

Patapsco Knight

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Recruiting Through Our Good Deeds

By Grand Knight Warren Norris

Brothers all,

On April 13, our Council hall was the site of a fund-raiser for the St. Agnes Hospital Foundation Oncology Fund and Breast Cancer Center. The event was well attended and raised several thousand dollars.

Last year, Sam Orlando of the District Membership and Retention Committee spoke about our need for new members, as well as ways that we can get new members. As Brother Sam reminded us, we have many opportunities for recruitment success. Every event we host can provide an opportunity to recruit new members.

We should speak with our friends, relatives, and coworkers often about who the Knights are and what we do for the community, the church, and the public.



At every opportunity, we should mention Father McGivney and what he did for the immigrant families. We should tout our charitable endeavors—the Knights have contributed \$1.4 million and 70,000 man hours to charity.

Remember, in order for our organization to grow, our numbers must continue to grow.

Vivat Jesus!



Calendar of Events

Thursday, May 8

Beaumont Holding Company
8:00 pm

Wednesday, May 14

Officers' Meeting | Lecture Meeting
7:30 pm | 8:00 pm

Wednesday, May 28

Business Meeting (Elections)
8:00 pm



Archbishop William Lori celebrates Mass with with Knights of Columbus for Polish pilgrims in Rome on April 26, 2014 Credit: Elise Harris/Catholic News Agency

Knights in Rome for Canonizations

In honor of the canonizations of Bl. John Paul II and John XXIII, the Knights of Columbus donated two fields in Rome where Polish pilgrims could camp, also holding a Mass led by Supreme chaplain, Archbishop William Lori of Baltimore.

"We had a tremendously close relationship with John Paul II during his papacy," said Supreme Knight Carl Anderson. "So, for the Knights of Columbus, this is a wonderful, wonderful day."

Medjugorje Message – April 2, 2014, Our Lady appeared to the visionary Mirjana Soldo at the Blue Cross area in Medjugorje and delivered the following message: "Dear children, with a motherly love I desire to help you for your life of prayer and penance to be a sincere attempt of drawing closer to my Son and His divine light – that you may know how to separate yourselves from sin. Every prayer, every Mass and every fasting is an attempt of drawing closer to my Son, a reminder of His glory and a refuge from sin – it is a way to a renewed union of the good Father and His children. Therefore, my dear children, with hearts open and full of love, cry out the name of the Heavenly Father that He may illuminate you with the Holy Spirit. Through the Holy Spirit you will become a spring of God's love. All those who do not know my Son, all those thirsting for the love and peace of my Son, will drink from this spring. Thank you. Pray for your shepherds. I pray for them and I desire that they may always feel the blessing of my motherly hands and the support of my motherly heart."

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Correcting the Supreme Court

By Co-Editor Tim McCarthy

Though you have heard otherwise, the phrase "Separation of Church and State" does not appear anywhere in the Constitution, the Bill of Rights, or the Declaration of Independence. Our Declaration makes clear that our rights come from God. The purpose of government is to protect our religious rights-not to trample on them.

Such wrongdoing all traces back to the 1947 Supreme Court Decision: Everson

vs. the Board of Education. If you doubt this statement, Google the phrase on your computer. You will find no reference to this phrase before 1947 when the concept was fabricated by the Supreme Court.

Tim Staples of Catholic Answers explains the fraud in a must-see video the Council is showing during the lecturers' night. The first installment was shown in April, and the second will be shown on May 14.



Beaumont News

We are still asking for photos of events from our Brother Knights for the BeaumontHall.com website. Please forward any photos that you may have to Rick Ostowicz at rickounc@gmail.com.



Patapsco Council May 2014 Election Nominees

As of April 14, 2014 — Nominations remain open until election night

Office:	Nominee/s:
GRAND KNIGHT	Scott Luco
DEPUTY GRAND KNIGHT	Bernie Wrisk
CHANCELLOR	John Journelle
RECORDER	Rick Ostowicz
TREASURER	Ernie Schaefer
ADVOCATE	PGK Barry Casanova
WARDEN	Wayne Slifker AND Anthony Viscardi
INSIDE GUARD	William Luco
OUTSIDE GUARD	Charles Myers
3 YEAR TRUSTEE	PGK Warren Norris
DELEGATE TO CONVENTION	PGK Warren Norris
1ST ALTERNATE	PGK Michael Doetzer
2ND ALTERNATE	Ernie Schaefer

Beaumont Elections – 2014

There are four (4) vacancies

Current Nominees: Michael Karpers and John Reardon

Please remember the following people in your prayers:

Paul Boettinger	PGK Bob Carhart	PGK Reggie DiSante
Robert Hoffman	Tom Slifker	PGK Ed Canter
John Lackey	Robert Middlecamp	Wil Baldwin
Jim Manning	Ron Price	

If you have any prayer intentions for someone in your family, please contact Chancellor Bernie Wrisk to get the person's name included in our newsletter. We believe in the power of prayer and would be happy to include your family members in our prayers. You can reach Bernie at bwrisk@verizon.net or 443-604-8372.

