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Knights of Columbus



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## GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE



### Brother Knights

In less than a month we will be celebrating the Councils 57<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. This year we will be honoring Msgr. David Cassato, the Councils long time Chaplain. I am pleased to announce that the Dinner & Dance is a complete sellout. The Dinner/Dance Committee did a wonderful job in promoting this, and all the hard work ensures that this will be a great success. There was a large turnout from St. A's Parish Organizations as well as the Council and we thank all who made the effort to attend and or purchase an Ad in the Journal.

The Columbian Year will be coming to an end in 3 months and there are a few things still on the schedule. We have a Cigar Night upcoming, the Grand Knights Appreciation Dinner, The Annual Awards Brunch, and don't forget the Columbiettes Annual 4 Seasons Card Party at St. Dominic's Auditorium on April 21<sup>st</sup>. Details for all of these events are in the Bulletin.

In closing, I hope to see everyone at the Annual Dinner & Dance on Sunday, April 23rd. at Sirico's Catering.

**Fraternally,  
Robert L. Toigo, PGK-FDD  
Grand Knight**

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S.K. Bob Toigo, PGK-FDD	Grand Knight
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Linda Scalici	President
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Mary C. Guadagni	Secretary
Mary Contini, P.P.	Treasurer
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Christiane Valentine	Sentinel

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**Alternates to the State:**

Mary Contini	Past President
JoAnne Toigo	Past President

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Mary Contini	Past President
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# Columbiettes

Dear Sister Columbiettes :

Don't Forget our FOUR SEASONS CARD PARTY, Friday, April 21st at St. Dominic Church. This is our biggest fundraiser in our Columbian year. We need volunteers for the Four Seasons, and most importantly, gifts for the tables. Any **NEW** gifts you can donate will be most appreciated. Tickets are on sale now. Tell your friends and come out for a night of fun. Contact Linda Scalici @ 718-256-7731 or Jo Anne Toigo @ 718-376-8025 for any further information you may need. Columbiette Birthday Party is Monday, April 24th. Congratulations to Cookie Romeo on the birth of her first Granddaughter!!

Hope to see you all at our next Business Meeting on April 10th.

In case of sickness or death, please contact Vice President Ann Ruggiero @ 718 - 372-7496.

*Fraternally,  
Linda Scalici  
Madame President*



MEETING  
MONDAY  
APRIL 10<sup>th</sup>

4884



## Council News

### MOTIONS/ RESOLUTIONS

**MOTION** by Jerry Mandaro to donate \$200.00 to St. A's Golden Gloves Event. Second by Mike Nuccio, Motion passed.



### FS News:

My Brother Knights and Sister Columbiettes:

It is with mixed feelings that I announce that I will be moving out of Brooklyn within the next few months. Due to a variety of reasons, this move is necessary and needed. I am not giving up my positions here at Cavallaro Council. I will remain Financial Secretary of the Council and Treasurer of the Corporation and attend as many Cavallaro functions as possible for the foreseeable future. Since I will not be in the local area any longer, I am forced to give up the food pantry, however, Thank You to Mike Bacolo who so graciously volunteered to take it over. So please, continue to bring a non-perishable food item to the council each time you attend an event, whether it be a meeting or a social.

Intent to Suspend Notices have been mailed out. There is still time to pay your dues before the suspensions are processed. Every member is important in that it keeps our numbers strong and our voice loud. Dues are less

than a dollar a week. A cup of coffee costs more than that. Eliminate one cup a week and put that money aside. Your dues will be covered by the end of the year and have enough left over to get a couple of dozen donuts.

**Fraternally,**  
**Bob Vezzuso, PGK, FS**  
**718-234-1747**

### **FOOD PROGRAM:**

Please brothers, every time you come to the council bring a non-perishable food item. The Food Pantry is always in need. There are many families in the neighborhood that need help and St. A's tries to answer the call.

