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A 4TH DEGREE NEWSLETTER BY DISTRICT MASTER, GLENN P. CAMLEY, IPSD



My Brother Knights,

Welcome to the sixth edition of **Patriotic Review**, a monthly newsletter with all of the latest information on the Patriotic 4th Degree, as well as veteran related news from throughout the State of New Hampshire and beyond.

Exciting days are ahead for our District of New Hampshire.

We've been working on great initiatives to bring our Brother Sir Knights closer together. That includes working together during recent changes in our Uniform, so that while individual Assemblies may have smaller Honor Guards, we will continue to build upon our successes so that as a District we grow and succeed together. Each Assembly will be successful, as neighboring Assemblies will foster that Brotherhood.

Continued in "A Letter from District Master"

Glenn

DON'T FORGET JAN. 31ST ANNUAL SURVEY OF FRATERNAL ACTIVITY WAS DUE

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Brother Knights,

“The secret of getting ahead is getting started” ~ Mark Twain

We’ve seen it many times before. Not only within our professional lives, in working in teams to accomplish set goals. We’ve seen it in our personal lives, in times of trouble and need, families bonding together in crisis. In an instance of community involvement, we rally around a call to arms, to lift up individuals so they can become independent.

In recent time, our three Degrees taught us the virtues of Charity, Unity and Fraternity. Now, with the new Unified Degree, we find these very same virtues in one Degree, that we may foster these important teachings to our Candidates, readying them for their all-important support within our Councils, and then onward to the Patriotic 4th Degree.

As we seek out ways to enable that energy and excitement within our newly inducted Brother Knights, as we plan important programming within our Councils, throughout your Districts and on the New Hampshire State Council level, ways to increase religious support within our Church’s and throughout our communities ... Mark Twain said it best, “The secret of getting ahead is getting started”.

Throughout the remainder of this fraternal year, I urge you to lift up your head, gather together, and plan the exciting ways in which you and your Assemblies and Councils can increase your programming initiatives. I’ve listed a few below:

- Work with school system, in bringing Veteran’s to the High Schools, for a presentation.
- Sponsor a “Law and Order Program”, focusing on the various agencies and first responders who contribute to safer communities.
- Invite Medal of Honor recipient to a “Patriotic Community Outreach Night”
- Host Veteran’s Day Ceremony
- Host a “Patriotic Essay Competition”
- Hold an Annual Patriotic Music Festival Competition”

The ideas are endless, however, only limited by your imagination and willingness to venture the possibilities and pursuit the growth of your Brotherhood.

Vivat Jesus,

Glenn P. Camley, IPSD

Glenn P. Camley, IPSD
District Master
Bishop Healy Province



Brother Sir Knights,

As you are aware, our order mourns the recent passing of [Past Supreme Knight Virgil C. Dechant](#).

He was the longest serving Supreme Knight, and I'm sure many have fond memories of meeting him in one way or another. He had the biggest, softest hands I've ever felt. I couldn't help but marvel that I was shaking hands with a man who himself had greeted uncountable numbers of others: Popes and future

saints, US presidents and other world leaders, distinguished men and women from around the world, and the countless brother knights from the order he so loved and served.

A man of countless accomplishments, he was an inspiration in many ways. For example, when I would attend the Supreme Convention, I always looked forward to his report. To me, his address was a true Catholic man's editorial about world affairs and issues of the day. He didn't complain but demonstrated and explained how we Catholic man should confront the issues of the day in the light of our Faith. That my brothers, is the reason I joined the Knights of Columbus in the first place.

As Fourth Degree Knights, our mission is to practice the virtue of Catholic American citizenship in the ordered love of God and neighbor, whether at home, in our parish, or the public square. Thanks to Vigil C. Dechant for exemplifying this virtue and inspiring us to do the same.



+ May Almighty God have mercy on him, forgive his sins, and bring him to everlasting life.

Rest in peace Brother Virgil

Vivat Jesus!

Rich McDermott, VSM

Richard McDermott
Vice Supreme Master
Bishop Healy Province
Knights of Columbus





*Knights of Columbus Supreme
Military Chaplains Scholarship Program*



From: ***Dennis J. Stoddard***
To: ***Knights of Columbus***

Subject: Military Chaplains Scholarship Program

Worthy ...

It gives me great pleasure to announce that we have reached our 2 million dollar goal for the Military Chaplains Scholarship Program.

Thanks to the hard work of our Fourth Degree members we have officially received donations totaling \$2,000,618.51.

