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MEETS 1ST. MONDAY OF EACH MONTH—7 PM—AT HOLY FAMILY PARISH HALL, RTE. 4 & GENDER ROAD  
NEWARK DELAWARE

## REMINDER

This Newsletter represents this 4th. Degree Assembly and affiliated Councils. Every K of C member gets “Columbia” magazine monthly and that publication covers the world wide Order. Knightline is a monthly magazine for officers in all degrees.

Cardinal Gibbons Assembly Officer’s Roll  
Fraternal year 2018-2019

### Faithful Sir Knights

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The 7 Councils affiliated with Assembly 150 are:

- 3751 Blessed Sacrament
- 4548 St. Michaels
- 6768 Coffee Run
- 11469 Our Lady of Fatima
- 11796 St. John the Beloved
- 12104 Holy Angels
- 12842 St. David’s

## EYE OF THE FAITHFUL NAVIGATOR

The Fourth Degree, it is within your reach!

Each degree is inspiring, a lesson to be learned, and there are only four degrees. Each degree has a team, a group of Knights, so dedicated to help bring a new member to the understanding of each Exemplification.

Think back to your First Degree. Do you remember the excitement of the time? Do you remember how each team member tried valiantly to bring forth the lesson of the degree.

Each Degree helps build to the lessons of the next Degree. Do you remember Brother Knights congratulating you!? How great of a job did they do? You were never alone!

The Second Degree and Third Degree, how enthusiastic, how true to life, and you were part of it. You were and are part of the vision of Venerable Father Michael J. McGivney.

Now the Fourth Degree is soon available. The Patriotic Degree. Don’ t you want to find out what it’s about? Don’t you want to know what the lessons will be? Don’t you want to be part of the EXCITEMENT?

Why leave an opportunity on the table! The Exemplification of the Fourth Degree is scheduled for next month, November 2018. Read the details on Pages 7 and 8 in this edition. Those pages will be repeated in the November Edition of the OBSERVER.

Talk with your Worthy Financial Secretary or Worthy Grand Knight. Start with the Form 4.

**Holy Family Church**

15 Gender Road

Newark, DE 19713

302-368-4665



**Monday, October 01, 2018**

7:00 PM - 9:30 PM 4th Degree Knights of Columbus, Cardinal Gibbons Meeting (Confirmed) Holy Family Hall

**Monday, November 05, 2018**

7:00 PM - 9:30 PM 4th Degree Knights of Columbus, Cardinal Gibbons Meeting (Confirmed) Holy Family Hall

**Monday, December 03, 2018**

7:00 PM - 9:30 PM 4th Degree Knights of Columbus, Cardinal Gibbons Meeting (Confirmed) Holy Family Hall

**Monday, January 07, 2019**

7:00 PM - 9:30 PM 4th Degree Knights of Columbus, Cardinal Gibbons Meeting (Confirmed) Holy Family Hall

**Monday, February 04, 2019**

7:00 PM - 9:30 PM 4th Degree Knights of Columbus, Cardinal Gibbons Meeting (Confirmed) Holy Family Hall

**Monday, March 04, 2019**

7:00 PM - 9:30 PM 4th Degree Knights of Columbus, Cardinal Gibbons Meeting (Confirmed) Holy Family Hall

**Monday, April 01, 2019**

7:00 PM - 9:30 PM 4th Degree Knights of Columbus, Cardinal Gibbons Meeting (Confirmed) Holy Family Hall

**Monday, May 06, 2019**

7:00 PM - 9:30 PM 4th Degree Knights of Columbus, Cardinal Gibbons Meeting (Confirmed) Holy Family Hall

**Monday, June 03, 2019**

7:00 PM - 9:30 PM 4th Degree Knights of Columbus, Cardinal Gibbons Meeting (Confirmed) Holy Family Hall



2018—OCTOBER ———MONTH DEDICATED TO PRAYING THE ROSARY

- ◆ 1... REGULAR BUSINESS MEETING OF CARDINAL GIBBONS ASSEMBLY, 7pm, Holy Family Hall
- ◆ 4... Bingo at L.S.P. 6:45pm
- ◆ 6... Christopher Columbus Banquet honoring Ann Grunet and Brother Ronald Giannone
- ◆ 11... Bingo at L.S.P. 6:45pm
- ◆ 18...Bingo at L.S.P. 6:45pm
- ◆ 25...Bingo at L.S.P. 6:45pm
- ◆ 30...Mischief Night! [STAY OUT OF TROUBLE]
- ◆ 31...[ALL HALLOWS EVE]



2018—NOVEMBER++++MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS DEPARTED

