



# **KNIGHTS**

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## **OF COLUMBUS**

ARLINGTON COUNCIL 109

### **GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE    June 2023**

Dear Brothers

I hope you had a great Memorial Day weekend and took time to honor those that have fought for our country and gave up their lives for us, and the rest of the world, to enjoy freedom.

We will be hosting the Spy Ponder Golf Tournament on the 20th and I hope you have signed up as this is always a great day of fun and camaraderie. We also have the 50/50 raffle where you can win up to \$10,000 that you can buy tickets for now. Please help support this event and all the local groups that benefit from the money we raise.

We are currently in the process of redoing the by-laws. We have a group reviewing what we had documented for the older by-laws and will use these to help develop a new set of by-laws. Once created we will have a period of time where all members will be able to submit their comments and suggestions. A final version will then be created for us to vote on. If you want your voice heard this is your opportunity.

We will be scheduling an exemplification at the council so all those that have not gotten their 3rd degree will have the opportunity to do so.

As always we have opportunities for you to volunteer so please reach out to me or other folks on the leadership committee if you are interested in helping out. It is only with the help of volunteers that we can continue to be a source of support in the community.

#### **Upcoming Meetings**

**August Officers Meeting – August 8**

**August Member Meeting – August 22 NOTE: 6:30 start**

**August Columbus Club Meeting – None**

#### **Upcoming Events**

**Annual Spy Ponders Golf Classic - June 20th**

**Black Swan Country Club with catered food at the club after.**

**We will also have a 10k drawing (based on all tickets being sold). Those signed up to golf or to sponsor a hole will have first right to the tickets.**

#### **May Meeting Minutes**

Held on May 16, 2023

We announced the formation of a committee to review the old bylaws and draw up a new set of bylaws by September.

Passed motions made to

- Donate \$450 to Mary's Cradle to support new borns and their families

Notice of Motions:

- Donate \$500 to Lucy's Love Bus to help families battling childhood cancer

Fraternally Yours,  
Tim Feeney,  
Grand Knight

The Knights and Columbus Club are here to support our members and communities. If you have a cause you wish to support, please speak with an officer so we can plan the best way to support your cause.

## **ODDS AND ENDS**

Do you know that ladies are welcome in the lounge as guests of members at any time, except on the nights of Council Business Meetings.

Do you know that we now have an ATM machine? The machine was installed since many guests at functions in the hall do not carry cash because they are accustomed to using bank cards. Just another small step along the long road to the 21<sup>st</sup> century!

Thank you to all who currently serve or have served in the armed forces. Please pray throughout the year for the sailors, soldiers, airmen and airwomen, Marines, members of the Coast Guard and all who serve in the military. Their sacrifice protects our liberty.



## **HALL RENTALS**

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## **SICK & WAKE COMMITTEE**

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## **KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS**

The following Brothers or family members have been reported ill. Your prayers are requested for their well-being and for the continued good health of all our Brothers and their families. A card or a visit would be appreciated.

## **IN MEMORIAM**

## Council 109 Officers

### **CHAPLAIN**

*Fr. Marc Bishop*

### **GRAND NIGHT**

*Tim Feeney*

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### **DEPUTY GRAND KNIGHT**

*Nicholas Gallo*

### **CHANCELLOR**

*Steve Ronayne*

### **WARDEN**

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*Ron Sheehan*

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### **District Deputy**

*Fausto "Tito" Cabrera, DD*