As you know, we have a severe shortage of active duty Catholic Priest's serving our brave military men, women and their families worldwide.

Through the continued generosity of our members, we are able to assist the Archdiocese of Military Services, USA, recruit young men desiring to become Military Chaplains.

Even though we have reached our goal early, we will continue to support our military seminarians with our donations.

Please continue to work with your District Masters and Faithful Navigators in support of this program.

Sincerely and fraternally,

Dennis J. Stoddard

Dennis J. Stoddard
Supreme Master
Knights of Columbus
Supreme Council

District Master, Glenn P. Camley Announces
Biennial Meeting
Of the 4th Degree

Sunday, March 15, 2020

12:00PM – 4:00PM

Hosted by

Bishop Peterson Assembly 641

37 Main Street | Salem, NH 03079



Lunch to be served 12:00PM – 12:45PM

Finger Sandwiches, Potato Salad, Potato Chips, Brownies W/ Coffee and Soft drinks

\$8.00

Registration must be made for your lunch with

Ed McCann, PSD at emccann777@comcast.net or (603)493-0383

Meeting to be held from 1:00PM – 4:00PM

Dress code for 4th Degree Meeting is NEW 4th Degree Uniform consisting of Official Coat, Pant and Tie with White Dress Shirt, Black Dress shoes and 4th Degree Pin

OR

Black Tuxedo Coat/Pant, White Tux Shirt, Black Cummerbund and Bowtie, Black Dress shoes

With Social Baldrick and 4th Degree Pin or 4th Degree Pin/Flag Combo.

Registration for meeting to be made with Secretary to the District Master,

Ed McCann, PSD at emccann777@comcast.net or (603)493-0383

IMPORTANT Include with registration: Names of two Assembly Delegates elected to attend meeting, as well as the names of other 4th Degree members who will be attending.

"OF NOTE"

CALLING FOR NEWSLETTER CONTRIBUTIONS.

Please add me to your newsletter distribution list at gpcamley@gmail.com so that this Information can be a part of the Patriotic Review. Upcoming events, meeting dates, etc. Send all Information to District Master, Glenn P. Camley, IPSD



STILL LOOKING FOR A 4TH DEGREE QUARTERMASTER WITH STORAGE SPACE



We are looking for a "4th Degree Quartermaster". The intention of this responsibility at this time, is that the Sir Knight would have a larger amount of space that supplies (formal shoes of all sizes, various amounts of available formalwear, various amounts of swords and baldrics, etc) can be inventoried and stored for use throughout the NH State Council. The hope is that the individual would be centrally located (Concord, Manchester, and Nashua). All individuals should contact

District Master, Glenn P. Camley at gpcamley@gmail.com

PRAYER REQUEST



Please keep the following Sir Knights and Family members in your prayers.

For the continued good health and recovery from recent surgery, of Former District Master, Joel Plante, PSD

For the continued good health and recovery of Executive State Secretary, SK, Edward McCann, PSD

PRAYER TO SAINT MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

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 ruin of souls. Amen



NOVEMBER 2019 4TH DEGREE; MEREDITH, NH:

Great news! We're starting to receive in some of the photos that were taken at the November 2019 4th Degree, held at St. Charles Borromeo Church in Meredith, NH

The Degree, hosted by Msgr. Sliney Assembly #628 of Laconia, with support from St. Charles Cardinal Borromeo Council #17141 of Meredith, saw the participation of multiple Brother Sir Knights and families from throughout the state, as well as the exemplification of 20 me, into the Patriotic 4th Degree.



Jolene Camley, wife of District Master, Glenn Camley, hosted a very popular event for the Ladies, while the 4th Degree was being exemplified.

The women collected art and game supplies which would be donated to the New Hampshire Veterans Home. The collection garnered crossword puzzles, word games, art paper, writing tables, color supplies and more, to support the artistic side of the residents.

During the day, the Ladies created Patriotic Swags for the residents, to be hung on their room doors or on the walls in their room. The swags ... red, white and blue toned, were in the shape of Angels, and were delivered along with the art supplies.

Mary McCarthy, wife of Former Vice-Supreme Master, William McCarthy, presented the Ladies with her popular "Ken Dolls", showcasing the multiple beret patch colors, with descriptions on each patch, and how they pertain to the position of the Assembly Officers and Color Corps member.

The description enabled the wives and guests, to better equate themselves with their husbands positions within their Assemblies, as well as responsibilities and the

importance that the men hold within their communities, as 4th Degree Sir Knights.







