



## note the date

### november

- 1 All Saints' Day**  
All of the saints are honored, particularly those who do not have their own special feast day
- 4 Daylight Savings**  
Remember to move your clocks back an hour at 2 am
- 4 Communion Brunch**  
Kolping-on-Concourse
- 11 Veterans Day**  
Veterans are thanked for their services to the United States
- 13 Full Board Meeting**  
Kolping 88th Street
- 20 December Bulletin**  
Last day to submit material
- 22 Thanksgiving**  
Give thanks for your blessings

### december

- 2 Mass & Christmas Party/  
St. Nikolaus Day**  
Kolping-88th Street
- 2 First Sunday of Advent**  
Time to prepare for the coming of Christ at Christmas
- 25 Christmas Day**  
Celebrate the birth of Our Lord Jesus Christ

# November



## Kolping-on-Concourse COMMUNION LUNCHEON

Sunday, November 4, 2018 at 11:15am

This year's Kolping on Concourse Communion Luncheon will be held to honor the memory of **Rosemarie Lambot, Rita Fister, Ludwig Manz, Josef Sedlmair, Jean St. Germain, Joan McNamara, Maria Reuber, Linda Losonsky** and all deceased Kolping Members

Mass will begin at 11:15 am at St. Philip Neri Church located at 3025 Grand Concourse, Bronx, NY 10468 (718-733-3200).

A luncheon will follow immediately after Mass at Kolping on Concourse. The menu includes Chicken Cutlets, Potatoes, Vegetable, Salad, Dessert & Coffee.

The cost is \$12.00 per adult and \$6.00 per child. Call or email: Joan Dengler for reservations: 914.432.2535 or [kolpingny@gmail.com](mailto:kolpingny@gmail.com)



Kolping 88th Street

## Christmas Party & St. Nikolaus Day Celebration

Sunday, December 2, 2018

Please look inside  
for more details!



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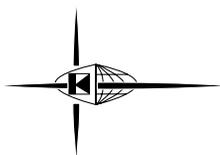
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# Milestones & Passages



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 Joan Smyth Dengler (914-432-2535) or email kolpingny@gmail.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.

Please keep up the prayers for our Praeses, **Father Richard Bretone**. Father Richard injured his ankle pretty badly during the annual retreat at Heaven's Embrace. His activities are limited while he recuperates. Please keep him in your daily prayers and pray to Blessed Adolph Kolping for a full recovery.



## HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO THOSE BORN IN NOVEMBER:

Christopher Beloff, Marlene Bitterman, Mark Buckel, Michael Byrne, Lucille Colletti, Nicholas Colletti, Phyllis Coletti, Anne-Sophie D'Alton, Michael Debenedictis, Martin Dengler, Kelly Dengler, Ryan Dengler, Jen DeVeauh, Amanda DeSharnais, Sheila Donnelly, Dawn Dowgiallo, James Farley, Thomas Franz, Mark Franzoso, Brian Franzoso, Gregory Fuchek, Deborah Funnell, Jacki Geoghegan, George Gonda, Janet Gonda, William Grimm, Christine Groseclose, Dieter Grossmann, Wolfgang Hahn, Margaret Halvey, Arthur Harkins, Donna Harkins, Robert Hemsing, Jr., Matthew Kern, Maggie Kid, Mark Koenig, Elizabeth Kogler, Ladislav Korcek, Waltraut Korcek, Robert Lockwood, Andrew Marrussich, Ana Morris, Renate Oelerking, Asta Ondracek, Brian O'Reilly, Kristen Palmer, Jordan Parra, Daryl Paxson, Deborah Plunkett, Nicole Rios, Peter Sedlmair, Don Simons, Hugo Stang, Maria Stang, Ingrid Stehle, Edward Stinson, Linda Szoldatits, Theresa Tretter, M.D., Chris Ulrich, George Ulrich, Anna Venditti, Paula Vogl, Gino Volpi, John Weigand, Maria Weigand, Eric Weltner, and Kathleen Williams.

## SPECIAL NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS:

Special Birthday Wishes to those celebrating milestone birthdays—**Nick Colletti, Mark Franzoso,** and **Robert Hemsing, Jr.**

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 Joan Smyth Dengler at kolpingny@gmail.com.

## THANK YOU

Special thanks to all who donated winter coats of all sizes and colors to help the Midnight Run of Westchester to keep those less fortunate warm this winter. We were able to collect 32 coats and 100 pairs of gloves! Such a special way to give thanks for all we have!

## SARTORIUS SCHOLARSHIP

Graduates of St. Ignatius School in the Bronx visited K88 at the October Board Meeting. These eight scholars were selected as recipients of the Joseph Sartorius Memorial Scholarships.

