



UPCOMING EVENTS OCT 1ST THRU DEC 31ST 2022

Oct 02, 2022 Sunday	Open House BBQ at Redemptoris Missionary 1200pm 894 Newfield
Oct 04, 2022 Tuesday	Men's Night Dinner (7:30pm) (Meat Loaf) (Hall)
Oct 07, 2022 Friday	Latin Style Dance Night & Dinner (see below)
Oct 08-09, 2022 Sat/Sun	Tootsie Roll Drive for Special Olympics Volunteers Needed!
Oct 11, 2022 Tuesday	Council #41 Meeting (7:00pm) (Rotunda Room)
Oct 13, 2022 Thursday	Family Supper (7:00pm) (Pork Roast) (Hall)
Oct 17, 2022 Monday	Lafayette Assembly 109 Meeting Installation of Officers & Octoberfest Dinner(6:30pm) (Rotunda Room) Special Event
Oct. 28 2022 Friday	Murder Mystery Dinner Theatre 6:30 pm (Hall, See below)
Oct 30, 2022 Sunday	Children's Halloween Party (1pm-3pm, Hall, See below)
Nov 01, 2022 Tuesday	Men's Night Dinner (7:30pm) (Chicken, Sausage & Peppers) (Hall)
Nov 03, 2022 Thursday	Memorial Mass & Dinner (6:30pm) (Hall)
Nov 08, 2022 Tuesday	Council #41 Meeting (7:00pm) (Rotunda Room)
Nov 14, 2022 Monday	Lafayette Assembly 109 Meeting (7:00pm) (Rotunda Room)
Nov 15, 2022 Tuesday	Annual Building Board Meeting & Elections (8:00pm) (Hall)
Nov 17, 2022 Thursday	Family Supper (7:00pm) (Turkey Dinner) (Hall) (NEW DATE!!!)
Nov 25, 2022 Friday	Coat's for Kid's Distribution (9:00am - 12:00) (Hall)
December, 2022	Month of the Silver Rose
December, 2022	Volunteers needed for Toys for Tots
Dec 01, 2022 Thursday	Annual Christmas Tree Lighting (7:00pm) (Outside)
Dec 04, 2022 Sunday	Soup Kitchen (12 noon) (New Covenant Center) (TBD)
Dec 06, 2022 Tuesday	Men's Night Dinner (7:30pm) (Prime Rib) (Hall)
Dec 11, 2022 Sunday	Children & Grandchildren Christmas Party (1:00-3:00pm) (Hall)
Dec 13, 2022 Tuesday	Council #41 Members only Christmas Party (7:00pm) (Lounge)
Dec 15, 2022 Thursday	Family Supper (7:00pm) (Prime Rib) (Hall) (NEW DATE)

Dec 19, 2022 Monday	Lafayette Assembly 109 Meeting (7:00pm) (Rotunda Room)
Dec 31, 2022 Friday	Annual New Year's Dinner/Dance (8:00pm-1:00am) (Hall)
Jan 03, 2023 Tuesday	Men's Night Dinner (7:30pm) (Chicken Parm) (Hall)
Jan 09, 2023 Monday	Building Board Meeting (7:30pm Building Board members only)
Jan 10, 2023 Tuesday	Council #41 Meeting (7:30pm) (Rotunda Room)
Jan 12, 2023 Thursday	Family Supper (7:00pm) (Meat Loaf) (Hall)
Jan 16, 2023 Monday	Lafayette Assembly 109 Meeting (7:30pm) (Rotunda Room)
Jan 24, 2023 Tuesday	1st Degree Exemplification (see box below)
Jan 27, 2023 Friday	Annual Honor Our Military Veterans Dinner (7:00pm) (Hall) RSVP
Feb 07, 2023 Tuesday	Men's Night Dinner (7:30pm) (Steak Pizziola) (Hall)
Feb 09, 2023 Thursday	Family Supper (7:00pm) (Chicken Scarpiello)
Feb 11, 2023 Saturday	Possible Valentine Day Dance (8:00pm) (Hall)
Feb 13, 2023 Monday	Building Board Meeting (Board members only) (7:30pm Rotunda)
Feb 14, 2023 Tuesday	Council #41 Meeting (7:30pm) (Rotunda Room)
Feb 20, 2023 Monday	Lafayette Assembly 109 Meeting (7:30pm) (Rotunda Room)
Note: All Men's Night Dinners and Family Suppers are open to all members and their guests.	

