

THE 4065 FLYER





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Meetings 1st and Last Wednesday of Each Month at 7:30 P.M.

2024-2025 Officers

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District Deputy: Peter Stafford



Get Rich Quick

Once a month, each brother Knight who attended the business meeting, and who signed the book and put a dollar in the pot has a chance to win the drawing. A members name is chosen from our total council membership. If you signed the book that month, you win!

Will you be the lucky winner? You gotta be in it to win it.



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My Brother Knights,



We are in the middle of our Lenten journey. Let us continue to focus ourselves on our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ as he prepared himself for Easter. We will soon be entering the Holy week starting with Palm Sunday. Lent goes by quickly. It is good for us during this time to slow down and think about what we are celebrating. Perhaps spend time reading the Bible or go into church to pray, or being present in front of the Holy Eucharist. Let us spend this time preparing ourselves, reflecting, and praying. Giving thanks to our Lord for the sacrifice he gave so that we would be forgiven and have Eternal life with Him in Heaven. We are Blessed to be Catholics, united in our Faith in Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior. How fortunate we are to be parishioners at amazing Churches - Saint Mary, Saint Columbus, Saint Denis where we have been given so many opportunities during Lent to attend services led by our dedicated and faithful priests so that we may reflect on and appreciate this moment and prepare ourselves for Holy Week. I pray that all of you have a Lenten journey, Palm Sunday and a Blessed Easter surrounded by your loved ones reflecting on the miracle of Jesus Christ our Risen Lord. Through His death and resurrection, He has saved us and provided all of us Eternal life in His Kingdom.

Looking forward to our events in April, on Saturday 12th we will participate in the Hudson Valley Honor Flight at Stewart Airport. This will be Mission 35 for the HV Honor Flight organization. The Hudson Valley Chapter Knights of Columbus is supporting this great organization and I encourage you to attend this great event as we pay tribute to our great veterans and send them off to Washington DC in the morning.

On the same day, Saturday April 12th, we will hold our Easter egg hunt at the hall. I want to thank our Worthy Deputy Grand Knight Rocco Greco for his dedication to this event and all his efforts. For the past two years, our Worthy Deputy Grand Knight has led the successful planning and execution of this event which takes a great deal of time and effort. I also thank all our members who also help and make this event a success. This event is open to the public so please share this information with your family and Friends.

As men of Faith and as Brother Knights, I pray that we continue to serve our community and share the message of Blessed Michael McGivney and Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior.

God Bless all of you and thank you for your prayers.

Vivat Jesus!

Peter Procopio Grand Knight



Director's Report

April 2025 Chairmen 2 - Council Business Meeting Procopio 9 - Assenbly 4th Degree Meeting / Officer Nominations Ronda 12 - Easter Egg Hunt @ Council Grounds 10am - 2pm Greco 13 - Palm Sunday 17 - Holy Thursday 18 - Good Friday 20 - Easter Sunday 25 - HV Chaper Meeting @ Lagrange #13378 Ronda 26 - 50 Year Honorary Life Pin Recognition - 12 Noon Gruszecki 27 - Divine Mercy Sunday - 3pm St. Mary's & St. Columba 30 - Council Officers Meeting Procopio May 2025 1-3-NYS KNIGHTS CONVENTION @ Villa Roma Resort Delegates 7 - Council Business Meeting / Officer Nominations Procopio 10 - Assembly Mother's Day Dance Supporting HV Honor Flight Ronda 14 - Asssembly 4th Degree Meeting / Office Elections Ronda 16 - HV Chapter Meeting @ St. Martin de Porres #7551 Ronda 18 - Silver Rose Service @ St. Columba (T) Longo 26 - Fishkill Village Memorial Day Parade Ronda 28 - Council Officers Meeting 29 - Ascension Thursday (H) 31 - Backyard Olympics @ 4065 Grounds Online New Member Virtual Exemplifications 2nd and 4th Thursday of each month 4th Degree Exemplification of Patriotism

June 14, 2025 - @ St. Martin de Porres, Poughkeepsie - Time (TBA)

