



**POPE JOHN PAUL I ASSEMBLY 1829**  
**FAIRVIEW HEIGHTS - O'FALLON, ILLINOIS**  
**SPRING 2014 NEWSLETTER**

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397-0121

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Michael McAnally  
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235-6282

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632-3155

**Faithful Pilot**

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Joe Schuster  
632-1108

**Faithful Scribe**

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632-4963

**Faithful Purser**

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233-2945

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234-6141

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624-6227

**Two-Year Trustee**

PFN Rob Ratz  
622-0971

**One-Year Trustee**

PFN Stan Jones  
234-3328

**District Marshall**

Walter Leninsky

**District 2 Master**

Bernie Mennemeyer

**Greetings from the desk of the Faithful Navigator:**

The weekend of March 22 saw another successful exemplification at The Shrine of Our Lady of the Snows, orchestrated by Bishop William Cosgrove Assembly 3151 (Freeburg). Assembly 1829 has 2 new Sir Knights from this exemplification; Chad Briesacher, Council 6996 and Jay Reeser, council 4239. Be sure to introduce yourself and welcome these two new members of our assembly. As it has been five years since our assembly organized an exemplification we are tapped to set up the next one at the Shrine, the weekend of February 28, 2015. Immediate planning, up front leg work, and the support of all our Sir Knights will ensure a successful event. There are numerous activities that need to be accomplished, but not by one person. If we each take part in just one or two of the activities we can make the job of the overall chairman that much easier and less stressful. So when you are approached to help, PLEASE find some time to participate.

**ELECTION OF OFFICERS:**

It's time once again for a changing of the guard. Our assembly will hold election of officers at our May 7<sup>th</sup> meeting, and the installation at our June 4<sup>th</sup> meeting. The Master of the Southern District, Bernie Mennemeyer, has once again graciously agreed to conduct the installation ceremony for us, so mark your calendars and plan on joining us for this event. As in the past, spouses and guests are invited and we will plan on having refreshments. Before any election takes place we need nominations. PFN Larry Wessels will present an initial list of nominees at the April 2<sup>nd</sup> assembly meeting and solicit additional nominations. If you are interested in being an officer please let Larry know. We will have a final call for nominations at the May 7<sup>th</sup> meeting, followed by the election.

**HONOR GUARD:**

As I have done all year long I continue to encourage all Sir Knights to participate in our Honor Guard. There are many activities throughout the year to show who we are by wearing our regalia and participating in various activities. These include confirmations, Red Mass, Novena at the Shrine, exemplifications, a multitude of Special Olympics activities and Chalice ceremonies to name just a few. You can purchase regalia at [www.lynchkelly.com](http://www.lynchkelly.com) either as a package or individually if you have acquired donated pieces. Then let our color corps commander (Sir Knight Eugene Bringaze) know you are available to participate. As we all have busy schedules you just pick and choose when you want to be involved. Currently we have confirmations on April 22 and May 5, and the Special Olympics Track and Field on April 26.

**ATTENDANCE DRAWING:**

Just a reminder, the \$25 gift card to Buffalo Wild Wings is still unclaimed. If your name is drawn during the meeting you must be present to claim. Name drawn at the March meeting was Sir Knight Avelino Cruz.

Pope John Paul I  
Assembly 1829  
Meets First Wednesday  
Each Month @ 8PM @  
O'Fallon Knights of  
Columbus Hall

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