GRAND KNIGHTS MESSAGE

The grand knight is responsible for the overall welfare of the council. Elected annually by the council membership, the grand knight must provide thoughtful and inspired leadership to the council officers, the Service Program directors, chairmen and members of the council.

As grand knight sometimes I have the final say in matters, I know I can't please everyone all the time, let us know all decisions are made with prayer and consultations of the officers that represent our council. I have an open-door policy and do my best to be transparent.

In the words of Colin Powell, "when we are debating an issue, loyalty means giving me your honest opinion, whether you think I'll like it or not. Disagreement, at this state, stimulates me. But once a decision is made, the debate ends. From that point on, loyalty means executing the decision as if it were your own."

PAST EVENTS

Sept 04, 2022 Friday Gold Star Families Monument Unveiling Memorial
Sept 06, 2022 Tuesday Men's Night Dinner
Sept 08, 2022 Thursday Frank Robotti Golf Tournament
(Luncheon immediately followed at K of C Hall)
Sept 10, 2022 Saturday Special Olympic Bocce at Scalzi park
Sept 13, 2022 Tuesday Council #41 Meeting
Sept 15, 2022 Thursday Family Supper
Sept 16, 2022 Friday Comedy night starred Motts Pelazza & Team
Sept 19, 2022 Monday Lafayette Assembly 109 Meeting
Sept 24, 2022 Saturday Connecticut Catholic Men's Conference

Recent words from Pope Francis on Prayer for the Care of Creation

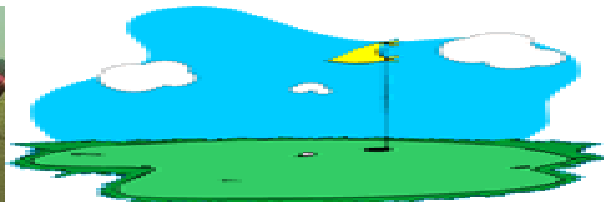
If we learn how to listen, we can hear in the voice of creation a kind of dissonance. On the one hand, we can hear a sweet song in praise of our beloved Creator; on the other, an anguished plea, lamenting our mistreatment of this our common home.

The sweet song of creation invites us to practice an “ecological spirituality” (Laudato Si’, 216), attentive to God’s presence in the natural world. It is a summons to base our spirituality on the “loving awareness that we are not disconnected from the rest of creatures, but joined in a splendid universal communion” (ibid., 220). For the followers of Christ in particular, this luminous experience reinforces our awareness that “all things came into being through him, and without him not one thing came into being” (Jn 1:3). In this Season of Creation, we pray once more in the great cathedral of creation, and revel in the “grandiose cosmic choir” [2] made up of countless creatures, all singing the praises of God. Let us join Saint Francis of Assisi in singing: “Praise be to you, my Lord, for all your creatures” (cf. Canticle of Brother Sun). Let us join the psalmist in singing, “Let everything that breathes praise the Lord!” (Ps 150:6).

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Here at Council 41, we take pride in the four pillars of the order: Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism. I always like to highlight our members in action. There is so many members to include friends and family that I could write a novel. This month I like to highlight two members: Ken D’Andrea and Al Forte.

Year after year Brother Ken and his team put together the Frank Robotti Golf Tournament. Countless hours are needed for success in which Brother Ken raises enough money through his gracious sponsors, raffles and lunch to provide assistance to several children’s organizations. It doesn’t end there Brother Ken then is able to lift the spirits of some wonderful children through the acts of Kenny and his team.



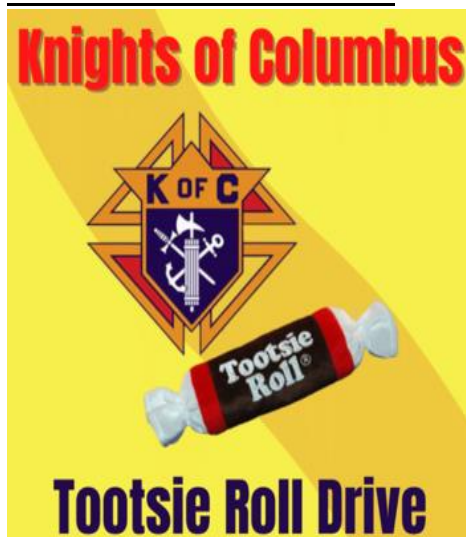
Brother Al, our local Forest Gump, has been walking our beautiful country for years with one simple message, "Pray for Peace". Al has logged thousand of miles and added to it this year with his team of Peace Walers and Prayers. On

