



FR. JOHN M. GRADY COUNCIL #503
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

MESSENGER

OCTOBER 2018

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Ladies Auxiliary Breast Cancer Event Raises Over \$5,000 For Walk-A-Thons



The Ladies filled the room, decorated, took care of the reservations and provided the raffle

prizes. Some were donated by the event supporters. The Knights took care of the food and drinks. Many thanks to family and friends from the Port Chester & Rye Brook communities that came out and supported this fundraiser. Many thanks to all who made this event possible.

Installation of Officers October 18th

Our council elected Sir Knight Ronald Soriano serve as it's new Grand Knight. As a sign of our support for him, and all of our chosen leaders, we hope that you will be able to attend and take part in this installation ceremony. Our District Deputy, Chris Crozier, will be officiating the ceremony and there will be a light collation afterwards. Please invite your entire family to come and witness this inspiring ceremony. Prospective members should also be included. All are welcome!

Past Grand Knight's Dinner

Please join us to honor our most recent Past Grand Knight, Eddie Rivera. We will be gathering at Pasquale's Ristorante, located at 2 Putnam Avenue, in Port Chester. on October 17th at 7:00 PM. The cost is: \$40 Per Person. We hope to see you there. Please see the enclosed

September Restaurant Raffle Chosen

The Prize winner of our September, \$100 certificate to Panka Restaurant is: Carmella Bellantoni. The Second prize \$10 "Refund Prize" went to Sue Covino. The \$100 gift certificate to John's of Arthur Avenue Restaurant: will be given away in October. Best of luck! Please return your tickets today. If you buy or sell nine, you get one free. They can be easily printed... Visit this link: <http://kofc503.org/night-out-knights>

COUNCIL MEETINGS

1st & 3rd Thursdays at: 8:00 PM



COUNCIL HALL RENTALS

Call : 914-939-4343

Rentals@KofC503.org



LADIES AUXILIARY

2nd Wednesday - 7:00 PM



Council Business & Events



- Oct 4th... Knights Business Meeting...** Please join us at 7:00 PM. We need you there to vote on our donations and to conduct council business. Meeting at 8:00 PM. Election of Chancellor position.
- Oct 7th... Columbus Day Parade...** We need you there. In your best black suit. Gather at 1:00 PM at Westchester & Hawthorne Avenues. All council members and Ladies are encouraged to march.
- Oct 10th... Ladies Auxiliary Monthly Meeting...** 7:00 Start. All ladies are invited to participate.
- Oct 10th... Cook At Ronald McDonald House...** Meet at the council hall at 3:00 PM.
- Oct 11th... Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament...** 7:00 PM In the Chapel at: 23 Nicola Place.
- Oct 12th... Meatball Contest** Hosted by the Italian American Heritage Club... Starts at 7:00 PM.
- Oct 17th... Past Grand Knight's Dinner...** at: Pasquale's Ristorante. 7:00 PM.
- Oct 18th... Knights Social Meeting...** Please join us for dinner at 7:00 PM. Meeting starts at 8:00 PM.
- Oct 25th... Steak Night...** To benefit the Special Olympics. See information below.
- Oct 27th... Dinner Dance...** This promises to be a fun event. We could use the assistance of all the Knights and Ladies. This event will feature The Ang Rubino Band. Set up at 6:00 PM.
- Oct 31st... Halloween ...** Enjoy a safe fun-filled holiday.
- Nov 11th... Veterans' Luncheon ...** Please spread the word.
- Dec 31st... New Year's Eve Dinner Dance...** We are going to give this a try. Please save the date.

Our Council's Attendance Raffle Has Been Won!

Congratulations to Brother Mike Giglio won \$18.00! Now we will begin over at zero.

Two Resolutions To Be Voted On

We will be considering donating \$250 help the Religious Education Program at St. John Bosco Parish and \$250 to sponsor the Chapter Seminar Dinner hosted by the Fr. Dunphy Council #450 in White Plains on November 5th. Please attend our meeting and support this activity.

Steak Dinner To Benefit The Special Olympics

On Thursday the 25th, we will be enjoying a variety of your charcoal grilled favorites. We will be having, Beef Steaks, Chicken Steaks, and Salmon Steaks. Dinner will also feature: Chips & Dip, Tossed Garden Salad, Baked Potatoes and Italian Cookies. All of the profits from this event will go directly to benefit the Special Olympics. Please join us at: 7:00 PM. The cost per person will be \$25, which includes beer, wine and soda. Students from the Port Chester Rotary "Cooking From The Heart" program will be serving us. Please let us know if you can make it. Call Charlie Sacco at: 914-907-4068 to make a reservation. We look forward to a great time! We need you!

Dinner Dance - Saturday - October 27th

It's only \$30 per person. The Ang Rubino Band will provide us with live music. The doors will open at 6:30 PM. In addition to cheese and cracker platters, our buffet will feature: Ziti & Meatballs, Herb Roasted Chicken, Butter Poached Salmon, Eggplant Rollantini, Oven Browned Potatoes, and Broccoli. This crazy price includes: Bread & Butter, Tossed Garden Salad, Soda, Coffee & Cake. A full service cash bar will be available. To make a reservation contact Angelo Rubino: 914-937-3550.



Pray The Rosary Every Day

