

**Knights of Columbus St. Anne's Council #2429**

COUNCIL MEETS  
SECOND AND FOURTH  
THURSDAYS OF THE  
MONTH



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**Grand Knight's Message**

Brothers and Friends of St. Anne's,

Spring has sprung. Get out into the fresh air when you can. Our 100<sup>th</sup> Gala is Sunday May 7<sup>th</sup>. Thank you to everyone who will be attending and has supported our Anniversary journal.

We will have our annual wreath laying ceremony at St. Anne's Council at 12:00 Noon on Memorial Day, May 29<sup>th</sup>, before we march in the Little Neck – Douglaston Memorial Day parade. We will have a barbeque at St. Anne's Council after the parade. All are welcome. Special thanks to Tom Efrom, Dan Ferrara and Arlene Bett for their efforts to locate the next of kin of our late Brother, Michael McDonnell. May he rest in peace. May is the month of Our Lady, Mary. Please pray the Rosary often. Pray for world peace. Pray for our Brothers, friends and families especially, Charlie Leidner, Bill Allen, (Mr. Wonderful), Bob Stiles PGK, Ed McTigue and Rosanne Hutchinson. Pray for the souls and families of our departed Brothers.

Charlie Vaicels – Grand Knight

Vivat Jesus!!



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## The Voice of 2429

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end of the month.

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## Say a Prayer For the Sick in Our Community

George Nicoll, Charlie Leidner,  
Ed McTigue, and Bob Stiles PGK,  
and  
Roseanne Hutchinson

Please pray for our brave military members, first responders, all! those suffering the effects of cancer and all special intentions asked for at Council meetings.

## May 2023

### Calendar of Events

May 4<sup>th</sup> .....National Day of Prayer  
May 5<sup>th</sup> .....Cinco de Mayo  
May 7<sup>th</sup> .....St. Anne's 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Gala  
May 8<sup>th</sup> .....V-E Day  
May 11<sup>th</sup>.St. ....Anne's Council Meeting Rosary 7:30PM  
May 14<sup>th</sup> .....Mothers Day  
May 18<sup>th</sup> .....Ascension Thursday  
May 21<sup>st</sup>.....Armed Forces Day  
May 24<sup>th</sup> .....C&B Kickoff Meeting at St. Anne's 7:00PM  
May 25<sup>th</sup> .....St. Anne's Council Meeting Rosary 7:30 PM  
May 29<sup>th</sup> .....Memorial Day

## Save the Date

June 28<sup>th</sup>, 2023

St. Anne's Council Summer Blood  
Drive



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**Please remember to bring food for the Food  
Pantry when you attend a meeting or anytime  
you visit St. Anne's Council!**

## Financial Secretary Notice to Members

**Your dues of \$40.00 to the Council for the year 2023 are due between January 1st and March 31st, 2023.** To maintain your status as a member in good standing, please keep your dues current. I will be sending a First Notice shortly, which will give you the amount you owe to stay in Good Standing.

Please save us the time and money by paying dues in a timely fashion. Checks should be made payable to St. Anne's Council and mailed to Bro. Fred Forgione, Financial Secretary, at 87-52 251st Street, Bellerose, NY, 11426.

**PLEASE DO NOT SEND CASH.** Honorary Life Members pay no dues. They are members 70 years of age and have 25 years of uninterrupted service. Honorary members are members 65 years of age and have 25 years of consecutive service. They pay dues of \$15.00 per year. Thank you. Fred Forgione, FS 631-449-2212.

**Please pay your dues on time.**

The Pinta Lounge will be open at 7:00 P.M.  
on Mondays and Fridays.  
Your Monday night host will be Jimmy Beggins.  
Your Friday night host will be Dan Lollo.  
Come on down and enjoy some good cheer. Bring some friends.

