MISSION STATEMENT: We, the members of the Catholic Kolping Society of America, extend the vision of our founder, Blessed Adolph Kolping, by promoting the development of the individual and family; we foster a sense of belonging and friendship through our program of spiritual, educational, charitable and social activities.

JULY

Tropical Night
Saturday, July 22

Kolping-on-Hudson presents our annual hot and exciting Tropical Night!

Our DJ will provide great music and there will be lots of dancing under the stars. The dinner begins at 7pm.

DINNER & DANCING: $25 for Members/$30 for Non-Members
DANCING ONLY: $10

Dinner: Choice of Sweet & Sour Chicken or Roast Loin of Pork
with Rice Pilaf, Vegetables, Salad, dessert & coffee

Call for details and reservations: (914) 736-0117

KOLPING ON HUDSON FOOD DRIVE

Our Food Drive will continue at all KOH events. Please bring non-perishable food items such as pasta, canned soup, vegetables, tuna, crackers, cookies, peanut butter, jams/jellies, coffee and tea. Your generosity will be much appreciated.
Milestones & Passages

Everyone could use the power of prayer now and again. If you or anyone you know is in need of prayer, please let us know and we will be happy to include them within the “in our prayers” list. Please contact Jan Kessler (914-462-7649) or email jkessny@aol.com when you know of a member who is ill, in the hospital, or has passed away. We want to be sure to remember them.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO THOSE BORN IN JULY:

SPECIAL JULY BIRTHDAYS:
Special birthday wishes to Lyn Price and Gary Raniolo.

If you know someone celebrating a milestone birthday or anniversary, please let us know so we can include it in the Bulletin. Please email either me at editor@kolpingny.org or Jan Kessler at jkessny@aol.com.

THANK YOU
A very big thank you to the following volunteers at KOH for all their work in getting the raffle tickets sorted and mailed out to everyone: Helmi Pinner, Johanna McGreevy, Trudy Miksits, and Heidi Umland. We thank all the members who purchased the tickets and wish you good luck in winning a 42-inch flat screen TV or cash prizes. Winning tickets will be drawn at KOH Oktoberfest on August 19th. You need not be there, but we hope to see you. All proceeds from the raffle sales will benefit Kolping on Hudson.

CONGRATULATIONS! Submitted by Marilyn Dengler
We are proud to report the graduations and commissioning of Kolping Members:

ALEXANDRA COJOCARU from University of Rhode Island, Bachelor of Science, Magna cum Laude in Marine Biology and Environmental Sciences, on May 20, 2017. “Allie” is a daughter of members, Romeo and Therese Dengler Cojocaru.

NORBERT JOSEPH DENGLER III from Villanova University, Bachelor of Science, on May 20, 2017; and was commissioned as an Ensign in the United States Navy, assigned as a Surface Warfare Officer reporting to the Guided Missile Destroyer: DDG in Norfolk, Virginia. “Norb” is the son of members, Norbert J. Dengler II and Reyna Dengler. Both graduates are the grandchildren of members Norbert and Marilyn Dengler.

KOH DINNER IN HONOR OF DORIS PETSCHE Submitted by Maria Stang
The dinner was held by her son Frank and daughter-in-law Becky. Her godson Jim gave a touching speech about Doris. We are all thankful and will always remember her.
News & Notes

JOE SARTORIUS COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP
The scholarship committee is happy to announce that there were five applications submitted. The judges had a difficult time in choosing among the fine young adults who had applied. The two winners were:

Genevieve Longworth—First Prize $2,000 (Fordham University)
Daughter of Michael & Victoria Longworth, granddaughter of Norbert & Marilynn Dengler

Anna Buono—Second Prize $1,000 (Mercy College)
Daughter of Mary & John Buono

We are proud of all the applicants who applied and wish them well in their college education and success in their future endeavors.

—Bob Hemsing, Scholarship Committee Chairman

KOH FOURTH OF JULY BARBECUE
We look forward to seeing everyone on Tuesday July 4th at KOH for a great relaxing day. All your family and friends will enjoy a wonderful lunch starting at 1pm, including all your favorite BBQ food plus homemade salads and desserts. The cost is $15.00 per person—drinks and pool rates are separate. Reservations are not necessary.

FRIDAY NIGHT COCKTAILS
Stop by for a relaxing evening at KOH—Christine will be there to serve your favorite cocktail. You may have a food item that you would like to bring and share—could be chips and dip, pizza, pasta salads, or any one of your favorite snacks. Friday night cocktails begin at 6pm.

ACCORDIONS IN BRYANT PARK (NYC)
From June 21st until August 2nd, accordions will be featured every Wednesday evening at Bryant Park. Each week will feature different accordionists and genres of music from around the world. On July 19th at 6:00 and 7:00, Kolping member Don Simons will be playing American Swing music. Open to the public, FREE, and just a short walk from Grand Central Terminal.

