Secaucus Knightly News

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Charity - Unity - Fraternity - Patriotism **www.kofc12769.org** **October 2026**
Dedicated to fostering Vocations of Clergy & Religious Men and Women!

Let's have OKTOBERFEST, again!!!

GK's Message:

Dear Brothers,
Thank you to all the brother Knights who helped with the Parish Fest BBQ, including setup and cleanup. October offers many opportunities for our council to serve the parish, the Church, and the wider community. During Respect Life Month, we will sponsor the Life Chain Rosary on October 4 and cosponsor a showing of Lifemark with the Columbiettes on October 16. Our annual Oktoberfest has been rescheduled for Saturday, October 17, at 7:00 PM because of last month's nor'easter. The event supports vocations to the priesthood by funding scholarships for seminarians. We need brothers to help with setup, serving, cleanup, and ticket sales. Please purchase a ticket, invite a Catholic gentleman, and show a prospective member what our council and the Knights of Columbus are all about.

Lastly, one year has passed since we lost one of our own, Father Jose Marie Parcon. A 4th Degree Knight, Father Joe never missed an opportunity to invite a Catholic man to join our council. The parish will remember him on the anniversary of his passing with a Memorial Mass on Monday, October 5, at 6:00 PM.

Vivat Jesus!

S.K. Jim Condino, Grand Knight

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Upcoming Events

- First Friday Devotion: Friday, October 2, in the church. Rosary begins at 6:30 PM, followed by Mass at 7:00 PM and Adoration.
- Respect Life Sunday-31st Annual Life Chain: Sunday, October 4th @ 1:00 PM- in front of the Church.
- Father Jose Marie Parcon-First Anniversary Memorial Mass: Monday October 5th 6:00 PM ICC.
- Movie Night in honor of Respect Life Month: Featuring LIFEMARK. 7:00 PM in the ICC Cafeteria. Free Admission.
- Oktoberfest: (Rain Date) October 17th @ 6:30 pm, in the ICC Cafeteria. Tickets are $30 for adults, $15 for Children 6-12.
- COR: Faith formation and prayer meeting for Men. Wednesday, October 28th @ 7:00 PM , in the ICC cafeteria.

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Last Month From DGK Peter:

Here is a brief calendar of events I was blessed to experience.

September 7th the ICC parish community came together on the eve of Mother Mary's Birthday to celebrate and share our good fortune with each other. (pg 3, col 1)

September 8th the 4th degree Sir Knights were honored to participate in the Cathedral Mass of Episcopal Ordination of Fr. Pedro Bismarck Chau to become the Auxiliary Bishop of Hudson County. (1 pic)

September 13th Bishop Michael Saporito presided over the Confirmation of over 40 ICC young adults. Bishop Saporito's lively homily challenged the youth to step into their new role as participants in the ICC community. (pg 3,2)

September 28th our sister organization, the Columbiettes, sponsored the 10:30 Mass in honor of St. Terese of Lisieux, one of their patron saints whose Feast Day is October 1st. At the conclusion of the beautiful Mass in which the women served in every ministry, the Children's choir sang a song written especially for the occasion by our Music Minister Melanie Mitrano. Father Francis' homily called us all to be like St Terese; prayerful and dedicated to all the Little ways we can reflect Jesus in our lives to all our family, friends and neighbors. (pg 3,2)

Wishing you PEACE! from S.K. Pete Furka

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Ask someone to join!

Do you know of someone who is male, at least 18 years of age and a practical Catholic that believes in the teaching of the pope and Holy See? Ask them to join us and their membership is free for one year. Advise them to go to www.kofc.org and go to the "join us" page. Fill in the appropriate information and when checking out put in the promo code "Blessed McGivney" to receive the credit toward the membership cost for joining. Don't forget Council **#12769**! Need more info? Let Membership Chairman Sal know at: salm50@aol.com

Check out our website:

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Fr Jose about to celebrate his birthday!

Confirmation at ICC



Bishop Saporito presiding

Mother Mary's Birthday

and, the rain stopped as the Fest began!



Parish Fest 2026





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Nov 21st - Save another Date!

Are you a Third Degree Knight? Please consider taking the Patriotic Exemplification. The Fourth Degree will hold their exemplification at Saint Gerard's RC Church, Paterson at 1PM. Email Neal at mcgarritye@aol.com, ASAP to join!

The Little Flower Votive Mass sponsored by the Columbiettes





See the highlights on our webpage:

www.kofc12769.org/index/html

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

MARY IMMACULATE COUNCIL #12769



Sept. tix are still good!!!! *NEW DATE!*



SATURDAY, Oct. 17, 2026 at 6:30 pm

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH CAFETERIA

760 Post Place, Secaucus, NJ 07094

Parking is available in the John St. and Centre Ave. Church Lots.



TICKETS : ADULTS - $30
CHILDREN 6 - 12 years old - $15
PRE-SCHOOLERS ARE FREE!

GERMAN CUISINE served until 7:45 pm
FULL BEVERAGE SERVICE & DESSERT
TAKE-OUT MEALS ARE AVAILABLE!
Musik und Gemütlichkeit!

PURCHASE TICKETS AT ICC GIFT SHOP OR ASK ANY KNIGHT. You may also call Ticket Chairman Charlie at 201-803-9217 or email: wwm@kofc12769.org

Proceeds to: Support & Scholarships for Seminarians and The PGK John Niznik Memorial Scholarship

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