



Knights of Columbus

Maryland State Council

P.O Box 1468
Bowie, MD 20717

February 2026

To the Maryland State Council Family,

You are cordially invited to join me on **Sunday, March 22, 2026**, to celebrate the 144th Anniversary of the founding of the Knights of Columbus. The Founder's Day celebration will commence with Mass at **3:00 PM at Saint Joseph-Fullerton Catholic Church**, 8420 Belair Rd, Nottingham, MD 21236. Following Mass, an awards dinner, commencing at **4:30 PM, will be held at Columbus Gardens**, 4301 Klosterman Ave., Nottingham, MD 21236.

The Founder's Day Mass and Awards Dinner honors our founder Fr. Michael McGivney and gives us the opportunity to recognize and honor the Maryland State Council's Citizen, Catholic Teacher, Family, Police Officer, Firefighter and Emergency Medical Technician of the Year.

The cost of the dinner is \$40 per person, and it includes appetizers, vegetable and cheese platters, chicken parmesan and penne pasta/sauce, Italian blend vegetables (zucchini, cauliflower, Italian green beans, lima beans, red pepper), freshly baked rolls, and apple pie. There will be a vegetarian option available. Coffee, tea, and soda plus a cash bar will be available. All checks must be made payable to the Maryland State Council (Note: Founder's Day Dinner) and mailed to Chairman Mike Dunn by March 17, 2026, using the enclosed reservation form. No tickets will be sold at the door. Mike's address is 1892 Cedar Road, Pasadena, MD 21122.

Kathy and I look forward to seeing you on Sunday, March 22, 2026, as we celebrate our Orders 144th Anniversary and honor those who serve our community so generously.

Fraternally,

Anthony N. Salvemini
State Deputy

**Knights of Columbus MD State Council
Founder's Day Mass and Awards Dinner
Sunday, March 22nd, 2026**

**3:00 PM Mass at
St. Joseph-Fullerton Catholic Church
8420 Blair Rd.
Nottingham, MD 21236**

**4:30 PM Awards Reception and Dinner at
Columbus Gardens
4301 Klosterman Ave.
Nottingham, MD 21236**

Vegetable/Cheese Platter and Minestrone Soup
Chicken Parmesan and Penne Pasta/Sauce
Italian Blend Vegetables (zucchini, cauliflower, green beans, lima beans, red pepper)
Freshly Baked Rolls and Apple Pie
Coffee/Tea/Soda – Cash Bar Available
Vegetarian Option Available

**Cost is \$40 per person
All dinner reservations must be paid by March 17th, 2026
No Tickets Available at the Door
Dress: Sunday Best**

**For dinner reservations, scan the QR code, payment
online via Zelle/Venmo or check with the stub below to:**

Mike Dunn
1892 Cedar Road
Pasadena, MD 21122



Please reserve _____ tickets for \$40 each. Enclosed is my check in the amount of
\$ _____ for _____ person(s), payable to the Maryland State Council.

Name(s) _____

Title _____ Council # _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Please list names of everyone that you included in your ticket payment.
I will email you upon receipt of your check.