

NASSAU CHAPTER

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From the President's Desk...



Welcome to a new Columbian Year! Congratulations, best wishes and good luck to the Grand Knights and Council officers.

I hope you will make use of the many programs and resources available to you through the Chapter. Please make note of the following new programs. A Living Rosary for our deceased brothers, Columbiettes and their family members will be offered at our November meeting. Our December meeting will feature a Christmas musical program. We will be honoring the Fourth Degree Assemblies and the Color Corps in March of 2008. Our current scholarship and FAC programs will continue, as well as, the LI Ducks outing, fishing trip, and Super Bowl Contest.



A special new program this year is our Council Giving program. At three or four meetings this year we will have a guest speaker from an organization that supports the virtues of the Knights of Columbus. After a brief presentation, the Councils will be given the opportunity to donate to the worthy cause. The donations are voluntary and made directly to the organization. More information on this program will be in next next month's newsletter.

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At the July meeting, Fr. Victor Darlington, on assignment to Rockville Centre from the new Diocese of Uromi in Nigeria, spoke of the difficulties of starting a new Diocese. This newsletter contains a letter from Bishop A. O. Akubeze asking for assistance. Any individual or council wishing to contribute can make the check payable to Fr. Victor Darlington. Include your name and address so the Bishop can acknowledge your gift. Donations can be given to me at the August Chapter meeting or mailed to my home at 324 Rose Street, Freeport, NY 11520. I will pass them on to Fr. Victor before he returns to Nigeria in mid September.

I hope to see you all at the August indoctrination meeting where we will present the Chapter programs for the Columbian year.

Vivat Jesus. Jim Bellotti PGK, FDD

SEE YOU AT THE MEETING AUGUST 17TH AT BARRY COUNCIL



CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF UROMI

12th July 2007.

Jim Turzilli Grand Knight Knight of Columbus Bellmore Council, New York.

Dear Sir,

Greetings.

I write formally through Fr. Victor Darlington to introduce my diocese to you and to request your assistance in the development of the diocese.

The diocese of Uromi was created 25th February 2006 and I was elected as its first Bishop. We are doing well in the area of vocations to the priesthood and religious life. We have over 40 priests and 84 seminarians. The cost of training these seminarians is enormous.

The plan to build a Bishop's House and Chancery is on course. I am presently living in a residence donated by a family, pending when a proper Bishop's House can be built. I am sure Fr. Victor will share with you the other problems and financial constraints of the new diocese.

I hereby solicit for your assistance and the assistance of the other subsidiary councils.

I assure you all of my prayers and thank you sincerely for the great work you are doing for the Church.

Sincerely in Christ

+A.O. Akubeze

Bishop of Uroni

Knights Of Columbus







Nassau County Chapter Presents

A Day Out At The Ball Park

Have friends and family join us at CitiBank
Park on Sunday, September 16th 2007 @
1:35pm as the Long Island Ducks take on the
York Revolution

A donation per ticket is \$12.00

Please contact one of the following for more information:

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Come out and support the Nassau Chapter, so that the Chapter can support members in need!







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NASSAU CHAPTER CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP Applications are now being accepted. SPREAD THE WORD!

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The mission of Tomorrow's Hope Foundation is to ensure the excellence as well as the continuance of Catholic schools on Long Island by increasing awareness and by providing scholarships and program funding for the needs of students and schools.

Tomorrow's Hope Foundation

2nd Annual

"Laps for Learning"

Walk/Bike-a-thon

Saturday, September 22, 2007

RAIN OR SHINE

Cedar Creek County Park, Seaford, NY

REGISTRATION BEGINS AT 9AM

EVENTS BEGIN AT 10AM

FOR MORE INFO CALL >>>>>>>> 516-745-6644 x132/133

REGISTER ONLINE AT:

http://www.tomorrowshopefoundation.org

Chapter Fishing Trip

Our fishing trip this year will be held on Sept 29th in Point Lookout aboard the Princess Marie departing at 7:00AM. The cost will be \$50 per person. The price will



included rods, tackle, beer & soda. Bring your own lunch. There will also be coffee in the morning. Come and join your brothers for a day of fishing and fun.

For reservations call Michael Muirhead @ 516-608-8460 or Steve Tommony @ 516-775-1074.