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Faithful Navigator's Message

From the Faithful Navigator Elect

Michael Kasey

Sir Knights, greetings to you at this time of the beginning of our Fraternal year!

We just completed a month of recognition of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and His Kingship. I hope each of you had some opportunity with your families to praise our Savior and all He has done for us.

I wish to express my gratitude to our Navlog Editor, SK Neil for agreeing to continue as our editor.

What an enjoyable dinner cruise we all had together, organized by SK Harry. The planning for the event turned out to be very beneficial.

I continue to be humbled by the support each of you have pledged to our Knights of Columbus in the coming year. The Assembly is well known across the country and it is because of the efforts of each of you. I am proud to be associated with you fine Catholic gentleman.

Honor America Corps

Keith Amburgey, Commander

Sir Knights of the Honor America Corps,

We had a great year and great participation. Thank you for your time to make these events happen and show our patriotism! We brought our flags down to Richmond June 30 for the Veterans Day Flying Squirrels Ball Game and now we have a bit of a break till Columbus Day at Union Station. Our next local event will be on Veterans Day in downtown Fredericksburg VA.
God Bless,

Faithful Admiral's Thoughts

Worthy Sir Knights,

As Fraternal Year 2018-2019 comes to a close, there are a couple of things left for me to say.

Firstly, thank you! Thank you for being Brother Sir Knights of the best Assembly in the Order. Thank you for the love, the charity, the unity, the fraternity, and the patriotism that you show to all that you come in contact with, to your Brother Knights, and especially to me over this past year. Thank you for your incredible support. In the six years that I have been an Officer of the Assembly, it was a privilege to witness these wondrous qualities from the Assembly, time and again. However, to see and feel the support first hand has been breathtaking. So again, thank you each and every one.

As the Assembly moves forward with a new Faithful Navigator, please consider how best to support the Color Corps and Honor Guard. Currently, only six members (of 302) have purchased the new uniform. As the Legacy Regalia is no longer allowed (except in coffins), this means that there is a pool of only six Brothers from which to draw, for Wakes, Funerals, Eucharistic Processions, Confirmations, and Parades. Generally, we like to have six Brother Knights at a minimum for each of these. Because I cannot abide the thought of Brother Sir Knights going to their eternal rest without being honored, I have made it a priority to acquire the new uniform during FY 2019-2020. Will anyone join me?

Fraternally,
John Wilkes, Faithful Admiral

July Birthdays

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|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 2 Domenico A Dilulio | 15 Raimund K Rueger |
| 4 John M Buccigrossi PGK | 22 Robert E Berry Jr |
| 5 Caldwell J Soldan Jr | 23 Harold R Ginn Jr |
| 6 William F Yascko | 25 Gerald E Stockli Sr, PGK |
| 7 Wayne R Cushing PGK | 26 John Roland Harvin Jr |
| 10 Roger P Bombard | 26 Scott A Mehalko |
| 11 James E Calvin | 27 David A Blankenship |
| 11 James G McCaffery | 41 Douglas F Howell |
| 12 Alan B Clune | 31 Michael M Short |
| 12 Richard A Reschick | |

From the Faithful Captain

SK Gary Rolla

Worthy Sir Knights, as the Fraternal Year begins, we have one activity for the month of July: our joint assembly installation with Frs. Cilinski on July 17, 2019 at St. Michael the Archangel High School (SMAHS), [6301 Campus Dr, Fredericksburg, VA 22407](#), starting 6:30 PM with snacks and refreshments. Installation of officers will begin 7:30 PM. Spouses and families are invited.

UPCOMING EVENTS Mark your calendars:

Our regularly scheduled business meeting Aug 21, 2019, will be held at the Fredericksburg Columbus Club (FCC), 4724 Harrison Road, Fredericksburg, Virginia 22407 beginning 7:30 PM. Refreshments will be provided by Fredericksburg Council.

The Annual Archdiocese Military Service Mass for Servant of God Vincent Robert Capodano will be held at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception (Crypt Church), September 4, 2019 from 6:30 – 9: 45 PM. This is a Calvert Provincial Event, Virginia Knights. Our Color Corps Commander will need your reply early Sep for head count of those participating and carpool arrangements.

Lastly, be on the lookout in your email mid-late Aug for an invitation request with a Google link RSVP form to reply for the PFN dinner with your choice of meal. It will allow you to sign up yourself, spouse or girlfriend, family members etc., for our annual Past Faithful Navigators (PFN Dinner) at Renato's Ristorante in Fredericksburg honoring Past Faithful Navigator John Wilkes. The PFN Dinner will be held Sep 18, 2019, starting at 6:30 PM with a cash bar for cocktails through-out the dinner, dinner seating at 7:00 PM and program to follow.

Color Corps Commander

John Belrose, PGK

Brothers,

Thank you for having the confidence in me to be the new Color Corps Commander for fraternal year 2019-2020.

With the new fraternal year there comes major changes in the wearing of the uniform:

1. The only uniform that is allowed to be worn for Color Guard participation is the Official Dress Regalia (ODR) which is the blazer, pants, plain white shirt, tie, baldric, sword and beret.
2. Legacy Regalia (tuxedo, cape, chapeau) has been officially retired.
3. To participate in the Color Corps you may wear suit with name badge, plain white shirt, tie and the social baldric.

For the Grand Knights of the Councils - please poll your members to see how many have Official Dress Regalia or are planning to purchase and let me know the number and the individuals name. Currently we only have 7 or 8 knights that possess the Official Dress Regalia.

Again, thank you for the opportunity to be your Color Corps Commander and I will strive to live up to the standards and previous Color Corps Commanders.

Vivat Jesu,

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2019—2020 Assembly Calendar

MONTH	DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY	LOCATION	NOTES
July	17	7:30	Installation of Officers	St. Michael's High School	Joint installation with Frs. Cilinski Assembly
August	21	7:30	Assembly Meeting	Fredericksburg Council Home	Fredericksburg Council will provide refreshments
September	4	6:30	Fr. Capodano Mass	Basilica, Washington DC	
	18	6:30	PFN Dinner	Renato's Restaurant	To honor PFN John Wilkes
October	14		Columbus Day Ceremony	Union Station, DC	
	17	7:30	Assembly Meeting	Fredericksburg Council Home	
November	2		Exemplification	Manassas	
	11		Armistice Day		
	20		Memorial Mass		
December	TBD		Assembly Christmas Party		
	18	7:30	Assembly Meeting	Fredericksburg Council Home	
	25		Christmas		
January 2020			Religious Freedom Day Ceremony	Fredericksburg	
	15	7:30	Assembly Meeting	Fredericksburg Council Home	
February	19	7:30	Assembly Meeting	Fredericksburg Council Home	
March	18	7:30	Renewal Of Obligations	Fredericksburg Council Home	
April	15	7:30	Assembly Meeting	Fredericksburg Council Home	
May	20	7:30	Assembly Meeting (Election of Officers)	Fredericksburg Council Home	
June	17	7:30	Assembly Meeting	Fredericksburg Council Home	
	TBD		Assembly Cruise/ Dinner		



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