells here, with all its tragedies and struggles, its hopes and aspirations, its strengths and weaknesses. The earth is our common home and all of us are brothers and sisters. If indeed “the just ordering of society and of the state is a central responsibility of politics,” the Church, “cannot and must not remain on the sidelines in the fight for justice.” (Evangelii Gaudium, no. 183)

In this fight for justice, God gives us a special gift, hope, which Pope Benedict describes in Caritas in Veritate as “burst[ing] into our lives as something not due to us, something that transcends every law of justice” (no. 34). Thus we take up the task of serving the common good with joy and hope, confident that God, who “so loved the world that he gave his only Son,” walks with us and strengthens us on the way (Jn 3:16). God is love, and he desires that we help to build a “civilization of love”— one in which all human beings have the freedom and opportunity to experience the love of God and live out that love by making a free gift of themselves to one another.

God Bless,

Fr. Lance Martin

Special Note from the Membership Director (Jack Kelly)

Brother Knights, Enough has been said about the outstanding job you did on the Fast Start Membership Program. But, before I go on, did you know we had TWO exemplifications in September? 8 New Members? WOW! 16 in July, August and September!

Now it is time to keep the momentum going forward. Last year we exemplified three members in November. Lets do it again! It is through membership growth that we stay strong.

Jack Kelly, Director of Membership

jakelly10@aol.com

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community oktoberfest dinner

DATE: TUESDAY, 22 OCTOBER 2024

TIME: 5:00 P.M. TO 6:30 P.M.

COST: \$15.00

PLACE: COLUMBUS HALL

9901 Coastal Highway
Ocean City, Maryland 21842
(Behind St. Luke's Church)

MENU INCLUDES*:

TOSS SALAD (CHOICE OF DRESSINGS)
ROASTED PORK LOIN AND GRAVY
BRATS AND SAUERKRAUT
ROASTED POTATOES
STEAMED VEGETABLES
PRETZEL ROLLS AND BUTTER
APPLE AND PEACH COBBLER

***ALTERNATIVE MAIN ENTRÉES:**

FRIED SHRIMP
FRIED OYSTER
BAKED COD FILET (LIMITED QUANTITY)
Seafood Cooked to Order



Served by the Knights of Columbus

Dear Brothers, Ladies and friends of Council 9053. Greetings from Columbus Hall. Now that summer is over, we can enjoy the fall weather with less traffic. As all of you know we have been looking for someone to take over the position of Treasurer. I am pleased to announce that Brother Knight Jerry Connoly has stepped up. THANK YOU JERRY. We are still looking for someone to take over the position of President. Please contact any of the Directors if interested.

October will be a busy month with 4 condo meetings, a family reunion and 2 Celebrations of Life for Brothers SK Bruce Coons & SK Roland Murray. Please keep them and their families in your prayers.

The following things were done in September to improve the appearance/safety of the hall. Rugs in the hall and tile in kitchen/bar were cleaned. New emergency light in the hallway and replaced ballast in the fluorescent lights in the hall. Repaired the ramp in front of the building. Coated and restriped the parking lot.

As always, if you are looking for a venue for your next party, or meeting, please remember Columbus Hall. We have a beautiful building with an amazing deck and the best view in Ocean City. For availability and prices contact Richard Thomas at 610-304-9773 or our new Columbus Club e-mail ccck0coc@gmail.com

Next Columbus meeting will be at 10:00 AM October 16, 2024 in the hall, all are welcome

God Bless You, Richard

LIFE Report from the Director of Council 9053's LIFE Program... Here are headlines:

- ⇒ Pro-Life Advocate Appeals Prison Sentence for Protesting Abortion.
- ⇒ Catholic Nuns Ask Supreme Court To Stop New York From Forcing Them to Fund Abortions.
- ⇒ Kamala Harris Supports Abortion Up to Birth. Six Babies Killed in Abortions in the 9th Month in Tim Walz's State.
- ⇒ Christians and Catholics Can't Sit Out This ELECTION; there is Too Much at Stake.
- ⇒ Abortion Pill Kills Woman, Left Remains of Her Unborn Babies Inside Her.
- ⇒ Catholic For Kamala is a Bogus Group with a Rented Room in a Strip Mall.
- ⇒ Delaware Gov. John Carney Vetoes Bill Legalizing Assisted Suicide.
- ⇒ Abortions Killed 2 Georgia Women; Not Pro-Life Laws.

