

REV. JAMES T. O'REILLY DIVISION 8
LADIES ANCIENT ORDER OF HIBERNIANS

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LAOH NEWS OF INTEREST

NOVEMBER Monthly Meeting: Our next meeting will be held downstairs at the Claddagh Pub and Restaurant, 399 Canal St., Lawrence, MA on **Wednesday, November 9, 2022 at 7:30PM after the joint meeting with the men at 7:00PM.** Please try to make the effort to attend. If this should change, or if there are any other updates regarding this meeting, they will be posted on our Division website and Facebook page.

Division 8 LAOH and AOH have a couple more events scheduled and we are all hoping that we have a good turnout at all.

AN IRISH AFTERNOON AND BUFFET – Division 8 AOH and LAOH will be jointly hosting an Irish afternoon of music with The **Jolly Tinkers** on **November 27, 2022** at the Claddagh Pub and Restaurant. Tickets will be available at the November meeting or by contacting President Anne-Marie Nyhan-Doherty at 978-390-3400 or President Bill Sullivan at 978-376-4356. See the enclosed flyer.

AN IRISH CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL – We will be hosting our second annual Irish Christmas festival on **December 11, 2022** at the Claddagh Pub and Restaurant. We will have entertainment and great vendors. There is also an O'Shea-Chaplin ceili upstairs with the Silver Spears that is being held in conjunction with our event. Entry fee of \$15.00 gets one in for both events. A committee was formed and we met to work on plans for this event. If you would like to participate in the committee, please contact Anne-Marie at dancingds@comcast.net or 978-390-3400. Let's make it bigger and better than last year! See the enclosed flyer.

DIVISION 8 CHRISTMAS PARTY – will be held on **December 14, 2022 at 6:30PM.** More information will follow in the upcoming newsletter and at our upcoming meeting. Tickets are \$20.00 for a delicious meal from the Claddagh Pub and Restaurant and a fun night of raffles is planned. Tickets will be available at our November meeting or by calling President Anne-Marie Nyhan-Doherty at 978-390-3400 or President Bill Sullivan at 978-376-4356. As you know, this takes the place of our December monthly meeting.

Christmas Calendar – The annual Christmas Calendar will be included in next month's newsletter mailing. It will also be available at next month's meeting.

NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS – Nominations for office took place in October and elections will take place at the November meeting. As stated previously, this term of office for both the LAOH and AOH and Juniors will for two years in order to be consistent with our past practice. If anyone is interested in running for an office and is ready to fulfill the commitment, your name can still be entered into nomination at the November meeting.

The following Ladies were nominated for office:

President – Anne-Marie Nyhan-Doherty
Vice President – Carol Calderon
Secretary – Marie Pacheco
Treasurer – Ellen Melvin
Historian – Helen Mathison
Financial Secretary – Joyce Buckley
Catholic Action – Cathy Callahan
Missions & Charities – Nora Carroll Bevilacqua
Mistress at Arms – Kathleen Melvin
Sentinel – Lisa Breen

Reminder: Our Division has a website that is updated monthly, may we suggest that you take a look at it sometime. It is www.div8aoh.com. Our newsletter is posted typically on the first of every month.

Parking – Please know that there has been the occasion when there is a charge to park in the parking lot adjacent to the Claddagh. Although we apologize, we have no control over the use of that lot nor does the Claddagh. If the Claddagh parking lot is full, we would suggest on street parking or other parking lots in the area that are free.

Let us continue to pray for those that are mourning losses within their family.

DATES TO REMEMBER

November 27, 2022 – An Irish Afternoon and Buffet with The Jolly Tinkers – Claddagh Pub

***December 11, 2022– An Irish Christmas Festival with entertainment and possible vendors
(downstairs in the Claddagh Pub)***

***And an Irish Ceili with the Silver Spears and dancing (upstairs)
sponsored by the O’Shea Chaplin School of Irish Dance
(partially funded by the Lawrence Cultural Council)***

December 14, 2022 – AOH and LAOH Christmas Party – Claddagh Pub –

***Note: All events that are to take place at The Claddagh Pub and Restaurant, 399 Canal St.,
Lawrence, MA there are no Patriots’ games on any of these dates!!***

If you say one

Prayer in your lifetime,

say thank you and it will be enough

HAPPY THANKSGIVING TO ALL