



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

MESSENGER

AUGUST 2026

327 WESTCHESTER AVENUE - PORT CHESTER NY 10573 - 914-939-4343

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Toni Sacco

1-914-318-6545

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1-845-735-2652

The Knights of Columbus and Port Chester Italian Heritage Club Barbeque Was Terrific!



The partnership between our Council, the Ladies Auxiliary, and the Port Chester Italian Heritage Club proved, once again, to be beneficial to both. On Sunday, July 26th, we gathered for a barbeque. There were over sixty guests in attendance. What a great social event. Chefs Paul Mauro, Charlie Sacco and PGK Mark Scocchera cooked up a storm. There was Macaroni, Chicken, Sausage, and sides galore! Many of the guests provided dishes to share. Italian Club President, Debbie Scocchera, put together a wonderful display of cookies and coffee. She is seen here with Sophia Greco, winner of the Italian Club Scholarship.



COUNCIL MEETINGS

1st & 3rd Thursdays at 7:00 PM



COUNCIL HALL RENTALS

Call : 914-939-4343

Rentals@KofC503.org



LADIES AUXILIARY

2nd Wednesday - 7:00 PM

Council Members to Receive Service Awards

45 Years

Henry Ruffler

40 Years

Richard Soriano

35 Years

David Carlucci

James Lomiento

Fr. Timothy Wiggins

30 Years

Daniel Colangelo

25 Years

Jerrold Federici

Anthony Sacco

Mark Santora

20 Years

Henry Birdsall

Michael Scarola

15 Years

Edward Rivera

Thomas Tempesta

10 Years

Roberto Dominguez

Gerard Ferraro Jr.

Archelle Petrucci

Michael Petrucci

Peter Sotire

5 Years

Nicholas Dorazio

Gavin LaDore

Raffle To Benefit Holy Rosary Food Pantry

To help our neighbors, the council will be selling 50-50 raffle tickets to benefit the Holy Rosary Food Pantry. Chances are \$5 each. Three tickets for \$10 and Eight tickets for \$20. We will be selling at Port Chester Day and outside the churches on a weekend in September. For additional information or a bundle of chances, please contact Financial Secretary Charlie Sacco.

Knights of Columbus

To Benefit the Holy Rosary Food Pantry

50-50 Raffle

Donation \$5

3 Tickets for \$10 - 8 Tickets for \$20

Drawing will be held on Thursday, October 1, 2026

Thank you for your support.

Winner need not be present to be eligible.

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An evening of
Dinner ~ Dancing
and More

Hosted by the Ladies Auxiliary
at the
Knights of Columbus
327 Westchester Ave Port Chester, NY

Saturday August 22, 2026 6 pm

\$ 30. per person

Includes Dinner, Soda, Coffee, Dessert

Cash Bar Available

Reservations Required / Paid in Advance
RSVP by August 15



Music with Anthony Radice

For Information Contact : Toni Sacco 914 318-6545



KEEP THE UPPER PAGE FOR YOUR REFERENCE

RETURN THIS SECTION WITH YOUR PAYMENT

Please make checks payable and send to: P. C. KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS LADIES AUXILIARY / DINNER
327 WESTCHESTER AVE
PORT CHESTER NY 10573

PLEASE PRINT

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Sat. August 22, 2026

(RSVP by August 15)

Per Person \$ 30.

Number of People: _____

Total Enclosed: _____

(USE REVERSE SIDE TO LIST NAMES)



Council Business & Events



Aug 6th... Knights Business Meeting... Please make every effort to participate.
Dinner at 7:00 PM. Meeting starts at 7:30 PM.

Aug 13th... Cook At Ronald McDonald House... Meet at the council hall at 3:00 PM.

Aug 16th... St. Joh Bosco Parish Ministry Fair... We need men to work the grill.

Aug 21st... Pasta Buffet... To benefit the Port Chester High School Cheerleaders.

Aug 22nd... Dinner Dance... All are encouraged to attend.

Aug 29th... Annual Port Chester Day Celebration... Help sell raffles and recruit new members into our council.

Sept. 6th... Breakfast Buffet to benefit Wreaths Across America.

Sept. 25th... Annual Breast Cancer Dinner... Hosted by our Ladies Auxiliary.

Our Council's Attendance Raffle Is Now \$90.50

Attend the meetings and events! Our raffle continues to grow. Every Knight has a chance to win!



Father John M. Grady Council #503
Knights of Columbus
327 Westchester Avenue - Port Chester NY
will host a



Pasta Buffet To benefit Port Chester HS **Cheerleaders**



\$25 per person

\$15 Per Youth (6-16) ~ Kids under 6 Eat Free

Friday ~ August 21st

6:00 PM ~ Doors open at 5:30 PM

(Knights of Columbus Council Hall ~ 327 Westchester Avenue ~ Port Chester NY 10573)

Bread ~ Salad ~ Macaroni Buffet

Ziti with Meatballs & Sausage ~ Bowties w/Pesto

Spaghetti w/ Garlic & Oil ~ Soda ~ Coffee & Cake

We appreciate your reservations...

For more information Caitlin Maggi:914-384-2861

Schedule Your Family Events For This Winter Now

Our grand ballroom can accommodate up to-100 guests, with a dance floor! If you are considering having your family gathering or event at our facility, now is the time to contact our Hall Rental Team. The room rental rates are reasonable and there is a significant discount for Knights of Columbus members. Please call the council hall at: 914-939-4343 or email the rental team:

Rentals@KofC503.org We will do all we can to assist you.