Harris 2018 HATES what we believe, *catholicvote.org* President Brian Burch said in a statement. During his nomination for the Judgeship for U.S. District Court questioning, his membership in the Knight of Columbus, Harris referred to the Group "As a Catholic men's Society who believes in opposing abortions and same sex marriage." The Senate resolution said that Membership in the Knight's was a Violation of the Constitution.

Please continue your Daily Rosary for LIFE from conception until natural death. WE CAN'T SIT ON THE SIDELINES AND EXPECT THING TO CHANGE. Please vote this year—as often as you can.

KEVIN HUGHES 410-726-8946

Special Note from the Editor: 1) If you see an error, please call or e-mail me with the information. 2) The due date for all articles for the **November 2024 edition** of the *KNIGHT TIMES* is **October 25th, 2024**. Of course, I'll be groveling and nagging before that. Please submit articles in MS "Word" or plain text via e-mail. **No PDF's.**

Brother Tom Foglesong, Knight Times Editor, Email: tomfoglesong@gmail.com, or Call at 240-353-0681
Also, Navigate to Facebook and Search for #9053. You should find our FaceBook Page—be sure to "like" that page.

Ocean City Lady Knights Auxiliary



Dear Ladies,

What a great way to say goodbye to the summer of 2024 with our first annual **End of the Summer Deck Party**. We filled the hall with happy Knights and Ladies, great food and fantastic music by the **Short-Term Memories Band**. Thank you to all who brought a dish to share. What a wonderful variety. The band played our kind of music, the kind you can dance to.

The **Rosary Rally Fall 2024** will be held on Monday October 7th at 12:00 pm at Veterans Memorial Park, 11144 Cathell Road, Ocean Pines (Across from the library behind the poo) Come celebrate the Feast of the Holy Rosary with members of Rosary Conference Call Community as we complete another 54-day Novena for our Nation.

October 5, 2024, Eucharist Conference being held at the OC Convention Center, 08:30 – 4:00 PM; Registration is easy, <https://www.cdow.org/eucharisticcongress/> \$35.00 includes lunch!

Thank you to all who attended our September meeting and thank you for volunteering to be on one or more of our committees. If you were not able to attend the meeting, please consider joining a committee. We need help to achieve our mission: to assist the Knights of Columbus council 9053, to raise funds and donate to our charities and to promote our spiritual growth.

Our next meeting will be on October 21 at 1:00 in the Knights Hall. Please consider inviting a friend who might be looking for a way to do some good and be part of a wonderful group of ladies. We will be decorating pumpkins to be sold at the Knights Community Supper.

Octoberfest. Please bring a pumpkin and some Fall decorations and a glue gun if you have one. We will provide the succulent plants. My God's blessings shine upon you.

Please feel free to email me with any questions or comments. See you in September.

May God Bless and Keep you.

Adrienne

President Ocean City Lady Knights Auxiliary

Important Calendar Highlights for October 2024

Council 9053 Business Meeting: October 2, 2024 @ 6:30 // Officer's Meeting @ 5:30pm

Assemble 2454 Business Meeting: October 10, 2024 @ 6:30

Funeral and Celebration of Life for Bruce Coons: October 11, 2024 — Visitation @ 11:00, Funeral 12:00 noon, Followed by C'Hall

Monthly Columbus Club Meetings are back: October 16, 2024 @ 10:00am

Lady Knights: October 21 (Officers @ 12:00pm followed by Business meeting @ 1:00pm)