BISHOP HEALY PROVINCE, DISTRICT OF NH: COLOR CORPS COMMANDERS

Brother Knights,

Below is a list of Color Corps Commanders for specific listed 4th Degree Assemblies. As you can see, when Ron Metevier, a member of the Master's Staff contacted or attempted contact with the Assemblies, there were a few Assemblies that we had a few issues with.

Some of the Assemblies did not respond to our request for contact and info. This is an area which we are looking to update for the State level, for the possibility of a presentation of Uniform being needed. If a specific Color Corps is not available in a noted area, we want to be able to reach out to and lean on another Assembly in the area for that support.

Some Assemblies responded that they do not have a Color Corps. While this is understandable for a few reasons, we on the District level want to be able to assist you in your Color Corps needs. Be it devising a plan that your Assembly can be represented for short term or even long term needs. We are always a phone call or e-mail away.

Some Assemblies responded with other needs, which we are working on tending to. However, we need to make sure that everyone understands that under no circumstances, are our Brother Sir Knights to continue using the now retired Cape and Chapeaux Regalia, which is no longer in use. We cannot say it enough, that further usage of the retired regalia, will result in reprimanding, up and to including possible membership repercussions.

If you are listed below as "no response", please reach out to District Master, Glenn P. Camley at (603)682-5318 or at gpcamley@gmail.com with the required information. Name, address, and phone number. Please also note, e-mail address is also requested. Thank you in advance.

Berlin-Gorham (632)	No response	Bristol-Plymouth (2478)	Francis Boulet
Claremont (635)	No response	Columbia (2317)	No response
Concord (627)	No Color Corp	Derry (3594)	No Color Corp
Dover (633)	Fred Ouelette	Epping (2644)	John Ste. Marie
Exeter (639)	No Response	Franklin (638)	Francis Ruffing
Jaffrey (2129)	Gary Wolpert	Keene (629)	Kevin Bedard
Laconia (628)	No Color Corp	Lancaster (634)	No Response
Lebanon (640)	No Response	Littleton (636)	Kevin Hastings
Manchester (626)	Mike Pitaro	Milford (1507)	
Nashua (1506)	Mike Chouinard	N. Conway (2318)	No Color Corp
Penacook (2403)		Portsmouth (1445)	Robbin DiPerre
Rochester (627)	Edward Hayes	Salem (641)	Frank Saglime

THE SULLIVAN BROTHERS "IRISH AMERICAN"

DID YOU KNOW

that in the annals of America's heroes, there is scarcely a brighter entry than that of the fighting Sullivan

brothers? Born in Waterloo, Iowa to Railroad conductor Tom Sullivan and his wife Allela, George, Francis, Albert, Joseph, and Madison grew



up the best of friends in the closeness of an Irish family and matured into patriotic Americans. It was no surprise, therefore, that when Pearl Harbor was attacked, the Sullivan brothers headed straight for the nearest U.S. Navy recruiting office.

Navy policy discouraged family members from serving together, but the Sullivan's were determined that nobody would split them up. If the Navy wouldn't take them, they would try somewhere else. With the demand for recruitment high, and five healthy young Irish-Americans offering to serve, the request was granted, and on Jan 3, 1942, they enlisted. Later, George tried to explain their decision to their mother. His words were tragically prophetic; he said, *If worse comes to worst, at least we'll go down together*. In less than a year the worst came to pass.

On the morning of Nov 13, 1942, during the battle of Guadalcanal, east of the Solomon Islands in the South Pacific, the Sullivan's were aboard the USS Juneau when she was hit by a torpedo in her forward engine room. Minutes later another shot hit her weapons magazine. In a violent blinding flash, the ship erupted. In 42 seconds she sank in shark-infested waters; only 10 of her 711 crew members were rescued; the Sullivan's were not among them! The sinking of the Juneau was one of the most tragic losses of the war, but the loss of the five brothers shocked the nation.

It was the greatest military loss by any one American family during World War II. The Waterloo Courier reported that, *in the history of the Navy, no mother has received a blow as severe as that which has come to this mother*. Mrs. Allela Sullivan endured her sorrow by helping other families overcome their own personal tragedies. *Helping others in sorrow kills your own sorrow*, she told a reporter. Condolences poured in from every level of society, Presidential letters and visits and even Congressional resolutions could not ease the pain that the nation felt. Hollywood even immortalized the boys in a full-length feature film: ***The Fighting Sullivan's*** that left those who saw it teary-eyed.