September 25, Brother Al and many members of our council made the trek down to New York City for the annual pilgrimage that was supposed to include praying at a church, synagogue and mosque ending at the biggest rivalry in the world: the heated Yankee vs Red Sox game. Though there were some minor hiccups, Brother Al was able to get the message out and overall, everyone had a great time. Please click on link to see Stamford Advocate story:

<https://digital.olivesoftware.com/olive/odn/theadvocate/shared/ShowArticle.aspx?doc=TSA%2F2022%2F09%2F26&entity=Ar00103&sk=259711CD&mode=text>



Annual Tootsie Roll Drive



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

It's that time of year again. Our chairperson for this committee is Brother Knight Rich Negyesi. Rich holds this event very close to his heart. Anyone who attended the Special Olympics Bocce Tournament knows the wonderful experience.

DATE: OCTOBER 8TH & 9TH

TIME: VARIOUS HOURLY SLOTS

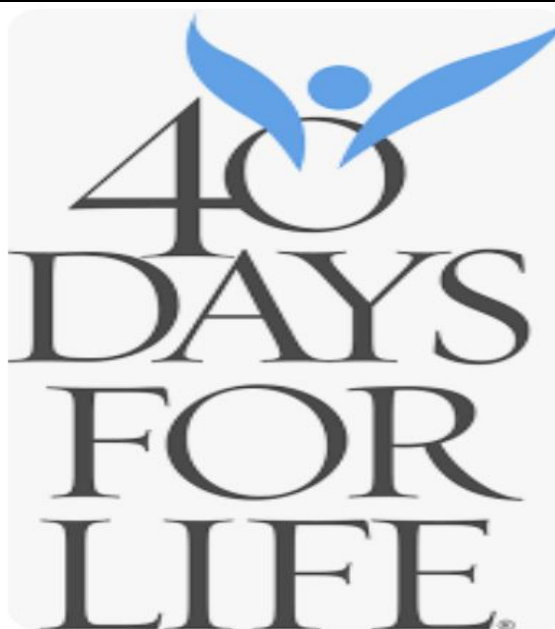
PLACE: PALMER'S SHOPPING MARKET, NOROTON HEIGHTS

Please call Rich Negyesi to help out: 203-524-6507

CHILDREN'S HALLOWEEN PARTY



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ATTENTION!!!!

Our Children's Halloween has returned. Members to include the Columbiettes will have first opportunity to sign children and grandchildren. If we do not get a huge response there is a discussion to invite local churches to attend and possibly recruit.

BRING YOUR CHILDREN DOWN AND ENJOY COSTUME CONTESTS, ARTS AND CRAFTS, DANCING AND FUN, FUN AND MORE FUN. BAKED ITEMS AND COFFEE WILL ALSO BE SERVED. There will be chicken nuggets, hot dogs, french fries and juice, milk, water and soda. Dessert will also be served! Cost \$5, **kids 12 and under eat for free.**

DATE: OCTOBER 30

TIME: 1:00PM TILL 3:00PM

LOCATION: 507 SHIPPAN AVE

Contact John Johnson for more details: 203-216-4341 or email kofc41@sbcglobal.net

40 Days for Life Fall 2022 Campaign

Sept. 28th - Nov. 6th - Protect mothers and children by joining this worldwide campaign for an end to abortion!

Through prayer, fasting, peaceful vigils and community outreach, 40 Days for Life has inspired more than 1,000,000 volunteers and saved 20,013 lives!

Please join us at the public right of way, 35 Sixth Street in Stamford. To sign up for vigil hours visit

www.40daysforlife.com/Stamford. For more information contact Monika at stamford40daysforlife@gmail.com.

Latin Style Dance Night

Friday Oct. 7th, 7pm-12pm

At Knights of Columbus Hall 507 Shippan Ave.