Funeral and Celebration of Life for Roland Murray: October 26, 2024 — Visitation @ 11:00, Funeral 12:00 noon, Followed by C'Hall

Ways and Means Meeting (ZOOM): October 30, 2024 @ 10:00am

Parish Oktoberfest: October 22, 2024 @ 5:00pm

Ocean City SunFest — Council has a Beer Truck: October 24 through October 27

BINGO: BINGO is supported by four teams — Join a team and work every fourth week. Tom Anderson is always building teams.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

FOR OCTOBER 2024

ST LUKE CATHOLIC PARISH

Blessing of the Animals

Rain or Shine, Saturday, October 12th at 1:00pm / Columbus Hall (parking lot)

*All animals must be socialized and remain in the custody of their owners. You may wish to bring a carrier or remain in your vehicle, and we can arrange a blessing for you.

*Wares will be collected for the Worcester County Humane Society: cat/dog dog/cat food, Maribats, pet toys, baby food with meat, catnip, cat treats, blankets, leashes.

23rd Annual Christmas Bazaar

Saturday, November 9, 2024 / St. Andrew Catholic Center / 9am - 4pm

DONATIONS NEEDED:

- **Books and Little Treasures** : The POC at St. Andrew's Catholic Center will be open parish office hours to receive your donations. NO CLOTHES & NO ELECTRONICS.
- **Jewelry** : New, gently used, estate, antique, and costume jewelry, as well as, small jewelry boxes. Collection containers are in the vestibule of the church.
- **Share your Favorite Wine(s)** : NEW 750ml bottles of wine. Wine donations accepted in the PARISH OFFICE only.
- **Auction Items** : Gift cards, event tickets, rounds of golf, local activities, and any other goods or services are being accepted in the parish office.
- **Crafts** : COMPLETED crafts to add to the craft table should be taken to the parish office.
- **Baked Goods** : Baked Goods can be dropped off at the Parish Office on Friday, November 8 before 12noon or brought to St. Andrew's on Saturday morning, November 9.

SAINT JOHN NEUMANN

Masses are being celebrated on Saturday afternoon at 4:00 PM, Sunday at 9:00 and 11:00 and on Monday, Tuesday, and Friday at 9:00 AM. Contact us at 410-208-2956.

Church is open for prayer Monday thru Friday 9:30 AM until 2:30 PM.

Theology on Tap Eastern Shore jameysturgill@gmail.com

ST MARY STAR OF THE SEA - HOLY SAVIOR PARISH

Masses Monday, Tuesday, & Thursday 8:30am - Saturday, Confessions 4:00pm - 5:00
Saturday Mass at 5:15pm - Mass on Sunday 7am at St Mary Star of the Sea, 10 am at Holy Savior
Daily Mass at St Mary 's at 8:30, Monday-Thursday, Contact us at 410-289-0652

October 12th, Saturday

Trunk or Treat

After 5:15 Mass

410-289-0652

October 20th Sunday

Living Rosary

After 9 am Mass, then,

Sodality Tea in the hall

410-289-0652

October 26th, Saturday

PARISH INDOOR BBQ

5:30-7:30 cost is \$16 per person

410-289-0652

Faith in Action Programs

From the Desk of our Council Program Director... John-Paolo Celozzi



We have had an extraordinarily busy September and it would appear that October will be as busy. During September we conducted TWO exemplifications, welcomed in 8 new Brother Knights, and ended with the first annual Deck Party with a great turn-out. What a month!

In October we have our regular activities and will augment those with two funerals and Columbus Hall Celebrations of Life; an Oktoberfest, BINGO every Friday, and we end the month at Ocean City's Annual SunFest and a great 4-day fund raiser, "A Beer Truck." (Pray for good weather so that more people will be out... and thirsty.)

Have a great month, everyone.

God Bless you!