KOH POOL HOURS
The weekend hours are from 11-7pm, and starting Monday, June 26, the pool will open during the week from 12-6pm. For pool passes/prices contact Heidi Umland: heidiumland@verizon.net

FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK!
Use it as a source to get Kolping updates throughout the month or a place to share photos with your Kolping friends

GERMAN MASS St. Joseph’s in Yorkville, 404 E. 87th St.
Every first Sunday of the month, the Holy sacrifice of the Mass is celebrated in German at 10am. Confessions in German before Mass. For information please call Julia Winter (347-852-3184). For information regarding counseling and sacraments in German, please contact Rev. James Boniface Ramsey, Pastor (212-289-6030).

OUR HOLY FATHER’S JULY 2017 INTENTION
LAPPED CHRISTIANS.
That our brothers and sisters who have strayed from the faith, through our prayer and witness to the Gospel, may rediscover the merciful closeness of the Lord and the beauty of the Christian life.
On this day we pause to honor all military members who died in service for this Country. Kolping on Hudson held its annual Memorial Day BBQ and we thank all of you who chose to spend this rainy and cold day with us. Although the weather was not the greatest, there was plenty of food and good cheer to go around and we hope that everyone had a relaxing time.

Huge thank yous to all of the volunteers and staff that worked under the tents grilling and in the kitchen with all of the preparations and cleanup: Helmi Pinner, Steve Brunner, Nick Colletti, Tracie Truncelitto, Miriam Herman, Gerry Ladenhauf, Al Ahrens, Michael Scheuermann, Jennifer Scheuermann, Richie Povolonis, and Heidi Umland.

And, many thanks to Hans and Doris Lechner for the wonderful assortment of desserts they donated for us to enjoy!
The weekend weather report was looking like Father's Day was going to be a washout, but once again Father Kolping smiled down on us and kept the rain at bay except for a quick sun shower—we even had some sun and the pool was open! We thank you all for not letting the rain stop you from coming down and enjoying a nice meal along the Hudson with your Kolping Friends and Family. We served a total of approximately 150 dinners in two seatings. The menu consisted of Garlic Mashed Potatoes, Sauerkraut, Fresh Ham and Gravy. And for dessert, we hope you enjoyed the house-made Apple Strudel with vanilla ice-cream and caramel drizzle.

This Father's Day weekend was extra special for me because even though we were working in the Kitchen and my mom was not able to join us (she is on the mend from knee surgery), I was lucky enough to spend it with my Dad Al Ahrens, my two sisters Beverly Cantu and Evelyn Ryzerski and my husband Mike Scheuermann. And on Saturday, my oldest niece Anneli Cantu joined us in the Kitchen and helped make the Apple Strudel. Thank you guys so much for all the help and support.

Many thanks and much applause to the waitstaff for the day: James, Paloma, Kristen, Julia, and Emily. You guys did a phenomenal job of getting the dinners served and the dining room turned over for the second seating. Thank you!

We hope everyone enjoyed their meal and had a nice time relaxing and chatting with old friends and maybe even met some new friends. Hope to see you all again soon!

FATHER'S DAY MASS

Thank you Fr. Bretone for always making the long trip from Brooklyn to celebrate mass during our special events at KOH—we enjoyed the beautiful music provided by Don Simons and Eva. Immediately after mass, Fr. Bretone, Katrina Dengler, and Gerhard Schmitt inducted three new Kolping family members: Robert & Eva Lupica, Kate Elliott, Gregg Scank and Claire & Olivier Mathey.

Bob Hemsing, Chairman of the Scholarship Committee, announced the college scholarship essay winners and we congratulate Genevieve Longworth and Anna Buono and wish them the best.
Scholarship News

2017 KOLPING FORDHAM PREP SCHOLARSHIP

The Kolping Scholarship committee will be awarding a $2500.00 one time scholarship to a son or grandson of a Kolping member. The student must be enrolled and entering the Prep in September 2017.

If no one applies who is a Freshman, the award could go to a Sophomore, Junior or Senior, but not someone who has previously applied.

All applicants please submit name, address, phone number, relationship to Kolping member and proof of enrolled at Fordham Prep and whether freshman, sophomore, junior or senior.

Also, submit a short statement about yourself and any service you have done for your church, school and/or community.

All applications must received by August 7, 2017.

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2017 KOLPING CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP

The Kolping Scholarship committee will be awarding a $2000.00 one time scholarship to a son, daughter, grandson or granddaughter of a Kolping member. The student must be enrolled and a Catholic High School in September 2017.

If no one applies who is a Freshman, the award could go to a Sophomore, Junior, or Senior but not some one who has previously applied.

All applicants please submit name, address, phone number, relationship to Kolping member and proof of enrollment at a Catholic High School, and whether freshman, sophomore, junior or senior.

