

# THE NAVIGATOR'S LOG

Fr. Walter F. Malloy Assembly, #1894 April 2019

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#### **Member Contact Information**

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## Faithful Navigator's Report



Worthy Sir Knights,

April brings our Assembly into its last quarter of the Fraternal Year. We are continuing the conversion of our Catholic Faith as the Patriotic and visible arm of our Order. True, we only have three more months remaining and we are not coasting until the end. In my vision, we are doing our part in the continuum of the Venerable Fr. McGivney's vision to change a man's life, deepen and enrich his faith, strengthen his family, and build better lives for those who so desperately need help.

Thank you Brother Sir Knights for your support and commitment to our Holy Father, Bishops, and Priests. Through our efforts the renewal found in our Lord's Resurrection has provided the energy and spirit to dedicate each of us in the Assembly's work exactly as the beginning of this Fraternal Year. Coming are our programs that will show our patriot Catholic spirit to our communities and churches. April 6, 2019, we will join with the Commodore Barry Assembly, for Mass and a historic tour of Annapolis, MD and the United States Naval Academy. We will have the ability to fraternally share with our Brother Knights that have chosen to join us in the ranks of the Patriotic Degree. The 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Exemplification will be held on Saturday, April 27, 2019, at St. Edward the Confessor Catholic Church and School (2700 Dolfield Dr, Richmond, VA 23235.

As you read this newsletter, think about ways that your involvement with the Assembly can continue to grow as we channel the spirit of our Lord's Resurrection to make a difference in someone's life. When we do their life will be changed and so will ours!

Fraternally, SK Carroll D. Glass, PGK Faithful Navigator



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#### **Newsletter Submissions**

Newsletter submissions for the May issue of the *Navigator's Log* are due to the Newsletter Editor *NO LATER THAN* Wednesday, May 1, 2019! Any articles not received by May 1<sup>st</sup> will NOT be included in the newsletter. ALL Sir Knights are welcome to submit articles to be shared with the Assembly. Ideally, articles should be patriotic and/or Catholic in nature; Newsletter Editor and Faithful Navigator have final say on submissions. Articles submitted may not be published immediately. Articles should be submitted to Newsletter Editor at ditoddjr@gmail.com.

## Faithful Captain's Report



Worthy Sir Knights,

#### St. James the Less

There are two James listed among the Apostles. Most mentioned is James the brother of John. The other James is named in the "brethren of the Lord." Scholars opine that he and Joses (Joseph) were sons of Mary the wife of Clophas, she is thought to be the sister of Mary of Nazareth. Thus he is a cousin of Jesus.

After Peter's escape from prison in the Acts of Apostles (Acts 12:17), James becomes head of the Way (church) in Jerusalem and later presides at the first ecumenical council. There it was decided to exempt Gentiles from traditional Jewish practices such as circumcision (Acts 15:17). He was indeed a key figure and leader in the beginning of our Holy Faith.

Importantly, his teaching comes to us in his letter included in the canon of Scripture. In it we find "What does it profit, my brethren, if a man says he has faith and has not works?" (Jas 2:14)

St. James, witness to the life and works of Christ, pray for us.



## **April Meeting**

Please come join us for our monthly meeting. We begin at 7:30 PM with the recitation of Rosary, followed by Sir Knights' Café. This month's Café will be hosted by SK Philip J. Freda, PFN, from Fr. Casey Assembly... this is an ongoing agreement between PFN Freda and **SK Matthew T. West, PFN**, who will provide Fr. Casey dinner in May. Our meeting will begin at 8:30 PM.

One of the most important pieces of business to be dealt with is the announcement and nomination of a Slate of Officers for the upcoming year. The Slate will be emailed to the Assembly immediately and included in the May edition of the *Navigator's Log*, and will be voted on at the May meeting.