The ultimate tribute, however, came in April 1943 when the Bethlehem Shipbuilding Company invited Mrs. Sullivan to christen the U.S. Navy's new Fletcher-class destroyer, the USS Sullivan's (DD537). It would be a fighting memorial to her sons. The USS Sullivan's was the first ship ever commissioned to honor more than one person. The Sullivan's were on the sea once more. The USS Sullivan's received nine battle stars for service in World War II and two more for service in the Korean action.

On 7 January 1965, USS Sullivan's was decommissioned but remained in reserve into the 1970s. In 1977, she was donated to the Buffalo and Erie County Naval & Military Park in Buffalo, NY as a public memorial. It was declared a National Historic Landmark in 1986 and today, the decommissioned USS Sullivan's sits proudly at Buffalo's Naval Park with her shamrock flag still waving from her mainmast and a brass plaque on her quarterdeck recalling the vow of the five Sullivan brothers – *We stick together!* However, that's not the end of the story.

The USS The Sullivan's (DDG-68), Arleigh Burke-class Aegis guided-missile destroyer was launched on 12 August 1995. She was christened by Kelly Ann Sullivan Loughren, the granddaughter of Albert Sullivan – one of the brothers. This newest ship to carry the Sullivans' name was officially commissioned on 19 April 1997 and still carries the name of the five Sullivan brothers across the seas with her official motto: *We Stick Together* commemorating just a few of the Irish-Americans who made America Great!



Notes:

1. Appropriately on St. Patrick's Day March 17, 2018 the crew of Research Vessel (R/V) Petrel discovered the wreckage of the Sullivan's USS Juno after being lost for more than 75 years
2. As a direct result of the Sullivans' deaths (and the deaths of four of the Borgstrom brothers within a few months of each other two years later), the U.S. War Department adopted the Sole Survivor Policy.
3. The Navy named two destroyers *The Sullivans* to honor the brothers: USS *The Sullivans* (DD-537) and USS *The Sullivans* (DDG-68). DD-537 was the first American Navy ship ever named after more than one person. The motto for both ships was/is "We stick together."
4. Al Sullivan's son served on board the first USS *The Sullivans*. His grandmother christened the first ship. The second USS *The Sullivans* was christened by Al's granddaughter Kelly Ann Sullivan Loughren.
5. Thomas and Alleta Sullivan toured the country promoting war bonds and asked that none of their sons died in vain.
6. Genevieve, their only sister, served in the WAVES. She was the girlfriend of Bill Ball, whose death while serving on the USS Arizona at Pearl Harbor prompted her brothers to join the Navy to avenge him
7. The Sullivans were not the only brother sailors on board the ship. At least thirty sets of brothers served on the *Juneau*, including the three Rogers brothers from New Haven, Connecticut. Before the ill-fated Savo Island operation, two of the Rogers brothers were transferred to other commands. According to those who survived, had the ship returned to port safely, at least two Sullivans would have also transferred.

GARY SINISE HONORED WITH PATRIOT AWARD:



Actor Gary Sinise has reportedly been honored with the Patriots Award, the Congressional Medal of Honor Society's (CMHS) highest civilian honor, for his charitable efforts supporting military service members and veterans over the years.

Sinise, who is best known for his iconic performance as Lieutenant Dan in "Forrest Gump," was presented with the award at the Ronald Reagan Presidential Library in Ventura County, California, according to a local NBC station.

According to the Department of Defense, the CMHS is comprised of a group of members who have received the Medal of Honor. The society presents the Patriot Award every year to "those persons, who through their life's work, have distinguished themselves as Americans who are dedicated to freedom and the ideals represented," the department states.

Years back, the actor launched the Gary Sinise Foundation, which is committed to supporting servicemen, veterans and their families.

He also drew attention in 2018 when he helped send over 600 families of fallen soldiers to Disney World.



IMPORTANT BENEFITS SURVIVORS SHOULD KNOW:

Education and Training

Substantial financial help is available for survivors of service members interested in pursuing education or vocational training. The government in some cases will pay all or a large part of tuition costs for college and other educational programs.

Two key programs that eligible surviving spouses and children should explore are the Fry Scholarship and the Survivors' and Dependents' Educational Assistance (DEA) Program.

Under the Fry program, the government pays the full cost of in-state tuition at public institutions, or more than \$20,000 a year toward the cost of tuition at private institutions, as well as a monthly housing allowance, and an annual stipend for books and supplies. This scholarship, paid directly to the school, was expanded to include surviving spouses in 2014.

