



Nassau Chapter Newsletter

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FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK



At our January meeting J.J. Costello of Fr. Daly Council was the lucky winner of the FAC drawing. In retrospect, all who participated in this program were winners. Let's face it, because of your generosity, you helped someone who is not as well off as you are. The response to this program was encouraging and on behalf of your fraternal brothers and sisters who received your help let me say thanks.

Also in January, we held a night of charity with the proceeds going to Autism Speaks. Once again all present were winners. Many went home with prize baskets and other beautiful prizes, but all went home with more in their hearts than they came in with. Charity is our goal, brothers and sisters, and that night we scored over and over. Mike Murtha and Steve Driscoll deserve many kudos for a job done very well.

At the February Chapter meeting, we will be drawing the winner of the Catholic Grammar School and the CCD lotto program. The only thing required for this program was to simply submit a form if your child goes to a Catholic Grammar School or participates in the CCD program. The winners are picked from the forms submitted.

We will be holding our first Fraternal Weekend at Woodloch Pines Resort in Hawley, Pa. on March 2-4, 2007. This should be a great weekend where all can relax and have fun. There will be plenty of things to do and participate in, and plenty of scrumptious food to eat. If you are interested in going see Mike Murtha who is chairing this event.

Anyone who has a child who will be entering Catholic High School this September 2007 should consider our Scholarship Program. Just follow the instructions listed on the Scholarship application. The winner of this program will receive \$1,000 for each year of their high school career as long as their grades are maintained. The total value, therefore, for this scholarship award is \$4,000. If interested see Nick Pennachio who is chairing this program.

Keep in mind that our 5th Annual Charity Dinner-Dance Ball will be held on the evening of April 28, 2007. Our honoree will be Tim Jaccard, founder of the Children of Hope Foundation. Tim is a brother Knight and an employee of Nassau County and is recognized nationally for his great work. Frank Stallone is chairman of this event.

TONIGHT'S MEETING IS AT CORPUS CHRISTI NOT ST. MARY'S

MARCH MEETING AT NEW HYDE PARK COUNCIL 8:30 PM

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New York State Council

Knights of Columbus

Prayer Rally April 24th 2007

On April 24th 2007 the New York State Council, Knights of Columbus will sponsor its fourth Annual Prayer Rally in Albany, New York.

The theme of our rally will once again be, **“God, Country and Family”**.
The key issues will be Life, School Vouchers and Catholic Health Care.

We come to Albany, as Catholic American Citizens, loyal to our Church, and its faith-based teachings. We come as Catholic American Citizens, loyal to our great country, our state and the democratic system, which is supposed to guarantee the rights and freedom of all citizens equally and without prejudice or malice.

It is our intention that through, our prayer, our presence and our united petition, that we might impress upon our Governor and legislators the growing sense of futility, abandonment and disenfranchisement which we feel, when it comes to fair, just, politically impartial and unbiased discussion of those issues and the final enactment of laws which are critical to the welfare of our families and our freedom to practice our faith without government interference and laws which force us to violate our faith based teachings and beliefs.

We come to Albany to pray and speak for thousands of other loyal catholic citizens who are unable to come and whose collective voices are being shut-out or ignored in the passage of laws which cater to the demands of rich, forceful, anti-catholic lobbying groups and power-brokers.

We invite, **all** Catholics, who feel that the politically correct, anti-family, anti-catholic bias, which permeates and dominates the mindset and actions of the executive, legislative, and judicial branches of our government is wrong and must change. We invite you to join the NYS Knights of Columbus and our families, in prayer at the Capitol and stand-up and speak-up for God, Country and Family values and for laws which recognize, strengthen and protect each equally. Rain, snow or shine, we will be there to fight for our rights as proud Catholic American citizens. Please join us, it is a sacrifice, but,

If we do not speak-up for our rights today, we will one day find, that we have no rights to speak-up for. The day is fast approaching



**KNIGHTS
OF COLUMBUS**
IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.



January, 2007

Dear Friend:

The Nassau Chapter of the Knights of Columbus is holding their 5th Annual Charity Dinner-Dance on April 28, 2007, at the Plattedeutsche Park Restaurant in Franklin Square, NY. The Chapter has selected the *The Children of Hope Foundation as recipient of the proceeds from this event.*

We are asking for your support to help make this event a success. You can show your support through the purchase of an advertisement in our dinner dance program. The costs are very reasonable as you can see by reading the enclosed information. The deadline for submission of ads for publication is Friday, March 30, 2007. If you would like to attend the Charity Dinner-Dance, tickets are available for \$65 each by contacting either Bob Hartman at 516-741-2332 or Tom Kopetic at 1-631-423-7988.

In the past decade, the Knights of Columbus worldwide have raised and donated nearly \$1.3 billion to numerous charitable causes and volunteered nearly 450 million hours of service. Last year the Knights throughout the United States and elsewhere reported raising and contributing over \$135.7 million and volunteering more than 63.1 million hours of service to charity. Nassau County is the home to over 18,000 Knights of Columbus and their families.

Thanks for your continued support.

Sincerely,

Frank Stallone

Dance Chairman

Enclosure

**2007 Nassau Chapter Knights of Columbus
Dinner-Dance Journal Advertising Rates**

Check one	Gold	Page
	Full	\$125
	1/2 Page	\$75
Check one	Black	& White
	Full	\$75
	1/2 Page	\$40
	1/4 Page	\$25
	1/8 Page (Business Card)	\$15

**PICTURES ON
FULL PAGE ADS ONLY.
There will be an additional
charge of \$25 for pictures.**

Solicited by: _____

Phone Number: _____

Council: _____

I am interested in helping the Nassau Chapter by taking an advertisement in the Dinner-Dance Program Journal. I have checked my selection above.

Print Clearly on line above, the Advertiser / Company Name or Supporter Name that will appear in the Advertisement

Check one:

_____ Please Prepare Advertising Copy for me to conform with the theme of the dance.

_____ I have Supplied Copied to be used as a guide.

I am enclosing a check payable to Nassau Chapter K of C in the amount of

\$_____ (Corresponds to amount checked above)

_____ Contact Name (Person taking the ad)

_____ Contact Phone Number

DEADLINE for submission is Friday, March 30, 2007

Make checks payable to:

Nassau Chapter K of C

Please send this page and all checks with selections to Journal Chairman:

For further information contact:

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