



Nassau Chapter Newsletter

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FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK



I am happy to report that the Fraternal Assistance (FAC) mailing has been sent and checks are coming in. We hope the showing of support for our Brother Knights and Sister Columbiettes continues over the next few months. The proceeds are used to provide financial assistance to a brother Knight or sister Columbiette who is experiencing financial trouble. All that is required is the filing and submission of an application which will be reviewed by

our FAC committee and acted upon accordingly.

Another great program sponsored by the Chapter is our Scholarship Program. The winner will receive \$1000 each year during their Catholic

High School career provided their grades are maintained. Any qualified child entering a Catholic High School in September 2007 should submit the required information. All questions should be directed to Nick Pennachio who is the Chairman of this program. His contact info can be found on page 32 of the Orange Book.

Steve Tommony is running the Super Bowl Pool again this year. Chances to win thousands of dollars are available for just \$100 a box. Let's help Steve sell out this year so we won't have to cut the prizes and proceeds. Don't forget---the real winners are the kids—all proceeds go to the

SCHOLAR PROGRAM.

We have set aside March 11, 2007 for our Appreciation Day. Any brother who has chaired an event during my term as President will be invited.

Additional details will follow. Tom Casey will chair the event.

Mike Murtha will be chairing the Fraternal Weekend Program. He will be providing additional information at future Chapter meetings. Anyone interested should see him.

The inter-Chapter meeting was held in October. At this meeting each Chapter is given an opportunity to blow their horn about how great their Chapter is. We are happy to report that Nassau Chapter was head and shoulders above our fellow Chapters

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ATTENTION ALL GRAND KNIGHTS

A request was made last month for all GK's to email me at gk148@juno.com with your parish(s) and pastor's name. A letter will be sent to each concerning the April 24th 2007 Prayer Rally in Albany. So far I have received little response.

Please, brothers, we must get the word out to our parishes. Send me this vital information so the word can be past before the holidays set in.

Thank you,
Charlie Guarnieri, PGK, FDD

Early Bird Ticket Buyers Have Chance To Win

Prospective buyers of tickets to the Andy Cooney "Classic Irish Christmas" show have an "Early Bird" deadline of Thursday, November 9 for getting a chance, at no extra cost, of winning up to \$25,000 Cash in the NY State K of C C&B Stakes, Concert "Chairman 'Jay" Lynch stressed as ticket sales kept pace with last year's "completely sold-out" session

Sponsored once again by "Msgr. John's Knights", it will be held in St. Anne's Mc Closkey Auditorium, Dartmouth St. and New Hyde Park Road at 8 P.M. on Friday, Dec. 1.

In addition to popular recording and PBS-TV star Andy Cooney, it will feature Noel Ginnity, "Ireland's Funniest Man," The Niall O'Leary Dance Troupe's Irish Step-Dancing Spectacular and Cooney's own famed band of topflight Irish musicians.

The evening will be dedicated to the late Msgr. William F. Costello who died suddenly while on vacation July 18. He had served his last eight years in "active" retirement at St. Anne's. Moreover, his first assignment as a priest, in 54 years of service, was at St. Joseph's Church here in Garden City.

"Msgr. Bill" was renowned on Long Island as Pastor of four parishes and in numerous Diocesan leadership roles for his warm, engaging smile and keen sense of Irish humor.

Tickets to the show at \$25 each may be ordered by phone. Call 516-352-2457



Nassau Chapter Installation 2006-07

Pictured left to right: Bob Hartman NCW, Bill McDonald NCT, Steve Tommony PCC, Ed Ciulla NCP, State Deputy Anthony Preziosi, Jim Belloti NCVP, Steve Connolly NCS, Master Ray Dalton PCC

I'd like to thank all who attended, to our elite Honor Guard, and to my Co-Chairwoman Doris & Sam Repoli, Rita & Mike Chester, Kathy & Tom Lofrese, Co-Chairman John Macken, GK Tony Marengo and FS Arthur Hogan, and all the rest of the Columbiettes, who helped with setup, serving and cleanup. Those sandwiches and that cake were delicious! Thank you all for doing all the you did, to make everyone happy & enjoy themselves.

Paul Doyle DD