



# John R Gallagher Assembly 3180



November 2012

Brother Sir Knights,

Thanks to all who participated in the honor guards during the month of October. As the number of priests declines, the role of deacons becomes more important in our churches. The installation of Acolytes and the Admission of Candidacy for Deacons was an opportunity to attend a service that recognizes that importance and their role in our church. The October honor flight will be the last for this year. We are anticipating others next spring.

The chalice presentation is scheduled for November 18<sup>th</sup> following the noon mass at St. Pius X. There will be one memorial to be given from our Assembly (Michelle Tangeman) and two each from Bowen and Sampson Assemblies. Reservations have been made. If for some reason you forgot or there is a problem attending, please let me know as soon as possible. There will be an honor guard during mass. **Everyone should meet in the church hall including spouses and we will try to sit together.**

The Christmas gathering will be early this year – December 2<sup>nd</sup> at the Marion council hall. We will begin with mass at 5pm with our Faithful Friar Fr. Wayne, followed by a potluck meal. We will then enjoy games (again they will be the brainstorm of Marc & Mary Lawrence) and hospitality.

An honor guard has been requested for the closing event for the 175<sup>th</sup> year of the diocese. The mass will be held at St. Elizabeth Ann Seaton (the newest church) at 2pm on Sunday November 25<sup>th</sup>. Please meet downstairs in the church hall at 1:30.

## COLOR GUARD EVENTS

Admission to Candidacy for Ordination as Deacons – 10/11 – Roy Tangeman, Dick Makinster, Jerry Fetzer, Dick Steele, Jerry McNamara, Jim Ford

Honor Flight – 10/16 – Roy Tangeman, Dick Makinster, Marcus Lawrence, Jerry McNamara

## MEETINGS AND EVENTS CALENDAR

November 18<sup>th</sup> – Chalice presentation – St. Pius X – following noon mass

November 25<sup>th</sup> – Closing of 175<sup>th</sup> year mass – St. Elizabeth Ann Seaton – 2pm – meet downstairs in church hall.

December 2<sup>nd</sup> – early Christmas gathering – Marion Council hall 5pm

*Vivat Jesus*

Roy Tangeman

Faithful Navigator



**Admission of candidacy for Ordination as Deacons. Sir Knights Ken Bauer and John Kaufmann were admitted.**



**Anamosa Knight John Huerter returns from Honor Flight**