Respectfully & Fraternally,

Deputy Grand Knight: Rocco Greco - DGK

Souvenir Journal

Anniversary Celebration June 20, 2025

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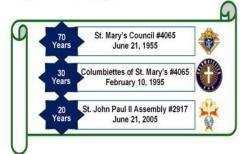
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Join Us in Celebrating

120 years of Service to our community as part of the Knights of Columbus Family



Friday, June 20, 2025

Mill Creek Caterers, 17 Route 376, Hopewell Junction, New York

Cocktail Hour: 6:00 - 7:00 PM: open bar with passed and stationed Hors D'Oeuvres

Dinner: 7:00 - 8:00 PM

Socializing and Dancing: 8:00 - 10:00 PM

Beer, Wine and Soda included throughout evening, with cash bar also available

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Cost. \$95 per person		
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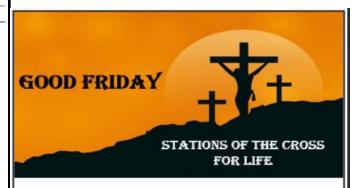
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Tri-Parish Respect Life Group St. Denis + St. Columba + St. Kateri

Join our Stations of the Cross for Life as we pray for the health and safety of all pre-born babies, post-born babies, and their moms.

Good Friday, April 18th at 10:00 AM Planned Parenthood, 17 Noxon Street, Poughkeepsie



"One Nation under GOD, indivisible".

St. John Paul II Assembly #2917 2024-2025 Officers

Faithful Friar: SK Rev. Michael McLoughlin Honorary Faithful Friar: SK Rev. Msgr. Joseph A. Martin Honorary Faithful Friar: SK Rev. Msgr. John J. Farley SK Alfred A. Ronda, FM, FDD, PGK Faithful Navigator: Faithful Comptroller: SK Edward C. Mead, PGK, PFN

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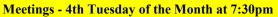
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HUDSON VALLEY CHAPTER KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 2025 Chapter Charity Ball in Support of "Hudson Valley Honor Flight"

Saturday April 12, 2025

Cocktail Hour starts at 6PM

Program starts at 7PM



CHARITY DINNER REGISTRATION FORM DINNER COST \$80,00 Per Attendee \$800.00 Per Table (each table seats 10) DEADLINE: Friday March 28, 2025 DINNER LOCATION: The Powelton Club 29 Balmville Road Newburgh, NY 12550



PLEASE NOTE: Reservations are accepted on a first come, first served basis and must include payment

Please Make Checks Payable to: Hudson Valley Chapter Knights of Columbus Council or Assembly check is the preferred method of payment

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HV Chapter Knights of Columbus c/o Alfred Ronda 8 Bob Lane Beacon, NY 12508

(917) 650-8447 (Cell)

Authorized Signature:

DM2NYD@aol.com

FAITHFUL NAVIGATOR'S MESSAGE





Greetings Brother Sir Knights,

The next Exemplification of the Patriotic Degree is tentatively scheduled to take place on Saturday June 14, 2025 at St. Martin de Porres in Poughkeepsie. More information will be forthcoming when all the details have been finalized.

Our Annual Valentine's Dinner Dance to Benefit Hudson Valley Honor Flight originally scheduled for Saturday Feb 8, 2025 was snowed out. We have rescheduled the Dinner Dance as a Mother's Day Spring Fling to take place on Saturday May 10th. Please see the flyer in this Newsletter for details.

The Hudson Valley Chapter Knights of Columbus Annual Charity Dinner to Benefit the Hudson Valley Honor Flight will take place on Saturday April 12, 2025 at the Powelton Club in Newburgh. Please contact me for Information.

We are still collecting food for the VA Food Pantry at Castle Point. - They currently need the following items: Canned Tuna, Ground Coffee, Tomato Sauce, Cereals (both Hot and Cold). Please bring your donation down to the Monthly Assembly Meeting.

I look forward to seeing you at our next Meeting on Wednesday, April 9th.

Faithfully & Fraternally,

Alfred A. Ronda, FM - Faithful Navigator

St. John Paul II Assembly #2917

COMMANDER'S CORNER



Greetings My Fellow Veterans,

Thank you to all who have been brining in food and supporting our VA Food Pantry Drive. The VA Food Pantry at Castle Point currently need the following items: Ground Coffee, Tomato Sauce, Cereals (both Hot and Cold), & Condiments. Please bring your donation down to the Monthly Post Meeting, or down to any Knights of Columbus event. Your support goes a long way..