Fraternally, SK F. Randy Bordelon Faithful Captain

## **Faithful Pilot's Report**



Worthy Sir Knights,

Please pray for the following:

- Repose of the soul of **SK Kevin H. Darr**.
- Repose of the soul of Msgr. SK Frank E. Mahler (Assembly #11947).
- Repose of the soul of Mrs. Rosario Bueno, wife of SK Alberto C. Bueno, PFN.
- Repose of the soul of Mr. Robert William, friend of SK Gregory J. Skorupski (Assembly #3596).
- Repose of the soul of Mrs. Marie Floyd, widow of SK Charles D. Floyd (Assembly #1163)
- Continued help in **SK Richard P. Owen, PFN**'s battle against cancer, and for his wife Geri as she cares for him.
- Continued healing of **SK Lawrence R. Novack** after suffering a stroke and dealing with cardiac issues.
- Continued recoveries from recent medical issues of Mrs.
   Patricia West and Mr. Thomas West, parents of SK Matthew T. West, PFN.
- Comfort of Mr. Albert Schouviller, father of SK
   William J. Schouviller, who is in hospice.
- Recovery of Mrs. Kathy Mortensen, wife of SK Kelly J. Mortensen, PSD, from a recent stroke.
- Successful physical therapy of Mrs. Kathy Pollak, wife of SK S. Michael Pollak and mother of SK Timothy J. Pollak.
- Successful surgery of Mr. Robin Sardegna, father of SK Joseph Sardegna
- All victims and families of recent airline tragedies.
- All victims of Clergy Sexual Abuse, and for those caring for them.

If anyone else wish to forward any other prayer intentions, for us to be aware of please send these at your earliest convenience to <a href="mailto:smpollak@aol.com">smpollak@aol.com</a>. I will include these in a listing along with space for last minute intentions added the night of our next meeting at the door.

Fraternally, SK S. Michael Pollak Faithful Pilot

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## **Color Corps Commander Needed**

Fr. Malloy Assembly is in need of a new Color Corps Commander as soon as possible. The responsibilities are fairly simple:

- Communicate with Assembly members regarding "Callouts" for Color Corps activities.
- Submit a monthly report to the Assembly, both via newsletter, and via verbal report at Assembly meetings.
- Instruct Color Corps members prior to activities.
- Command Color Corps, using verbal commands as well as silent commands (depending on situation).

Ideally, the Color Corps Commander should (but is not necessarily required to) have:

- The New Uniform (Legacy Regalia may be used until June 30th... after that, New Uniform will be required).
- Attended Color Corps & Color Corps Commander Training within the past year
- Foresight to understand the requirements and expectations of the Color Corps in specific circumstances.

Our Assembly has several Associate Commanders available to assist, and as needed to step in as Commander, in various activities... so do not feel pressured to be at every event. We will accept someone to take Command for the remainder of this fraternal year if they need to use Legacy Regalia (we have the purple cape and chapeau that they will use!). Anyone interested and willing to serve in this capacity should contact Faithful Navigator **SK Carroll D. Glass** at <a href="mailto:cdglass@gmail.com">cdglass@gmail.com</a>.

## **Color Corps Report**

Where we have been:

- Procession for Profession of Temporary Vows:
   Tuesday, March 19, 2019, for Sister Eneyda Rivera of the Poor Sisters of St. Joseph at Queen of Apostles.
   Thank you to SK Carroll D. Glass, FN; SK Roger G. Bion; SK Jonathon M. Lash; and SK Roger L. Williams, GK for representing our Assembly so well.
- Episcopal Ordination: Monday, March 25, 2019, two new Auxiliary Bishops for the Archdiocese of the Military Services (Bishop William Muhm & Bishop Joseph L. Coffey) at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, SK Carroll D. Glass, FN, SK David J. Todd, Jr., PFN, and SK David J. Todd, Sr., PFN, were among the 48 Sir Knights who provided an Honor. Additionally, SK Joseph M. Gesker participated as an Usher, and Rev. SK John W. Lyle served as a Chaplain to Bishop Muhm. (It should be noted that the term "Episcopal" is synonymous with the word "Bishop"; it has nothing to do with a faction of

the Anglican Church.)
In this picture, FN Glass,
PFN Todd Jr., and PFN
Todd Sr., pose in front of a
memorial to George
Herman "Babe" Ruth in
Memorial Hall, located in
the crypt of the church,
recognizing the
contribution to the Basilica
made by the "Great
Bambino!



Where we are going:

4<sup>th</sup> Degree Exemplification: Saturday, April 27, 2019, Noon, at St. Edward the Confessor Catholic Church and School (2700 Dolfield Dr., Richmond, 23235). The Honoree for the Exemplification will be Msgr. John C.

