

## **POTOMAC ASSEMBLY CALENDAR 2024-2025**

*Revised 27 Sep 2024*

### **JULY**

6 — Patriotic Rosary at Good Shepherd Catholic Church (new Chapel), 11 a.m.

16 — Officers Meeting (Zoom), 7 p.m.

20 — Deadline for the Assembly Audit due to District Secretary

22 — Assembly Meeting (Hybrid) 7:30 p.m. (Patriotic Rosary preceding at 7 p.m.)

31 — Deadline for Virginia District Sir Knight and Award Submission for Assembly of the Year

### **AUGUST**

3 — Patriotic Rosary at Mt Vernon Council 5998, 11 a.m. – Ray Duff

12 – Blessed Fr McGivney Mass at 5 PM, Ft Belvoir Council 11170 (CC) (last year...have not confirmed this year)

20 — Officers Meeting (Zoom), 7 p.m.

26 — PFN Dinner in lieu of Business Meeting at El Paso Mexican Restaurant on Cooper Rd., 7 p.m. – Bill Beech and Ray Duff

### **SEPTEMBER**

4 — Father Capodano Memorial Mass, at 6:30 p.m., Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception (By Invitation Only) – Ed Stance

7 — Patriotic Rosary at Basilica of St. Mary Mt Vernon Council 5998, 11 a.m. – Ray Duff

13 — Review of Exemplification paperwork/funds (FN, FP, FC & GKs)

14 — National Day of Remembrance of Aborted Children – Rich Dunbar

16 — Deadline for Submission of Fourth Degree Candidates to State

17 — Officers Meeting (Zoom), 7 p.m.

23 — Assembly Meeting (Hybrid) 7:30 p.m. (Patriotic Rosary preceding at 7 p.m.)

28 — Fourth Degree Exemplification in Manassas, VA

## OCTOBER

5 — Patriotic Rosary at Good Shepherd Catholic Church new chapel, 11 a.m. – Ray Duff

14 — Columbus Day Ceremony at Union Station, 11:00 AM – Ed Stance

15 — Officers Meeting (Zoom), 7 p.m.

20 — Corporate Communion at St. Mary's 10:00AM Mass followed by brunch at Chart House Restaurant – Bill Beach

28 — Assembly Meeting (Hybrid), 7:30 p.m. (Patriotic Rosary preceding at 7 p.m.)

## NOVEMBER

2 — Field Trip to Shrine of Elizabeth Ann Seaton in Emmetsburg, MD followed by dinner in Frederick, MD – Bill Beach

5 — Election Day

9 — Cigar Social Night at CXIII REX, 7:30 PM TBD -- Let's consider another type of social function

9 — Patriotic Rosary at Ft. Belvoir (details to follow), 11 a.m. – Ray Duff

11 — Veterans Day/Flags at Alexandria National Cemetery, 9:30 a.m.

12 — Knights in Unity Mass at St Louis Church, 10:30 a.m. (last year...have not confirmed this year)

15 — Federal Internal Revenue Tax report (990) due

16 — Mt Vernon Council Memorial Mass (CC Support), 6 p.m. (last year...have not confirmed this year)

16 — Wreath Laying at the Tomb of the Unknown in Arlington National Cemetery, 11:15 a.m. – Mark Marchione/Ed Stance

19 — Officers Meeting (Zoom), 7 p.m.

25 — Assembly Meeting (Hybrid), 7:30 p.m. (Patriotic Rosary preceding at 7 p.m.)

28 — Thanksgiving Day

30 — Color Corps for Council 459's Memorial Mass at St Mary's 10:30 AM to 12:00 PM – Raymond Moore and Ed Stance

## DECEMBER

1 — Survey of Fraternal Activity Individual Member Survey (Form1728A)

1 — First Sunday of Advent

7 — Patriotic Rosary at Mt Vernon Council 5998 or St. Louis Catholic Church, 11 a.m. – Ray Duff

8 — Family Day at Arlington National Cemetery – Fred Beata

14 — Wreaths in at Arlington National Cemetery – Fred Beata

14 — Army-Navy Football Viewing Social TBD (Mt Vernon Council Lounge) – Bill Beach and Andy Rogers

14 — Christmas Social at Mt Vernon Council 5998 Hall – Bill Beach and Andy Rogers

15 – Simbang Gabi Mass at St. Louis Catholic Church, 6 PM (last year...have not confirmed this year)

17 — Officers Meeting (Zoom), 7 p.m.

21 — Christmas Wreath Project (AWP) at Arlington National Cemetery (ANC) (Wreaths in) – Fred Beata

23 — Business Meeting is cancelled in lieu of Christmas Social (last year...have not confirmed this year)

25 — Christmas

## JANUARY

1 — New Year's Day

4 — Patriotic Rosary at Mt. Vernon Council 5998, 11 a.m.