IMPORTANT NOTE: If you haven't already done so, please remit your 2025 Annual Post Dues of \$30 made payable to CWV Post #1981 as soon as possible. Annual Dues are Due in on October 1st of every CWV Year.

Issues affecting local Veterans

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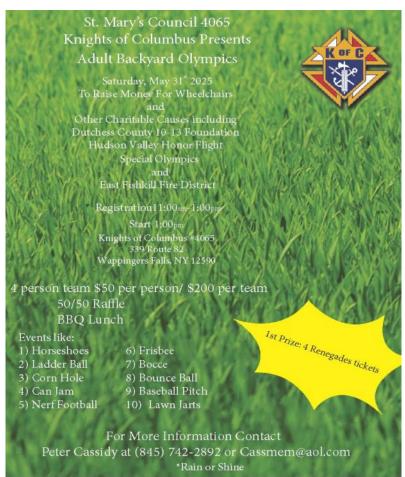
- ♦ 2 Rides for medical appointments
- ♦ 1 Ride per month for other issues

Acute Care Unit at Castle Point Closure

Just a reminder, our meetings are held on the 4th Tuesday of each month. Our next monthly meeting will be held on Tuesday 22 April 2025. Muster Time 7pm - Meeting Time 7:30pm. Light refreshments served.

Patriotically Proud,

Al Ronda - Post Commander cwvpost1981@gmail.com (917) 650-8447 - Cell Phone





50+ YEAR Honorary Life Member Ceremony

All Members are encouraged to join, but please rsvp by 4/15/25.

The Council will be hosting a special brunch on **Saturday, April 26, 2025 at 12PM**, where we will have a ceremony to present our 23 Honorary Life Members with 50 or more years with a 50/60 Year lapel pin as one of our long-term members.

We are delighted that Past New York State Deputy Wally Wych will be presenting the 50 Year pins to the recipients.

<u>Please</u> call Peter Procopio (Grand Knight) at 914-908-0781 or Craig Gruszecki (Financial Secretary) at 845-518-4105 to confirm you can make it - (*Please RSVP no later than 4/15/25*).

Letters were sent to all our 50+ year Honorary Life Members. If you have 50+ years in the Knights, and did NOT get a letter, please call Craig immediately.

You can also email the Financial Secretary at fs4065craig@gmail.com

Msgr. Joseph Martin
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The Columbiettes of St. Mary's #4065 2024- 2025 Officers

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Paula Hunt
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Rosemary Packer
Barbara Renza
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Olivia Vollmer
Dee Wych



COLUMBIETTES

Dear Sister Columbiettes,

Lent has begun and so has our Chowder sales. If you can help Lorry and chop vegetables on Wednesdays, we would love to see you! Also, if you can help with the sales on Fridays, again we would love to have the help! As I have always said, many hands make light work plus we always have so much fun when we get together to help Lorry during this Lenten season.

We had a wonderful membership drive and our initiation for new members will be at our next meeting, which will be Thursday, April 10 @ 6:30p.m. I hope all of you will attend to welcome them into our organization.

On April 12th, the Saturday following our meeting, the Knights are having an Easter Egg Hunt here at the hall. If you can come down and help them with the activities, that would be greatly appreciated! It is so wonderful to see all the little children of our community hunting for their eggs and having such fun that day, you won't want to miss that! Also on April 12th, the Knights will be supporting the Hudson Valley Honor Flight. If you are interested in attending this great cause, please contact Al Ronda at (917) 650-8447. It is such a worthy cause to help veterans go down to Washington, D.C. for the day and see all the monuments. What an experience for them!

April 13th here at the hall, is our Birthright Baby Shower. It is a very busy weekend that weekend! Please think of donating anything you can, diapers, formula, blankets, clothing, etc. These mothers are so greatly appreciative when they receive our gifts and there is no greater gift than the gift of life for these mothers; so let's try to help them have a good start for their little family.

Finally, April 27th is Divine Mercy Sunday. I am sure each parish will be having services for this so look in your bulletins for the appropriate times for each one.