RSVP Dance & Buffet Tickets 203-964-1492 \$50 each

Salsa, Cumbia, Meringue, Bachata y Musica Criolla from

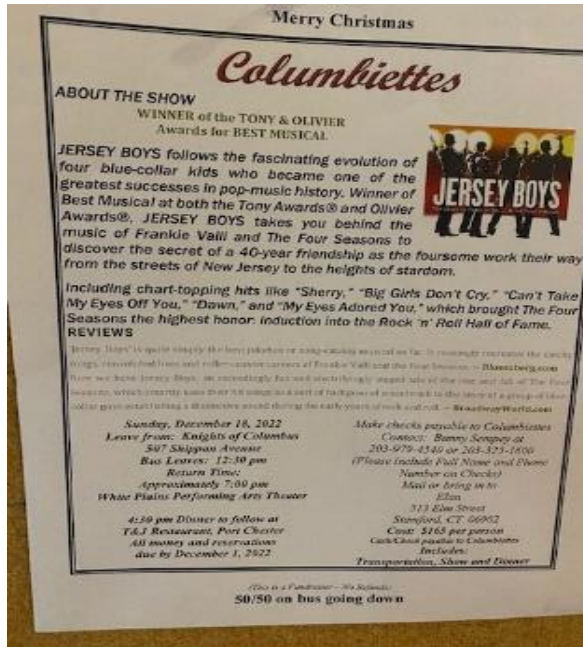
Sensacion Latina

With Band Leader Joel Sairitupac



*Dance to Live Music and enjoy a full buffet dinner with CASH BAR
Chicken Marsala, rice/beans, salad, penne vodka pasta, tres leches for dessert.
Only \$50 per person. RSVP now. Buy tickets in advance at Bar/Lounge.*

Columbiette Corner



2 GREAT EVENTS

WHAT: JERSEY BOYS MUSICAL

DATE: SUNDAY, DEC 18 RSVP: DEC 01

WHERE: BUS LEAVES KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FOR
WHITE PLAINS PERFORMING ARTS THEATRE

BUS LEAVES: 12:30PM

RETURN TIME 7:00PM

DINNER AT 4:30PM AT T&J RESTAURANT, PORT
CHESTER, NY

COST: \$165

TRIP TO RESORTS CASINO IN THE CATSKILLS

DATE: OCT 23 RSVP BY OCT 05

LEAVE: KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

PICK UP TIME: 8:00AM

LEAVE CATSKILL: 5:00PM

COST: \$70PP

INCLUDES: \$15 FOOD VOUCHER
\$25 SLOT PLAY

CONTACT BUNNY 203-979-4540 or 203-325-1600

Murder Mystery Dinner Theatre

Midnight at the Masquerade

Guess who did it. Dress up and join the show. Yes, wear your costume Friday Oct. 28th, 2022, at Knights of Columbus Hall 507 Shippan Ave. Stamford, CT (Directly across entrance to Cummings Park)

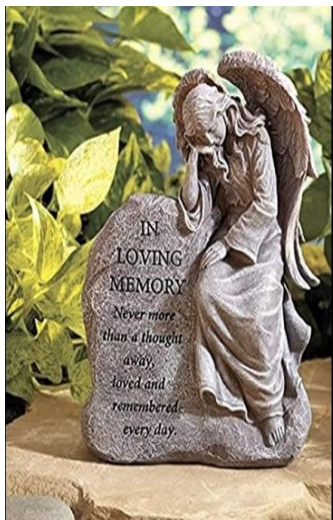
**Cocktail Hour 6:30pm Dinner & Show start at 7:30pm run till 9:30pm
\$75 per person full dinner Filet or Salmon-CASH BAR (Open till 12pm)**



Tickets available at the Bar/Lounge -ask the bartender (203-964-1492)

Or call FN Ray Downey 203-253-5601 or GK Tom Finn 203-249-9644

We have planned another successful event for your enjoyment. Join the camaraderie, the excitement, great food, and friendship. Buy tickets now. (We already have presales.) Remember to dress up!



Please remember Brother
Knight Jeremiah M. LaMotta
may he rest in peace.

Please join us in remembering our falling brothers this past year. On November 3rd we will be having a mass and small dinner to honor and celebrate their lives.

Salvatore Sciarretta
Carmine Toshes
Edwin Iacovo
Frederick Delfino
William Polotaye
Anthony Deluca
Richard D'Arinzo
John Mocker
William Smolinski

Wilfred Henron
Alberto Cuuco
Guy Lavalla
Joseph Quigly
Frank Bellantoni
Joseph Tooher
Robert Farrell
Peter Robotti
Jerimiah Lamotta



Message from the Fourth Degree Faithful Navigator, Ray Downey-

We continue to have great events for the membership here at the Hall. Thanks for your support.

