

# Memorial and Vesper Service

Grand Imperial Conclave of Canada

Sovereign Great Priory of Canada

August 17, 2023

**OFFICIANT**

R. Em. Kt. The Rev. Alan Akehurst, Grand Chaplain





## ORDER OF WORSHIP

### Gathering and Musical Prelude

Welcome Introduction of:

### Call to Worship

The God of peace grant us a quiet night and a perfect end. Amen.  
Our help is in the name of the Lord, **the maker of heaven and earth.**  
The angels of God guard us through the night, **and quiet the powers of darkness.**

The Spirit of God be our guide, **to lead us to peace and to glory.**  
It is but lost labour that we haste to rise up early, and so late take our rest,  
and eat the bread of anxiety.

**For those beloved of God are given gifts even while they sleep.**

Blessed are you, Holy God! When you said: "Let there be light" there was light and it was good. When your people fled from oppression, you led them with a pillar of fire. In Jesus Christ, your light shines in the darkness, and the darkness cannot overcome it. Blessed are you, God of light! Shine in our lives with the light of Christ that we might give you praise through him who lives and reigns with you and Holy Spirit, now and forever.

**Amen**

## **Confession**

We have wounded your love. **O God, heal us.**

We stumble in the darkness. **Light of the world, transfigure us.**

We forget that we are your home. **Spirit of God, dwell in us.**

Eternal Spirit, **living God, in whom we live and move and have our being,**

**all that we are, have been, and shall be is known to you.**

**In the very secret of our hearts you know all that rises to trouble us.**

**Living flame, burn into us. Cleansing wind, blow through us.**

**Fountain of water, well up within us; that we may love and praise in deed and in truth.**

**Amen.**

## Psalm 31:1–5

In you, O Lord, have I taken refuge; let me never be put to shame; \*  
deliver me in your righteousness.

Incline your ear to me; \* make haste to deliver me.

Be my strong rock, a castle to keep me safe, for you are my crag and my stronghold; \*

for the sake of your name, lead me and guide me.

Take me out of the net that they have secretly set for me, \* for you are my tower of strength.

Into your hands I commend my spirit, \*

for you have redeemed me, O Lord, O God of truth.

Glory to God,

Source of all being, eternal Word and Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning,  
is now and will be for ever.

Amen.

**Psalm 134** *read by the Grand Sovereign*

Behold now, bless the Lord, all you servants of the Lord,  
you that stand by night in the house of the Lord.  
Lift up your hands in the holy place and bless the Lord;  
the Lord who made heaven and earth bless you out of Zion.

**A Reading from the Gospel of John** *read by the Supreme Grand Master*

The next day the crowd that had stayed on the other side of the lake saw that there had been only one boat there. They also saw that Jesus had not got into the boat with his disciples, but that his disciples had gone away alone. Then some boats from Tiberias came near the place where they had eaten the bread after the Lord had given thanks. So, when the crowd saw that neither Jesus nor his disciples were there, they themselves got into the boats and went to Capernaum looking for Jesus.

When they found him on the other side of the lake, they said to him, 'Rabbi, when did you come here?' Jesus answered them, 'Very truly, I tell you, you are looking for me, not because you saw signs, but because you ate your fill of the loaves. Do not work for the food that perishes, but for the food that endures for eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you. For it is on him that God the Father has set his seal.'

**Homily** *(by the Grand Chaplain)*

**Offering  
Memorial Tribute**

*(Grand Sovereign)* Before we go our separate ways, let us take leave of our Knights Companion. May our farewell express our affection for them; may it ease our sadness and strengthen our hope. One day we shall joyfully greet them again when the love of Christ, which conquers all things, destroys even death itself.

*(Grand Recorder reads the names of the departed)*

*(Supreme Grand Master)* We mourn the loss of all of our Sir Knights who

shared their life with us and who completed their earthly crusade this past year. In solemn remembrance, we entrust each of them to the loving care of God.

*(Grand Chancellor reads the names of the departed)*

### **Laying of the Wreath and Cross**

*(Grand Marshall takes the cross from the Grand Chaplain and presents it to the Grand Viceroy, who places it on the altar with reverence and then says)*

This symbol of our faith is the Christian's hope and trust. By it, we are reminded of Gethsemane and its sorrows, Pilate's Judgment Hall, the pitiless Crown of Thorns, Calvary, and its agonies ... all so humanity might live and inherit life eternal. May we all, as true Knights of the Temple, ever glory in that Cross, ever glory in the significance of the truth it shows forth, and ever rejoice in it as the symbol of our confident hope beyond the grave. May our departed Brother Knights enjoy that peace that knows no measure! By our faith in the Risen Emmanuel, the great Captain of our salvation, may we, too – when our time comes – enter into that peaceful heaven prepared for us from the foundations of the world.

