

Catholic Record Society - Diocese of Columbus
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197 E. Gay Street

Columbus, Ohio 43215

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Annual Luncheon Meeting

The Society's annual luncheon meeting will be held at the Florentine Restaurant, 907 W. Broad Street in Columbus, on Saturday, February 10, 2001. We will begin gathering at 11:30a.m. and lunch will begin at about noon. Our guest speaker will be Dr. Ronald Hoffman, Director of the Omohundro Institute of Early American History and Culture and Professor in the Department of History, College of William and Mary. His talk will be, "Mythic Chords of Memory: The Carrolls in Ireland and Maryland."

Intrigued by the mystery surrounding the deliberately illegitimate birth of Charles Carroll of Carrollton, the only Roman Catholic signer of the Declaration of Independence, Ronald Hoffman set off on a quest for an explanation. The result, after years of research in Maryland and then in Ireland, is a book, Princes of Ireland, Planters of Maryland: A Carroll Saga, 1500-1782, that traces the journey of dispossessed descendants of Irish chieftains from their native Slieve Bloom Mountains in County Offaly to the province of Maryland, where, within three generations, they gained entry to the elite leadership circle of the American Revolution. Dr. Hoffman will share the experiences and insights he acquired in writing the story of these Carrolls.

Dr. Hoffman received his B.A. from George Peabody College and his M.A. and Ph.D. from the University of Wisconsin. He has served on numerous advisory and editorial boards and has written three books, edited or co-edited seventeen books and papers, and has written numerous journal articles and other publications. The Omohundro Institute of Early American History and Culture in Williamsburg, Va., is the only organization in the United States exclusively dedicated to the advancement of study, research, and publications bearing on the history and culture of early America until approximately 1815.

This will also be our biennial elections meeting, at which we will nominate and elect officers for 2001-2001, including chairman, vice chairman/secretary, and treasurer.

All lunches include salad, drink, and pie. Choice of entrees: roast beef with potatoes and gravy; grilled chicken breast with baked potato; or Pasta Antonio, pan-fried pork tenderloins, capicola ham, and provolone cheese layered with home-made spaghetti. Please indicate choice on form.

Make checks payable to Catholic Record Society and send with this form by February 4 to:
197 E. Gay Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215

For additional information contact:
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Luncheon Reservation Form

Enclosed is a check for _____ (\$18 each) for _____ reservations for the Catholic Record Society luncheon, noon, February 10, 2000.

Name(s): _____

Contact address: _____

Phone number for confirmation: _____

Number of each entree: beef _____ chicken _____ pasta _____

Gift to the Library

Columbus St. Mary High School, class of 1926, composite photograph
- gift of Patrick J. Mooney

Membership

Dues for calendar year 2001 are now payable. The cost of membership is \$15 for an individual (or two family members in one household). Institutional subscriptions to the Bulletin are \$25 per calendar year.

To date, we have 64 members and institutional subscriptions for 2001 (leaving about eighty-five unpaid, so far). Members enrolled for 2001 between October 10 and December 11, 2000 are:

Tim and Laura Arnold, Columbus
Helen C. Berens, Lancaster
Mary Boggs, Galloway
Dorothy M. Brunney, Columbus
Rev. Carl P. Clagett, Frazeyburg
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Amy L. Crow, Reynoldsburg
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 c/o Fr. Luke Tancrell, O.P., Columbus
Ellen Gordon Dye, West Palm Beach, Fla.
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