Cregan, District Friar and former Friar of Fr. Malloy Assembly. Please contact **SK Matthew T. West, PFN**, at <a href="mailto:askmekofc@yahoo.com">askmekofc@yahoo.com</a>, or **SK Carroll D. Glass, FN**, at <a href="mailto:cdglass@gmail.com">cdglass@gmail.com</a>, for escorting or observing.

#### New Uniform

As has been announced previously, the Legacy Regalia (Cape & Chapeau) will be retired on June 30, 2019; following that date, NO ONE is authorized to wear it any longer. Currently, 19 Sir Knights in Fr. Malloy Assembly have purchased the New Uniform, with another 5 planning to purchase it by the end of the calendar year, if not the end of this fraternal year.

All Sir Knights who participate in Color Corps activities should consider purchasing the New Uniform. Those who have appreciate the feel and the ease (no cumbersome boxes or garment bags are needed to transport cape and chapeaux, it is lighter weight, and breaths easier than the wool tuxedo under the lined cape).

Anyone interested in purchasing the New Uniform should go to <a href="https://www.kofcuniform.com">www.kofcuniform.com</a>. You should be professionally measured prior to placing the order (be aware they still run a little small). The cost for the New Uniform (which includes trousers, blazer, tie, and beret) is \$510, plus shipping. Once you receive it, you will need to have the trousers & blazer altered (the trousers come unhemmed), and will need to shape your beret. Additionally, you will need to purchase a sword and service baldric, which can be done through <a href="https://www.kofcsupplies.com">www.kofcsupplies.com</a>. The cost of a basic package (sword, baldric, and sword case) is \$199, plus shipping. For new Sir Knights who order their New Uniform and Sword within the first year, the Assembly will reimburse up to \$150 of the purchase price of the sword... just submit a copy of your receipt to Faithful Comptroller SK William W. Weich, PFN.



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## **Nominating Committee**

The Nominating Committee is still looking for Sir Knights to serve the Assembly as Officers during the upcoming Fraternal Year. If you are interested and willing to dedicate yourself to service in the Assembly, please contact Chairman SK Isaias "Cy" Alba, III, PSD, PFN at <a href="mailto:albai@cox.net">albai@cox.net</a>, Member SK George H. Billy, PFN at <a href="mailto:geobilly@aol.com">geobilly@aol.com</a>, or Member SK David J. Todd, Jr., PFN at <a href="mailto:gitto:djtodjr@gmail.com">djtoddjr@gmail.com</a>. A Slate of Officers will be read in at the April Meeting, with Elections to be conducted at the May Meeting.

## Faithful Admiral's Report



Worthy Sir Knights,

At the end of this month, we will be celebrating the Exemplification of the Fourth Degree. We have several Brother Knights from our feeder Councils that will be joining us at the Exemplification. Thank you to all Sir Knights who helped recruit candidates for this Exemplification. Through this powerful and moving ceremony, these Brother Knights will learn the virtue of Patriotism and what it truly means to be a proud Catholic gentleman in America. The Exemplification will be Saturday, April 27, 2019, at St. Edward the Confessor Church and School (2700 Dolfield Dr, Richmond, 23235). The Exemplification will begin at Noon (Candidates MUST arrive no later than 11:00 AM).

As Sir Knights, you are welcomed and encouraged to join us at this Exemplification as observers to renew the pledges you made at your own Exemplification. Sir Knights wishing to attend the Exemplification as observers should wear a dark black, grey, or blue suit. Shirts must be plain white with a basic/conservative style tie. The Social Baldric should be worn under the jacket, but in front of the tie. Observers may also wear the New Uniform. In either case, the PG-113 lapel pin should be worn. Officers should wear their jewel of office (if holding more than one position, please wear the jewel of office for the higher office). Anyone who has earned a "Past" or "Former" title should wear their miniature ribbons.

We look forward to welcoming our fellow Brother Knights to the honors of full Patriotic Knighthood in the Fourth Degree of the Knights of Columbus, and to joining us in Fr. Malloy Assembly.