*(Grand Constable presents a wreath to the Deputy Grand Master, who places it on its stand with reverence and then says)*

By the birth, life, death, resurrection and ascension of our Blessed Lord and Savior, we are taught to live and die as Christians. Christ has gone before us to open the door of the Celestial Conclave, for he said: "In my Father's house are many rooms. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? When I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and take you to myself, that where I am, you may be also." Let us, then, give reverent attention to the words of God. May his revelations impress upon our minds the necessity to be always ready, for the best and wisest among us know not how soon our own call will come.

### **Silence for Remembrance and Musical Tribute**

**Prayer of Commendation** (*The Grand Chaplain*)

Father of all, we pray to you for those we love but see no longer. Grant them your peace; let light perpetual shine upon them; and in your loving wisdom and almighty power, work in them the good purpose of your perfect will, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Grant, O Lord, to all who are bereaved the spirit of faith and courage, that they may have strength to meet the days to come with steadfastness and patience; not sorrowing as those without hope, but in thankful remembrance of your great goodness, and in the joyful expectation of eternal life with those they love. And this we ask in the name of Jesus Christ our Saviour. **Amen.**

**The Lord's Prayer**

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,  
thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.**

**And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory,  
for ever and ever. Amen.**

**WE GO OUT TO SERVE GOD'S WORLD**

**Closing Hymn:** *Day Is Done, But Love Unfailing*

**1 Day is done but love unfailing dwells ever here;  
Shadows fall, but hope prevailing, calms ev'ry fear.  
Loving Father, none forsaking, take our hearts, of love's own making,  
Watch our sleeping, guard our waking, be always near.**

**2 Dark descends, but light unending shines through our night;  
You are with us, ever lending new strength to sight:  
One in love, your truth confessing, one in hope of heaven's blessing,  
May we see, in love's possessing, love's endless light!**

**3 Eyes will close, but you, unsleeping, watch by our side;  
Death may come, in love's safekeeping, still we abide.**

**God of love, all evil quelling, sin forgiving, fear dispelling,  
Stay with us, our hearts indwelling, this eventide.**

### **The Commissioning and Blessing**

As you leave this place to return to your cares,  
as you go out into the sweetness of this summer evening:  
may you be refreshed by our worship together.  
Share the heritage of your faith with the world.  
God will make of it more than you can imagine.  
For in Christ, we are a new creation!

May the love of the Risen Christ hold you always close;  
May the power of the Risen Christ fill your life with hope;  
May the presence of the Risen Christ fill your life with peace;  
May the blessing of the God of life and love everlasting  
be with you and keep you, in this moment and forevermore.  
Amen. **Amen!**

Recessional for the Official Party

**Musical Postlude** (*The Grand Organist*)

**SIR KNIGHTS EMBARKED ON THEIR LAST CRUSADE IN 2022**

**London District 1**

**Richard Coeur de Lion Preceptory No. 4**

<b>Ralph Craig Neely</b>	July 24 <sup>th</sup> , 2022
<b>Erich Schaeffer</b>	August 16 <sup>th</sup> , 2022
<b>G. Edward Noseworthy</b>	October 26 <sup>th</sup> , 2022

**Burleigh Preceptory No. 21**

<b>James David Carmichael</b>	September 6 <sup>th</sup> , 2022
<b>James Herbert Hignett</b>	December 5 <sup>th</sup> , 2022

**St. Elmo Preceptory No. 22**

<b>Oliver Gerrit Zorgdrager</b>	February 25 <sup>th</sup> , 2022
<b>Frederick Starr Wolfe</b>	May 7 <sup>th</sup> , 2022
<b>Donald Gail MacKay</b>	December 28 <sup>th</sup> , 2022
<b>Aubrey Wilbur Bell</b>	December 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2022

**Windsor Preceptory No.26**

<b>Lionel H. Robinson</b>	May 13 <sup>th</sup> , 2022
<b>Claude Nelson Cowan</b>	Dec. 16 <sup>th</sup> , 2016