Bensonhurst Market (formerly Met Food) is next store

to the council. A couple of dollars out of our pockets goes a long way in supporting the needy families in the neighborhood. A can of soup, box of cereal, pasta, sauce, peanut butter, jelly, a can of vegetables.

**Fraternally,**  
**Bob Vezzuso**



## **NOMINATIONS OF COUNCIL OFFICERS OPENS IN MAY**

At our Business Meeting in MAY, we will be nominating the Officers of the Council for the Columbian Year of July 1<sup>st</sup> 2017 to June 30<sup>th</sup> 2018. Please make every effort to attend this meeting and exercise your right to vote.

# Columbiettes Four Seasons Card Party

The Columbiettes are asking for donations for their upcoming card party. If you would like to donate any **NEW** items, please contact Linda Scalici @ 718-256-7731 or JoAnne Toigo @ 718-376-8025. Any items that are donated will be raffled off that night. Thank you for your help in making this event a success.

JOSEPH TREDICI

President

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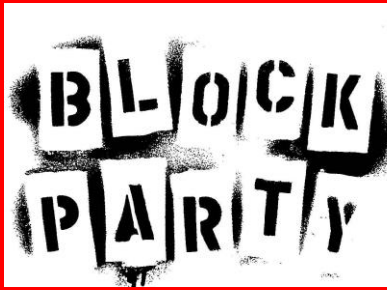
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## St. Dominic's Block Party:



St. Dominic's annual Block Party will be held in June 2017. In the past, Cavallaro Council has provided the food and cooks for the "Sausage Stand". This is a perfect community event where many of our brother Knights can get involved

and participate. The block party starts around 11 AM and ends around 10PM. It's a long day for 2 or 3 people to cover; if we break these hours up into 3 groups of 3, it becomes more bearable and doable. I see no reason why we can't accomplish this for Msgr. Cassato & St. Dominic's. Please give it consideration and volunteer to be one of the 9 people needed.



# Palm Crosses

Palm Crosses will be sold at St. A's **and** St. Dominic's on SUNDAY April 2<sup>nd</sup> and at St. A's on SUNDAY April 9<sup>th</sup>  
**Help is needed**, please contact Mike Nuccio for the schedule at 347-393-7102 if you can spare some time to help the Council with this "fund raiser". Thank you.



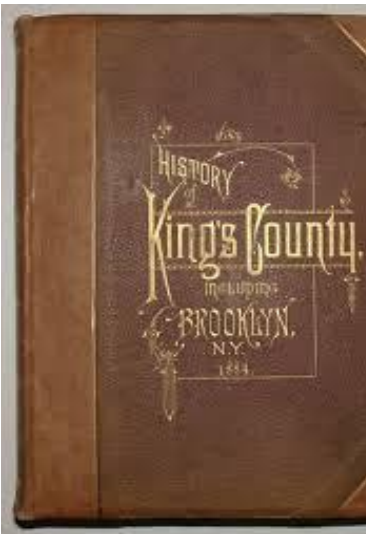
May all the choicest blessings of  
the world be showered upon you  
and fill your life with  
delight.

**HAPPY EASTER**

## APRIL, 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2	3	4 <b>Officers Meeting</b>	5	6	7	8
19	10 <b>COLUMBIETTE Business Meeting</b>	11 <b>Business Meeting</b>	12	13	14	15
16 <b>EASTER SUNDAY</b>	17	18	19	20	21 <b>Texas Hold-em &amp; Poker</b>	22
23 <b>Annual Dinner &amp; Dance</b>	24	25	26	27	28	29
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Council Meetings Start Promptly At 8:00 P.M.  
Officers Who Cannot Attend Must Call the Council by 7:30 P. M



## KINGS COUNTY KORNER

Fraternally,  
John V. Arcate, PGK-FDD  
Conference Chairman



**JOSEPH B. CAVALLARO  
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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

**57<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY  
DINNER & DANCE**

*HONORING*

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CHAIRMAN

AT

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**SUNDAY**

**APRIL 23, 2017**

2:PM TO 7:PM

**FOR TICKETS CALL:**

***JERRY @ 917-865-5790***

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JOURNAL CHAIRMAN.....CHRIS LASALLE

