

NEWSLETTER

Mater Ecclesiae Council 12833

Under the Chaplaincy of Rev. Robert C. Pasley, KCHS

Meetings are held on the second and fourth Monday of every month.



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"When you hear Mass, do you come in the same frame of mind as the Blessed Virgin at Calvary?

Because it is the same God, and the same Sacrifice." (Saint Jean-Marie Vianney)

May a.D. 2011

NOCTURNAL ADORATION

"Could you not watch one hour with me?" says Jesus (Matthew 26:40).

Adoration is a sacrifice and a commitment. All are welcome to participate. So please consider volunteering for that one hour at night which might very well become your most precious hour of the month, one hour of adoration, in complete silence and peace with our Lord.

This month's Nocturnal Adoration will begin at 10:00 p.m. on First Friday, 6 May, and continue until 7:00 a.m. on First Saturday, 7 May.

Please contact our Nocturnal Adoration coordinator, PGK Danny Fean, on +1 856 981 3258 for details. All new members are encouraged to schedule a time for adoration.

TOOTSIE ROLL DRIVE

The Tootsie Roll Drive will be conducted 12 – 15 May; please reserve the time now on your calendar for participation in our annual Tootsie Roll Drive. The purpose of this drive is to raise funds for Saint John of God School and those with intellectual disabilities which it serves. Our site for donation solicitation will once again be the Acme supermarket on Cross Keys Road in Gloucester Township; it is about a mile from the church. The store has three entrances, so we need at least three volunteers at all times during our scheduled collection times; however, six would be preferred. Here is that schedule:

12 & 13 May (Thursday & Friday)	4:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
14 May (Saturday)	11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
15 May (Sunday)	11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Please contact the Drive Coordinator, GK Jim Delaney, on +1 856 693 1143 to let him know when you'll be there to help.

HOAGIE SALE

Our next Hoagie Sale will take place on Saturday 28 May at the usual location, the intersection of Branch Avenue and Erial Road in the center of Pine Hill. We will begin at 10:00 am. Please plan to come out for this sale and help your Council earn funds needed for the other various activities which we support.

Please contact the Hoagie Sale Coordinator, GK Jim Delaney, on +1 856 693 1143 for details.

BABY BOTTLE DRIVE

Our annual Baby Bottle Drive to raise funds for the Pro-Life cause is in progress. It will conclude Memorial Day weekend, 28 & 29 May. Help with the collection of the bottles after all of the Masses will be needed then.

COLOUR CORPS

The next events for the Colour Corps will at First Holy Communion this Saturday and at the May Crowning this Sunday.

We have two extra sets of Regalia, so if you have taken the Fourth Degree and own a tuxedo, you are welcome to participate in future events. Please contact our Colour Corps commander, GK Jim Delaney, on +1 856 693 1143 for details.

FOOD COLLECTION

Your Council conducts a continuing Food Collection program to aid those among us experiencing "food insecurity". There is a wicker basket in the Saint Martha's Room. Please place whatever items of non-perishable food you can into that basket as often as you can. They will be distributed to those in need.

Please ask all parishioners of your acquaintance to contribute also. Spread the word!

FOURTH DEGREE ASSEMBLY

Establishment of our Fourth Degree Assembly is awaiting anticipated written approval from the Supreme Headquarters of the Knights of Columbus.

Our next meeting is on 9 May.

**Join with your brother Knights that Monday
in the saying of a Scriptural Rosary at 7:30 p.m.;
the meeting follows at 8:00 p.m.**

Vivat Jesus!