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News from the Kelly Division AOH

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***Msgr. Charles A. Kelly, Jr. Division  
December 2013 Newsletter***

## *President's Message*



**This is truly a grand time of year!**

I hope you all had a wonderful Thanksgiving. We certainly did with two of our sons, a daughter-in-law, two grandsons and two grand dogs!

As we approach Christmas and all the activities associated with it, let us not forget the reason for the season - the birth of Christ. So when the hassle gets to be a bit too much and activities seem overwhelming, try to take a moment to remember the hassles that the holy family went through over 2000 years ago!

We just had our AOH Divisional Christmas dinner at O'Tool's Restaurant on December 6th and it was a complete success! We had a great turnout and everyone enjoyed the food and craic. I especially want to thank Larry Kelly for spearheading and coordinating this important Division event.

Our new slate of officers for calendar year 2014 is as follows:

***President-Larry Kelly***

***Vice President-Mike McGee***

***Financial Secretary-Matthew Dullaghan***

***Recording Secretary-James Calpin***

***Treasurer-Dan Harrington***

***Marshal-Jim Dunn***

***Sentinel-Bill Murphy.***

I want to thank two of our new members, Matthew Dullaghan and James Calphin, for stepping up to take on their new officer positions.

We initiated a new member during the November meeting, Jack Simila. He is member of Sacred Heart and his wife's name is Carol. ***Welcome Jack and Carol!***

This is also my last president's message, as I will be stepping down at the end of December. I want to thank the division for all the help that was given to me this past year and especially Larry Kelly, Mike McGee and Dan Harrington. I also want to thank both George Rodenburg and Mike Dougherty for their special support. Mike is an inspiration to us all and George sets up and cleans up for all the meetings at St Joseph, and is our

contact for the parish.

We had wonderful year, especially in relation to recruiting and in our Irish history sessions. I hope we continue to have the Irish history portion of the meetings.

Brothers, this past year has been a pleasure and I look forward to a great new year with you all!

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***GOD SAVE OUR COUNTRY***

Pray the Rosary. We have a LOT to pray for and pray about. Religious freedom still applies. Pray also for all those threatened by the hurricanes and floods this spring.

**Upcoming Events**

**The Christmas Season is upon us!**

December 6, 2013

Division Christmas Dinner

December 12, 2013      Division Meeting & New Officers

***Note: Membership Dues for 2014 will be due shortly!***

### ***Recent Activities***



Frank King welcomes our newest member, Jack Simila, into the Kelly Division at our last November meeting.

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**Division Party on December 6th at O'Toole's Restaurant**



Here's a few pictures from our Annual AOH Christmas Party. Frank is congratulating Larry King for being elected 2014 Division President.

Just click [here](#) to see the show.

### *Our Friendship Motto*

An important item I want to mention is a program to reach out to our past AOH members. Some have ask if they can come back or have expressed an interest in doing so. Several are members of the St. Edward K of C council. This needs to be discussed at the October meeting.

### Prayer List

**Kevin Hogan's** parents are both in need of our prayers. His mother, Louise, has been the caregiver for Pat, and the role is exhausting. Also, **Kevin's** sister has just had knee surgery!

**Mike Dougherty** and his brother-in-law James Cramsie

**Mike Dougherty's** daughter-in-



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### 2013 Officers

**President**

Frank King, Jr.

**Vice-President**

Mike McGee

**Treasurer**

Dan Harrington

**Recording Secretary**

Larry Kelly

**Financial Secretary**

Bill Murphy

law, Gale Dougherty, recovering from quintuple coronary bypass heart surgery

**Brian McLaughlin's** father, Martin and mother Maryann

**Kevin Walsh's** mother, Bonnie and son.

**Rick Brennan's** wife

**Two children:** Adam, aged four and Sylvia, aged 9, both battling cancer.

**Gale Dougherty** (daughter-in-law) recovering from quintuple bypass surgery.

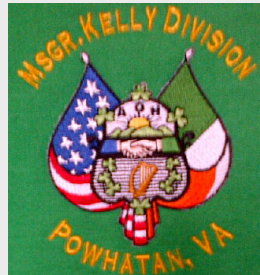
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**Note:** Please notify Brother Kevin Walsh if you wish to add or change anyone's status on our prayer list.

### In Memorium

**Michael Kelly**-James  
Dunn's brother-in-law  
**Elwanda Cart**-Glenda  
King's mother

AOH Kelly Division logo  
(below) and embroider



your name.

Names can be embroidered in Celtic font or, if you wish, your name in Irish. Check out the selections in her catalog.

### **Standing Committee**

Mike Dougherty

#### **Marshall**

Jim Dunn

#### **Sentinel**

Rick Brennan

#### **Compassion Committee**

Kevin Walsh

**Robert Broderick**-Brother-in-law of Dan Harrington  
**Seamus Heaney-(1939-2013)** Irish Poet and more...,  
1995 Nobel Prize in Lit.  
**Ray Olson's** sister

*God grant them eternal rest*



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## Division History

The Msgr. Charles Kelly, Jr. Division of the Ancient Order of Hibernians was formed in December 2009 and conducted it's first meeting on January 21, 2010 at St. John Neumann Church, Powhatan, Virginia. The next few meetings were taken up with election of officers and the many procedural items needed to organize the Division. We later moved to our current meeting location at St. Joseph's Church.

Since that time we continue to grow, adding new members and supporting and donating to Catholic schools and Churches in the area, in line with our committment to Friendship, Unity and Christian Charity.





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