Our nominating committee is hard at work looking for nominees for the President and Vice President positions. If anyone is interested, please contact them. Also, if you are interested in any other position, please feel free to also contact them. You are always welcomed to come on board at any time! We welcome any new members, old members or any member interested in being on the board - so speak to us and become involved at any time. We would love to have you learn and always welcome new and fresh ideas.

The May 8th meeting will be our election of officers, so let us know and we hope to have lots of great new people join us!

Last but not least, our Anniversary Gala is coming up in June. Please make your reservations as soon as possible so the committee can give the catering hall a proper count for dinner. It will be a wonderful night of celebration for the anniversary of the Knights of Columbus Council, Knights of Columbus Assembly and our Columbiettes Auxiliary - all celebrating anniversary dates. Please come and join us.

In addition to our Anniversary Dinner, let us not forget our very own End of the Year dinner for our Columbiettes. It will be June 5th @ 6:30 p.m. If you have a favorite restaurant that you like, please visit them and ask them for a price for the dinner and get back to us with that. We are in the process of shopping around right now for a location. Otherwise, we will again go back to Longobardi's as we have in the past years. They have always been good to us and given us a fair price. We will discuss all this at our next meeting and vote on the restaurant location as well.

As we prepare for Easter, let us pray for peace during this time of such turmoil and protests all over the world. Let us ask God to bring peace to the hearts of all those who have such hate in their hearts and minds and comfort those who have lost loved ones lately as well. Ask that the wars will cease, that mothers will continue to make the right choices and bring beautiful babies into this world and that families live together in love and harmony. And let us pray that the Pope will heal from his illness.

See you all at the next meeting.....Until then.....

Be Safe, Stay Well, and God Bless, AnnMarie Bybel President



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President: Alfred A. Ronda Vice President: Matthew E. Seman Treasurer: Edward C. Mead Secretary: Steven Washburn

Appointed Directors:

Peter Procopio Matthew E. Seman Alfonse A.DiDonato Steven Washburn Alfred A. Ronda

Elected Directors:

4 Yr: Edward C. Mead 3 Yr. Nicholas P. Longo 2 Yr: Kenneth Stankus 1 Yr: John Call





4065 Club

Greetings Brothers and Sisters,

Just a reminder: As our corporation works through the process of restructuring, on advice of council, we are still operating in abeyance.

Spring is upon us and rental requests are starting to pick up again. Please try to schedule any group activities on a week-night whenever possible to allow for availability of rentals.

Just a reminder, anyone looking to use the hall for a group activity should have their group leader reach out to Al Ronda at The4065Club@hotmail.com.

Those using the Hall, please be mindful when using the Hall. - Please Note:

- 1. Remove all trash and replace trash bags in garbage recepticles.
- 2. PLEASE Do NOT PUT Boxes in the garbage Bags. Break Down All Boxes
- 3. Make sure there is no water running in the bathrooms and kitchen.
- 4. Make sure all doors are secured including emergency exit doors
- 5. Make lights in all areas are turned off.
- 6. Please STACK chairs 10 high.
- 7. Please keep Chair Room Neat Do NOT block the cabinets!

PLEASE NOTE: If your group is scheduled to use the Hall - Please DO NOT TOUCH the Thermostats. - Our building management team have the Thermostats Pre-Programmed to turn on for meetings & events.

Thank you for all you do to support the 4065 Club!!!

Al Ronda - President The 4065 Club, Inc.



Knights of Columbus

St. John Paul II Assembly #2917 **Presents Our Fundraising**



Mother's Day Themed

SATURDAY, MAY 10, 2025



Ticket \$50 per person

All Proceeds to benefit Hudson Valley Honor Flight Veterans Activities!



Sit Down Dinner Includes:

Garden Salad, Prime Rib or Roasted Chicken, Mashed Potatoes, Mixed Vegetable Medley, Dinner Rolls, Coffee / Tea, & Dessert

Cash Bar for all Drinks

Bottle Service Available



Live DJ Music

DEADLINE FOR RESERVATIONS Saturday May 3, 2025

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR RESERVATIONS PLEASE CALL OR TEXT E-Mail: The4065Club@gmail.com Call or Text: (845) 293-2820



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