Knights Out Inn

May Specials

May 2 – (Open) No Special

May 9 – Closed "Night Out with Mom" in Main Hall

May 16 – Chicken Pot Pie

May 23 – Beef Bourguignon

May 30 – Shrimp Scampi

Note: the Knights Out Inn will be closed on June 6 for the Exemplification of the 3rd Degree in the Main hall.

In addition to our specials, we serve a regular menu of crab cakes, chicken tenders, shrimp salad, fried shrimp, cheese steak subs, and rib eye steaks. All meals are served with delicious sides and salads. Please come and join us for a great evening of fraternity and family fun.

Council Programs

"In service to One. In service to all."

By PGK Barry Casanova, Program Director

Brothers and Patapsco Council family: Easter Sunday has finally come, and hopefully Real Spring rather than the teases we had in April. I know, don't plant anything until after Mother's Day to be sure. This month is going to be a really busy one for the Council with many events—and the State Convention to start things off. Let's hope we do well there and get some of the recognition so richly deserved for our many programs. We will have our second try at a Mom's Night Out on May 9, seemingly a new Patapsco tradition, to get the family together and show some appreciation to mothers one and all. We have a few Community events also on the way—see ads in the PK. As we near the end of the Columbian Year, we have had nominations for all but one office—and a real election since we have some contested positions! Council leadership looks lively for next year with potentially some badly needed young blood coming into leadership roles. I feel a sense of renewed spirit, enthusiasm and vibrant change coming to the Council. Let's hope it spreads. It has also been announced that the Passionists are leaving St. Joseph's Monastery Parish after more than a century of service. We thank them for their dedication; they will be certainly missed. Supreme Chaplin, His Excellency Archbishop Lori will make a determination as to future staffing and/or parish merger. I am sure that the Council will be most interested in these events considering the historic strong bond of cooperation built with St. Joseph's parishioners. We await further announcements.

Mary, Queen of the Knights, pray for us.

Church – PGK Mike Doetzer, Chairman: No plans yet, but the Council hall is reserved for June 29 for a goodbye to Father Tom and Brother Ed from St. Joseph's Monastery.

Community – Mike Blair: Flea market will be held on May 10.

Council – DGK Scott Luco: Crab feast tickets are available. The event will take place August 3. Also, the scholarship application is available on the Council website.

Culture Of Life – Bro. Tim McCarthy: Brother Knights are encouraged to continue

praying for the unborn.

Family – Chancellor Bernie Wrisk: The next Dine Out fundraiser is still in the works. Stay tuned for more information. If you have any suggestions for future Dine Out establishments, contact Bernie Wrisk at 443-604-8372 or bwrisk@verizon.net.

If you haven't already, please reserve your tickets for your family and friends at our second annual "Night Out with Mom" taking place on Friday evening, May 9. It's a great family night to bring a Mom, Mother-In-Law, Grandmom, and the whole family. This fundraiser benefits our Council Scholarship fund, as well as the Linwood Center for people living with autism. Contact Bernie Wrisk at 443-604-8372 or email bwrisk@verizon.net.

Youth – David Slade: Thanks for those who helped with the Easter Egg Hunt on Holy Saturday. The kids had a great time.

Charity – The 2nd Annual Patapsco Council 4 Mile Charity Run is just around the corner on June 21. We also have a 1 mile option that still shows your support and is a healthy adventure. Go to runningmaryland.com to register in advance to sign up. If you register by June 4, you can save \$5. This fundraiser benefits all of our charity endeavors. Any questions please contact Bernie Wrisk at 443-604-8372 or bwrisk@verizon.net. Mark the date down and start talking about your healthy goal of one mile or four.

Vocations – Chancellor Bernie Wrisk: Please keep our RSVP candidate, Brother Edmund McCullough, and all following the call to service in the Catholic Faith in your prayers.

Fourth Degree News – Ernie Schaefer: Meetings take place every fourth Thursday—mass with a meeting afterward. All Fourth Degree Knights are welcome.