John Paolo

From our Faithful Navigator, SK Tom Herwig

Sir Knights, Brother Knights, Lady Knights and Friends

Please continue your prayers for those on our Knights' sick list, all of our US military especially the Veterans who are in need. Also continue your prayers for the souls of Bruce Coons, Dick Cooke and Roland Murray all of whom recently passed away.

Our plans for a 4th Degree exemplification in Ocean City are continuing. The Maryland Master is still committed to this event. I have been working with Tom Foglesong to select 3rd Degree Knights for the initial invitations to sign up for the exemplification. I will provide a report on our progress at the October meeting.

SK Bruce Coons' viewing and funeral are scheduled for Friday, October 11th beginning at 11AM. A celebration of his life will be held at the Columbus Hall following Mass. The Assembly will provide an Honor Guard during the viewing. All Knights may wear the Knight armbands at Mass.

Charlie Bell has rescheduled the Patriots/Veterans meeting to Thursday, October 3rd after the Rosary at the Hall. Charlie will report on their progress at the Assembly meeting on 10/10. All Sir Knights are welcome to join Charlie and his team at this meeting.

Thanks to Bo Skalstad, who joined KOC 9053 this summer, I had a conversation with Bo and Retired Lt. Colonel John Fenzel. John is willing to work with us to explore ways to better serve our veterans and our military in the area. We will discuss this further at our Assembly meeting.

We will have a Veterans Day Ceremony on Friday, November 8th at St Luke Church after the 9AM Mass. We are working with Retired Navy Captain Sharon Ruest, wife of Brother Knight Ron Ruest, to make a presentation to all of our Knights and Lady Knights and Friends in November. More information will follow. We are also looking to resume our Veteran's Christmas luncheon in December.

I pray to Jesus and Mary that all of our Knights, Lady Knights and Friends will receive the graces to fully model Jesus in our Churches, Communities and within our organizations.

Vivat Jesus

**Tom Herwig, Faithful Navigator, Assembly 2454 Pope John Paul II
God Bless America and our Military**

Insurance Report, October 2024

Dear Council Brothers and friends of Council 9053,

When Father McGivney founded our Order, a key part of his mission was to help Catholic families attain a secure financial future. It was a hard time and place to be Catholic, but he didn't want them to feel they had to let go of their Catholic identity in order to find that stability. He wanted them to see their Catholic community as a place of security – to know that here, their faith could grow. And here, their families would be protected. In keeping with that mission, Supreme Knight Patrick Kelly recently announced updates to our member benefits. Now, you might not even remember you have these benefits – in a sense, they're the best kept secret of the Order, but I'm going to do my part in making sure they're more widely known. I'd like to highlight some of these updates, starting with one that affects all of us. Whether or not you are an insured Knight of Columbus, you are entitled to the Member/Spouse Fraternal Benefit. This is an accidental death benefit for all members in good standing and their spouse. The benefit amount varies from \$1,500-\$5,000, depending on your age, whether you are insured and how long you've been a member. The second update I'd like to call out is the Family Fraternal Benefit, which applies to insured members. It's guaranteed-issue insurance up to \$10,000 to any child under age 18, regardless of physical or intellectual disabilities. This also includes an automatic \$5,000 death benefit for children who die before age 61 days, including stillbirths from at least 20 weeks after conception. Next is the Orphan Fraternal Benefit, which provides \$500 monthly to an insured member's child who has lost both parents, up to age 19. This benefit also includes up to \$5,000 per year in college scholarships, with a maximum total of \$20,000, per eligible orphan. Finally, the Widow Benefit offers surviving spouses of insured members the opportunity to purchase life insurance, long-term care insurance, disability income insurance or annuities, and she and her children are eligible for scholarships. We strive to bring Father McGivney's mission to life by offering you these valuable benefits. I would like to sit down with each and every one of you to walk you through the benefits available to you and your family. Please schedule an appointment with me as soon as possible. Thank you, and I pray that Blessed Michael McGivney watches over our families this month.