The Color Guard Commander Frank Leone and I have looked over our previous events for the Color Guard and have prioritized seventeen (17) annual events for our Lafayette Assembly 109. Please continue participating as your schedule allows. 😊

Starting with October 2022-
10/9 Sunday Sacred Heart Italian
National Parish Columbus Mass &
March to Columbus Park
10/17 Monday 4th Degree
Installation of Officers & Octoberfest
Dinner & Drinks Celebration-
Planned for 4th Degree members &
invited guests. (May be \$20 cost per
person-TBD) ATTEND THIS MEETING

The buzz is out! The Sandola Family is a top shelf catering business right here at the Knights of Columbus on Shippan Ave. **"Prime Time Catering"**

They are already off to great reviews catering all kinds of events in the hall. Weddings, Birthdays, Anniversaries, Funerals & Wakes, Reunions, etc. Please consider using our hall and recommending it to your friends. Contact Prime Time Catering's Ms. Pat Morrell at 203-964-1492

They are also serving lunch and dinner here at the Hall. Show up or reserve your table in advance with your order. Enjoy the Lounge with Full Bar.
Open for Lunch & Dinner
12:00 pm to 8:30 pm
Wednesday-Saturday

11/3 Thursday K of C member Memorial Mass & Dinner at Hall
11/5 Saturday Veterans Mass & Dinner @ St. Mary's Church
11/6 Sunday Veterans Day parade in Stamford to Veteran's Park
11/20 Sunday 4th Degree Communion Mass & Breakfast @ Hall
12/1 Thursday Christmas Tree Lighting in front of Hall

January 2023

1/27 Veteran's Appreciation Dinner @ Hall
2/ TBD St. Augustine Council #41 Communion Mass & Breakfast
3/4 Saturday St. Patrick's Day Parade in Stamford
5/29 Sunday Memorial Day Parade in Stamford
5/30 Monday Memorial Day Parade in New Canaan
6/14 Wednesday Flag Day in Stamford (SPECIAL EVENT WE HOPE AT SCHOOL IN STAMFORD)
6/ TBD Haitian Patron Saint (Mary) Mass @ St. Gabriel's Council 1531
8/ TBD Sunday St. Roche Patron Saint Mass and Parade in Greenwich
8/ TBD Sunday Sacred Heart Italian National Parish Santa Maria Feast Day Mass
8/ TBD Sunday Sacred Heart Italian National Parish Saint Theodora Feast Day Mass

We do have requests from the Bishop's Office for special masses and wakes and funerals during the year. We are increasing our Color Guard membership ranks and all 4th Degree members are welcome to participate! Call me, FN Ray Downey 203-253-5601 redowney@optonline.net for information.

God Bless America!

From month to month our council continues to do the good work of our Lord. Some of these past events this month include the Special Olympic Bocce Tournament, presentation of the St. Joseph Icon, and Frank Palmer leading the weekly rosary at St. Bridget.



2022 Council 41 Officers

Grand Knight- Thomas J. Finn jr.
 Deputy Grand Knight- Phil Lawlor
 Chancellor - Rob Fabrizio
 Treasurer – Frank Noto
 Advocate - Chuck Hanlon
 Recorder - Marlon Lopez
 Warden - Fred Morabito

Inside/Outside Guards -
 Frank Leone
 Chris Peterson

Trustees (3) -
 Tony Uva
 Charles Bittman
 Ken D'Andrea

Appointed Positions
 Chaplain - Ft. Nick
 Financial Secretary - Ray Downey
 Lecturer - Vitto Quivelli
 Program Director - Edward Walther

2022 Council 109 Officers

Faithful Friar Monsignor Edward
 R. Surwilo
 Faithful Navigator Raymond E.
 Downey
 Faithful Captain Robert Fabrizio
 Faithful Pilot Frederick T.
 Morabito
 Faithful Comptroller Edward
 Walther
 Faithful Scribe Marlon Lopez
 Faithful Purser Chuck Hanlon
 Faithful Inner Sentinel Frank
 Leone
 Faithful Outer Sentinel Christian J.
 Peterson
 Faithful Trustee (3rd Year) Charles
 Bittman
 Faithful Trustee (2nd Year)
 Anthony J. Uva
 Faithful Trustee (1st Year) Jamille
 Aine

Appointed Position	Color
Guard Commander	
Frank Leone	

Committees to be filled **Chairperson's & Volunteer** **positions still available.**

Gentlemen, events are happening,
 join the team!

Newsletter (Chair GKTom Finn)
 Website (Chair DGKPhil Lawlor)
 Facebook
 Halloween Party (Chair Johnny
 Johnson)
 Men's night-GK
 Children Christmas Party-GK
 Entertainment (GK & Ray Downey-
 Chairs)
 Youth-DGK
 Firework Parking Detail- FN
 Wake Team-(CCC Frank Leone)
 Family night- FN
 Flag Day-FN
 Tootsie Roll-(Chair Rich Negysy)
 5th Sunday Rosary-GK
 Rosary for Life-GK
 Silver Rose-GK
 Soccer Challenge-GK
 Basketball Challenge-FN