St. Ignatius School grew out of the Nativity Mission School system that many are familiar with. St. Ignatius' guidance: "Love is shown more in deeds than in words" meshes beautifully with Father Kolping's directive to "let the needs of the times teach us what to do" when our Kolping Society steps up to help these young people achieve success. Their Mission statement is simple and direct: St. Ignatius School empowers students in the South Bronx to become their best selves by creating a safe and nurturing community that fosters intellectual, spiritual, and social growth. Their Vision is even more powerful: "Our hope for our students is that they may embody the Five Pillars of Jesuit education." They strive to help the young scholars be:

- Open to Growth
- Intellectually Competent
- Religious
- Loving
- Committed to Doing Justice

The eight students range from 9th-12th grades and are attending Catholic High Schools in New York—Mount St. Michael Academy, St. Jean Baptiste, Xavier, Cardinal Spellman, Cathedral and All Hallows. The youth are articulate and ambitious with college interests ranging from mental health to campus ministry to cheer and dance. The common threads that we heard were a welcoming of the challenges presented to them and an appreciation of the family feeling that they get in their Catholic High Schools.

For more information on St. Ignatius School, you can check out their website at [www.sis-nativity.org](http://www.sis-nativity.org).

# 2018 DUES

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# News & Notes

## FAMILY SKI TRIP SAVE THE DATE

Join us for our annual ski trip at the Mountaineer Mount Snow from Friday to Sunday, March 8-10, 2019 (or you can extend if desired, start Thursday and enjoy the peace and tranquility of the midweek Mountain!)

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR AND RESERVE NOW!

Sunday December 2nd is our St Nick Party. And, if you're bringing children age 10 or younger, please email Joan today at kolpingny@gmail.com so she can prep Santa's elves.

## NATIONAL KOLPING RAFFLE

Please remember to send in your raffle tickets to Patricia Farkas for a chance to win a cash prize. Patricia will be attending the Kolping House St. Nick Party on December 2 and will announce the winners.

## BAVARIAN CLUB EDELWEISS CHRISTKINDLMARKT

Bavarian Club Edelweiss is holding their CHRISTKINDLMARKT on November 10th from 10am to 4pm. Wonderful gifts for yourself or a loved one. Delicious food. Free admission and free parking. See the flyer in this Bulletin.

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## BILINGUAL SERVICE

At the present time we have a Bilingual Service. The service is usually from 11am till 12 noon (in German and English). Jeder is willkommen / All are welcome! Communion will be held on the 2nd and 4th Sunday of each month. After each service we will have a coffee hour in the Parish Hall.

## WEIHNACHTSFEIER / CHRISTMAS PARTY

Sunday, December 9, 2018 from 1-3pm. Contribution is \$10.

## GET YOUR KOLPING BULLETIN FASTER – VIA EMAIL!

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## 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 NOVEMBER 2018 INTENTION**

**IN SERVICE OF PEACE:** That the language of love and dialogue may always prevail over the language of conflict.

# Schlachtfest Dinner at KOH

Photos by Jen Scheuermann and Joan Dengler

2018's Schlachtfest was a wonderful, fun-filled celebration of food and friends. Our Head Chefs, Jen Scheuermann and Kathy Weinborg led their team of talented helpers (Nick Colletti, Mike Scheuermann and Alfred Vogl) to make a great meal for all present.

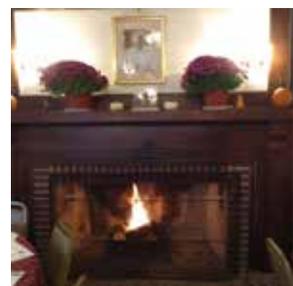
John Reitter led us in grace before meals. Then the parade of deliciousness began. We started with cucumber slices, piped with a creamy cheese rosette and topped with a gloriously ripe half-tomato. Bratwurst and sautéed onions nestled into pretzel rolls followed. Next up were the potato pancakes—those Kartoffelpfannkuchen war sehr sehr gut! Even though we were sated with the first three courses, the Kassler Rippchen (smoked pork chops) with Sauerkraut and mashed potatoes came out next. The final course was a scrumptious Black Forest Cake. Kevin, Sophia, Emily and Alexa made a lot of trips back and forth from dining room to kitchen to make this wonderful meal run smoothly. Christine Kern staffed the bar with a delicious array of offerings to complement the food.

The day is made possible by Heidi Umland who oversees the planning and preparation of all our celebrations in Montrose and Rich Povilonis who ensures that our facilities and grounds are beautiful and well cared for. We were delighted to welcome back Kolping member Daniel Dengler who has been ordained a Dominican Priest and is now Father Pier Giorgio. Father presided at his first Mass in Assmuth Hall. His adorable nieces (the Reyes girls) helped in the Offertory procession.



