



District Deputy #33 News



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District Deputy's Message

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Brother Knights,

In October, Lady Hanh and I were able to attend the Rosary Rally at St John Neumann Prayer Garden! If you've never been there, I urge you to check it out on your own sometime. Thanks for those who were able to support this event.

Each Council was able to see Our Lady of Persecuted Christians Icon as I was able to bring it to each of your meetings.

We had an Admission Degree at St Isaac Jogues. We had a total of 7 candidates. Thanks to Council 12229 for stepping up this month and hosting. I look forward to other Councils scheduling Degrees so we can have at least one a month in our District.

Speaking of degrees, please hold open Nov 26 for a Formation Degree at Tabernacle Council 8733. We are waiting for room confirmation before sending out all the details out.

Thanks to the Councils that were represented at the Bishop's Appreciation Dinner! Our Worthy District Warden filled in for me as I had a commitment with my wife to keep!

Thanks to our District Warden who has been very active filling in for me. He recently was a judge at the Tabernacle Trunk or Treat event on 10/26. He will once again fill in for me as I will be out of town from 10/28 through 11/9 visiting Disneyland.

There are a lot of Council events in our District and State this month! Please come out and support us!

Vivat Jésus †

Pope's Prayer Intentions

The Pope's intention for November is *"That a spirit of dialogue, encounter, and reconciliation emerge in*

the Near East, where diverse religious communities share their lives together." †

Think About It!

"Remember the past with gratitude. Live the present with enthusiasm. Look forward to the future with confidence." – St John Paul II †

Grand Knights Checklist for November

Here are a few helpful reminders for November.

1. Safe Environment Training will be coming due. The GK, Program Director, Family Director and Community Director are all required to take this training. In addition, the Family Director and Community Director must complete a background check. Visit www.kofc.org/safe.
2. Diocese of Trenton VIRTUS training is mandatory for any Council holding youth events. At least two VIRTUS trained Knights are required at any youth, special needs, or elderly events. You can go to the following website to see scheduled training throughout Burlington County. https://www.virtusonline.org/virtus/protecting_children.cfm.
3. Remember to add your Retention Committee Report during your Business meeting.
4. Start planning for your Free Throw Basketball contest. Order your supplies now from website.
5. To advertise your KOC events on Relevant Radio contact Mary Radford at 610-505-8376 six weeks in advance.
6. Encourage your Council to support other Council's events. †

Upcoming Forms Due

11/15: [Knight of the Month \(State Form\)](#)

11/15: [Family of the Month \(State Form\)](#)

11/15: [Family of the Month \(Supreme Form\)](#) †

7th Annual Send a Hero Home for the Holidays

The Trenton Diocesan Federation of the New Jersey Knights of Columbus is sponsoring the 7th Annual Send a Hero Home for the Holidays. Please have your Council consider having a fundraising event or donate. Donations should be received by December 1, 2019. Last year we were able to send home 150 heroes.

Upcoming Degrees

11/21: Admission Degree at St. Mary of the Lakes School (Parish Meeting Room) 196 Route 70 Medford NJ 08055 hosted by Council #6520. Candidates should arrive by 7:30PM. Degree start is 8 PM. Contact Scott Lattimer at 609-352-1281.

11/26: Formation Degree at Holy Eucharist sponsored by Tabernacle #8733. Details to follow. †

Upcoming Events in Our District

11/05: [Council 6530](#) is sponsoring a movie Knight at 7:30 PM in St Joan of Arc Pedata Hall showing Green Brook. In 1962, Tony "Tony Lip" Vallelonga, a tough bouncer, is looking for work when his nightclub is closed for renovations. The most promising offer turns out to be the driver for the African-American classical pianist Don Shirley for a concert tour into the Deep South states. Although hardly enthused at working for a black man, Tony accepts the job and they begin their trek armed with The Negro Motorist Green Book, a travel guide for safe travel through America's racial segregation. Together, the snobbishly erudite pianist and the crudely practical bouncer can barely get along with their clashing attitudes to life and ideals. However, as the disparate pair witness and endure America's appalling injustices on the road, they find a newfound respect for each other's talents and start to face them together. In doing so, they would nurture a friendship and understanding that would change both their lives.

11/2: [Council 6530](#) spaghetti dinner at 6:30 PM in Pedata Hall. \$10 Adults, \$5 Kids, Family Max \$20.

11/9: St Joan of Arc Christmas Bazar from 9AM – 3PM at St Joan of Arc School in Marlton.

11/9: [Council 7755](#) spaghetti dinner after the 4:30PM Mass.

11/11: Please remember to pray for our Veterans!

11/15: [Council 5714](#) spaghetti dinner from 5-7PM in the Maple Room at 636 N. Forklanding Road, Maple Shade, NJ 08052. Cost is \$10 per person.

11/20: Chapter Meeting at 8 PM at Tabernacle Council 8733 Holy Eucharist Parish Center 520 Medford Lakes Rd, Tabernacle.

11/26: Trenton Diocesan Federation meeting at 7PM at Mary Queen of the Knights Council 816 at 203 W Sylvania Ave, Neptune City. All are invited to attend.

11/28: HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

11/29: [Council 7755](#) is hosting a Red Cross Blood Drive from 9AM till 2 PM at the Mount Laurel Fire Headquarters at 69 Elbo Lane. Schedule an appointment at Red Cross [website](#).

