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GILMOUR COUNCIL #310 **MAY 2023 NEWSLETTER**

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Hope everyone is enjoying our nice Spring weather, especially the Monday night golfers who finally had a nice night. Look through all of our upcoming events and try and help out where and when you can.

2023-2024 COUNCIL NOMINATIONS

We will be starting nominations for next year's Council officers at both meetings this month with the final round of nominations AND elections at the June 13th meeting.

Please come and help guide the future of your Council. All positions are available for any 3rd Degree knight in good standing. If you are interested in any position, just make your wishes known.

ROSARY RALLY

We will be holding a Patriotic Rosary rally on Saturday, May 13th at Noon in front of the Lyndhurst City Hall. We will be honoring all 1st responders and safety forces, especially those that will be able to join with us. Please try to attend to honor our daily heroes.

CHURCH FESTIVALS

We have all 3 of our parish festivals coming up in the next few weeks. We will be doing various things at all 3, so come to our meetings to sign up to help where you can.

MEASURE-UP CAMPAIGN

We want to thank all those brother knights who helped out with our collections at all 3 of our parishes over the last couple weekends. Our total collection for the 3 parishes was about \$4,500 to be split between our Special Education classes.

125TH ANNIVERSARY WRAP-UP

An enjoyable evening was had by about 100 guests for our 125th Anniversary dinner. The occasion was attended by numerous dignitaries for the oldest Council in the Diocese, including the State Deputy who presented a proclamation from Supreme Knight Kelly for our 125th. The evening also had several other honorees including: Past Grand Knight Benny Capretta; the Knight of the Year - Mitch Scudellari; the Family of the Year - The Mike Vaccarino family; the Lifetime Achievement award – 46-year member Frank DeFlorio and finally our Chaplain, Rev. James Caddy for 50 years of service.

We want to thank Bill Marvaldi for the excellent dinner that he and his helpers prepared for everyone. Also, thanks to everyone who helped set-up and clean up after the event.

GOOD OF THE ORDER

Unfortunately, we lost another long-time member, Bro. Joseph Frank, a 25 year member, who was very active until he started suffering from a long illness. Him and his wife, Marie, were instrumental in keeping the Columbus Day parade alive and well in Little Italy.

We are going to have another Degree ceremony on May 23rd for new members and current members who haven't attained their 3rd Degree, please come and welcome the new knights.

MAY BIRTHDAYS

On a happier note, we have 27 brothers celebrating birthdays this month, please wish them well if you see them. They include: Rich Berry; Charles Campanella (#75); Tony D'Angelo (#75); Vince DelPrete; Robert Dew; David DiVita; Ed Dulzer, Jr.; Domenic Fragomeni; Peter Gall; Tony Hallisy; Maurice Helou; GK Frank Hlad; Kraig Hoffmann; Vince Hostoffer; Ed Kander; Mario Kandrach; Robert Kohl; Rev. Peter Kovacina; Don LoPresti; Matt Onorato; Rev. Marty Polito; Rev. Joe Previte; Pete Previte (#90); Jordan Raynor; Bill Schneider; Arch Tunnell and Dr. John Vargo.

Have a great Memorial Day!

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