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Memorial Mass

~ Sunday, November 28, 2021 ~

Sacred Heart St. Mary's Church

New York Mills, NY • 11:00 AM Mass

Mass Celebrants: Father Arthur, Chaplain, Utica Council



Please make an effort to attend this Mass, which is offered for the repose of the soul of all Utica Council deceased members, especially those who have died in the past year. We would like to have all members and their families sit together in a reserved area. As you enter for Mass, please identify yourselves to one of our ushers [who be wearing a white buttoner]. All are invited to attend.



DECEASED MEMBERS

11/16/20 Michael Wojtanowski [1964]	5/27/21 Raymond A. Potasiewicz [1993]
11/21/20 William A. Dyer [1948]	6/3/21 John J. Meehan [1948]
11/27/20 Andrew S. Kowalczyk, Jr. [1964]	7/12/21 Benjamin M. Smith II [1946]
12/20/20 Thomas S. Rhodes [1964]	8/18/21 Glen Mundschenk [1958]
1/25/21 Ira. L. Domser, DDS [1941]	9/4/21 Rev. Paul V. Carey [1981]
2/19/21 Samuel F. Ventura [1948]	9/26/21 Joseph C. Flint [1967]
3/16/21 John B. Nicotera [1969]	10/3/21 William John Kane [1975]
4/9/21 Edward S. Wojnas [1966]	10/14/21 Rev. John M. Quinn [1981]
5/14/21 William M. Keeler [1979]	

TURKEY SCRAMBLE TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2021



Chairman: Joseph Wilk

Menu: Turkey Sandwiches, Tomato Pie, Coffee, Beer & Soda **\$7.00 per person**

This year we will have plenty of turkeys running around in New York Mills! Bring plenty of quarters and you might catch one (the turkeys love quarters). As usual, this will be a fun meeting night. Snacks and beverages will be served. **A short meeting will precede the "Scramble of the Turkeys!"**

FROM GRAND KNIGHT JOSEPH RZEPKA

THANKSGIVING, like all other holidays, originally made to praise God, has been taken over by super sales and television. Let's remember to give thanks to God for what we have here in America, and pray for His continued blessings on us. Wishing everyone a happy and blessed Thanksgiving Day.

Sincerely and fraternally, *Joseph H. Rzepka, Jr., Grand Knight*

IT'S THAT TIME OF YEAR - 2022 MEMBERSHIP DUE

2022 Membership Dues notices will be mailed December 1st, 2021. Help the Council defray the cost of mailing by paying your dues NOW. Your name will be published in 2022 YEAR IN ADVANCE CLUB that will be published in the 2022 January Newsletter. Dues for Regular Members are \$88.00 and for Honorary Members \$28.00. We are asking our Honorary Life Members, who are exempt from paying dues, for their support by asking for a suggested voluntary contribution of \$28.00 or amount of their choice. This will help the Council with the cost of preparing and mailing our Monthly Newsletters and our Charitable Donations. If any member is unable to continue their membership for any circumstance, please call or email me.

Make Checks Payable to "Knights of Columbus 189" and mail your checks to 155 Bolton Road, New Hartford, NY 13413-2513. There is a secure mailbox by the door of the council to drop off your dues if you prefer.

IN YOUR CHARITY

Please pray for the repose of the souls of the following members who died since the last bulletin. The year they joined the K of C is in brackets.

Joseph C. Flint [1967]
William John Kane [1975]
Rev. John M. Quinn [1981]

COUNCIL WEBSITE

Thanks to Len Montana and Mike Kohler, our Council website is updated daily. You can see all Council information, make reservations, find the current or past bulletins. Please use the website for all Council news. www.kofcutica.org

BROTHERS WHO ARE ILL

John F. Pryor [1985]
Michael J. Fitzgerald [1973]
Donald C. Cieri, Sr. [2001]
Joseph Gacek [1940]
George J. Amendolare [1986]
Joseph P. Kearney [1985]



CHRISTMAS PARTY

As of this newsletter, we are planning a Christmas Party, for children and adults, on Sunday, December 12. Due to the pandemic guidelines, we are not sure what the "party" might look like. We will have details in the December bulletin.

MEMBER EMAILS

Please keep you email address updated with the Council. Between monthly newsletters, we use the emails for sending notices regarding wake services, council activity changes, building schedule, etc.. And many of our members prefer to receive the monthly bulletin by e-mail. The Council is able to save expenses of printing and postage by sending the bulletin electronically. If you are still receiving the bulletin by postal mail and if you would like to receive it by e-mail, please send a request to the Council at kofc189@roadrunner.org or call 315-735-6171.

SENIOR KNIGHTS

The Senior Knights meeting will be a week earlier than usual, Wednesday, November 17 at 12 noon at the New Hartford American Legion. For reservations please call Jim Solan 315-768-4443.

HOLIDAY NURSING HOME VISITS

Please let us know if one of our members is in a nursing home. We will visit them during the Christmas season, given Covid restrictions at the respective homes, and present them with a gift from the Council. Charles Lange, PGK will again chair this activity. We don't want to miss anyone, so please contact us at 315-735-6171 or kofc189@roadrunner.com



Grand Knight Joseph Rzepka presents a check to seminarian Benjamin Schrantz. Ben is assisting Father Sean at St. Peter's Church in Rome. He is one of many seminarians we have helped with personal expenses over a period of many years.

THANK YOU

We received thank you letters for the support of the 39th Family Rosary Crusade held October 3, and the Veterans Outreach Center for donation for Food, TV and clothing from the October meeting.

4TH DEGREE MEETING

There will be a regular meeting of the 4th Degree Tuesday, November 23, 7:00 PM at our Council.



CANS AND BOTTLE FUNDRAISER

Continue to drop off your cans and bottles at the Council. Leave them at the entrance door and we'll get them. Thank you for your continued support.

GYMNASIUM/FITNESS ROOM

To reserve a time to use the gym, please call Len Montana 315-534-9584 for reservations and details.

COLLECTING FOR VETERANS AND INFANTS

We have two collection boxes at the Council office. One is to collect non-perishable food for Veteran's Outreach Center and the other is for baby items for Evelyn's House (baby wipes, diapers, etc.) you can also leave your donations by the front door in a plastic bag if the building is locked.

NEW MEMBERS

Please consider sponsoring a new member. The best way to do that - ASK HIM. A Catholic friend, neighbor or relative - ask him to join. The Degree of Charity, Unity and Fraternity, which combines 1st, 2nd & 3rd Degree into one ceremony. This can be taken online now. For more information, please call Len Montana, F.S. at 315-735-6171.

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11 VETERANS DAY 	12	13
14	15	16 TURKEY SCRAMBLE 	17 SENIOR KNIGHTS	18	19	20
21	22	23 4TH DEGREE	24	25 HAPPY THANKS Giving DAY 	26	27
28 MEMORIAL MASS 	29	30	 COMING EVENTS! CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY SUNDAY - DECEMBER 12			