Vivat Jesus!

Robert (Bob) Marlowe III



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Important Calendar Highlights for Next Month, November 2024

Election Day, 2024: November 5, 2024 — All Day
Council Business Meeting: November 6, 2024 @ 6:30 (Officers @ 5:30)
Parish Community Breakfast: November 10, 2024 @ 8:30 -> 11:00am
Charity Meeting: November 12, 2024 @ 10:00am
Columbus Club: November 13, 2024 @ 10:00am
Assembly Meeting: November 14, 2024 @ 6:30
Lady Knights Meeting: November 18, 2024 @ 12:00 officers // 1:00pm Business Meeting
Ways and Means Meeting: November 26, 2024 @ 10:00 via ZOOM
Blood Drive: November 27, 2024 @ 9:00am -> 2:00pm
Thanksgiving 2024—November 28, 2024

CHARITY COMMITTEE MEETING

CHAIRMAN: Joe Kostelac
MEMBER: Vito Potenza
MEMBER: Jim Stone
GUEST: Richard Fox

FAITHFUL NAVIGATOR: Tom Herwig
MEMBER: Wayne Straight
MEMBER: Richard Thomas

The Council 9053 Charity Committee met on 9/10/2024. Members present designated the following organizations to receive a donation from 50% of the net profit from Bingo and Slots.

ORGANIZATION	AMOUNT
The Little Sister of Jesus and Mary	\$500.00
Worcester County Sheriff's Department (Child Safety Program)	\$500.00
Selbyville Library building fund	\$500.00
Coastal Hospice	\$500.00
Worcester County Veterans Memorial/Ocean Pines Foundation	\$500.00
Eastern Shore Veterans Cemetery, Hurlock, MD (Wreaths Across America)	\$340.00
Millsboro Veterans Cemetery (Wreaths Across America)	\$340.00
Cross Catholic Outreach "Box of Joy" (20 boxes)	\$640.00
Coats for Kids (12 Boxes)	\$3,200.00
Total Charity Contribution	\$7,020.00

The NEXT MEETING is November 12, 2024 at 10:30. All Council members are invited.

CONGRATULATIONS



Happy Birthday

HAPPY BIRTHDAY to all Brother Knights born in October...

<u>Knight</u>	<u>B'Date</u>
William Mc Elroy	1
Arthur Henshaw	2
Edgar Purcell	3
Bernard Busby	4
Richard Schwarz	7
Eric Melendey	8
Charles Lamb	12
Paul Till	12
John O Brien	14
James Shugart	14
Anthony Carozza	15
James Mccrystal	17
Frederick Stiehl	17
Richard Korecky	18
John Low	18
Mark Winterling	18
Harry Ballantyne	19
Paul Hawkins	20
Michael Woll	20
Edward Mardaga	24
Thomas Perry	28
Walter Chester	29
<i>Bruce Coons, deceased</i>	29
Harold Spafford	29
Dennis Ward	29



Happy Anniversary

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY to all Brother Knights and their wives who are celebrating an anniversary in October....

<u>Brother Knight & Bride</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>Date</u>
John & Joann Cuomo	3	2
Terrence & Beth Riley	8	5
Richard & Barbara Sugden	57	7
Stephen & Janet Lind	20	9
John & Anna Rubino	53	9
David & Joyce Melocik	60	10
Vincent & Bonnie Gisriel	56	12
Joel & Jan Lazzari	46	14
Brandon & Alison Reim	7	14
Kevin & Karen Hughes	47	15
Joel & Lana McTavish	13	15
Robert & Barbara Frost	60	17
Dennis & Tina Contic	22	19
Gerry & Helen Truman	61	19
Victor & Robin Bartell	35	21
Allan & Jeanne Mills	29	21
Francis & Veronica Gatley Jr.	58	22
Tom & Susan Irwin	2	29



Champagne For Anniversary Celebrations.

