



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

GILMARY COUNCIL

No. 3868



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From the Grand Knight:

Greetings!

I write to you with excitement about the upcoming fraternal year from the brand NEW newsletter! With things opening up from the COVID-19 pandemic, the brothers of Gilmary are excited to get back to doing what we do best: helping our communities and making them stronger.

Pending improving conditions from the COVID-19 pandemic, we plan to host these functions:

In October, we plan to revive our annual tradition, in honor of our Order's Patron, The Columbus Day Italian Buffett.

In November, we plan to support our local children thru Coats for Kids.

And, we plan to revive our annual Mother's Day and Father's Day Breakfast Buffets to honor all of our respected Mothers and Fathers.

Friday, January 28, 2022 will be a **Special Day** for **Gilmary Council 3868** as we celebrate our **70th Anniversary!** We plan to celebrate this momentous event with details to be announced. *These events are only a few listed for the year. More will be revealed as details are finalized.*

However, we are only able to accomplish these if we work together. We will need support for these events with brothers, family, and friends. Please tell all about the good work Gilmary does for the community, and to support the Council in our endeavors to make the world a better place.

We welcome all men who are interested in becoming a Knight, and, we encourage all non-active members to come back to Gilmary!

We look forward to the unknown and exciting future, filled with unlimited possibilities, and divine wonder!

God Bless you, your family and friends, and please stay safe and healthy!

Your Brother in Christ,
Drew



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The **Gilmary Council** is comprised of Knights from **Blessed Trinity Parish**. *This includes:* St. Basil, St. Wendelin, St. Albert the Great, St. Sylvester, Holy Angels, *and including the site of St. Gabriel the Sorrowful Virgin.*

Meetings are monthly on the **3rd Wednesdays, 7pm**, at the **Holy Angels Church** site, in Hays.

Officers: 07/01/2021 — 06/30/2022:

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[Preview of an important event in the August newsletter:](#)

Be with us *Physically* as well as *Spiritually* as we pay due homage to our founder the **Blessed Fr. Michael Joseph McGivney** on his Feast Day.

Service Program Positions:

Program Director: Mike Hines
Faith Director: Andrew White, Sr.
Vocations Chairman: Bernard Windstein
Community Director: Nester Werkstein
Life Director: Thomas Gugliuzza
Health Service: Dennis Terreri
Public Relations: Bernard Komoroski
Family Director: Adam Warble
Membership Director: Thomas Gugliuzza
Recruitment Committee 1: Kevin Dietrie
Recruitment Committee 2: James Lacher
Recruitment Committee 3: Brian Bobrznyski
Retention Chairman: Andrew Warble
insurance Promotion: Andrew White, Jr.
Council Deacon: Deacon Andrew White, Sr.

Gilmory Council's Tentative Calendar:

Sunday, August 15 or 22: Social Meeting ~
kickoff plans for 2021-2022 activities.
Sunday, October 9 or 16: Italian Day Buffett.
Sunday, November 7: 4th Degree Initiation *.
Friday, January 28, 2022: Celebration of
Gilmory Council's 70th Anniversary.
Tuesday, March 29, 2022: Founders Day.

Schedule of Regular Meetings:

Meetings are monthly on the **3rd Wednesday**,
7pm, at the **Holy Angels Church** site, in Hays.

September — 15.

October — 20.

November — 17.

December — 15.

2022: January — 19.

February — 16.

March — 16.

April — 20.

May — 18.

June — 15.

Meetings are on a Zoom screen, as needed.