- ◆ 1... All Saints Day [Holy Day of Obligation] Prayer of the Day: Litany of the Saints AND....
- ◆ 1... Bingo at L.S.P. 6:45pm
- ◆ 2... All Souls Day
- ◆ 5... Regular monthly Business Meeting of Cardinal Gibbons Assembly, 7pm , Holy Family Church Hall
- ◆ 8... Bingo at L.S.P. 6:45pm
- ◆ 10... BINGO WITH THE VETERANS! 2 pm at the VA IN ELSMERE, COMMUNITY ROOM
- ◆ 10...Exemplification of the Fourth Degree [SEE DETAIL PAGES 7 & 8]
- ◆ 15...Bingo at L.S.P. 6:45pm
- ◆ 22...HAPPY THANKSGIVING
- ◆ 29...Bingo at L.S.P. 6:45pm



2018—DECEMBER++++DEDICATED TO ADVENT AND THE COMING OF CHRIST

- ◆ 3... Regular monthly Business Meeting of the Assembly, 7 PM in the Holy Family Church Hall
- ◆ 6... Bingo at L.S.P. 6:45pm
- ◆ 8... FEAST OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION
- ◆ 13...Bingo at L.S.P. 6:45pm
- ◆ 20...Bingo at L.S.P. 6:45pm
- ◆ 25...SOLEMNITY OF CHRISTMAS
- ◆ 30... FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY
- ◆ 31...NEW YEAR'S EVE





6 AM Sunrise from Zermatt

**YOU MIGHT SEE THIS IMAGE ON TV AT THE START OR END OF MOVIES. IT IS ABOUT 14,000 FT HIGH. YOUR EDITOR TOOK THIS SHOT WHILE ON THE COG RAIL ON THE WAY UP TO GONORGRAT FROM ZERMATT STATION. WHAT IS THE NAME OF THIS MOUNTAIN AND IN WHAT NATION DOES IT EXIST? [6 AM SUNRISE]**



**1952 MODEL SEDAN, FIRST U.S.PRODUCTION LINE CAR WITH OPTIONAL  
AIR CONDITIONING**

**THE CAR IS A "CUSTOMLINE" MODEL. CAN YOU TELL ME WHAT IS THE  
MANUFACTURER OF THIS VEHICLE?**

**Notice how shoppers are dressed in those days in Baltimore!!**

# Knights of Columbus

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### 46th Exemplification of the Fourth Degree - Delaware District

**Calvert Province**

Honoring

### District Friar

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Sir Knight Ralph L. Rossi, PSD, FVSM

### District Secretary

Deacon Sir Knight Sherman Mitchell III, PSD



**Reverend Sir Knight  
Roberto Balducelli, OSFS**

Saturday, November 10, 2018  
Crowne Plaza Wilmington North Hotel

630 Naamans Rd.  
Claymont, DE. 19703  
302-791-2700

## Exemplification Costs and Dress Code

Candidates and Sir Knights must wear a black or dark suit (blue or grey), white shirt, and a four-in-hand (long) tie. No gloves for candidates. Active duty military, policemen, and firemen may wear their formal dress uniform. Candidates will be provided with a Fourth Degree Lapel Pin, Social Baldric, and Fourth Degree Certificate as part of their initiation fee.

<b>Banquet Dress Code:</b>	Black Tuxedo and Tie or Dark Suit, White Shirt, Tie	<b>Candidate Fee:</b> (Includes 1 Banquet and 1 Lunch meal)
Sir Knights.....	Evening Gown or Tea Dress	Candidate's Fee:..... \$ 70.00
Ladies.....	Dress/Business Casual Attire	Sir Knights..... See Reservation Form
		Ladies and Guests.... See Reservation Form

### Schedule of Events – Saturday, November 10, 2018

9:30 AM - 10:20 AM	New Castle Foyer	Registration of Candidates	
10:30 AM	Brandywine Room	Antechamber Briefing for New Candidates	
10:50 AM	Kent/Sussex Foyer	Candidates Line Up	
11:00 AM	Kent/Sussex Grand Ballroom	Exemplification of the Fourth Degree	
11:00 AM	Wilmington Room, Lower Level	Ladies Luncheon and Program	
1:30 PM	Executive Lounge, 7th Floor	Assembly Hospitality following Degree (Lunch)	
4:00 PM	New Castle Room	Exemplification Mass (All invited)	
5:00 PM	Kent/Sussex Foyer	Cocktails	
6:00 PM	Kent/Sussex Grand Ballroom	Exemplification Banquet	

**Special Notes:** The Ladies Luncheon entertainment will be "The Ultimate Catholic Trivia Game", also a donation will be made for a Diocesan Seminarian. At the Mass a special collection will be taken for the Military Chaplains Scholarship Fund.

**Reservations** Mail Banquet reservations to: Cardinal Gibbons Assembly, C/O Holy Family, 15 Gender Road, Newark, DE, 19713

**Banquet Reservations:** Please mail banquet reservation form with payment to your Faithful Navigator (check made out to your respective Assembly).