Prayer List— that special intention list you have while saying your morning and evening prayers.

Jane Bartolomeo, wife of Brother Nick
 Brother Nick Bartolomeo
 Kimberly Bean
 Brother Charlie Bell
 Brother Ron Briggs
 Brother Chuck Burnett and G'Daughter Lori
 Brother Tony Carozza and wife Mary Pat
 Brother Sal Castorina
 Adrienne Celeste's nephew and two nieces
 Logan, Great Grandson of Evelyn Coons
 Bryan Coons, Son of Evelyn Coons
 Robert Gentzel, father-in-law of Frank Celeste, Jr.
 Brother Neil and Kathy's Daughter-in-Law Lisa
 Glen and Delores Gorden, friends of Brother Joe Lazzari
 Brother Lou Guido
 Robert Hally
 Carol Horelick
 Susan Irwin, wife of Brother Tom
 Father John Lunness
 Sylvia Shepard, daughter of Brother Dale Shepard
 Son of Brother Dale Shepard
 Family of Brother Dale Shepard: Kaitlyn
 Deacon Bob
 Denise Kennard, daughter of Deacon Bob and Barbara and Michelle and Matthew
 Brother Mike Jacobs and wife Ethel
 Mrs. Keith, Bryan's Mom
 Carolyn Kress, wife of Brother Ray
 Brother Rich Lamarre
 Glen and Delores Gorden, friends of Brother Joe Lazzari
 Ann McDermott's G'son, and Julie, Daughter and Ann
 Chuck McCready's Son Nick
 Brother Charlie O'Brien
 John O'Brien, son of Brother Charlie & wife Maureen
 Brother Vincent Omundson's wife
 Brother Al Pilarski
 Brother Ed Rodier
 Brother John Rubino and John's wife Anna
 Teresa Gaul, Cousin of Brother John Sharkey
 Eddie Stephens, son of Cheryl
 Granddaughter of Cheryl Stephens, Amanda Decker
 Deborah Straight, sister of Brother Wayne
 Sister Dottie Tumminello
 Brother George Ward
 Brother Carl Windmiller

This month we lost Brother and Sir Knight Roland Murray. Please keep Roland and the family in your prayers.

Announcement: If you have updates on the prayer list, please email Chuck Lutz @ klutzio26@gmail.com



HAPPY BIRTHDAY to Ladies of the Auxiliary celebrating birthdays in October:

<u>Lady Members</u>	<u>B'Date</u>
Dottie McGovern	10/04
Kristy April	10/11
Debra Danforth	10/20
Faye Hartman	10/31

Ocean City Council #9053 Officers 2024-2025

Chaplain, Father and SK Lance Martin	410-289-0652
Grand Knight, SK Ken Hidenfelter	410-703-2623
Deputy Grand Knight, SK John Sharkey	610-329-5651
Chancellor, Chuck Lutz	410-208-3065
Warden, SK Wayne Straight.....	302-988-1683
Recorder, Chris Bean.....	301-440-0865
Financial Secretary, SK Dale Shepard.....	952-807-3239
Treasurer, SK Tom Foglesong.....	240-353-0681
Lecturer, David Dancer	240-506-7857
Advocate, Bill Van Horn.....	301-461-3660
Inside Guard, SK Richard Thomas	610-304-9773
Outside Guard, SK Richard Fox	443-966-2200

Trustees:

3 Yr—SK Tom Herwig	410-960-9019
2 Yr—SK Charles O'Brien.....	302-988-1498
1 Yr—SK Joe Carraro—Interim.....	410-250-8237

Convention Delegates:

SK Ken Hidenfelter, GK	410-703-2623
SK Thomas Herwig, FN, PGK	410-960-9019
Alternate Delegate: SK Wayne Straight, PGK, PFN	302-988-1863
Alternate Delegate: SK Joseph Gangi, PGK, PFN	973-600-0775

Exemplification Team Captain:

Open

Pope John Paul II Assembly #2454 4th Degree Officers 2024-2025

Faithful Friar, Father and SK Lance Martin	410-289-0652
Faithful Navigator, SK Thomas Herwig.....	410-960-9019
Faithful Captain, SK Thomas Foglesong.....	240-353-0681
Faithful Pilot, SK Charlie Bell.....	410-465-0445
Faithful Admiral, SK Joe Kostelac, PGK, PFN	410-250-5665
Faithful Scribe, SK Tom Pergola.....	302-541-4737
Faithful Purser, SK Richard Thomas.....	610-304-9773
Faithful Comptroller, SK Thomas Anderson.....	410-641-5752
Inner Sentinel, SK Richard Fox.....	443-966-2200
Outer Sentinel, SK Charles McCready	443-944-2931

Trustees:

3 Yr—SK Richard Hubbard	410-271-3299
2 Yr—SK Joe Lazzari.....	410-980-7208
1 Yr—SK Jim Stone, PGK, PFN.....	302-436-7866

Color Corps Commander:

SK Neil Foote, PFN..... 302-436-0128

Deputy Color Corp Commander:

SK Richard Thomas

Chalice Chairman:

SK Tom Foglesong..... 240-353-0681

MASTER:

SK Jim Duryee

District Officers 2024-2025

District Deputy, SK Joseph Gangi, PGK, PFN.....	973-600-0775
District Warden, SK Howard Pusey, PGK, PFN	410-603-8186

Chairmen/Directors/Managers 2024-2025

Bar Manager, SK Richard Thomas	610-304-9773
Bingo, SK Tom Anderson	410-641-5752
Charity Committee Chairman, Open	
Faith Director, SK Steve Mastbrook	302-604-2694
Community Director, SK Tom Herwig.....	410-960-9019
Computer Specialist, John Rubino	301-938-9239
Family Director, SK John Sharkey.....	610-329-5651
Hall Rental Manager, SK Richard Thomas	610-304-9773
Kitchen Manager, SK Kevin Hughes	410-726-8946
Knight Times Editor, SK Tom Foglesong.....	240-353-0681
Membership Director, Jack Kelly.....	410-258-5663
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Program Director, John-Paolo Celozzi.....	443-859-7666
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Retention Director, Jack Kelly	410-258-5663
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Ways & Means Chair, SK Tom Foglesong	240-353-0681
Youth Director, SK Eddie Mardaga	443-220-5286
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Acting President — SK Richard Thomas— Open	610-304-9773
Vice President— SK Richard Thomas	610-304-9773
Treasurer—Jerry Connolly	443-693-3233
Secretary—SK Richard Fox	443-966-2200

Directors:

SK John Reese	410-923-1580
SK Lou Guido	410-378-4782
SK Richard Fox.....	443-966-2200

Open

SK Jim Stone.....	302-436-7866
SK Richard Thomas	610-304-9773

Managers:

House/ Rental/ Bar Manager, SK Richard Thomas.....	610-304-9773
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Ex Officio Members:

Grand Knight, SK Ken Hidenfelter	410-703-2623
Faithful Navigator, SK Tom Herwig.....	410-960-9019

Ocean City Lady Knights Auxiliary

President, Adrienne Celeste	302-381-7708
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Recording Secretary, Deborah Guido	410-382-0173
Treasurer, Ceil Fox	410-960-3980
Membership Chair, Open	

Insurance Representative

Robert Marlowe III	443-955-1812
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State Officers 2024-2025

Chaplain	Rev. Fr. Donald Grzymiski
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Secretary	John F. Winfrey
Treasurer	Ronald Hassan
Advocate	Thomas Greul
Warden	Mike Lynch
Immediate Past State Deputy	Christopher Powers