Eligible survivors who choose the DEA program instead of the Fry scholarship can get a monthly check sent directly to them to pay educational costs. The maximum amount for full-time students currently is about \$1,200 per month.

The DEA and Fry programs can be used for college, vocational and business technical programs, apprenticeship programs, certification tests and tutoring.

Recent legislation also has made it easier for survivors to transfer benefits under the GI Bill after the death of service members.

Eligibility for educational benefits depends on factors including the circumstances of veterans' deaths, ages of the dependents and marital status of spouses.

Home loans

Surviving spouses who meet certain criteria can get a VA-guaranteed home loan to buy, build or improve a home or to refinance a mortgage.

VA loans have important advantages over other home loans. In most cases, the buyer does not have to make a down payment on the home. Home buyers using these loans also do not have to pay monthly mortgage insurance premiums.

For those who are refinancing, one option is a cash-out refinance loan, which enables homeowners to get cash from the equity in the home and use it, for example, to pay off debt, pay for education or make home improvements.



VA WELCOME KIT SIMPLIFIES VA BENEFITS, SERVICE PROCESS:



The [VA Welcome Kit](https://www.va.gov/welcome-kit) makes it easier for service members, Veterans, family members, Caregivers and Survivors to understand the many different benefits and services offered by VA.

“The Welcome Kit can help guide you whether it’s time to go to school, get a job, buy a house, get healthcare, retire or make plans for your own care as you age,” said VA Secretary Robert Wilkie.

People can learn how to apply for VA healthcare, a disability rating, education benefits and more.

While still serving or a Veteran, there are many VA benefits and services available. The VA Welcome Kit includes handy one-page Quick Start Guides focused on specific topics. VA regularly updates the Welcome Kit online as new information becomes available.

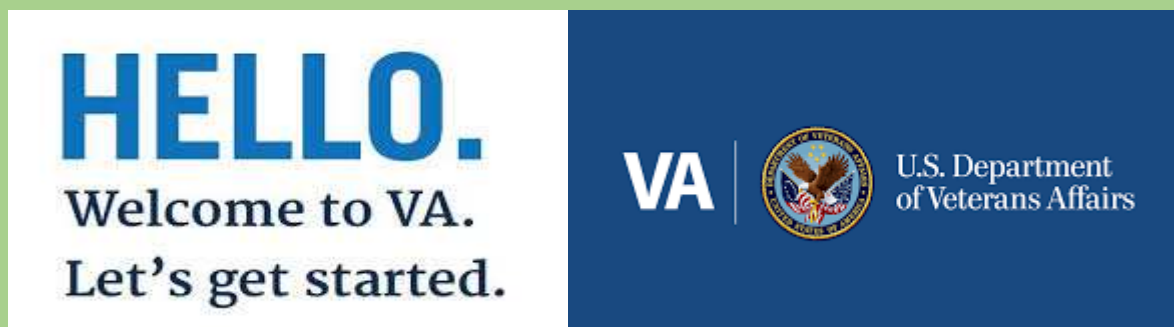
Download the kit

People can download and print the VA Welcome Kit at <https://www.va.gov/welcome-kit>.

People can provide general feedback and suggestions on ways VA can improve the Welcome Kit via email at vawelcomekit@va.gov.

A YouTube video on the welcome kit is at <https://youtu.be/DZvITWcWutE>

Hundreds of Veterans provided input into the VA Welcome Kit. The team who manages the VA Welcome Kit are mostly Veterans and people with many years of VA experience.



4TH DEGREE UNIFORM SUPPLIER * HAS GONE "LIVE" *****

The below information was recently released from Knights of Columbus Supreme, as an update to previous notification on a new supplier having entered into an agreement with the Knights of Columbus, to provide the new official Uniform to the Orders membership. Please see below for further information.



We are pleased to welcome "The Supply Room" (TSR) as the new distributor of Knights of Columbus Fourth Degree regalia.

TSR is a world-class, leading distributor of military and law enforcement uniforms, located in Oxford, Alabama. In addition to 100+ years of experience and a solid reputation for quality, they will offer customer service representatives dedicated to Knights of Columbus uniform orders.

Our uniforms will remain of the highest quality, while the cost will drop to \$449. **THE WEBSITE and LINK TO ORDER, HAS GONE LIVE.**

What to know:

- As before, orders may be placed at kofcuniform.com.
- The customer service number remains the same and is available at 1-833-562-4327.
- TSR customer service is able to assist with questions regarding uniforms ordered from the previous fulfillment company.

