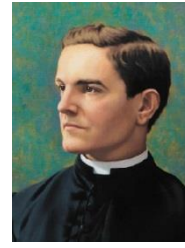




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State Deputy's Report (extract)

Stephen M. Cohen State Deputy

My Brothers All and Lovely Ladies,

We are doing extremely well growing our Councils, our State and our Order. Charitable Outreach still must be one of our focuses as we continue the Fraternal Year. Continue as a council to do whatever is needed wherever it is needed. Don't forget our Pennies From Heaven Campaign, which contributes to our Scholarship, Ultrasound and Charity Funds. We are accepting donations from individuals, councils, auxiliaries and chapters. Now is the time to start planning your involvement in the Box of Joy program for next Fraternal Year. Let's plan to beat the 1400 box total from this year. Involve your parishes, your schools, your auxiliaries, and your councils. This is a very worthwhile program.

Thank you to everyone who is making this year a success and OUR BEST YEAR EVER. Vivat Jesus, Steve.♦♦♦

Chaplain's Message

Monsignor William A. Collins

In my Father's house are many rooms... I am going there to prepare a place for you.... I will come back and take you to be with me that you also may be where I am (John 14:2). Our Lord has risen from the dead and he promises us a share in his resurrection. In the Creed, we say, "I believe in the resurrection of the dead and the life of the

world to come".

Our Lord's resurrection is a proof of our resurrection with him. Our resurrection must be like Our Lord's resurrection. He is our only example in this. Our Lord did not come back to life with no memory or connection with his early life. In appearing to his apostles and disciples, he knew them and interacted with them, although he was different in some ways, appearing to them through locked doors. Mary Magdalen recognized him only when he called her, "Mary". By the Sea of Galilee, St. John was the first to recognize him on the shore. He said, "It is the Lord"

Like Christ's, our resurrection, promised at the end of the world, includes our whole person, with our bodies and all our history, "that wonderful, venturous, convoluted history. With its tears and ecstasies, its sorrows and blessings – it all 'travels with us' into eternal life with God" (p177. Lohfink, Gerhard. "Is This All there Is" tr. By Linda M. Mahoney. Collegeville, MN: Liturgical Press Academic, 2017-2018)♦♦♦

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District Deputy's Message

Bill Adams, District Deputy

Rev Father and My Brothers All,

My Brothers All, I bring you greetings from our Worthy State Deputy, Stephen M. Cohen. He reminds us, it is not I, it is we, it is not my goal it is our goal, to make this the best year ever.

Three months left. Time flies when you are having fun. This has been a great year, but we still have much to accomplish. Don't stop your events finish strong in support of our parishes, our councils and our communities. Remember, at least one new member per month, to finish strong. Those councils on the verge of STAR, you know what you have to do, so do it. I will work to help each council bring in new members. Remember the trifecta is coming in May. May 9 to 11th we will have an Admissions Degree, Formation Degree and Knighthood Degree at Archbishop Fulton Sheen, St. Joseph Catholic Community in Eldersburg. Each Degree will start at 7:30, candidates need to arrive NTL 7PM. Coat and Tie.

The Holy Family Icon was on display at St. John at every Mass during the Easter weekend, with a final prayer service for Families April 2nd. Thanks to Westminster Council for hosting the Icon, all weekend. Father Mark was very excited to display this symbol of the Family for all to see. I am disappointed more councils did not attend the service on Monday. This was not only a Westminster event, but also a District event that we all should have supported.

As we finish the Easter Season and head into Pentecost, please remember, the order is here not only to help Catholic Gentleman to grow in faith and fraternity, we are here to help where ever needed in our parishes and communities. Remember your promise to carry your Rosary always and say it as often as possible, for the needy, the sick, and the deceased and for all. Thank you for your continued support. ♦♦♦

From the Lectern

Daryl Kaufmann PGK, Lecturer

Occupational Ototoxins (Ear Poisons) and Hearing Loss - It is a well-known fact that hazardous noise exposure in the workplace can cause noise-induced hearing loss. Occupational ototoxins have not commanded as much attention, yet pose a significant health risk to our workforce. Ototoxic chemicals either cause hearing loss independently, or work synergistically with hazardous noise to damage the inner ear.

