

KNIGHTNEWS

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MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION COUNCIL 4907 SPOTSWOOD, NJ

GRAND KNIGHT REPORT

Greetings Brother Knights:

It is a privilege to reach out to you as the Worthy Grand Knight for our Council 4907. It has been very busy since I took over as your Grand Knight! There have been quite a few happenings and I'd like to highlight just a few.

First, a warm welcome to **our new Chaplain and Parish Administrator Father Jack O'Kane**! Father has transferred into our Council and has already participated in our Fall Golf Tournament. He is a true friend to our Order and a proud member too. Our continued condolences to your family Father Jack on the loss of your beloved father Mr. John O'Kane.

Congratulations to the winners of our **Council Soccer Challenge** which was held on September 21st:

Noah Rakvicka Mikalya Darocha Brendan Blekeski

Thanks to PGKs Miller, Rich O'Brien and Mrs. Miller and Mrs. O'Brien for assisting me with this contest.







OUR FAITH AS KNIGHTS

Our commitment to charitable service is just one of the many ways that we express our Catholic faith. We're here to build a daily bridge back to what matters, for our members and fellow Catholics.



It's time for **our annual Thanksgiving Food Drive**! Please bring your nonperishable food donations to the Hall before November 22nd so we can make up food baskets for the needy. Cash donations are accepted as well.

SPOTSWOOD KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS and SPOTSWOOD OFFICE ON AGING November 1st - November 22nd We are collecting non-perishable food at the KOC Hall, 30 Crescent Ave and the Spotswood Senior Center, 1 Arlington Ave, Suite 401 for needy families in our local community. Items needed include: Canned vegetables (especially yams, green beans, corn) **Cream of mushroom soup Canned fried onions Stuffing mix Canned gravy** Instant mashed potatoes **Cranberry** sauce **Tomato sauce** Pasta

> Brownie/cake mix Cereal

Questions? Please call the Office on Aging at (732) 251-3432

On November 9th & 10th, our Council is once again partnering with the American Wheelchair Mission in a **worthy effort to purchase wheelchairs for veterans** across the USA. For every \$150 raised, a wheelchair will be purchased and donated to a worthy recipient. Veteran's Day weekend of November 9 & 10, we will receive the second collection at IC for the cause. We will be in the foyer after all Masses for those who are interested in further information about this effort. Please email me if you're interested in participating.

And as always, email me if you have any questions, concerns or comments about our Council. I can be reached at <u>wgk4907ic@gmail.com</u>

Vivat Jesus,

Ted Ríccí WGK

Top 9 Movies Every Catholic Man MUST Watch

A Man For All Seasons

Judgement at Nuremberg

On The Waterfront

Henry V

The Mission

We Were Soldiers

Liberating a Continent

For Greater Glory

Shane

November Meeting Schedule: Meeting Time Changes



Monday, November 18th Columbian Club Trustees Meeting at 7:00 PM at the Hall. ALL KNIGHTS in good standing (holders of a current membership card) are welcome to attend this meeting.

Wednesday, November 27th KOC Business/Social Meeting at 7:00 PM at the Hall. All Knights are welcome. Pizza will be served after the Business meeting. PLEASE NOTE THE DATE OF THIS MEETING MAY CHANGE DUE TO THE THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY.

Elected Council Officers for 2019/2020

Father Jack O'Kane

Chaplain

Ted Ricci Dan Savarese PGK Frank Guerino Ken Pearce PGK Pat O'Brien John Savarese Carl Buffalino Tom Gallo PGK Chris Ryan John Duffy George Genthe PGK Jay Consorti PGK Rich O'Brien PGK Joe Miller	Grand Knight Deputy Grand Knight Chancellor Financial Secretary Treasurer Warden Recorder Lecturer Advocate Inside Guard Outside Guard Third Year Trustee Second Year Trustee First Year Trustee
Insurance Agent	Bob McFadden 732-382-5795
David Pinto	District Deputy-District 61



Columbian Club Hall



Please tell your friends and family we are accepting Hall bookings for events in December of 2019. To rent the Hall, call 732-251-3033 between the hours of 3 & 7 PM. Or go to our website and complete your booking. Or you can email our Hall Chairman, or me and we'll arrange for your event.

Recent Events

The **Columbi an Club Fundraising Campaign** had a major milestone as we completed our Hallroof project. Here are some pictures from the repair. Thanks to our Roof Committee, George Genthe, Peter Duffy, Tom Gallo, John Decker, Jimmy Flood and Kevin Keenan for seeing it through.

Thanks to Jeff Werner and his company Werner Roofing & Siding for a great job and for working with us on financing. A special thanks to all our members and friends who donated to this fundraising effort making it possible!

If you would still like to donate, we would truly appreciate it. We have other renovations to do in our Hall. To donate, make your check payable to the Columbian Club Building Fund. You can drop it at the Club or mail it to us at 30 Crescent Avenue, Spotswood, NJ 08884.





The Columbiettes hosted a wonderful Halloween Party at our Hall on October 26th. A good time was had by all and it was a great fundraiser for the ladies.





Knights of Columbus # 4907

30 Crescent Avenue

Spotswood, NJ 08884

Our general Business Meeting is at the Club Hall the Fourth Wednesday of every month at 7:30PM.

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We're on the Web!

http://www.spotsw oodkofc.com/

www.njkofc.org/sta rt.html

www.kofc.org/en/i ndex.html



Halloween Photos courtesy of Heather Hornecker.

Upcoming Events

Thanks to PGK Joe Miller for arranging for the **Shake the Can event** for our **Wheelchair Mission** on Saturday, November 9th. We are collecting at the 7/11 across the street from the Spotswood Shop Rite. The money we collect goes to support our Wheelchair Donation. If you can take a shift, please email me.

Our **annual Deceased Members Memorial Mass** is Wednesday, November 13th at the Church at 8:30PM. Please join us for this moving tribute to our lost Brothers and Sisters of the Columbiettes.

Our **Annual Members Christmas Party** will be Friday, December 13th. Please mark your calendars. Further details to follow.



How to Pray the Rosary

1) Begin by making the Sign of the Cross.

2) Holding the crucifix pray the Apostles' Creed.

3) On the first bead pray the Our Father.

4) On the next three beads pray the Hail Mary.

5) On the last bead pray the Glory Be.

6) Announce the first mystery and pray one Our Father, ten Hail Mary's and the Glory Be. The Fatima Prayer is optional.

7) Repeat until the five decades are prayed.

8) Pray the Hail, Holy Queen.

9) Finish by making the Sign of the Cross.

Apostles' Creed I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

Hail, Holy Queen Hail, holy Queen, Mother of mercy, our life, our sweetness and our hope. To thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve. To thee do we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this valley of tears. Turn then, most gracious advocate, thine eyes of mercy toward us; and after this our exile, show unto us the blessed fruit of thy womb,Jesus. O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary.