# KOH Closeout Party

photos by Jen Scheuermann, Maria Stang and Joan Dengler



# *175 Anniversary of St. Patrick Church* submitted by Ann Hemsing



On Sunday, October 7, Archbishop Timothy Dolan celebrated Mass at St. Christopher St. Patrick Church in Verplank. The Mass commemorated the 175 anniversary of St. Patrick Church, the first church north of New York City. Kathy Weinborg and Bob Hemsing participated in the liturgy.

At the reception after mass Bob and Ann and Kathy and Mike reminded Cardinal Dolan of his visits to Kolping 88th Street. He was happy to recall his time (and food and drink!) there and is looking forward to another invitation!

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## German Cuisine is a Treat for Travelers

submitted by Martin A. Kelly [Story based on article by Rick Steves/Sunday Oct 21, 2018 Daily News]



*Sampling one of Germany's hundreds of varieties of sausage from a street vendor is a classic German experience. (Rick Steves' Europe)*

There has been an invasion of Germany; not by armed forces, but by chefs! Traditionally, German cuisine has been sausages—hundreds of varieties of Bratwurst, Weisswurst, etc., sauerkraut and potatoes. It's a fast, tasty staple of the Germanic diet. Most restaurants offer it (often as the cheapest thing on the menu), but it's more commonly eaten at take-out fast-food stands. You may even see portable human hot-dog stands – cooks in clever harnesses that let them grill and sell hot dogs while standing under an umbrella. But something new has been added—get ready for surprises on the menu.

Because of the nearness of foreign cultures and their own dishes, the German taste has been amalgamated. For example, in the west where Germany shoulders up to France, look for Alsatian Flammkuchen, a version of white pizza, on a thin, yeastless dough; the classic version is topped with bacon and onions. In the east, where Germany neighbors Poland and the Czech Republic, you'll find Königsberger Klopse, meatballs with capers and potatoes in a white sauce (a tasty ensemble ready to tease your palate), and Senfeier, hard-boiled eggs in mustard sauce served with potatoes. Up north in Berlin, Stolzer Heinrich (grilled sausage in beer sauce) and Currywurst (basically grilled pork sausage smothered with curry sauce) reign supreme.

Other parts of Germany offer similar varieties of native dishes to augment the standard German fare which is putting Germany in the same league with France for fanciful dining.

And here's even more good news: Eating well in Germany is an amazing value—cheaper than in France, Britain, Italy or Scandinavia. Eating in Germany is a big part of the fun of traveling there. Ingredients are wonderful, traditions are prized, "modern German cuisine" is giving old dishes tasty and entertaining new twists, and small, creative foodie places are thriving in every city.

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## If We Learned from Dogs (author unknown)

submitted by Katherine and Walter Weigand

We would...

Always run to greet our loved ones when they come home.  
Never pass up the opportunity to go for a joyride.  
Experience the ecstasy of the wind in your face.  
When it's in your best interest, practice obedience.  
Let others know when they've invaded your territory.  
Take naps and stretch before rising.  
Run, romp, and play every day.  
Thrive on attention and touching.  
Avoid biting when a simple growl will do.  
Stop to lie on your back on the grass.

Drink lots of water and lay under a shady tree on hot days.

Show when you're happy, let those who made you that way know it!  
Forgive those who scold you and... show them you love them.  
Delight in the simple joy of a long walk.  
Eat with gusto and enthusiasm.  
Stop when you have had enough.  
Be loyal and never betray a friend.  
Never pretend to be something you're not.  
Never give up... if something you want is buried, dig until you find it.  
And MOST of all... when someone is having a bad day, be silent, sit close by and let them know you love them

Bavarian Club Edelweiss

# Christkindlmarkt

“German Christmas Market”

