

Catholic War Veterans

Of the United States of America
St. Vitus Post 1655

DECEMBER 2020 NEWSLETTER

THERE WILL BE **NO OFFICERS MEETING IN DECEMBER.** OUR REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING WILL BE TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15TH IN THE POST MEETING ROOM. TIME IS 7:30 P.M.

SET UP FOR THE NATIVITY SCENE OUTSIDE ST. VITUS CHURCH WAS ON FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 27TH. WE HAD 9 “VOLUNTEERS” (CLARA ABRIANI, RON GENOVESE, JOE HOCEVAR, JOHN KIRK, TOM KIRK, ED MEJAC, LARRY STERK, BOB VENABLES, AND RAY YARTZ) ENJOY THE “WARM, NOVEMBER SUN” TO PUT UP THE DISPLAY. ALSO, SPECIAL THANKS TO CLARA ABRIANI, JOE HOCEVAR, AND RAY YARTZ FOR DECORATING THE POST FOR THE CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS.

THE FOURTH TEN DOLLAR RAFFLE DRAWING TOOK PLACE AFTER THE CRIB SETUP ON NOVEMBER 27TH. THE WINNERS WERE: \$200 – JOHN KIRK (#76); \$100 – DON KERN (#21); \$100 – LARRY STERK (#2); \$50 – RON GENOVESE (#89); AND \$50 – JOHN ANTONIAK (#87). THANKS TO EVERYONE FOR PARTICIPATING IN THESE FUNDRAISERS, AND A SPECIAL THANKS TO RON GENOVESE FOR RUNNING THEM.

SINCE WE DID NOT HAVE A REVERSE RAFFLE THIS YEAR DUE TO THE PANDEMIC, THESE DRAWINGS WERE ESTABLISHED AS A MEANS TO REPLACE SOME OF THE LOST REVENUE FOR THE POST FROM THE REVERSE RAFFLE. FOR THOSE NOT ATTENDING THE MEETINGS, THEY CAN SUPPORT THE POST BY PURCHASING A \$10 SQUARE OR TWO (OR MORE!) ON THE RAFFLE BOARD. THEY CAN SEND A CHECK, **MADE PAYABLE TO THE POST**, TO RON (516 DICKERSON ROAD, WILLOWICK, OH 44095-4221) OR TO THE POST (6101 LAUSCHE AVENUE, CLEVELAND, OH 44103-1564). SQUARES WILL ALSO BE AVAILABLE EVERY SATURDAY AFTER THE 4 P.M. MASS AT THE POST OR AT THE GENERAL MEETINGS. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, RON CAN BE REACHED AT 440-943-5190.

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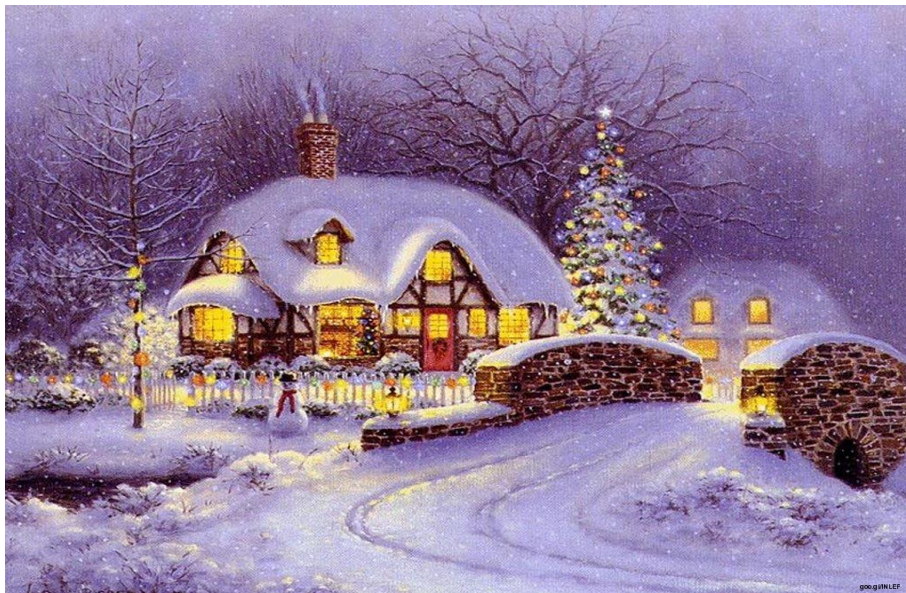
FOR THOSE VETS WHO MAY WANT A BETTER COPY OF THEIR DISCHARGE PAPERS (OR THOSE WHO STILL NEED TO SUBMIT A COPY), YOU CAN GO TO THE FOLLOWING WEBSITE TO REQUEST A COPY, BUT THEY ARE ONLY TAKING EMERGENCY REQUESTS AT THIS TIME DUE TO REDUCED STAFFING DUE TO COVID-19: <http://vetrecs.archives.gov/>. FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS ONCE YOU HAVE GAINED ACCESS. BEFORE YOU ENTER ANY PERSONAL INFORMATION, MAKE SURE THAT THE WEBSITE CHANGES TO A SECURE WEBSITE.

ON BEHALF OF THE ENTIRE BOARD OF OFFICERS, WE WISH A BLESSED AND SAFE HOLIDAY SEASON TO ALL OF OUR MEMBERS, WIDOWS, AND THEIR FAMILIES. MAY THE MANY BLESSINGS THAT WE CELEBRATED AT THANKSGIVING AND THE JOY OF OUR SAVIOR'S BIRTH AT CHRISTMAS BE WITH YOU ALL THROUGH THE YEAR.

YOURS IN C.W.V.,

Thomas J. Kirk

THOMAS J. KIRK
POST 2ND VICE COMMANDER



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