**St. Simon of Cyrene Preceptory No. 37**

<b>Leroy Douglas McKay</b>	May 25 <sup>th</sup> , 2022
<b>John Lindon Gordon</b>	October 8 <sup>th</sup> , 2022

**Hamilton District 2**

**Geoffrey de St. Aldemar Preceptory No. 2**

<b>Orville Bruce Jenks</b>	February 25 <sup>th</sup> , 2021
<b>Kenneth Lawrence Whiting</b>	April 24 <sup>th</sup> , 2021
<b>William Raymond Boal</b>	August 26 <sup>th</sup> , 2021
<b>Robert Elliot Hiroshi Takeda</b>	October 16 <sup>th</sup> , 2021
<b>Paul Rowthaler Alfred Edward Skazin</b>	December 22 <sup>nd</sup> , 2021

**Godfrey de Bouillon Preceptory No. 3**

<b>Harry Brock Mills Mitchell</b>	March 23 <sup>rd</sup> , 2021
<b>Albert Edward Hornsby</b>	May 6 <sup>th</sup> , 2021
<b>Earl David Warren</b>	May 21 <sup>st</sup> , 2021
<b>John Edward Ramsbottom</b>	November 8 <sup>th</sup> , 2021

**Rosslyn Preceptory No. 62**

<b>Donald Bruce Kaufman</b>	August 10 <sup>th</sup> , 2021
<b>Leslie William Boyce Brown</b>	December 12 <sup>th</sup> , 2021

**Toronto District 3**

**Geoffrey de St. Aldemar No. 2**

<b>Ray C. E. Gemmill</b>	January 20 <sup>th</sup> , 2022
<b>David Anthony Crabtree</b>	February 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 2022
<b>Albert Edward Card</b>	March 12 <sup>th</sup> , 2022
<b>Charles Donald Brodie</b>	March 5 <sup>th</sup> , 2022
<b>Robert George Paterson</b>	March 18 <sup>th</sup> , 2022
<b>Edmund Vernard Ralph</b>	April 12 <sup>th</sup> , 2022
<b>Ronald Kenneth Johnson</b>	July 10 <sup>th</sup> , 2022
<b>John Fyfe Nicol</b>	September 7 <sup>th</sup> , 2022

**Mount Calvary Preceptory No. 12**

<b>Malcom Longford</b>	January 15 <sup>th</sup> , 2022
<b>Wilfred Brueck</b>	February 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 2022

**Moore Preceptory No. 13**

<b>Charles Sudlow</b>	September 15 <sup>th</sup> , 2022
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**St. John the Almoner Preceptory No. 15**

<b>Nicholas Raymond Slavin</b>	August 25 <sup>th</sup> , 2022
<b>Nicholas Monsour</b>	December 12 <sup>th</sup> , 2022

**Offanto Preceptory No. 40**

<b>Murray Elroy Robins</b>	January 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2022
<b>John Harold Harper</b>	July 13 <sup>th</sup> , 2022
<b>Scott Arthur Clegg</b>	December 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2022

**Kingston-Ottawa District 4**

**Gondemar Preceptory No. 16**

<b>Donald P. Perrin</b>	May 24 <sup>th</sup> , 2022
<b>James Barclay</b>	September 28 <sup>th</sup> , 2022

**Quebec District 5**

**Richard Coeur de Lion Preceptory No. 7**

<b>Leon Estabrooks</b>	May 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2022
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**Nova Scotia & Prince Edward Island District 6**

**Antiquity Preceptory No. 5**

<b>Arthur Douglass Vogt</b>	July 25 <sup>th</sup> , 2022
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**Malta Preceptory No. 27**

<b>Glen Mason Manthorne</b>	March 14 <sup>th</sup> , 2022
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**Prince Edward Preceptory No. 35**

<b>Douglas Ferguson</b>	February 20 <sup>th</sup> , 2022
<b>Peter Anthony Campbell</b>	October 10 <sup>th</sup> , 2022

**Mount Zion Preceptory No. 73**

<b>Bruce Millage Corkum</b>	January 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2022
<b>David Rupert Morrison</b>	February 20 <sup>th</sup> , 2022
<b>David Everd Rozee</b>	March 14 <sup>th</sup> , 2022
<b>William Marshall Black</b>	August 22, 20022

**New Brunswick District 7**

**DeMolay Preceptory No. 3A**

**Norman Francis** February 16<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**Manitoba & Northwestern Ontario District 8**