**Saturday, November 10, 2018**

**10:00 am - 4:00 pm**



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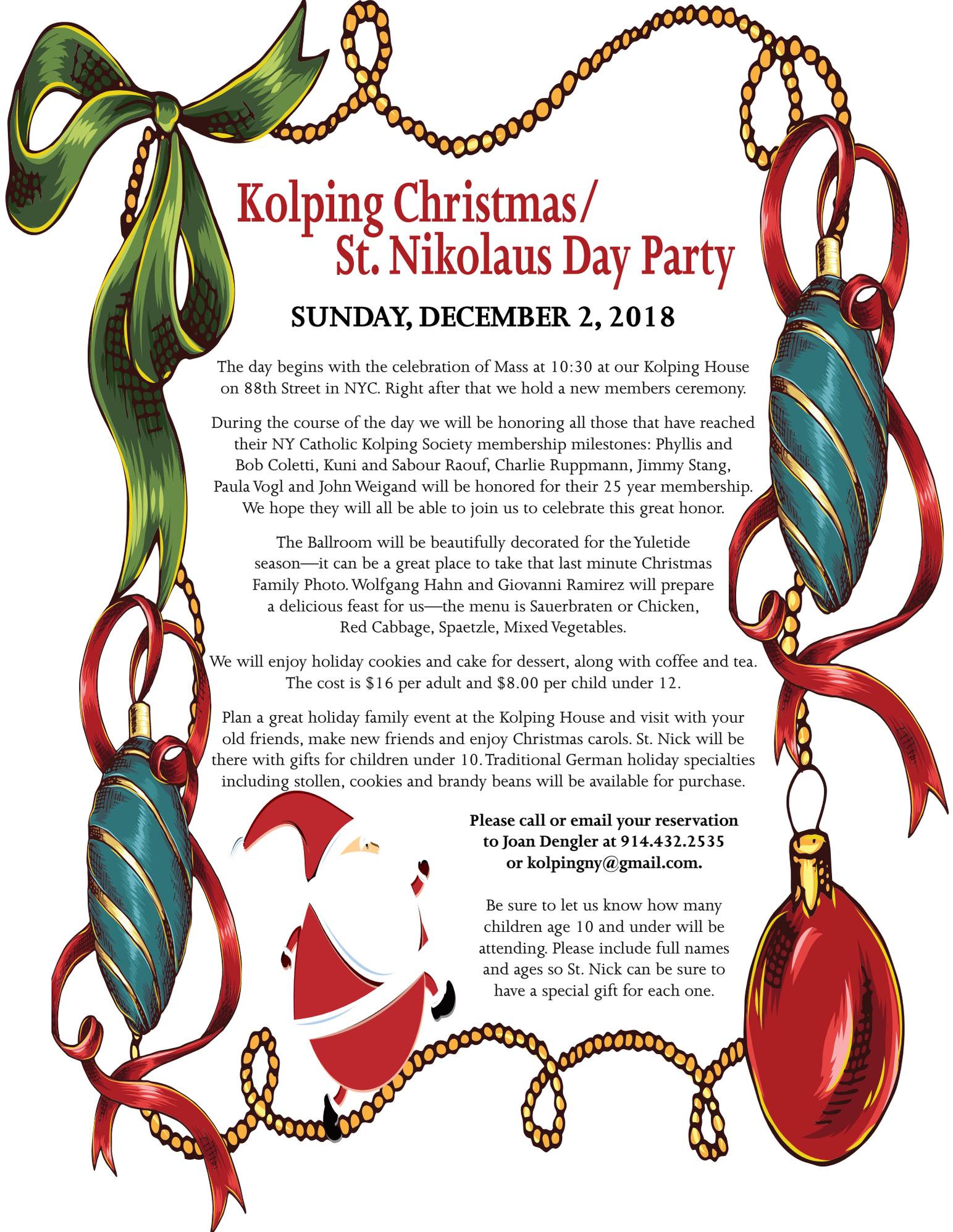
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# Kolping Christmas/ St. Nikolaus Day Party

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2018**

The day begins with the celebration of Mass at 10:30 at our Kolping House on 88th Street in NYC. Right after that we hold a new members ceremony.

During the course of the day we will be honoring all those that have reached their NY Catholic Kolping Society membership milestones: Phyllis and Bob Coletti, Kuni and Sabour Raouf, Charlie Ruppmann, Jimmy Stang, Paula Vogl and John Weigand will be honored for their 25 year membership. We hope they will all be able to join us to celebrate this great honor.

The Ballroom will be beautifully decorated for the Yuletide season—it can be a great place to take that last minute Christmas Family Photo. Wolfgang Hahn and Giovanni Ramirez will prepare a delicious feast for us—the menu is Sauerbraten or Chicken, Red Cabbage, Spaetzle, Mixed Vegetables.

We will enjoy holiday cookies and cake for dessert, along with coffee and tea. The cost is \$16 per adult and \$8.00 per child under 12.

Plan a great holiday family event at the Kolping House and visit with your old friends, make new friends and enjoy Christmas carols. St. Nick will be there with gifts for children under 10. Traditional German holiday specialties including stollen, cookies and brandy beans will be available for purchase.

**Please call or email your reservation  
to Joan Dengler at 914.432.2535  
or [kolpingny@gmail.com](mailto:kolpingny@gmail.com).**

Be sure to let us know how many children age 10 and under will be attending. Please include full names and ages so St. Nick can be sure to have a special gift for each one.