Also submit a small statement about yourself and service you have done for church, school and/or community.

All applications must received by August 7, 2017.

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Please send your application to Bob Hemsing
Mailing address: 1106 Half Moon Bay Drive, Croton on Hudson, NY 10520.
Phone: 914-552-7188 / Email: Bob42@optonline.net

If any questions, please call Bob Hemsing at 914-552-7188

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Call Heidi for reservations at 914-736-0117

What's Cooking?

July 2017
Dinner Schedule

Saturday, July 1
*Italian dinner:* Prepared by Nick & Lou Colletti

Sunday, July 2
Goulash, noodles, vegetable, dessert & coffee

Tuesday, July 4
*FOURTH OF JULY BBQ*
Ribs, burgers, bratwurst and salads

Saturday, July 8
Mexican buffet

Sunday, July 9
Sliced flank steak, porcini mushroom sauce, roasted potatoes, vegetables, dessert & coffee

Friday, July 14
All you can eat Pasta buffet for $10

Saturday, July 15
*MURDER MYSTERY DINNER*
$25 includes 1 cocktail, hors-d’oeuvres, chicken cordon bleu, stuffed baked potato, vegetables and dessert {banana foster}. Reservations necessary as the maximum is 65 people. Contact Heidi at 914-736-0117 or heidiumland@verizon.net

Sunday, July 16
Shrimp scampi, angel hair pasta, salad, vegetables, dessert & coffee

Saturday, July 22
*TROPICAL NIGHT*
Choice of sweet and sour checken or roast loin of pork with rice pilaf, vegetables, salad, dessert & coffee

Sunday, July 23
Asian crusted salmon or grilled chicken served over tossed salad greens with gorgonzola cheese and black beans & corn salsa

Saturday, July 29
Sausage and peppers over rice, garlic bread, dessert & coffee

Sunday, July 30
Half roasted chicken with potatoes, garlic bread, dessert & coffee

NOTE: Effective June 24th, Saturday night dinners will be at 6pm not 7pm.

**Menu subject to change based on availability and number of reservations.**
**Stories of Interest**

**New Members Brunch** submitted by Jan Kessler; photo by Edward Specht

All of our members and new members that attended the brunch enjoyed all the delicious breakfast items. There was definitely enough food choices for everyone. This is one of our favorite meals and many wish we could have it more often. We thank Kathy Weinborg, Jennifer Ahrens Scheuermann, Al Ahrens, Mike Scheuermann for preparing everything including made-to-order omelets, waffles, bacon, roast beef, bagels and desserts.

We thank Joe Szoldatits, Frank Kurcz, Ed Specht, Peter Mersit for all the work they did to set up Assmuth Hall for mass and our new member ceremony.

Fr. Bretone celebrated mass and we greatly appreciate Don Simons for his music and also the following new members that participated during mass: Larry Kunz, Tom Waitkins, John Wisniewski. Katrina Dengler, President, welcomed everyone and thanked all the staff and volunteers that do such a great job with the many details of planning and set up for our new member brunch and ceremony. A special thank you to Patti Graney and Chuck Smith for all of their help.

Katrina Dengler and Fr. Bretone inducted over 40 new members to our Kolping family. We are so pleased that several of our member’s children joined our Kolping Family—Edward & Lisa Specht’s daughter Julia Specht and John & Mary Buono’s daughter Anna Buono. Both are college students.

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**Dogs of War** submitted by Martin A. Kelly

Exactly 180 years ago, a German immigrant, Charles Feltman invented a tasty sausage sandwich of finely mixed pork called the “hot dog”.

The tantalizing taste of this “banquet in a bun” held sway of the public, especially the vacationers at the nearby resort—Coney Island. The influx foreigners to New York City created problems of crowding and the need for relaxation. Fortunately the city of New York was located on a series of islands, called the Brighton or Rockaways. They were connected by a subway system called the Culver Line: The king pin being Coney Island, a swimming resort, amusement park, and restaurants. Some of the mouthwatering specialties of Coney Island were: frozen custard, pizza, soft shell clams, salt-water taffy, etc.

To continue with the Feltman sausage, there was a competitor from within his own ranks, an employee. Nathan Handwerker, concocted his own version of the “frank” slightly inferior in taste, but 5 cents cheaper in price.

The competition continued but Faltman “threw in the towel” in 1946. More recently, however, Michael Quinn, a Brighton Beach native, has restored the competition between Feltman and Nathan. He has his own outlet on St. Marks place in Brooklyn and certain gourmet butcheries.

Descendants of both clans are anxious to see the outcome of this rivalry.

“Dogs of War”—N.Y. Post, M. Licea, April 16, 2017

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Michael Quinn has revived Charles Feltman’s original hot dog, which rivaled Nathan’s but lost the frank war in the ‘50s.
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