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**We're sorry!
Technical difficulties have
delayed this edition.**

Grand Knight's Message

Brother Knights,

This month my message is a simple Merry Christmas!

I hope that God has blessed each of your households over this past year and continues to do so in our future. I hope that our combined efforts have extended God's Blessings and Hope to the people that we have attempted to aid in this past year.

My KofC prayers for this holiday season:

- That our brotherhood is strengthened in honor of our Lord and the greater good of humanity.
- That our "seasoned" Knights enjoy good health and long life.
- That our combined wisdom will continue to expand our charitable influence.
- That there never comes a time when our Knighthood is irrelevant to our lives.
- That each of us grows in Faith and understands the need to be with Brothers of like-mind.

I am grateful for our brotherhood. Merry Christmas and a Blessed, Healthy and Happy New Year!

Mark Gardone
Grand Knight
Council 11374
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Monthly Council Meeting
in St. Mark's Library
Thu, December 21, 2017
6:00PM - Rosary
6:30PM - Meeting
8:30PM - Dismissal

Mark Your Calendar

12/13 - First and Second Degree Exemplification - Holy Trinity, Webster NY

12/16 - **Stand Out for Life**
Outside Planned Parenthood
114 University Ave.
from 8:15 to 9:45AM
Bring your Rosary!

**1/9/2018 - KofC Breakfast @
Lond Pond Family Restaurant**

**Our Council Field Agent for K of C Insurance:
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Tentative Agenda for Upcoming Meeting

- Recruitment and current Knight engagement/lack thereof
- Fish Fry Preliminaries
 - Addition of Mac & Cheese to Lent Dinner offerings

Youth Initiatives:

- Youth Director/School Liaison opening remains unfilled
- Sledding event for School and Youth Groups
 - Possibly in conjunction with several other grammar schools
 - \$143 to rent East Lodge
 - Stewart NOT AVAILABLE during Winter months.
 - Hot dogs, hot chocolate, coffee, tea, potato chips/pretzels
 - Younger Knights to help recruit

Dec 5th - Wonderful Turn-out for Light Up for Christ!



Questions/Concerns:

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December Birthdays

12/6 – John Hix
12/13 – Frank Valenti
12/26 – Tony Morales

Good of the Order

Derek Murphy
Jim Phillipone
Gary Valentine
Heather Donohue
Mario DiGiambattista
Michael Nicolosi
Deacon Tom Beck
Peter Sardano
Bob Oswald
Michele Filarowski
Terri DiGiambattista
Mary Palumbo
Velma Marron
Christopher Morrill
Marcus Brooks
Mark Maldonado
Mary Ann Ehrmentraut
Beth Barcomb
Heidi Sweet
Jane Bunzelman

In Memorial

Velma Marron
Charles Palumbo

Charitable/Participation Opportunities:

- Journey Home (Hospice) is looking for additional volunteers. Inquire as to the type of assistance they need.
- Mount Carmel House (Hospice) is looking for additional volunteers. Anything you do around your house is a need that they have.