We remain grateful to our Sir Knights and are proud of the dignity and respect with which you represent the Order in your parishes and communities.

Thank you for letting us serve you.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS UNIFORM PROGRAM: MANAGED BY THE SUPPLY ROOM:

The Supply Room is a small Veteran owned business located in Oxford Alabama. We have been in business for over 37 years serving all beaches of our armed forces. Most of the Government agencies who started with us 37 years ago are still our largest customers today. The owner of the Company is a Former Army Officer and I am a Retired Navy E9/CWO, both the owner and I understand specifications, quality control and paying attention to the details. These qualities are what has kept the Supply Room at the top of a highly competitive industry and it will also serve us well as we work toward building a first class Knights of Columbus program.

We took possession of the existing uniforms during the first two or three days of December. Our first step was to measure each and every garment to be sure the size label was accurate before we placed it into stock. By doing this timely and costly evaluation and by asking the right questions when the customers place their orders, we have pretty much eliminated the rejects or returns.

We are now in the process of dyeing fabric and sewing our products and will have most every product on our shelves in the April/May timeframe. Here are the actions we have taken to improve each item:



Blazer We will have two models of the blazer, the traditional fit and what we are calling, our executive fit. Both models will be made from a tried and tested pattern which have been used to make hundreds of thousands of commercial blazers over the years. The fit and style has been battle tested. The Traditional cut is for those who still have a chest and waist in proportion. We will have sizes from 32 XX-Short to 72 X-Long, so we can fit most anyone.

The Executive cut, (Portly) is for those who need a little more coat around the stomach so it can be buttoned. This will allow us to fit you properly over the back and shoulders and still take care of the buttoning issue.

Trousers We found the trousers to be this biggest problem from the past and we have taken the necessary action to correct this problem. We have also used a tried and tested pattern for the trousers to provide plenty of room in the thigh, seat and leg. We also have added a concealed stretch waistband to provide 2 to 3 inches of ease above and beyond the waist size. If you wear a 34, these pants will fit you even if you are actually a 35 or even 36 inch waist.



Beret We heard a lot of stories about the beret and how it fit, or didn't fit. Many said it looked like a "beanie" and just sat on the top of the head. Our military experience kicked in and we took the style we make for the Special Forces which would fit properly and allow the drape to extend over the right ear. We removed the lining, trimmed it in a top quality leather and used a fine Australian wool. From the feedback we have received, this has solved the problems. We supplied the Color Guard at the Kellenberg Assembly up in New York State who refused to wear the old style and according to Rob Timmerman, the Color Guard members now love it.



Tie Not a lot of complaints about the tie other than the Long was not long enough, so we have added an extra-long which is 64 inches and should fit the tallest member.

OPTIONAL ITEMS We were asked if we could offer, as an option, a white shirt, a black oxford and an overcoat. We can, and we have provided prototypes of each for approval.

White Shirt We will be offering a 100% cotton, no-iron white shirt with exact sleeve lengths. We will stock sizes from a 13" neck and 28" sleeves to a 23" neck and 37" sleeve. This should fit most every need. Shirts are like the blazers, some need more room in the stomach area and we have addressed this. We will have an executive cut/style for those who need this extra room. We will have these available around April and they will be favorably priced for this quality and features. Once approved, they will be available on our website, www.kofcuniform.com or toll free number 833-562-4327.

Black Oxford We will have these shoes ready for sale in late March early April. We have used a top grain cowhide and the inside of the shoe is lined with a soft leather. From the feedback we have received from test wears is, this is one comfortable shoe.

Overcoat There are some areas in America where an overcoat is needed in the winter time. We have developed a 19 oz., 100% wool, and mid-calf coat with a heavy satin lining. The coat will be water resistant as well. The coat will have epaulets on the shoulders for the Baldric to go under and the gold KOC buttons. This coat is currently being test worn and if it is accepted as it, we will have these available before the winter ends, especially in the northern part of the country.

In summary, we at the Supply Room feel blessed to have been given the responsibility to provide the 4th Degree Knights with a complete uniform with the highest quality in materials and workmanship. We have accepted this challenge and we think we are well on our way to meet all of the objects set before us. Let me assure everyone, we take this seriously and we will work hard to earn the respect and trust of each and every member. You will receive professional and courteous service from the moment you call us. We have a team of skilled ladies accepting your calls and if they cannot answer your questions, they give the call to me. We are also receptive to your comments and/or suggestions as to how we can improve. We must always get any changes approved by the Supreme Headquarters, but trust me, Headquarters wants the best possible program and they are trusting us to get it right. I hope this answers most of your questions, if not, let me know and I will do my best to do so.