**Rhodes Preceptory No. 23**

**Keith Alexander McWilliam** June 21<sup>st</sup>, 2022

**King Edward Preceptory No. 24**

**Ernest Basil Sidney Smith** September 18<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**Mount Carmel Preceptory No. 44**

**Eugene R. Engel** May 6<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**Ledger Preceptory No. 70**

**Ross Booth** July 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2033

**Pacific Coast District 9**

**Columbia Preceptory No. 34**

**Roy Austin MacDonald** September 26<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**Bethlehem Preceptory No. 69**

**Douglas Daryl Pentland** October 16<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**Mount Slesse Preceptory No. 78**

**Neil Marsh** December 12<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**Kootenay District 10**

**Selkirk Preceptory No. 45**

**Donald George Barr** May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022  
**David Scott Lister** September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022

**Kamloops Preceptory No. 84**

Jens Skov  
Warwick Parker

July 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2022  
October 10<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**Algoma District 11**

**Gibson Preceptory No. 39**

Charles Brown  
Reginald Barry Bizley  
Carl Manly Meierhoff  
Gary Fay Eddy

January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022  
January 22, 2022  
September 13<sup>th</sup>, 2022  
September 29<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**Temiskaming Preceptory No. 60**

James Russel Vokes

July 28<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**Mavar Preceptory No. 65**

Robert Storie  
Keith Ian Jordan

February 21<sup>st</sup>, 2022  
August 10<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**Alberta District 12**

**Cyprus Preceptory No. 33**

Lyle Dowdell  
Gordon Brewer  
George Tapley

March 15<sup>th</sup>, 2022  
July 11<sup>th</sup>, 2022  
January 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2022

**Edmonton Preceptory No. 46**

Robert Gridley

April 24<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**Saskatchewan District 13**

**Wascana Preceptory No. 51**

Leroy Layman  
Andres Anderson  
Lawrence John Sommerfeld

January 18<sup>th</sup>, 2022  
February 12<sup>th</sup>, 2022  
April 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2022

**Saskatoon Preceptory No. 55**

**Louis R. Lintick**

December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2022

**Northern British Columbia District 14**

**St. Andrew's Preceptory No. 48**

**Normand C. Purmal**

March 18<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**R. Hillard Clare**

April 26<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**William J. Poncia**

June 11<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**Douglas L. Bonk**

December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2022

**Kincolith Preceptory No. 59**

**Murray Webster**

June 21<sup>st</sup>, 2022

**Edwin Dyer**

August 19<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**Newfoundland & Labrador District 15**

**Beothic Preceptory No. 71**

**Edward Roberts**

January 14<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**William Scott**

January 6<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**Albert Piercey**

February 7<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**Donald Newell**

July 15<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**George Douglass Stockley**

August 25<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**Crossroads Preceptory No. 80**

**Kenneth Brian Sceviour**

January 14<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**Maurice Roy Budgell**

March 17<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**Hayward Raymond Clarke**

May 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**GRAND IMPERIAL CONCLAVE FRATERNAL DEAD**

**McLEOD MOORE Conclave #1 (Saint John, NB)**

<b>Morton A. MITCHELL</b>	Roll #2090	September 26
<b>Clarence W.A. McFARLAND</b>	Roll #1937	November 19

**HURON Conclave #2 (London, ON)**

<b>Allan P. SWEETMAN</b>	Roll #3996	January 15
<b>Murray W. RAGIN</b>	Roll #1804	July 26

**HOLY LAND Conclave #3 (Thornhill, ON)**

<b>Charles Alfred FYFE</b>	Roll #3409	January 31
<b>David George HILL</b>	Roll #1596	February 24
<b>Robert Hugh McKELVIE</b>	Roll #1979	March 26
<b>Kenneth Lawrence WHITING</b>	Roll #2202	April 24
<b>Harry Douglas TURNER</b>	Roll #2362	June 11
<b>William Raymond BOAL</b>	Roll #3853	August 26

**TAYLOR Conclave #5 (Edmonton, AB)**

<b>Terrance Armitage DROLET</b>	Roll #2128	May 15
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**CONESTOGA Conclave #12 (Waterloo, ON)**

<b>Donald B. KAUFMAN</b>	Roll # 3820	August 12
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**BEDFORD Conclave #13 (Masonville, QC)**

<b>John LUTZMAN</b>	Roll #4085	July 07
<b>Pierre-Denis LEGER</b>	Roll #4007	August 07

