



Reverend Vincent Robert Capodanno Sir Knights

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Faithful Navigator Column

Dear Sir Knights: I look forward to working with all of you this fraternal year. Thank you for the honor of electing me to lead the assembly this year. I will try to continue the progress made by our previous Faithful Navigator, Kurt Denner, over the past two years.

We had our first Assembly Meeting on July 22, and it was well attended. We are planning our second Assembly Meeting for August 26. If possible, I encourage all Sir Knights to attend the Assembly Meetings this year. The dress code will be casual until further notice, and we will provide a simple dinner before all meetings.

The first Assembly event of the fraternal year will be providing dinner at Fisher House. It is also scheduled for August 26, which seems like bad planning on behalf of the Assembly. We will try to do better in the future. Upcoming events may include a Father Capodanno Mass in September and a Veterans Day Mass in November in conjunction with Stella Maris School. In addition, we are planning a Flag Retirement Celebration in the Fall and a Christmas Party at the Lowcountry Veterans Home in December. We will also hold our Christmas Party in December in conjunction with Council 9475.

I look forward to seeing many of you at these events and at future meetings. If you have any questions at all, please free to reach out to me any time at HeyTate@aol.com.

Fraternally Yours,

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Upcoming Calendar of Events

August 26, 2026	August Assembly Meeting – Christ Our King Beach House
August 26, 2026	Fisher House Dinner – Fisher House Charleston
August 29, 2026	Fourth Degree Exemplification – Precious Blood of Christ Church in Pawleys Island
September 2026	Father Capodanno Mass – Date to be Determined - Stella Maris School
September 23, 2026	September Assembly Meeting – Christ Our King Beach House
Fall 2026	Flag Retirement Ceremony – Date and Location to be determined
November 2026	Veterans Day Mass – Date to be Determined - Stella Maris School
November 18, 2026	November Assembly Meeting – Christ Our King Beach House
December 2026	Joint Assembly and Council Christmas Party – Date and Location to be determined
December 2026	Christmas Party at Lowcountry Veterans Home – Date to be Determined

Prayer for Beatification or Canonization or intercession

Almighty and merciful God, look with Love on those who plead for Your help.

Through the intercession of your servant, Father Vincent Capodanno, missionary and Catholic Navy Chaplain, grant the favor I earnestly seek (*mention the request*).

May Vincent, who died bringing consolation to the Marines he was privileged to serve on the field of battle, intercede in my need as I pray in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.