God Bless,

Jim Craig

Jim Craig
The Supply Room
334-863-1674 cell
800-458-5180 Ext: 168

JUNE 2020

4TH DEGREE UNIFORM RAFFLE

**District Master,
Glenn P. Camley
will be holding a
4th Degree Uniform
RAFFLE from
November 17, 2019 –
May 23, 2020**



The winning drawings will occur at our June 13, 2020 4th Degree, hosted by Rochester Assembly #0637.

You win and the District Master Fund wins.

A ticket template is archived on the New Hampshire State Council website at nhknight.org, to sell to your Brother Knights. For every 75 tickets returned with payment, 1 ticket will be randomly drawn for a new complete official 4th Degree Knights of Columbus Uniform. 150 Tickets sold equals two Uniforms, and so on ...

Each winning ticket drawn will receive

**An official Navy Blue Blazer with 4th Degree Emblem Crest and Knights of Columbus Emblem,
Official 4th Degree Grey Trousers,
Official 4th Degree Necktie,**

Official Black Beret with official 4th Degree Metal Badge.

There will be no cash substitution. Winning Uniform orders will be submitted by the District Master. All ticket stubs and checks must be mailed to Glenn Camley by Saturday, May 23, 2020

Glenn P. Camley
District Master
287 Daniel Webster Highway
Boscawen, NH 03303

Extra tickets for those who do not have printer capability, may be requested via e-mail at gpcamley@gmail.com or by calling 1(603)682-5318

UNIFORM RAFFLE



ENTER TO WIN A NEW COMPLETE 4TH DEGREE UNIFORM!

- OFFICIAL NAVY BLUE BLAZER WITH 4TH DEGREE EMBLEM CREST
- OFFICIAL GREY TROUSERS
- OFFICIAL 4TH DEGREE NECKTIE
- OFFICIAL BLACK BERET WITH 4TH DEGREE METAL BADGE

DRAWING TO BE HELD DURING THE EVENING AT THE
BANQUET...ONLY \$10 PER TICKET

Fill out this short form and send in BY MAY 23, 2020. Raffle tickets WILL NOT be sold at the door.

Provide separate check payable to GLENN CAMLEY with UNIFORM PKG on the memo line...Thank you!



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4th Degree District of New Hampshire

\$1,000

Membership Campaign



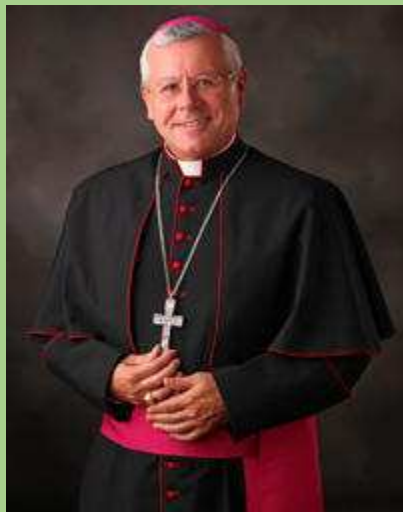
District Master, Glenn P. Camley announces a NEW and EXCITING \$1,000 Membership Campaign. The Bishop Healy Province, District of New Hampshire, will be awarding “Financial Awards” to every Assembly that participates in this 2020 Degree Membership Campaign.

All members recruited during the campaign, up and until our June 2020 Degree in Rochester, will count toward the competition. The financial award will be based off of how many members have been recruited, and have taken their 4th Degree. The \$1,000.00 will be divided up based off how many members each Assembly recruits. TEN members receive their 4th Degree, each member will be worth \$100.00 toward the recruiting Assembly. TWENTY members receive their 4th Degree, each member will be worth \$50.00, ONE HUNDRED members receive their 4th Degree, and each member will be worth \$10.00 ... and so on

AWARDS will be announced by June 30th 2020

Further information, contact District Master, Glenn Camley at gpcamley@gmail.com or (603)682-5318

1.) ST. MATTHEW PARISH HONOR GUARD MUSTER WITH BISHOP PETER LIBASCI:



St. Mathew Parish, Windham, New Hampshire has requested an Honor Guard for their March Confirmations with Bishop Peter Libasci as the homilist.

The first confirmation is Saturday, March 14, 2020, at 1:30 pm.