Tinnitus is a ringing, buzzing, clicking, roaring or rushing sound in the ears that is often most noticeable in quiet. Individuals with noise-induced hearing loss often experience tinnitus that is a constant, high-pitched ringing in one or both ears. ♦♦♦

Cook's Corner

Dennis Kast, PGK

April 25th is an ANZAC day. Anzac (Australia New Zealand Army Corps) Day is a national day of remembrance in Australia and New Zealand that broadly commemorates all Australians and New Zealanders "who served and died in all wars, conflicts, and peacekeeping efforts. The day started to remember the soldiers who were slaughtered at a battle called Gallipoli. A disastrous attempt to invade Turkey in WW1. The day now remembers all soldiers.

Tonight's meal features traditional Australian food – Meat Pie, Walumbilla Quiche, and Anzac biscuits. Good Aussie tucker. Meat Pies are common in shops. People grab a meat pie like we buy burgers and pizza. The Wallumbilla Quiche is a crust less quiche that is part of Australian cuisine. Anzac biscuits are a tradition that started when the soldiers were in the trenches in WWI. ♦♦♦

Church

Rosary Devotion

WHERE

Old Holy Family Chapel
Liberty Road at Holbrook Road

WHEN

Fourth Tuesday of every month

This monthly Rosary Devotion, is sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, but is open to all who wish to attend. We will recite all four sets of mysteries — Joyful, Luminous, Sorrowful, and Glorious. Come for all or part of the prayer time. We begin promptly at 7 p.m. and usually are done by 8:10 p.m. It is okay to come and leave as it fits your schedule for the evening. ♦♦♦

Council

Can you volunteer just a few hours a month for the Council?

Worthy Knights. The Council in order to continue to support our charitable efforts is in need of additional volunteers for just a few hours per month for the following. Please reach out to the Grand Knight and offer your support!

- **Council Officers.**
- **Bingo Coordinator.** *After many years of devoted service Dale Anderson has notified the GK and he is needing to step away from being the Coordinator.*
- **Bingo Volunteers.** *At any of the three facilities.*
- **Tootsie Roll Fundraiser Coordinator.**
- **Webmaster**
- **Membership/Retention Chairman.**



Message from the State Council

The 2018 Supreme Convention will be held in Baltimore Md. August 6 – 9, 2018. We are beginning to recruit volunteers to assist with the **The GEM**

various duties that will be undertaken to make the convention a success. The success of the organization of the convention and convention itself relies on the participation of Brother Knights and their families to help with pre-convention activities, hosting duties and support opportunities throughout the convention. Please take a few minutes to review, complete and submit the Volunteer Information Sheet. In addition, the Volunteer Sheet can be submitted electronically and is available on line via this link http://kofcmd.org/docs1617/Volunteer_Information_Sheet_2018_BaltimoreConvention.pdf or at www.kofc.org and see the homepage slide show “Supreme Convention 2018 is in Baltimore” and select “Click Here to Volunteer as Part of the Team.” We will communicate all plans and schedules, via e mail, with our volunteers as we get closer to the convention. If you have any questions or need additional information please let me know, 301 774 6338 or jgiacal@verizon.net. Thank you in advance for your participation and support.

Jack Giacalone, Volunteer Coordinator

Message from the Council Benefits Advisor

Michael Hurley, FIC (Mike) Council Benefits Advisor

Too many people rely on group term life insurance as their only safety net. Often this insurance is an employee benefit provided at low or no cost. The existence of this coverage might convince someone that personally owned life insurance is not necessary.

But only having “through work” life insurance can leave your family vulnerable. Most group life insurance policies are limited in amount, and are tied to salary or some other benchmark.

These numbers are often capped and the cap may be dangerously low when compared to your family’s actual needs. In fact, a detailed analysis that evaluates your specific situation will likely show that any employer provided coverage falls short.

In addition, the amount of group life insurance is almost always reduced, sometimes drastically, when you retire. You could, one day, find

yourself without coverage, and if your health has changed (which it will as you age) you might find yourself unable to secure individual protection, or it may have become prohibitively expensive.