Fraternally, SK Matthew T. West, PGK, PFN Faithful Admiral

## Faithful Comptroller's Report

Worthy Sir Knights,

As of the March 20 Assembly meeting, our Assembly membership stands at 311 Sir Knights.

#### Assembly Dues

Assembly dues are \$30 annually. Assembly dues are separate from Council dues, and account for the majority of the Assembly's operating fund. Dues help pay for social events, activities, and charitable donations. The majority of volunteer organizations assess dues to their members, and in many cases, these organizations are assessing hundreds of dollars. Many of these same organizations also require a minimum number of service hours. Our Assembly does not require its members to work certain number of events or service hours, we only ask you to participate when you can.

For those members who still have not submitted their dues, please do so at your earliest convenience. If you are unable to do so at this time, please contact me to discuss at <a href="www.eich@yahoo.com">wweich@yahoo.com</a>, or call me at (703) 307-9163. I am willing to help in working out alternative solutions, but you need to reach out to me.

## Member Contact Info

Change in mailing address, phone number, or email address? Please send updated information to me at <a href="www.eich@yahoo.com">wweich@yahoo.com</a>, or call me at (703) 307-9163. This will ensure our assembly records and Supreme records remain current.

Fraternally, SK William W. Weich, FDD, PGK, PFN Faithful Comptroller

## "Honor Flight" Arrival

Please consider joining us on Friday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>, at the Fairfax Marriott at Fair Oaks (11787 Lee Jackson Memorial Hwy, Fairfax, 22033) at 7 PM, as WWII, Korean, and Vietnam Veterans travelling with the North East Tennessee Honor Flight arrive for their Tour of Honor in our Nation's Capital to see their respective memorials.

Because this Honor Flight HUB travels into our area by bus, these brave men and women who served so many years ago do not get the opportunity to experience the Hero's Welcome Reception other veteran groups receive when they arrive at Dulles, Reagan, and BWI airports. This is a very Family Friendly Patriotic event. Consider inviting your neighbors and make this a community event.

As the late Will Rogers once said, "We can't all be Heroes. Some of us have to stand on the sidelines and cheer." We can never repay these Veterans for the sacrifices they made for our country but we can show them our appreciation. We hope to see you and your families on May 3<sup>rd</sup>.

Thank you for all your consideration supporting this wonderful event for our Senior Veterans.

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## **Sponsors & Advertisements Needed**

We are still looking for Sponsors to help support the Assembly's charitable mission, and Advertisements to help fund the Newsletter that is sent out to those members who do not receive our emails. There are various levels of sponsorship, and can be done individually, as a couple, or as a family... contact Faithful Admiral SK David J. Todd, Jr., PFN, at ditoddjr@gmail.com, or at (703) 463-1499, for more details.

Advertisements are business card in size, and will be published in 12 issues for a \$50 donation. Ads may not conflict with our Catholic Faith, and may not conflict with Knights of Columbus Insurance. Again, please contact Faithful Admiral SK David J. Todd, Jr., PFN, at djtoddjr@gmail.com, or at (703) 463-1499, for more details.

The following is the break-down for Sponsorship rates (\*Please note that we are now opening Sponsorships to Councils!):

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| Silver Level   | \$20 per year |
| Bronze Level   | \$10 per year |

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## ("SK Matthew T. West Family"):

| Platinum Level | \$75 per year |
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| Silver Level   | \$30 per year |
| Bronze Level   | \$15 per year |

## **Sponsors**

We thank those who have sponsored our Assembly:

## **Platinum Level:**

SK Dennis M. Makurat, PFN

#### Bronze Level:

SK Isaias "Cy" Alba, III, PSD

Add YOUR name to this list... contact Faithful Comptroller SK William W. Weich, PFN, at wweich@yahoo.com, or Faithful Admiral SK David J. Todd, Jr., PFN, at djtoddjr@gmail.com.

#### \*Council Sponsor ("Fr. Francis J. Diamond Council, #6292"):

| Platinum Level | \$100 per year |
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| Bronze Level   | \$20 per year  |

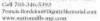


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Please join us for our monthly meeting, Wednesday, April 17<sup>th</sup> in Providence Hall

Rosary begins at 7:30 PM

Sir Knights' Café, provided by

SK Philip J. Freda, PFN,

begins at 8 PM

Meeting will follow at 8:30 PM