



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

# MESSENGER

JUNE 2019

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

**COUNCIL OFFICERS**

CHAPLAIN  
Fr. Christopher Johnson  
GRAND KNIGHT  
Ronald Soriano  
DEP. GRAND KNIGHT  
PGK Carl Bencivenga  
CHANCELLOR  
PGK Edward Rivera  
WARDEN  
Thomas Tempesta  
RECORDER  
Alan Ribuffo  
FIN. SECRETARY  
FDD Charles Sacco  
TREASURER  
Scott LaDore  
ADVOCATE  
Joseph Vita  
LECTURER  
Vacant  
INSIDE GUARD  
Willie Taylor  
OUTSIDE GUARD  
FDD John Egan  
TRUSTEES  
1-PGK Neil Nostro  
2-PGK Tony Mendicino  
3-PGK Henry Ruffler  
CORPORATION BOARD  
PGK Joseph Johnson Jr.  
Scott LaDore  
PGK Tony Mendicino  
PGK Neil Nostro  
PGK Henry Ruffler  
Thomas Tempesta  
Ed Vitti  
DISTRICT DEPUTY  
Chris Crozier  
1-914-725-2105  
FIELD AGENT  
Joseph Charla  
1-914-589-8095

**Council Elections Set For June 6th**

<b>Grand Knight</b> Ronald Soriano	<b>Inside Guard</b> Willie Taylor
<b>Deputy Grand Knight</b> Vacant	<b>Outside Guard</b> Kenneth Sunderland
<b>Chancellor</b> Mark Scocchera	* * * * *
<b>Warden</b> Thomas Tempesta	<i>Not up for election:</i>
<b>Recorder</b> Vincent Coakley	<b>Trustees</b> PGK Henry Ruffler PGK Neil Nostro
<b>Treasurer</b> Scott LaDore	<i>Appointed by Grand Knight:</i> <b>Lecturer</b> To Be Announced
<b>Advocate</b> Joseph Vita	<i>Appointed by Supreme Council:</i> <b>Financial Secretary</b> FDD Charles Sacco
<b>Trustee - Three Years</b> PGK Anthony Mendicino	

**Official Notice** - The slate of officers is being presented by our Nominating Committee for the 2019-2020 Columbian Year. This meeting is very important and needs your participation. Please make every effort to attend and take an active part in this election process. Nominations for any position may be made from the floor. You must be present to vote. Homemade dinner will be served at about 6:30 PM. **Our meeting starts at 7:00 PM.** We look forward to seeing every Brother Knight there. Please don't let this club run without you. We need you there!

**May Restaurant Raffle Chosen**

The Grand Prize winner of our May, \$100 certificate to Tandoori-Taste of India Restaurant is: Denise Quinn. The Second prize \$10 "Refund Prize" went to Deacon Billy Vaccaro. The \$100 gift certificate to: Michael's will be given away in June. Visit our website. Best of luck!

**COUNCIL MEETINGS**

1st & 3rd Thursdays at 7:00 PM



**COUNCIL HALL RENTALS**

Call : 914-939-4343  
[Rentals@KofC503.org](mailto:Rentals@KofC503.org)



**LADIES AUXILIARY**

2nd Wednesday - 7:00 PM



# Council Business & Events



- June 6th...** Annual Election of Council Officers... **Knights Business Meeting...** Please join us for a meal at **6:30 PM**. Meeting starts at **7:00 PM**. Please make every effort to attend.
- June 12th...** **Ladies Auxiliary Monthly** Meeting starts at 6:00 PM... See you there!
- June 13th...** **Annual Council Golf Outing...** RSVP to Past Grand Knight Neil Nostro ASAP.  
**Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament...** 7:00 PM In the Chapel at: 23 Nicola Place.
- June 15th...** **Dinner Dance...** Come to dance or to serve. Call Ang Rubino for information: 937-3550.
- June 18th...** **Cook At Ronald McDonald House...** Meet at the council hall at 3:00 PM.
- June 20th...** **Knights Social Meeting...** Please join us for a meal at **6:30 PM**. Meeting starts at **7:00 PM**.
- June 23rd...** **Chili Cook Off...** **1:00 PM...** Let's see who makes the best Chili in town.

## Our Council's Attendance Raffle Is Now \$72.00

With each meeting and event our raffle continues to grow. Every member has a chance!

## Fun Ladies Pizza & Bingo Meeting

Please bring \$10 for the pizzas. RSVP to Barbara Celestino (914) 937-7130. by June 10th.

## Resolution To Be Voted On

We will be voting to donate \$300 to sponsor the Blessed Mother booth at the Corpus Christi Carnival. Your attendance and attention is very important. We hope you will support this request.

## Dinner Dance ~ Saturday June 15th

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.



## Chili Throw Down - Challenge ~ Sunday June 23rd

\$10 Per Adult ~ \$5 Per (under 16) Youth. If you bring a pot of at least 2 Gallons of Chili you are in the competition and your admission is free. All paid guests will be able to vote for the Peoples Choice Award. Admission includes Soda, Chips and dips. There will be plaques given for First, Second and Third Place! For more information please contact Chas Sacco at: 914-907-4068. We look forward to seeing you there! Let's see who makes the best Chili in Port Chester!

## Summer Dates Are Filling Up - Plan Family Events Now

Our grand ballroom can accommodate 100-120 folks, with a dance floor! If you are considering to have your family gathering or events 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: 914-939-4343 or send a written email message to: [Rentals@KofC503.org](mailto:Rentals@KofC503.org) (our council's rental email.) We look forward to speaking with you.



*Pray The Rosary Every Day*