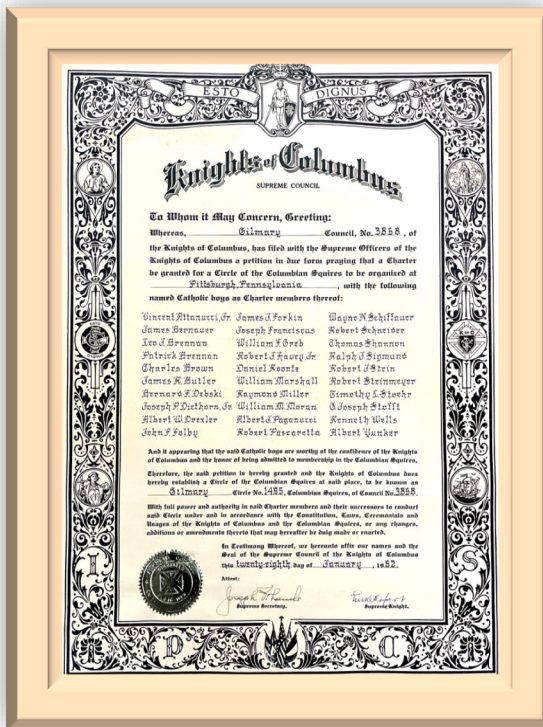
Special Meetings: may be called for anytime.

This Newsletter:

At this time time, this *Newsletter* has no set schedule of Publication — *probably on the 1st of every other month* — or when ever a special circumstance calls for it. **This is No. 1.**
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About 200 Days To Go:

Gilmory Council 3868 was established January 28, 1952. Next January 28, 2022, we will celebrate our 70th Anniversary. *Be with us and Celebrate!*



Within the decoration on the top of our Constitution is the Latin phrase "Esto Dignus" which translates to "Be Worthy!"

The 30 Names are our worthy Founders.

Origin of Our Council's Name "Gilmory!":

In the Irish-Gaelic Language, there are two certain words: one is "Giolla" meaning "follower/servant."; and the second word is the Proper name and spelling for Mary - The Blessed Virgin. That name is "Mhuire" and is the very exclusive spelling used only for the Blessed Virgin (the common spelling for the name Mary is "Máire.") Both are pronounced MAH-ree. In the Gaelic it is: *Mac Giolla Mhuire*, and meaning "Servant of Mary." = **GIOLLA Mhuire.**

When the two names came into the USA and met up and combined with the American accent and spelling and syllabizing, it became "Gilmory!", and developed on to become the American surname of "Gilmore," of which there are 64,000 Americans!

As our Council approaches our 70th Anniversary Celebration, the "Closet of Memorabilia" will be opened and more and more findings of our history will be revealed. *This is all very interesting!*

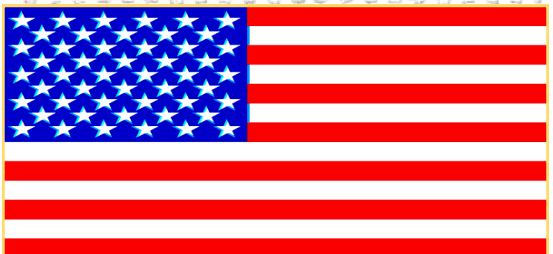
* Details: Sunday, Nov. 7: 4th Degree Initiation.

The Ceremony will occur at the DoubleTree Hotel Cranberry/Mars - Butler County. First activity starts at 10 am. Complete details will be in the next newsletters. **To register:** GK Drew: drew.caesar2@gmail.com, (412-417-8419)

This USA Independence Day,
 one of the most Patriotic displays
 you can do is to fly our Flag —
and proudly fly it high!



The first official United States flag,
 adopted by an Act of Congress,
 was on June 14, 1777.
 The First USA Stamp of our
 Flag, was issued on January 2, 1952.



The United States of America,
 the Best Country on the Globe!
 ~ ~ GOD BLESS AMERICA ~ ~
 The Home of the FREE
 because of the Brave!

**SAVE LIVES
 BE A NURSE.
 MANY MALE NURSES
 ARE NEEDED!
 HELP! TODAY!!**

**On May 13 in Canada, K of C Ottawa
 Council 485 plus pro-life advocates,
 participated in the 24th Annual
 Canadian National March for Life.**

If you missed it: the Canadian Postage Stamp was in 1997
 and valued at 45¢. The Pilipinas issue was in 1980 and valued
 at 30¢, and at 1.35. *(None yet about Blessed Fr. M. J. McG. !)*



**“Sunday Mass is more than an obligation; it should be
 the heart of our faith. From the Mass, we draw grace
 and strength to live as followers of Christ and as members
 of the Church.”** Supreme Chaplain Archbishop William E. Lori

“Please forward this newsletter on to a potential Member !”

