



December 2018

Knights of Columbus

Bishop Arthur J. O'Neill

Fourth Degree Assembly #2381



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Faithful Navigator



My Fellow Sir Knights:

Hope you had a wonderful Thanksgiving, and you did not eat too much turkey (ha) and enjoyed time spent with family and friends. We have a lot to be thankful for living in this country and being faithful to our Catholic faith. We always pray for the needy and sick that somehow they feel the power of prayer for them.

Our first annual Assembly Christmas Party will be held on November 27th at Dumoulin Farms in Hampshire, we couldn't express enough of our gratitude to the Dumoulin Family for the use of the facility and refreshments. Thank you so very much!!

Color Corps (Honor & Color Guard) training will take place on December 1st 9am, also at Dumoulin Farms, 16N393 Walker Road, Hampshire, Illinois 60140. Marshall Ty Simmons and four Commanders will be assisting in the proper procedures; coffee and donuts will be provided. Bring your Chapeau/Beret, sword/scabbard, white gloves and Service Baldric, if you do not have these items, attend anyway and we will share. This invite went out to all Assemblies in the Rockford Diocese; not sure about the turnout participation from other Assemblies.

On December 5th 7pm, we will have an Officers Meeting, and I have invited all Past Faithful Navigators to attend. Since we are not having a December meeting, we do have items of concern to remedy at this meeting. Location: St.

Mary of Huntley, Church lower level, refreshments will be served. Will be nice to see all PFN's again at a meeting, your knowledge and experience is important to our Assembly. Please RSVP to philcmiller@comcast.net, reason, ordering refreshments.

December 15th 5pm, Mass at St. Mary in Huntley with Bishop Malloy as Celebrant for Simbang Gabi. Honor Guard request, SUT will be 4:30.

As we look forward to 2019, this reminds me that our annual dues notice will be going out soon in the mail, don't forget we increased this to \$20.00, and if possible contribute to one or more of the funds. Regarding the Assembly Badges, if you do not have a badge and would like one, in this dues mailing, please enclose \$10.00 and your name that you want to have on the Assembly badge. See detail information in the mailing you will receive in December.

This December Newsletter brings us to the Christmas Season, I personally want to wish all of you and your family/friends a very Merry Christmas, enjoying the birth of our savior Jesus, decorating and/or selling those Christmas Trees, the smiles on the children's faces, the music, the snow, praise the Lord.

On behalf of our Assembly Officers:

“MERRY CHRISTMAS AND GOD BLESS YOU”

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**LOVE GOD, SERVE GOD,
EVERYTHING IS IN THAT**



From the Editor

Submissions for this newsletter are due **NO LATER** than the 3rd Sat of each month. Please submit your articles and photos (with taglines) to the editor. **NEXT DUE DATE IS Jan 19.**

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