**SASKATCHEWAN Conclave #14 (Regina, SK)**

<b>William Frances KELLY</b>	Roll #1591	October 06
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**MOORE Conclave #15 (Peterborough, ON)**

<b>Vernon Albert ORR</b>	Roll #1863	January 30
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**HARINGTON Conclave #16 (Hamilton, ON)**

<b>Earl David WARREN</b>	Roll #1700	May 23
<b>John Edward RAMSBOTTOM</b>	Roll #2156	November 08

**HURONIA Conclave #17 (Victoria Harbour, ON)**

<b>William Herbert BOOSE</b>	Roll #4511	February 17
<b>John William LIDSTONE II</b>	Roll #1172a	April 28
<b>Lorne Ian MONTAGUE</b>	Roll #1898	May 22

**ST. JUSTIN'S Conclave #18 (Gatineau, QC)**

<b>Ralph Douglas MORGAN</b>	Roll #2869	February 23
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**ROYAL CITY Conclave #22 (Vancouver, BC)**

<b>Robert Donald GIBB</b>	Roll #3993	December 15
<b>Neil Clayton MARSH</b>	Roll #3624	December 15
<b>Donald Harvey McMILLAN</b>	Roll #1742	December 15

**AVON Conclave #23 (Stratford, ON)**

<b>William Gordon SPEERS</b>	Roll #1741	September 27
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**CHONOOK CITY Conclave #29 (Calgary, AB)**

<b>Omar Parnell GIROUX</b>	Roll #3545	April 11
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**RUPERT H. MacNEILL. Conclave #30 (Middleton, NS)**

<b>George Henderson THOMSON</b>	Roll #2297	April 16
<b>Lloyd Brower COOK</b>	Roll #2056	November 04

**HOLY TRINITY Conclave #34 (Etobicoke, ON)**

<b>Paul R.A.E. SKAZIN</b>	Roll #3649	December 23
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**WILD ROSE Conclave #37 (Lethbridge, AB)**

<b>Gordon BROWN</b>	Roll #3862	February 07
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**OKANAGAN Conclave #38 (Kelowna, BC)**

<b>Ian SWANN</b>	Roll #3731	February 11
<b>George Victor DAVIS</b>	Roll #3557	June 11
<b>Henry Gerald Theodore KUIPERI</b>	Roll #2730	June 07

**ROYAL CAPE BRETON Conclave #39 (Sydney, NS)**

<b>L. Frances CATHCART</b>	Roll #3385	March 03
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TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY-THREE  
PROCEEDINGS OF  
**The Sovereign Great Priory  
Of Canada**  
KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

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THE (VIRTUAL) ANNUAL ASSEMBLY  
WAS HELD AT THE NORTH BRAMALEA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
BRAMPTON, ONTARIO

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AUGUST EIGHTEENTH  
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY-THREE  
A.O. NINE HUNDRED and FIVE

MOST EMINENT KNIGHT GEOFFREY C. PERRY, G.C.T.  
SUPREME GRAND MASTER  
WINDSOR, ONTARIO

RIGHT EMINENT KNIGHT HOWARD F. ADAMS, K.C.T.  
GRAND CHANCELLOR

Provincial Grand Conclave formed . . . . . 9th October 1855  
Grand Priory for Dominion of Canada formed . . . . . 1st May 1868  
National Great Priory of Canada formed . . . . . 10th August 1876  
Sovereign Great Priory of Canada, formed . . . . . 7th July 1884

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**MEMO**

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Oakville, Ontario L6H 1G5

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**Most Eminent Knight Geoffrey C. Perry, G.C.T.  
Supreme Grand Master 2022 – 2024**

## **Geoffrey C. Perry**

Geoffrey was born March 25, 1952, in Winnipeg, Manitoba. The family moved to Winnipeg when his father Harold was transferred to start the operations of the Esso refinery. Within the first year of his birth the family moved back to Sarnia, Ontario.

He attended Queen Elizabeth II elementary school. He initially attended St. Clair high school studying Auto mechanics and machine shop. He later transferred to Sarnia Northern and continued his studies in Auto mechanics and welding. Upon graduation he attended the University of Windsor studying Human Kinetics and graduating with a degree in Psychology.

He married his High School sweetheart MaryAnn Rombeek in 1976 and they moved to Windsor Ontario. He has a son Jonathan and a daughter Heather who has three children Aurora, Fiona, and Sullivan.