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		October 1)	2) Council 9053 Officer Meeting @ 5:30pm Business Meet- ing, 6:30pm	3) Rosary, 10am Sons of Italy, 5:00pm	4) BINGO 5:00pm Team 4	5) 8:00 -> 4:00 Eucharistic Con- ference Convention Center \$35 a person
6)	7)	8) LAOH 9:30am	9) Polish Club 2:00pm	10) Rosary, 10am Assembly 2454 Meeting@ 6:30p	11) Bruce Coons Celebration BINGO, 5:00pm Team 1	12)
13) <u>Rental</u> <u>Don Collins</u> <u>Family Reunion</u>	14)	15)	16) Columbus Club Meeting—10:00a	17) Rosary, 10am	18) BINGO, 5:00pm Team 2	19) Condo Meeting 9:00 -> 12:00pm Condo Meeting 1:00 -> 3:00pm Condo Meeting 3:00 -> 5:00pm
20)	21) Lady Knights 12:00 Officers 1:00 Business Meeting— Pumpkin Decora- tions	22) Parish Dinner “Oktoberfest” 5:00 -> 6:30pm	23)	24) SunFest Beer Truck Rosary, 10am	25) SunFest Beer Truck BINGO, 5:00pm Team 3	26)SunFest Beer Truck Condo Meeting 10:00 ->12:00pm Roland Murray Celebration
27) SunFest Beer Truck	28)	29)	30) Ways & Means Meeting, 10:00a via Zoom	31) Rosary, 10am		
					November 1) BINGO, T4	2) Condo Meeting 1:00-4:30
3)	4)	5)	6) Officers @ 5:30 Council 9053 6:30p @ Columbus Hall	7) Rosary, 10:00a Sons of Italy, 5	8) BINGO—T1	9) Condo Meeting 8:45-11:30 Anniversary Party Rental 1:00—6:00
10) Parish Community Breakfast 8:30—11:00	11)	12) LAOH 9:30 Charity Met, 10:00	13) Columbus Club- BOD 10:00a Polish Club 2:00	14) Rosary, 10:00a Assembly 2454 Business Mtg, 6:30	15) BINGO—T2	16) Condo Meeting 11:00-1:00pm
17)	18) Lady Knights Officers @ Noon; Business Meeting @ 1:00pm,	19) LAOH 9:30	20)	21) Rosary, 10:00a	22) BINGO—T3	23)
24)	25)	26) Ways & Means, 10a, ZOOM	27) Blood Drive 9:00 -> 2:00pm	28) Thanksgiving 2024	29) BINGO—T4	30)

KNIGHT TIMES

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Ocean City Council #9053**



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BINGO at 9053

SK Tom Anderson, Director

Brothers All, good day! Are you proud to be a part of our Catholic Men's organization with all of our charitable contributions and successes?

Well, let me tell you how **BINGO** helps us. Year after year, **BINGO** is the largest revenue generator we have. Charitable Contributions exceeded \$20,000 this past year—just from BINGO. Our Council could not do what we do without **BINGO**.

You are probably wondering how you can help. We organize **BINGO** services into 4 teams, and each team works one Friday night every four weeks. For two hours, from 5:15p.m. until 7:00p.m., we need 6 guys. Then, we need three guys to stay until 10:00p.m. ONE NIGHT out of each 4-WEEK period. Call today.

Please call me, Tom A., at 410-641-5752, for answers to your questions and to join one of our four teams.

Another Important Scene from the Exemplification!



Pictured on Left (Front to Rear):

**Candidates breaking
strands of Fiber**

William Frances

Doug Fonteno

Ed Sandman

Gabriel Tempert

Ed Cameron

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Lesson in Unity



Pictured on Left (Front to Rear):
Candidates breaking strands of Fiber
William Frances
Doug Fonteno
Ed Sandman
Gabriel Tempert
Ed Cameron

Pictured on the Right:
SK Richard Thomas
demonstrated Fibers
bound together do not
Break





Pictured Above: DD SK Joe Gangi presents new Knights their personal Rosary

Pictured to the Left: New Knights holding their Rosaries

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