**Deadline** for banquet reservations is **October 25, 2018**. No refunds after this date.

**Room Reservations:** Reservations must be made with the **CROWNE PLAZA WILMINGTON NORTH HOTEL @ 302-792-2700 or 1-800-227-6963**. Ask for the **Knights of Columbus, Fourth Degree** room rate of \$117.00 (plus tax). **Deadline** for room reservations is **October 25, 2018**.

### RESERVATION FORM Member Candidate (Mark appropriate box)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Council No. \_\_\_\_\_ Assembly No. \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Wife's /Guest First name: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Ladies Lunch Buffet:	Yes (\$ 25.00)    No (Please indicate with an 'X')	Sunday Breakfast: Available in Hotel restaurant
Banquet Reservation:	Prime Rib ____ (\$35)    Broiled Talapia ____ (\$35)    Grilled Vegetables ____ (\$30) (Please indicate number of each entree)	
Recap:	Candidate Fee: ____ \$70 (Includes dinner)    =    \$ _____	
	Number of Banquet Dinners: ( ____ x \$35) + ( ____ x \$30)    =    \$ _____	
	Ladies Luncheon: ( ____ x \$25)    =    \$ _____	
Make checks payable to: <b>(Your Respective Assembly)</b>		<b>Total</b> = \$ _____

Mail to: **Your Faithful Navigator, with the check made payable to your respective Assembly** (found on Reverse Side) or as last resort to District Secretary Deacon SK Sherman Mitchell, PSD, 101 Downes Drive, Hartly, DE. 19953 (checks made payable to: **(Fourth Degree, KofC)**)

Direct questions to District Secretary at: Phone: 302-492-0753 or E-mail: smitchell134@hotmail.com

## 4th. Degree VA Bingo schedule for News Castle County Assemblies

### Participating

**August 2018 to December 2018. Please alert your teams that Bingo begins 2 PM at the Elsmere VA Hospital.**

**Oct 13 Fitzmaurice**  
**Nov 10 Gibbons**  
**Dec 8 Mardaga**



### **The Guild**

Please give consideration to belong to the Guild which supports the cause of sainthood for our founder Venerable Father Michael McGivney. Consider this opportunity. Some spiritual benefits of the Guild are:

#### **Weekly Guild Mass**

Each week a special Mass is celebrated for the intentions of members of the Father McGivney Guild by Father Gabriel B. O'Donnell, vice postulator.

#### **All Souls Novena of Masses**

For each day between Oct. 24-Nov. 2 (All Souls Day), a Mass is celebrated by the vice postulator, Father Gabriel B. O'Donnell. The Masses are offered for the deceased relatives and friends of Guild members, and petitions sent by the Guild members on behalf of deceased loved ones are placed on the altar.

#### **Novena for World Peace**

During the nine days preceding the feast of the Sacred Heart, which falls 19 days after Pentecost, the Guild celebrates daily Mass at various basilicas in Rome for the cause of world peace. Intentions sent by Guild members are placed on the altar for each Mass.

#### **Christmas and Easter Triduum Masses**

Petitions sent by Guild members are placed on the altar for Masses celebrated in Rome at Easter and Christmas. Each Triduum, or series of three Masses, draws hundreds of petitions from members of the Father McGivney Guild.

Write to the Guild to have your special intentions placed on the altar and remembered at the monthly Masses, special novena, or Triduum Masses celebrated by the Guild. There is no better way to commend a sick or deceased loved one to God's merciful care. Special worries or concerns will also be included in our prayers.

**You can email the Guild at: [guild@kofc.org](mailto:guild@kofc.org).**

**REMEMBERING OTHERS---GIBBONS ASSEMBLY 150**

**A PERMANENT PAGE**

**Pope Francis —Bishop Malooly—Priests, Deacons, Brothers, Sisters in Diocese & Universal Church**

**All armed services members—all peace officers & EMT's, The President of the United States**

**The families and members of the K of C, especially those of Cardinal Gibbons Assembly**

**Peace in the Korean Peninsula, The Churches in the Middle East**

**Diane Lawler, Ann Gardner**

**For all the ill and disabled in our parishes**

**In your heart and mind please pray for all on this page.**

**[Any changes notify newrez38@gmail.com](mailto:newrez38@gmail.com)**

**CARDINAL GIBBONS COLOR CORPS PARTICIPATION DURING SEPTEMBER 2018**

**September 8, Prayer Service for the National Day of Remembrance at the Cathedral Cemetery.**

**Tom Green**

**Ted Godsell**

**Al Ware**

**September 11, Interfaith Services remembering 9/11/01 at Holy Rosary Church.**

**Tom Green**

**Al Ware**

**September 15, The Flag Team presented the Colors for the opening Ceremony for the 12th Annual Little Sisters of the Poor Nun Run.**

**Tom Green**

**Ted Godsell**

**Walt Charowski**

**Al Ware**