Upon graduation he was hired by CIBC into their management program. He left CIBC and worked as a Life Insurance Agent and from there he worked for McDonalds Canada as an Assistant Manager.

From 1982 until 1989 he worked as a private consultant for a number of Fortune 500 companies developing alternatives to antibiotics in animal feed. In 1989 he became a Customs Inspector for Canada Customs later to become Revenue Canada. He was a trained specialist in WSIB. He was later transferred to the Housing Rebate Officer position and approved the release of GST payments under the Housing Rebate Program. He was then later transferred to the Estates and Trust section and issued the release certificate for a deceased person's estate. He received a certificate of appreciation from CRA in 2004 for his valuable contribution to the promotion of the principles and practice of Alternate Dispute Resolution in the Southern Ontario Region. He was later a finalist in the CRA's national Award of Excellence for work in Alternate Dispute Resolution.

He retired from Revenue Canada in 2009 and returned to the field of Research and Development in the medical and technology sectors by creating New Venture Medical Group and New Visions Technology Group.

In 2010 he created New Venture Medical Group to research and develop treatments for various diseases and conditions. He helped in the development of a supplement to protect only healthy cells during radiation treatment for cancer treatments. There are additional applications for Nuclear technicians and aviation crews with cosmic radiation exposure. In addition, therapies for auto-immune diseases, allergies, malaria, and preliminary research on a HER/2 breast cancer vaccine.

In addition to New Venture Medical, he created additional businesses in the technical field to introduce cutting edge technology. He is involved with the waste to energy field using a plasma source to produce the high efficiency energy transfer necessary to make it viable. He is currently involved in the field testing of an organic product that has been proven to destroy the TR-4 and Black Sigatoka diseases affecting bananas all over the world. In addition to the agricultural applications, he is working on energy to waste projects in Africa.

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## **Masonic Activities**

### **Craft**

1998	Initiated in Ontario Lodge 521, Windsor
2000	Interim Secretary Ontario Lodge 521, Windsor
2002	Worshipful Master Dominion Lodge 598, Windsor
2006	Vice President Windsor District Masonic Association
2007	President Windsor District Masonic Association
2008	District Deputy Grand Master, Windsor District
2009	Honorary member Clifton-Gaston Allen Lodge No. 664, Lakewood. Ohio
2010-2012	Chairman Windsor-Essex War Memorial Committee
2010-2012	Director Temple Board Association
2012	Conducted Lecture on Masonic Influences in the Media
2012	Chairman Windsor Master's Reception
2013-2015	Director Temple Board Association
2013	Committee Member Grand Master's Reception
2015	Committee Member Windsor/Erie District Grand Master's Reception
2016	Last President Windsor District Masonic Association

### **Capitular**

1998	Exalted in Windsor Chapter #71
2001	First Principal, Windsor Chapter #71
2005	District 1 Grand Superintendent
2008	District Secretary to District Grand Superintendent, District 1
2012	District 1 Grand Superintendent
2014	District Secretary to District Grand Superintendent, District 1
2016	Ad Hoc Committee member for the Re-alignment of Districts
2017	Chairman for the Ad Hoc Committee for the Re-alignment of Districts Grand Representative to South Africa

### **Cryptic Rite**

2001	Chosen a Select Master, Essex Council No.12
2002	Elevated as a Brother Royal Ark Mariner, International Lodge No. 4
2005	Thrice Illustrious Master, Essex Council No.12
2006	Worshipful Commander Noah, International Lodge No. 4
2006	Ontario Council of Thrice Illustrious Masters, Order of the Silver Trowel
2007	Thrice Illustrious Master, Essex Council No.12
2007	Worshipful Commander Noah, International Lodge No. 4
2013-2014	Treasurer Essex Council No.12
2013-2014	Treasurer International Lodge No.4
2016-2018	G.I.G. District "D"

### **Knights Templar**

2000	Installed and Consecrated Knight of the Temple, Windsor Preceptory No. 26
2004	Presiding Preceptor, Windsor Preceptory No. 26
2009	President London District Preceptor's Association
2010	Provincial Grand Prior, London District No.1
2006-2013	Director/Advisor of the Orders, Windsor Preceptory No.26
2014	Received Supreme Grand Masters Jewel for Sponsorship,
2013-2017	Historian Windsor Preceptory No. 26
2014-2021	Sovereign Great Priory Chairman of Committee on Provincial Grand Priors Instruction
2016- 2017	Directed and organized the Order of the Mediterranean Pass, St. Paul and St. John for the reintroduction of the District Field Day
2019-2022	Deputy Grand Master