# FOUR SEASONS CARD PARTY

PRESENTED BY

## **Columbiettes**

of Joseph B. Cavallaro #4884

**Friday Night - April 21, 2017**

**20th Avenue, Brooklyn NY**  
(To be held in St. Dominics Gym)

**Tickets - \$25.00 Per Person**

(Tickets **MUST** be paid for in Advance)

Ticket includes : Food, Soda, Coffee & Dessert

**Hundreds of Prizes to be raffled**

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## **Birthdays and Anniversaries in the Order**

### **March Birthdays**

### **March Anniversaries**

Rev. Richard E. Long  
John A. Mari  
S.K. Paul Nicastro  
Phil A. Randazzo  
Kevin W. Regan  
S.K. Vinny G. Rizza , PGK  
Steven Scordato  
S.K. Christopher Simeone

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*Please Notify D. G. K. Ed McGibbon at 1-917-952-3583*

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## Sick and Welfare

### GOOD OF THE ORDER

The 50/50 was won by, Br. Jerry Mandaro for \$45.00. Remember "you gotta be in it to win it" so make an effort to attend our Business Meetings once a month

# INSURANCE INFORMATION:

General Agent: Vincent Valerio -

Office: 718-948-2579 CELL 1-718-554-0617

Our Field Agent is ??????? Please do not hesitate to call either agent regarding your insurance. Vincent would be happy to assist you with policies you may own even if they are not with the Knights of Columbus. All brother Knights should take advantage of the service our Order has to offer. Call them and be surprised by what they have to offer.

## MONTHLY POKER NIGHT



**Friday,**

**April 21<sup>st</sup>** will be our monthly Poker Night. As always, there will be a Texas Hold'em tournament and a Dealer's Choice game.

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# 2017 Council Calendar

## JANUARY 2017

- 3<sup>rd</sup> Council Officers Meeting
- 8<sup>th</sup> Pro Life Mass @ St. A's
- 9<sup>th</sup> Columbiettes Business Meeting
- 10<sup>th</sup> Council Business Meeting

## FEBRUARY 2017

- 7<sup>TH</sup> Council Business & Officers Meeting Combined
- 13<sup>th</sup> Columbiettes Business Meeting

## MARCH 2017

- 5<sup>th</sup> Columbiettes Memorial Mass @ St. A's
- 7<sup>th</sup> Council Officers Meeting
- 13<sup>th</sup> Columbiettes Business Meeting
- 13<sup>th</sup> Knights District Meeting ( In Basement )
- 14<sup>th</sup> Council Business Meeting
- 18<sup>th</sup> St. Patrick / St. Joseph Dinner at the Council Joint Affair with Columbiettes
- 26<sup>th</sup> Columbiettes Memorial Mass @ St. A's Alternate Date

## APRIL 2017

- 2<sup>nd</sup> Palm Cross Sale @ St. A's & St. Dominic's
- 4<sup>th</sup> Council Officers Meeting
- 10<sup>th</sup> Columbiettes Business Meeting
- 11<sup>th</sup> Council Business Meeting
- 21<sup>st</sup> Columbiettes 4 Seasons Card Party
- 23<sup>rd</sup> Council Annual Affair @ Sirico's

## MAY 2017

- 2<sup>nd</sup> Council Officers Meeting
- 8<sup>th</sup> Columbiettes Business Meeting
- 9<sup>TH</sup> Council Business Meeting & Nominations for Council Officers

## JUNE 2017

- 4<sup>th</sup> Council's Annual Awards Brunch @ The Council
- 6<sup>th</sup> Council Officers Meeting
- 6<sup>th</sup> St. A's Bazaar Opening Night
- 12<sup>th</sup> Columbiettes Business Meeting
- 13<sup>th</sup> Council Business Meeting & Grand Knights Appreciation Dinner and Elections