**16 EASY Questions found in the Bible, Plus 4 new:
 >>>>> (Answers in NEXT Newsletter.)**

- 1). How many people were feed with the 5 loaves of bread and 2 fishes?
- 2). How many days and nights did Jesus fast in the desert?
- 3). How many days was Jonah in the belly of the big fish?
- 4). How many times does the Bible mention the word “snow”?
- 5). How many of each animal did Moses bring into the Ark?
- 6). How many days did it God take to create the world?
- 7). How many brothers did Joseph have?
- 8). How many tribes of Israel were there?
- 9). How many are there of the Horsemen of the Apocalypse?
- 10). In the Bible, what number indicates imperfection?
- 11). In the Bible, what number indicates perfection?
- 12). How many days did Moses stay on Mount Sinai?
- 13). How many hours did Jesus suffer on the Cross?
- 14). How many years did the Israelites wander in the desert?
- 15). How many days did it rain when Moses was on the Ark?
- 16). In the Bible; How many words did Moses author?
- 17). How many Books in the Roman Catholic Bible?
- 18). How many PA Counties in the Diocese of Pittsburgh?
- 19). About how many Seminarians are currently listed in Dio. of Pgh?
- 20). How many Roman Catholic dioceses in Pennsylvania?

Pope Francis' Prayer for Protection

during the Coronavirus Pandemic:

O Mary, you shine continuously on our journey as a sign of salvation and hope. We entrust ourselves to You – Health of the Sick. At the foot of the Sacrificial Cross you participated in Jesus' pain, and with steadfast faith. You – Salvation of the Roman People, know what we need. We are certain that you will provide, so that, as you did at Cana of Galilee, joy and feasting might return after this moment of trial. Help us – Mother of Divine Love, to conform ourselves to the Father's will and to do what Jesus tells us: He who took our sufferings upon Himself, and bore our sorrows to bring us, through the Cross, to the joy of the Resurrection. **Amen.**

*We seek refuge under your protection,
O Holy Mother of God. Do not despise our plea
we who are put to the test - and deliver us from
every danger, O Glorious and Blessed Virgin.*

From the Official Knights of Columbus Song Book — page 18

Praise To The Lord Author: Joachim Neander (1680);

- 1. Praise to the Lord**, the Almighty, the King of Creation!
O my soul, praise Him, for He is your health and salvation!
Come, all who hear; now to His temple draw near,
join me in glad adoration.
- 2. Praise to the Lord**, who will prosper your work
and defend you;
surely His goodness and mercy shall daily attend you.
Ponder anew what the Almighty can do,
if with His love He befriends you.
- 3. Praise to the Lord!** O let all that is in me adore Him!
All that has life and breath, come now with praises before Him.
Let the Amen sound from His people again;
gladly forever adore Him.

~ ~ K of C — Vintage 1916 ~ ~



Patriotism: - Members of the **Knights of Columbus** ~ be they Americans, Canadians, Mexicans, Cubans, Poles, Filipinos, or, Dominicans, are all Patriotic Citizens. We are proud of our devotion to God *and* country, and believe in standing up for both.

Whether it's in public or private, the Knights remind the world that Catholics support their nations and are amongst the greatest citizens!



The Holy Archangel Michael is one of the most celebrated of the Angels and bodiless powers; he is called the *Archistrategos*, or *Chief Commander*, of all the bodiless powers. According to Holy Scripture and Tradition, he has interceded for humanity multiple times and continues to serve as the Defender of the Faith. Michael is most often invoked for protection from invasion by enemies plus from civil war, and for the defeat of adversaries on the field of battle.

He is celebrated on **November 8** — *the Synaxis of Michael and all the Bodiless Powers of Heaven*.

The name Michael means "*Like unto God*," or, "*Who is like unto God?*"

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil.

May God rebuke him we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly host, by the power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. **Amen.**