

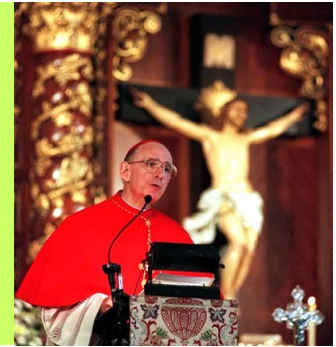


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## FAITHFUL NAVIGATOR NOTES

by SK Bob Raney

I would like to thank all the Sir Knights of this Assembly for the opportunity to be your Faithful Navigator this past year. It has been a pleasure to lead the Assembly throughout the year. I hope the question of "Where is the meeting this month" won't be so often. St Francis is a great location for our meetings because of the close parking and great meeting room.

We will be having our annual summer picnic this year on Tuesday July 17 at 6PM St Francis Picnic Shelter. Family and friends are all invited to this fun event. It is also a great time to invite men that might be interested in the Fourth Degree. As a reminder there will be no meeting in July as usual. I will not be at the June meeting. I will be on the beach recuperating from four days at Disney World.

OH ... one more thing, once again our June 26 business meeting is moved to St Charles in Walsh Hall in the basement of the school. The entrance to Walsh Hall is on the south side of the school next to the driveway.

Just a reminder that there will not be a business meeting in July. Instead, the annual family picnic will be held at the picnic shelter at St. Francis on Tuesday, July 17, 2018. See the info on page 3 of this newsletter for more details.

Vivat Jesus,  
Bob Raney

We held the installation of Officers for the Assemblies in the Archdiocese on Sunday, July 15th at St Peter in Chains Cathedral in Cincinnati. Mass was at 1PM with Fr. Ron Williams being the celebrant. Installation of officers followed. Wives were invited to come and assisted with the installation. Dress was the new uniform, Tux with baldric, or dark suit with baldric.

Ed Ponder,  
District Master

HAPPINESS IS NOT A DESTINATION, IT IS A JOURNEY

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**PATRIOTISM**



**VA Activities**

Saturday, September 8, Honor Flight  
Saturday, October 27, Honor Flight

**IN MEMORIAM**

William Elliott	Mar 1930 - Oct 2017
Steven King, Jr.	Apr 1941 - Nov 1917
James R "Bob" Schiller	Sep 1935 - Jan 2018
James Domin	Jan 1938 - Jan 2018
John Dello-Stritto	Aug 1932 - Feb 2018
Barry Galen	Jul 1959 - Mar 2018
Theodore Bon	Apr 1938 - Apr 2018

**JUNE BIRTHDAYS**

Bob Burns	Andre Chartrand
Michael Gangl	Mark Gapinski
Ray Hutter	Mark Kesselem
Thomas Laneve	Bob Luppino
Norm Speaks, Jr.	Robert Uchtman
Donald Urbansky	Andrew Vogel

## SUNDAY READING REFLECTIONS

### **Solemnity of the Nativity of Saint John the Baptist - B 2018**

[Luke 1: 57-66, 80]

SK Deacon Bill Moore

Our scripture readings for today all have to do with the life of St. John the Baptist whose Nativity we celebrate today. It would seem he led a strange and solitary life. He was the child of his parents' old age and probably lost both of them while he was still very young.

We know that as a young man he went out to the Sinai desert where he lived a solitary life for some years. When he was about 30 he came back to Judea and lived near the River Jordan where he baptized people and preached about repentance for sin. When Jesus began his public life and teaching, John heralded his coming and its significance for the people of Israel. John pointed out Jesus to his own followers and suggested that they follow Jesus instead of himself. Years later John was imprisoned by King Herod. His short life ended abruptly when he was beheaded in prison by order of Herod.

I wonder if John ever had any fun. I wonder whether he had many friends during his childhood, whether he ever did much that was enjoyable to him. It's true that John lived in a different time, in a world very different from ours. Yet I still wonder whether he was like other children and young men of his time. But I am also aware that John the Baptist was being led in a special way by God during his life here on earth.

Throughout history God has chosen certain women and men for very special tasks and clearly John the Baptist was one of them. God chose him to play a key role in the history of salvation. He spent his life doing what God asked of him. And so questions about his childhood and how he lived his life are not really so important. The important thing about the life of John the Baptist is that he spent his life doing the will of God. He gives all of us a tremendous example of fidelity to the will of God. His example teaches us how important it is for us to do the will of God in our own lives.

When John the Baptist died I am sure that God rewarded him for his fidelity. John was certainly one who heard the words: *"Well done, good and faithful servant, enter into the joy of My Kingdom."*

Oh how we should strive to hear the same!

### **NOTICE for JULY MEETING**

The July 2018 business meeting has been cancelled. Instead, we will hold our annual potluck dinner/social/ recruitment event on Tuesday, July 17, 2018 at 6 PM. This event is for our members and their families and will be held in the picnic shelter at St Francis. Please invite the candidates you have sponsored and their families to attend and learn more about the Fourth Degree. Also, if you know of a Third Degree Knight in good standing who might be interested in joining our Assembly, invite them and their families as well. The Assembly will provide the meat and drinks. Members are asked to bring additional dishes to share per your last name as follows: **A-I: side dish , J-R: salad, S-Z: dessert**

### **PRAYER FOR OUR MILITARY**

*'Heavenly Father, hold our troops in Your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in this our time of need. These things I humbly ask in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior, Amen.'*

The newly elected officers for the 2018-2019 fraternal year for Assembly 3056 are shown at the right. Thank you for volunteering your time and talent to lead the assembly for another year. The installations of the officers was held on Sunday, July 15th after the 1:00 PM mass at the Cathedral in Cincinnati.

<u>Officer Position</u>	<u>New Officer</u>
Faithful Navigator	SK Ken Haacke
Faithful Captain	SK John Brown
Faithful Pilot	SK Steve Berns
Faithful Admiral	SK Bob Raney
Faithful Scribe	SK Steve Przybylo
Faithful Comptroller	SK Cal Frank
Faithful Purser	SK Bob Luppino
Faithful Inner Sentinel	SK Jasson Cwiekalo
Faithful Outer Sentinel	SK Craig Trimble
Faithful Trustee (3 yr)	SK Louis Pilati

**COLOR CORPS NEWS** by SK Jim Gehring

The new Color Corps manuals are available. Please see Cal Frank.  
 Saturday, September 8, 2018 ..... Honor Flight, 10:30 PM at Dayton Airport  
 Sunday, October 14, 2018..... Family Rosary Rally at Immaculate Conception, 2 PM  
 Saturday, October 27, 2018..... Honor Flight, 10:30 PM at Dayton Airport

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**DON'T FORGET THE JUNE 26 MEETING**

