

NEWSLETTER



Knights of Columbus Council 13181, 131 High Street, Sabattus, ME 04280

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Grand Knight's Corner

Dear Brother Knights,

My Brother Knights—we truly are living through some extraordinary times. I hope this newsletter finds you safe and healthy as our country continues to battle the COVID-19 “Corona virus”. Our efforts appear to be having a positive affect, but this is still going to take time to work itself out. Individually, what we are asked to do is quite simple: practice good hygiene, stay away from others if we are ill, keep at least 6’ spacing between us and others when we go out, and generally do all those things your mother told you to do to prevent yourself or others from getting ill. If everyone follows these steps, this virus will wind itself down naturally. We are blessed to live in a rural environment where “social distancing” isn’t a challenge, it is a way of life! Still, it can be distressing to watch the news and hear of all the negative stories (the only kind they broadcast) and think that the world is coming to an end. I don’t believe that, and I do believe that through prayer and good habits, this will pass.

In the meantime, what else can we do? For the foreseeable future we will not be able to hold meetings in person. I am open to hosting conference calls or on-line meetings, but I don’t know if that would best serve our Council. I think if there is pressing business to attend to, I will set up a conference call to address it. Until then, please keep praying for a swift end to this ordeal.

One thing we must not forget to do, however, is to check on one another from time to time. Call your Brother Knights and make sure they are doing OK. If there are any of you that need assistance in any way—grocery or supplies delivered to your house, taking your trash to the dump, etc.—please don’t hesitate to call me or any other Brother Knight. Together we will help each other through this.

Remember, too, that this is still the Lenten sea-

son, and we should maintain our focus on our Lenten commitments. We don’t know if we will be able to attend mass for Palm Sunday or Easter, but we DO know that the church is in each one of us. Let’s take this time to pray and reflect even more deeply on God’s message this season.

Yours in Christ
Robert Michaud—Grand Knight
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Upcoming Activities and Council Needs:

- ◇ **All meetings and group activities are canceled until further notice**

Prayer Corner

Guardian Angel Prayer

Angel of God,
My Guardian Dear,
to whom His love commits me here,
ever this day be at my side,
to light and to guard,
to rule and guide.
Amen.

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Upcoming Degrees

- ◆ Please contact Robert Michaud for more information on the dates and locations of the degrees under the new format.

Birthdays This Month

Howard Cooke
Howard Levesque
Daniel Moreau

Knights of the Month

Dan Bouffard—for his assistance in making repairs to the church and always being there to help with new initiatives

Family of the Month

Ron & C. J. Tolini—for their commitment to the church in all of the activities and their support of the Council

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Bill Wiess—(207)691-0867



Rejoice—For He Has Risen!

April 2020

| March 2020 | | | | | | | May 2020 | | | | | | |
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| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| 29 | 30 | 31 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 4:30 PM ***Canceled*** K of C - Bean & Casserole Supper |
| 5 | 6 6:30 PM ***Canceled*** K of C Business Meeting | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 |
| 12 9:30 AM ***Canceled*** K of C - Coffee & Donuts | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 |
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| 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 1 | 2 4:30 PM K of C - Bean & Casserole Supper |

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