While employee group life insurance can help, it does not replace the need for individually owned life insurance. I am available to meet with you to provide a no cost needs analysis so you know where you stand. Email me at Michael.hurley@kofc.org or call/text my cell 410-913-7835. ♦♦♦

April Birthdays

3rd	GARY A GRELLI
5th	RAYMOND S WATSON
5th	RONALD J DERENCZ
9th	THOMAS A KELLER
11th	CULLIS F GLENN JR
12th	GREGORY W SLIVIAK
15th	VINCENT U ALASORO
15th	FRANCIS L SALTYSIAK
15th	JOHN STRAUCH
19th	THOMAS E FORRESTER
20th	KENNETH J MC DERMOTT
21th	PETER O ODEH
23th	TODD J SHEWELL
24th	THOMAS P FEULNER
25th	JOSEPH ECCLESTON JR
28th	JAMES MC NAMARA
29th	LOUIS M D'ARGENIO
30th	CARROLL M BROWN JR
30th	NICHOLAS N MWAI
30th	FRANK PRINCIPATO

May Birthdays

2nd	ROBERT RITTIE
3rd	REGINALD DIGGS
4th	EMMANUEL ONYEKWERE
5th	AUGUSTINE OKAFOR
6th	RAYMOND BUTLER
7th	WILLIAM ARTHUR
11th	ANTHONY ONDIS
12th	WAYNE DICKIE
15th	ERNEST CHUKWUMA
16th	HENRY MORRISON

19th	Dr. DEMARK MCCLOUD
23th	RICHARD SHEWELL
28th	JOHN GAST
31st	RAYMOND DULIK

June Birthdays

3rd	ALEXANDER ONDIS
3rd	ARTHUR COOPER
3rd	DAVID GARCIA
13th	JACOB SAULSBURY
17th	CHARLES GRAHAM JR
17th	JOSEPH GARNER JR

Upcoming Events

May

- 8th 7pm Monthly Business Meeting
- 12th Marygolds for Mothers prep at Holy Family 9 AM.
- 13th Marygolds for Mothers – All Masses at both churches
- 22nd 7pm Monthly Rosary @ Old Holy Family Church

June

- 12th 7pm Monthly Business Meeting
- 25th 7pm Monthly Rosary @ Old Holy Family Church

July

- 11th 7pm Monthly Business Meeting
- 25th 7pm Monthly Rosary @ Old Holy Family Church

Consider joining the Father Michael J. McGivney Guild

The Father Michael J. McGivney Guild serves as a source for information about the life, works and spirituality of Father McGivney. The Guild distributes informational materials about him, receives reports of favors granted through his intercession and oversees the distribution of relics. Guild members receive regular updates on the progress of Father McGivney's cause for canonization and are invited to participate in

promoting devotion to this Servant of God. Members of the Knights of Columbus are not automatically Guild members and must elect to join the Guild. The Father Michael J. McGivney Guild Newsletter is published bimonthly except July- August, and is sent free to Guild members. <http://www.fathermcgivney.org/en/index.html> ♦♦

Prolife

2018 National March for Life

St Charles will be donating Easter weekend and Divine Mercy weekend poor box collections to the KocC Ultrasound Fund. **PLEASE BE A GENEROUS AS YOU CAN FOR THE UNBORN!**

Community

Rebuilding Together Baltimore

The Council is again this year supporting the efforts of Rebuilding Together Baltimore; whose mission as a nonprofit organization is “devoted to providing critical home repairs to low-income homeowners at no cost to the homeowners”.

Our chairman again this year is Brother Knight Tom Feulner. He is looking for anyone able to help out with a variety of home improvement projects that are scheduled for April 28th. Please reach out to Tom at his e-mail tfeulnerjr@verizon.net to volunteer.

Please strongly consider volunteering just one day of your time for a great cause. Please feel free to checkout their website at <http://rtbaltimore.org/> for additional information.

Bingo Schedules

GENESIS

Thursdays at 7:00 PM at Genesis Health Care, 9101 Liberty Road, Randallstown

Latest schedule to be published in the May GEM

The Genesis Bingo Night is one of our council’s longest running service programs. Your cooperation helps keep it going!