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**Sister Mary John Vianney from the food pantry needs the following items:**

Coffee (regular and Instant), tea, Hot Chocolate, desert cakes, cookies, crackers, biscuits, cookies, Jell-O, pudding, cake mix, icing, sugar, pancake syrup, vegetable oil, peanut butter, and instant mashed potatoes. Ladies' hygiene items such as sanitary pads, tampons and creams will be accepted. She also asked for supermarket gift cards of \$10 - \$15 - \$20 – \$25. We will continue to collect cash at our meetings and the "Lady Dame" Cecilia will do the shopping.

**Please bring non-perishable items to St. Anne's Council whenever you visit!**

**Thank you all for your generosity!**

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**Happy Birthday to the following members  
born in the month of May**

Happy Birthday to the following members born in the month of May: Jim Amrhein, Daniel Hayes, Ed Huber, J. King and Bob Stiles PGK May 1st; Damian Digioia May 2nd; Louis Iglhaut May 4th; Charles Thompson May 5th; Dan O'Donoghue May 7th; Val Scarapicchia May 10th; Peter Bukewicz May 12th; T. Mulligan May 14th; Vincent Mazza and Roland Morasse May 16th; Robert Hogan May 17th; Daniel Funck, May 19th; Mike Ryan May 21st, Christopher Hughes May 22nd May; Joseph Fitzpatrick May 27th; Sean Jordan May 29<sup>th</sup>; David Scarapicchia May 31st.  
Happy Birthday and many, many more.

## Centennial Anniversary Raffle Winners

### April 2023

<u>Date</u>	<u>#</u>	<u>Winner Name</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>#</u>	<u>Winner Name</u>
4/01	756	Vincent M. Marzella	4/16	418	St. Anne's Council
4/02	500	Michael McGinnis	4/17	621	Steven Leidner
4/03	749	Karolyn Leupold	4/18	725	St. Anne's Council
4/04	389	Elaine Kiefner	4/19	193	St. Anne's Council
4/05	623	Teresa Baumburger	4/20	730	Denise Kruk
4/06	615	Dan Lollo	4/21	568	Denise Cutter
4/07	353	St. Anne's Council	4/22	092	St. Anne's Council
4/08	192	St. Anne's Council	4/23	090	St. Anne's Council
4/09	268	John Kolb	4/24	372	Karen Kolb
4/10	498	St. Anne's Council	4/25	702	St. Anne's Council
4/11	471	St. Anne's Council	4/26	696	St. Anne's Council
4/12	034	Dennis Byrne	4/27	975	George Samothrakis
4/13	761	St. Anne's Council	4/28	335	St. Anne's Council
4/14	634	Isabella Minicus	4/29	372	Karen Kolb
4/15	940	St. Anne's Council	4/30	867	Alfred Tall

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### New Raffle to Replace the Calendar Raffle!

## The Centennial Anniversary Raffle

As you know, the printing of the calendars was a great expense for the Council. There will be no calendars in this raffle. The raffle will work exactly the same for 2023 as before. You will choose your 3-digit number. The winning number every day will be the 3-digit evening New York State lottery number. The prizes will remain the same. \$20.00 to \$100.00 depending on the day of the month. The St. Anne's Council member which you had bought your calendar from will contact you to confirm your previous number and your continued participation. Any questions about the new raffle, please contact:

**John Kolb PGK at 347-426-7726.**

With your help and continued participation St. Anne's Council will be able to continue the important charitable work of the Knights of Columbus.

**All members are asked to purchase at least 3 numbers.**

**This will ensure that we will sell all 1000 numbers.**

# 2023 fundraiser



St. Anne's Annual Fundraiser

## **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

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**20 pts per # (000-1000)**

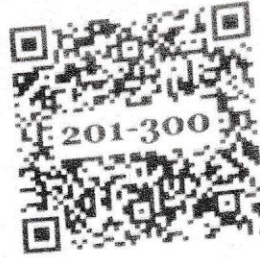
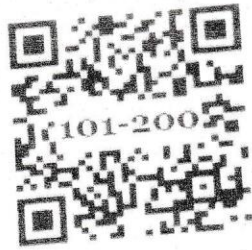
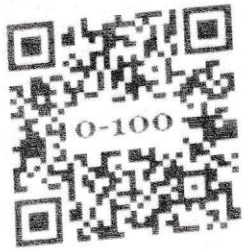
**Daily NY Evening Pick 3**

