On behalf of the Board of Trustees, I am pleased to announce an important addition to the ranks of those who are actively doing the work of the Society in the American Region.

Effective with the December 2013 edition, Benjamin Guyer will become the editor and Richard J. Mammana, Jr. will become the co-editor of the SKCM News. With the exception of one year, Mark A. Wuonola, Ph.D., has been the editor since 1988. We are grateful for the opportunity to recruit these two talented young members, each already with a very fine scholarly reputation in our subject matter. The timing was right for them and us, so we are proceeding with this transition. Mark, who had been American Representative from 1988 until our incorporation in 2008 and then President from 2008 to late 2009, will continue in his role as the American Representative, Emeritus as the Society’s point man for Annual Masses & Luncheons and possibly edit some special publications — all areas in which he has a unique perspective and expertise to share.

We will be honoring Mark for his 25-year editorship at the luncheon following our Annual Mass in Boston (11 am, All Saints’ Parish, 209 Ashmont Street, Dorchester Center, MA 02124) on 26 January. The buffet luncheon costs $15 per person. If you have an interest in being there and are not already registered for the luncheon, please contact the parish office by 15 January at 617-436-6370, if your check is not already in the mail to them. Their parish website is http://allsaints.net/.

Also, the Treasurer is still receiving special contributions for the Annual Mass. These need to arrive by 15 January in order to be listed in the Mass program. See the second page of this Communiqué for a form — please email the Treasurer if there is a chance that your contribution will not arrive by the 15th so that your name can be included in the manner you prefer and in the desired category.

Please contact me at skcm_usa@verizon.net should you have any questions.

Fr. Bill Swatos, President
364th Anniversary of the Decollation of Saint Charles, King & Martyr

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Please make your check payable to ‘SKCM’ and send it by 15 January to facilitate planning and to ensure your name’s appearance in the program. Print your name below as it should be listed. You may combine all payments to the Society in a single check for efficiency.

Send payments, apart from luncheon reservations (which are to be sent to the parish), with this form to the Treasurer.

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