CHAPEL HILL BINGO

Third Tuesdays at 7:00 PM at Chapel Hill Nursing & Rehabilitation Center 4511 Robosson Rd, Randallstown

Jan., May, Sept.	Stell and Palencar
Feb., June, Oct.	Gast and Sheppard
March, July, Nov.	Morrison, Sartin
April, Aug., Dec.	Anderson and Rittie

OAKLAND MANOR BINGO

Third Tuesdays at 7:00 PM at Transitions Oakland Manor 2810 Kaywood Place Sykesville

January	Derencz, Ignatius
February	Arther
March	Palencar
April	Gast
May	Morrison, Sartin
June	Kauffman
July	Topel
August	Topel
September	Arther
October	Rittie, Morrison
November	Anderson
December	Kauffman ♦♦

Family and Youth

Special and Gifted Children’s Fund

Our appeal for 2018 continues!

Any new “leads” for donors? Please contact PGK K. Dale Anderson at (410) 655-4641. ♦♦♦



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Holy Family Catholic Church, 9531 Liberty Road, Randallstown

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2018 Supreme Convention Baltimore Md. Volunteer Information Sheet

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT IN CAPITAL LETTERS

COUNCIL #	MEMBERSHIP #
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KNIGHT'S NAME (Last, First, Middle)					SPOUSE'S FIRST NAME				
ADDRESS									
CITY STATE AND ZIP CODE									
KNIGHT :	MOBILE #	WORK #	HOME #	E MAIL ADDRESS					
SPOUSE:	MOBILE #	WORK #	HOME #	E MAIL ADDRESS					

Please indicate day (s) and times (s) you are willing to volunteer. Please identify the activity you prefer to be assigned, use Activity Legend below to select activities C,D,E,G,H and record it in the "CODE" box. Please Note: Activity B & F are Closed. Greeter volunteers are needed for all dates and times, the star indicates where Greeters are needed the most. Hierarchy Drivers (C), Ladies Luncheon Table Hostess (H) and Youth Activity (E) volunteers are needed for the dates listed below, see Activity Legend, Dates Needed .

Day/ Date	KNIGHT				SPOUSE			
	7am-11am	11am-3pm	3pm-7pm	7pm-10pm	7am-11am	11am-3pm	3pm-7pm	7pm-10pm
Friday, August 3	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE
Saturday, August 4	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE
Sunday, August 5	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE
Monday, August 6	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE
Tuesday, August 7	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE
Wednesday, August 8	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE
Thursday, August 9	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE

* Friday August 10 and Saturday August 11 are primarily for a limited number of Hierarchy Drivers

*Friday, August 10	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE
*Saturday, August 11	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE	CODE

Code	Activity Legend	Dates Needed
A.	Pre-convention Programs - additional Information will be provided	July 30—Aug 3
B.	Registration—assistance-distributing-guest-packets-and-provide-information-to-guests	Aug 4—Aug 7
C.	Hierarchy Transportation - transport Bishops, Archbishops and Cardinals to and from airports to hotel	Aug 4—Aug 11
D.	Greeters—at hotels , greet and provide information to arriving guests, 8/3, 8/4, 8/5 and 8/6	Aug 4—Aug 6
E.	Youth Activities— help with youth programs during ladies lunch, States Dinner, others act & times TBD	Aug 7— Aug 8
F.	Country Store—assist-with-setup,-sales,-cashier-duties-and-take-down-of-merchandise-on-the-last-day	Aug 4—Aug 9
G.	General Help— not assigned to a specific activity, provide help as needed	Aug 4—Aug 8
H.	Ladies Luncheon—Table Hostess	Aug 8

Please complete the above form and mail to
Knights of Columbus , 2018 Supreme Convention—Volunteers
3901 Shallow Brook Lane Olney Md. 20832
or complete, scan and e-mail to Jgiacal48@gmail.com, the form is also available at www.kofc-md.org
Questions, please contact Jack Giacalone, Volunteer Coordinator, 301 774 6338

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