St. Mark Roamin' Catholics Travel Club – Upcoming trips: AUGUST 17, Rainbow Dinner Theatre. THE COMEDY Drinking Habits (A nun's story) Nuns turn grape juice into wine to sell to keep the convent doors open. SEPTEMBER 10, CRAB FEAST aboard the Dorothy Megan, Suicide Bridge, Hurlock MD. \$90/\$25 deposit due with reservation. NOVEMBER 5, MOSES at Sight & Sound Theater, Lancaster PA. Lunch at Hershey Farms. \$110/\$25 deposit

due with reservation. DECEMBER 8, NY Radio City Music Hall for the Christmas Show. DECEMBER 13, Washington D.C., Pershing's Own Army Band Holiday Show. Lunch at PIER 7. For more information, call Carol Suarez at 410-744-7092 or cell 410-818-3490.

Supreme Council News – In celebration of the canonizations of St. John Paul II and St. John XXIII, the Knights of Columbus was active in Rome, lending financial support to Vatican television's broadcast of the canonization ceremony, and hosting numerous pilgrims at K of C facilities.

State Council News – The State 116th State Convention will be held May 2-4 in Ocean City, MD.

Baltimore Chapter of Grand Knights – Baltimore Chapter Memorial Mass will be held on Thursday, May 8, at 8:00 pm at Westminster Council #1393. The meeting will feature the Baltimore Chapter Nominations.

Family of the Month



Our council recognizes Jim Middleton and his family as our Family of the Month. Jim and his wife Colleen have two children, James and Julia. They are long time St Mark parishioners. They believe keeping a strong faith in God is paramount to their family. Second to that is the support and importance of family, since you can turn to them regarding anything.

Please suggest future Family of the Month candidates to Bernie Wrisk at bwrisk@verizon.net or 443-604-8372.

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Scholarships

Patapsco Council No. 1960 is pleased to announce that it has funds to award \$2,500 in high school scholarships and \$1,000 in elementary scholarships for 2014-2015. The application is available online at <http://bit.ly/1960scholarship>. For additional information, please call PGK Dennis Brose at 443-575-6445.

**Scholarship
Applications**



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Contact our insurance advisor, Mark Bateman,
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Submissions Welcome!

The *Patapsco Knight* is your newsletter, and your outlet to reach your fellow Brother Knights. Send any newsletter items by the 20th of the month to rickounc@gmail.com or call 410-207-0939.

Consider going green and getting your Patapsco Knight online! Contact Brother Mike Blair at kc1529@verizon.net to be added to the list.



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Patapsco Council Knights of Columbus

Flea Market

Saturday, May 10, 2014 7:30 am – 12:30 pm

Rain Date Saturday June 7, 2014

1010 Frederick Road, Catonsville, MD 21228



ALL SORTS OF TREASURES FOR YOUR FIND!

Lite Food, Sodas, Water and Coffee will be Served for a fee

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All proceeds will benefit the Patapsco Knights of Columbus Charity Fund

Robin Kinzer 410-949-0311 or K of C 410-744-8754



THE PATAPSCO COUNCIL OF THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
invites you to

A NIGHT OUT WITH MOM

featuring



*singing a mix of popular songs from
Broadway Shows and Hollywood
Movies as well as Pop, Rock and
Folk Standards from 8-9 pm*

*Other entertainment includes recorded music,
wheels of prizes, money wheel, 50/50 raffles*

Bring the whole family!

**Friday, May 9
6:30-11 pm**

**1010 Frederick Rd
Catonsville**

Tickets: \$15
*includes dinner,
soft drinks, tea,
coffee and show!*

Cash bar available

*Inquire about
family discounts!*

Contact: Bernie Wrisk
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*Proceeds to benefit the Council Scholarship Fund
and the Linwood Center for children and adults living with autism*



Knights of Columbus Patapsco Council No. 1960

4 Mile Charity RUN/WALK



*Proceeds will support Knights of Columbus
charity programs*



June 21, 2014

8:00 AM at the Knights of Columbus Hall,
1010 Frederick Road, Catonsville, MD

Join the Patapsco Knights for a 4-mile run or 1-mile run/walk! The scenic course through Catonsville will include hills, valleys, and a trek down the Streetcar #8 path. Each participant will receive a FREE commemorative item, as well as food and beverages. Prizes will be awarded to top finishers in each category. Childrens' activities will be provided for those not running/walking in the event.

Cost is \$30 for 4-milers and \$15 for 1-milers before June 4 (additional \$5 charge thereafter).

Proceeds will help support the Knights' charity programs—Refund Support Vocations Program, Catholic School Scholarships, Food for the Needy, youth sports activities, and other community support endeavors.

Online registration is now open!

To register, visit

www.runningmaryland.com today!

For more information, contact Bernie Wrisk at bwrisk@verizon.net or call 443-604-8372.