

## Catholic War Veterans of the USA Father Vincent Capodanno Memorial Post

To Heal, Serve, Love, Listen

Seventy-third Edition

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Father Vincent Robert Capodanno, M.M.

# MEETING NOTICE change

Our next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, June First at 6:30 PM at our normal meeting place, Our Lady of Mercy Country Home, Tighe Lounge.

At present, Our Lady of Mercy Country is under another lock down due to the virus. Hopefully that will be over with my then. If we have to cancel the meeting I will send out an email to all.

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We have reached a 100% renewal. Thank
you all!!!!!!

#### PRAYER FOR PEACE

gof Peace and Justice,
we pray for those caught up
in the current violence in Ukraine.
We implore you for peace.
Holy Spirit, Our Consolation,
comfort all those who fear.
Grant wisdom and discernment
to those in power.

Holy Family, who fled to Egypt, guard all those who have sought refuge away from the land they love, and bring them safely home again.

Mary, Mother of us all, cast your protecting veil around all suffering lands and peoples. Turn all hearts back to your Son, our only Savior and the Prince of Peace. Amen.

#### **Surgical Masks**

With another variant of the COVID virus, it seems like it will never end. We still have some four ply masks available. They are available for one \$0.60 each, plus shipping. Just let me know how many you need.

These are, as I stated, four ply, not you normal three ply that are about half as effective as these. Our masks stop all viruses from being inhaled.

They are equivalent to the N95 masks with an efficiency of 95% stopping of COVID and all other virus, including the flu. We have them back in stock.

Just send your request to me at: CWV Post 1974 2400 NE 59<sup>th</sup> ST Gladstone MO 64118

God bless all of you

John

MEMORIAL DAY
Mount Olivet Cemetery
7601 Blue Ridge Blvd, Raytown, MO 64138\
Mass is at 10:00 AM







### MEMORIAL DAY CATHOLIC VETERAN SERVICE

Where: Mount Olivet Catholic Cemetery-at the Veteran's Memorial.

Time: 11:20 AM- (shortly after Memorial Day Mass at Mount Olivet Catholic Cemetery).

Presented by- Fr. Vincent R. Capodanno, MM Memorial Catholic War Veterans Post 1974, St. James Parish Military Veteran Outreach Ministry. All are welcome.

#### June Meeting

I am at the age now where I do not drive that much and do not drive after dark. My problem is that my eyes do not adjust for the oncoming car and truck lights. Therefore, for the safety of other drivers and myself, I think it is time to retire as commander of our post.

June is the normal time for our post elections and we really need for someone to step up for our post. I will move to treasurer and will continue to publish our newsletter every month.

If you are interested or have any questions please contact me. My phone number is: 816 699 8719

Address is: 2400 NE 59<sup>th</sup> St, Gladstone MO 64118

Thank you

#### Legion of the Order of St. Sebastian

This award is for pretty much lifetime devotion to people, be it parish, veteran and/or civic organizations, and so on. It is awarded to only one person a year. In all the conventions that I have attended, the recipient is usually a person who has been in CWV for many many years. Our Ann has had a lifetime of service to others, and has been in CWV a little over seven years, before we formed our post.

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May 15, 2022

Ms. Ann Marie Puck National Welfare Officer Catholic War Veterans 1104 Pier Street Liberty, Missouri 64068

Dear Ann:

It is my pleasure to formally notify you of your selection for presentation of the Honor

Legion of the Order of St. Sebastian for the year 2022.

You were selected for this distinct honor from among a number of nominations submitted by posts across the country, as evaluated by the Awards Committee of the National Department.

This award is a testament to your exemplary service to the Catholic War Veterans of America for a number of years. Among the selection criteria are participation in community affairs, parish and religious activities, fraternal organizational activities, officer positions held, and other significant contributions to the organization.

Your resume impressed the members of the committee and made the selection process less difficult. You should be proud of your sustained record of service to the Catholic War Veterans.

I look forward to personally presenting the award to you during our upcoming 2022

National Convention at the Sheraton Inner Harbor Hotel in Baltimore, Maryland during the week of 21 to 27 August 2022. Please note that you and your sponsor are expected to be in the formal CWV uniform for tire presentation ceremony and photographs.

May I be the first to Congratulate you on this achievement and thank you, on behalf of the Catholic War Veterans, for your consistent support!

DAVID J. CRUM National Commander

CONGRESSIONALLY CHARTERED AUGUST 17, 1984

Prayers for priests

As you know there is a great need for more priests, especially Chaplains. Even when I was in the Navy, 1964 – 1968, while deployed at sea for six months at a time, we were lucky to see a priest once a month

Now is the time to really pray for more dedicated young men entering the priesthood to seriously think about serving as a chaplain for our service men and women and their families. Think about a novena and having Masses said for an increase in religious vocations and chaplains.

Pray the rosary, pray a novena, ask to have Masses said. The harvest is great, but we are in desperate need for laborers.