We are asked to assemble at the Parish Hall at 1:00 pm. Those Sir Knights attending the confirmation Honor Guard will also be given tickets to the "William McCarthy Irish Night Dinner" at St. Mathews' Parish Hall, which is to begin at 5:00pm. There will also be a mass at 4:00 pm.

Please contact Frank Saglime at fsaglime2@gmail.com if you are available to serve at the confirmation.

The second confirmation is scheduled for Sunday, March 29, 2020 at 4:00 pm with Bishop Peter Libasci.

We are asked to assemble in the Parish Hall by 3:30 pm.

Please contact Frank Saglime at fsaglime2@gmail.com if you are available to serve at the confirmation.

Regards,

Bill Richards

William Richards, FN
Bishop Peterson Assembly #0641
Salem, New Hampshire

2.) ST. JOSEPH CATHEDRAL GUARD MUSTER WITH BISHOP PETER LIBASCI:

On March 19, 2020 Bishop Libasci will be celebrating a Mass for the feast of St Joseph and an Honor Guard has been requested.

Mass at St Joseph Cathedral at 6:00 pm.

Muster at 5:30 pm in the church basement (Bradley Hall)

Refreshments will be served after the Mass.

Fourth Degree Members attending should notify District Marshall, Raymond Lemay Sr. at (603)674-0033 or email: raylemay@comcast.net

Respectfully Submitted,

Raymond Lemay, Sr.

Raymond A. Lemay Sr.
District Marshall

CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

IRISH AMERICAN MONTH, NATIONAL WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH, RED CROSS MONTH,



Peace
Corps

MARCH 1ST

Peace Corps Day:

MARCH 3RD

National Anthem Day:

MARCH 3RD

Caregiver Appreciation Day:

MARCH 4TH

Hug a GI Day:

MARCH 6TH

World Day of Prayer: This holiday is sponsored by "Church Women United", a Christian group of women that strives to work for justice and peace.



MARCH 15TH

announcement.

Biennial Meeting of the 4th Degree: See page 15 for

MARCH 17TH

St. Patrick's Day: Saint Patrick's Day is in honor of the Patron Saint of Ireland, who brought Christianity to the Emerald Isles, as Ireland is known. It is truly a day of celebrating Irish history, ancestry, traditions and customs.

MARCH 21ST

Men's Prayer Breakfast: St. Joseph Cathedral Manchester, NH

MARCH 25TH

Feast of the Annunciation: On this day, nine months before the birth of Jesus on Christmas morning, we celebrate the incarnation of our savior, Jesus Christ. The Archangel Gabriel came to Mary of Nazareth and told her she was to bear the Son of God, Jesus Christ.

MARCH 28TH

Granite Award Banquet: Holiday Inn, Concord, NH



APRIL 5TH

Palm Sunday:

MAY 9TH

FS/FC Training Hosted by: Peterborough Council #5790

APRIL 10TH

Good Friday:



APRIL 12TH

Easter:

MAY 1ST - 3RD

NH State Convention: Radisson Hotel, Nashua, NH

FORM DUE DATES

<i>JULY 1ST</i>	Report of Officers chosen for the term. PDF available online (Form 186)
<i>AUGUST 1ST</i>	Annual Assembly Audit Report. PDF available online (Form 1315)
<i>NO DUE DATE</i>	Survey of Fraternal Activity Worksheet. PDF available online. (1728A)
<i>JANUARY 31ST</i>	Annual Survey Fraternal Activity. PDF available online. (1728 Assembly)
<i>JUNE 30TH</i>	Civic Award Application. PDF available online. (2321)
<i>JUNE 30TH</i>	RSVP Refund/Plaque App. For Assemblies. PDF available online (2863A)
<i>MAY 31ST</i>	"To Be a Patriot" Award Entry Form PDF available online. (TBP-1)

NOTES ON "FORM DUE DATES"

It's not too late ...

There are some Assemblies that as of December 3rd 2019, have not filed the below reports. These reports are imperative in the operation of your Assemblies. Please remember that when you file these reports, that a copy needs to be e-mailed to both District Master, Glenn Camley as well as Vice Supreme Master, Richard McDermott. Those e-mails can be sent to the below addresses.

District Master, Glenn P. Camley, IPSD gpcamley@gmail.com

Vice Supreme Master, PSD rpmcdermott@charter.net

Assemblies not submitting Report of Officers for the Term:

0627 0632 0636 01507 02317 02403 02478

Assemblies not submitting Annual Assembly Audit Report:

0627 0632 0636 0637 0640 01445 01507 02317 02403 02478 03594