10 — Fraternal Survey Due to the Master

10 — 2024 Dues Notices issued

11 — Wreaths out at Arlington National Cemetery – Fred Beata

14 — Religious Freedom Day, Fredericksburg, VA (last year...have not confirmed this year)

16 — National Religious Freedom Day

20 — Martin Luther King Jr. Day – Consider doing something in conjunction with the Knights of Peter Claver

21 — Officers Meeting (Zoom), 7 p.m.

20 — Wreaths Across America at Arlington National Cemetery – Wreaths Out

24 — National March for Life in DC — Rich Dunbar

27 — Assembly Meeting (Hybrid), 7:30 p.m. (Patriotic Rosary preceding at 7 p.m.)

29 — Virginia Pro-Life Day – Rich Dunbar

## **FEBRUARY**

1 — Patriotic Rosary at Mt Vernon Council 5998, 11 a.m.

17 — Presidents Day/George Washington's Birthday Parade in Alexandria, VA @ 1:00 PM

18 — Officers Meeting (Zoom), 7 p.m.

21 — Virginia Pro-Life Day (last year...have not confirmed this year)

22 – 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Fourth Degree – New Exemplification in St. Patrick's Cathedral in NYC

24 — Assembly Meeting (Hybrid), 7:30 p.m. (Patriotic Rosary preceding at 7 p.m.)

26 — Election for delegates to Virginia District Biennial Meeting in March (due by March 1) (last year...have not confirmed this year)

## **MARCH**

1 — Begin to prepare Slate of Officers for Next Columbian Year (FN and FC)

1 — Patriotic Rosary at Mt Vernon Council 5998, 11 a.m.

1 — St. Patrick's Day Parade in Alexandria, VA @ 12:30 PM (last year...have not confirmed this year)

17 — Saint Patrick's Day

18 — Officers Meeting (Zoom), 7 p.m.

23 — Biennial Virginia District Business Meeting at St. Peter & Paul in Palmyra, VA (last year...have not confirmed this year)

24 — Assembly Meeting (Hybrid), 7:30 p.m. (Patriotic Rosary preceding at 7 p.m.).

29 — National Vietnam War Veterans Day – Jerry Krueger and Rich Dunbar

## APRIL

1 — Begin preparing budget for upcoming Columbian Year (Faithful Navigator, Faithful Comptroller, Faithful Captain)

5 — Patriotic Rosary at Mt Vernon Council 5998, 11 a.m.

12 — Chalice Ceremony at St. Mary Basilica – POC??

13 — Palm Sunday

15 — Officers Meeting (Zoom), 7 p.m.

20 — Easter Sunday

20 – Visit to the National Museum of the Marine Corps, 10 a.m. (last year...have not confirmed this year) – need to ID different location. I suggest the Shrine of Elizabeth Seton.

28 — Assembly Meeting (Hybrid), 7:30 p.m. (Patriotic Rosary preceding at 7 p.m.) – Present Slate of Officers

30 — “To Be a Patriot” submission to District Master

## MAY

3 — Patriotic Rosary at the Basilica of St Mary, 11 a.m.

11 — Mothers’ Day

19 — Annual AMS (Archdiocese for Military Services) at Basilica of the Immaculate Conception, 4:30 PM (last year...have not confirmed this year)

20 — Officers Meeting (Zoom), 7 p.m.

26 — Assembly Meeting (Hybrid), 7:30 p.m. (Patriotic Rosary preceding at 7 p.m.). Election of Officers

26 — Memorial Day; Laying of Wreath at the Tomb of the American Revolutionary Unknown Soldier, 12:00 pm

## JUNE

1 — VA Form 1 and Supreme Form 186 due

7 — Patriotic Rosary at Mt Vernon Council 5998, 11 a.m.

10 — Deadline for Civic Award (Form 2321) Submission

17 — Officers Meeting (Zoom), 7 p.m.

14 — Flag Day – should we consider doing something Patriotic?

15 — Father's Day

23 — Assembly Meeting (Hybrid), 7:30 p.m. (Patriotic Rosary preceding at 7 p.m.).

30 – Civic Award, SK of the Year and Assembly of the Year submissions due to Master

### **Placeholders for this year ...**

Cigar Night Socials – Bimonthly (not a budget item) – POC??

Potomac/Marian Assembly Golf Outing – TBD (not a budget item) -- POC??

Honor Flights – TBD (not a Budget Item) – Larry Clark

Corpus Christi Processions – TBD (not a budget item – Color Corps) – POC Worthy Color Corps Commander

Color Corps Training – TBD (not a Budget Item) – POC Worthy Color Corps Commander

Social Dinner in Feb/Mar timeframe or Mar/Apr if Renewal of Obligations takes place in January. (covered under Social Budget Item) – POC??

### **Placeholders for the future ...**

September 11 ... look at 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary or a Weekend (not a current budget item)

Chalice Ceremony – every three years. Next is 2024-25 (budget \$200/year for the \$600 required) -- POC??

50<sup>th</sup> Vietnam War Veterans Commemoration – 2025 (not a budget item) – Jerry Kruger