**Prizes Range from**

**20pts - 100 pts**

### **Special Dates:**

January 7 <sup>th</sup>	100 pts	September 4 <sup>th</sup>	100 pts
February 13 <sup>th</sup>	57 pts	October 30 <sup>th</sup>	100 pts
March 17 <sup>th</sup>	100 pts	November 1 <sup>st</sup>	50 pts
April 9 <sup>th</sup>	50 pts	November 2 <sup>nd</sup>	50 pts
April 17 <sup>th</sup>	100 pts	November 9 <sup>th</sup>	25 pts
May 14 <sup>th</sup>	100 pts	November 10 <sup>th</sup>	50 pts
May 20 <sup>th</sup>	25 pts	November 23 <sup>rd</sup>	100 pts
May 29 <sup>th</sup>	50 pts	December 7 <sup>th</sup>	25 pts
June 14 <sup>th</sup>	25 pts	December 24 <sup>th</sup>	50 pts
June 18 <sup>th</sup>	100 pts	December 25 <sup>th</sup>	100 pts
July 4 <sup>th</sup>	100 pts	December 31 <sup>st</sup>	100 pts
August 15 <sup>th</sup>	100 pts	All Other Dates	20 pts



## *Something You Might not Know*

### *Why is May the Month of Mary?*

The tradition of dedicating the month of May to Mary, came about in the 13<sup>th</sup> century. Some say because it was created to replace various pagan cults. The actual reason is the fact that this month is the time when spring is at the height of its beauty. Spring is also connected with nature renewing itself. In her way, Mary gave new life to the world when she gave birth to our saviour Jesus Christ.

The link between Mary and the month of May became popular among the members of the Jesuit Order — by 1700 it had a firm hold among their students at the Roman College and a short time later it was publicly celebrated in the Gesu Church in Rome. From there it spread to the rest of the Church.

The pious practice of honoring Mary during the month of May has been especially promoted by the Popes. Pius XII made frequent reference to it and in his great Encyclical *on the Sacred Liturgy Mediator Dei*. He characterized it as one of "other exercises of piety which although not strictly belonging to the Sacred Liturgy, are nevertheless of special import and dignity, and may be considered in a certain way to be an addition to the liturgical cult: they have been approved and praised over and over again by the Apostolic See and by the Bishops"

Devotion to Mary is one an important part of the Catholic identity. As our mother she is an example of a committed "Yes" to the will of God. Because of the devotion to her, many people ask her for help in the most difficult moments of their life as any child does with his mother.

*Hail Mary full of Grace, the Lord is with thee.  
Blessed are thou among women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb Jesus.  
Holy Mary Mother of God,  
pray for us sinners now and at the hour of our death  
Amen.*

# Memorial Day

We will meet at St. Anne's Council at 12:00 Noon on Memorial Day May 29<sup>th</sup> for our annual wreath laying ceremony.

All Veterans, Council members, their Families and friends all welcome to attend. After the ceremony we will proceed to the Little Neck – Douglaston

Memorial Day Parade. We will assemble at the Starbucks at 55 Northern Blvd., Great Neck, N.Y. (near Buttonwood Road)

The parade will step off at 2:00 PM. The parade will march west on Northern Blvd. to St. Anastasia Church at 245<sup>th</sup> Street and Northern Blvd. The parade route is approximately one mile long. After the parade we will have a barbeque at St. Anne's Council.

All are invited.







# Why Should You Become A Knight?

If you are interested in helping those in need, serving your parish, growing in your faith or having exclusive access to top-rated insurance protection for your family, then the Knights of Columbus is the organization for you.



For more information or to join please contact your local Knights of Columbus:

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