### **York Rite Sovereign College**

2005	Elected Knight of York, Windsor College No. 9
2010-2011	Installed as Pre-Eminent Governor of Windsor College No. 9
2011-2012	Installed as Pre-Eminent Governor of Windsor College No. 9

### **Red Cross of Constantine**

2005	Installed a Knight Companion, St. John Conclave No. 11
2015	Installed as Most Puissant Sovereign, St. John Conclave No. 11
2019	Installed as the Deputy Grand Intendent General, Ontario West
2021	Installed as the Grand Intended General, Ontario West

### **Allied Masonic Degrees**

2005	Initiated into Chatham Council No. 123
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### **Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite**

2002	Member of Windsor Valley Lodge of Perfection, Windsor
2002	Member of Windsor Valley Chapter of Rose Croix, Windsor
2019	Member of Moore Sovereign Consistory

### **Knight York Cross of Honour**

2009	Dubbed a Knight of the York Cross of Honour, Ontario Priory No. 49
2012	Dubbed as a Knight York Grand Cross of Honour with one Quadrant

### **The Holy Royal Arch Knight Templar Priest and Order of Holy Wisdom**

2012	Member of Thames Tabernacle No. 108
2022	Installed as the High Priest of Thames Tabernacle No. 108

**Supreme Grand Master, Grand Cross of the Temple**                      **2019-08-17**

## *The Sovereign Great Priory of Canada*

### **PROCEEDINGS OF THE ONE HUNDRED AND FORTIETH ANNUAL ASSEMBLY**

MINUTES of the Proceedings of the One Hundred and Fortieth Annual Assembly of The Sovereign Great Priory of Canada of the United Religious and Military Order of St. John of Jerusalem, Palestine, Rhodes, Malta and of the Temple, held at the North Bramalea Presbyterian Church, Brampton, Ontario August 18<sup>th</sup>, 2023.

### **GREAT PRIORY OFFICERS IN ATTENDANCE**

M. Em. Kt. Geoffrey C. Perry, G.C.T., Supreme Grand Master on the Throne

#### **GRAND OFFICERS**

Deputy Grand Master	R. Em. Kt.	Clive D. Stephenson, KCT	EXCUSED
Grand Treasurer	R. Em. Kt.	Douglas Shaw	
Grand Chancellor	R. Em. Kt.	Howard F. Adams, KCT	
Grand Vice Chancellor	V. Em. Kt.	James Leutri	
Grand Chaplain	R. Em. Kt.	Alan W. Akehurst	
Grand Constable	R. Em. Kt.	Robert Dupel	
Grand Marshall	R. Em. Kt.	William Boote	
Elected Grand Council	R. Em. Kt.	Anthony Kopf-Johnson	EXCUSED
Elected Grand Council	R. Em. Kt.	Peter David Devlin	
Elected Grand Council	R. Em. Kt.	Normand Lavoie, KCT	
Appointed Grand Council	R. Em. Kt.	Michael J. Kingsley	
Appointed Grand Council	R. Em. Kt.	John L. Bradley	
Grand Constable	R. Em. Kt.	Robert Dupel	
Grand Director of Ceremonies	R. Em. Kt.	Gary P. Humes	EXCUSED
Grand Captain of the Guard	V. Em. Kt.	George Mikhael	

#### **PAST SUPREME GRAND MASTERS**

M. Em. Kt. Gordon H. Stuart		EXCUSED
M. Em. Kt. Joseph R. Marshall	2006-2008	EXCUSED
M. Em. Kt. Gerald E. Tetzloff, GCT	2012-2015	
M. Em. Kt. Gerald A. Riley, GCT	2015-2017	
M. Em. Kt. David P. Hardie, GCT	2017-2019	
M. Em. Kt. William F. Mann, GCT	2019-2022	
M. Em. Kt. David G. Walker, GCT	2021 HON.	

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## PROVINCIAL GRAND PRIORS

London	R. Em. Kt.	Kenneth B. Mielkie, KCT	
Hamilton	R. Em. Kt.	Raivo Tahiste	
Toronto	R. Em. Kt.	Peter Sialtsis	
Kingston/Ottawa	R. Em. Kt.	Andrew B. Ciastek	
Quebec	R. Em. Kt.	Randolphe Segla	
Nova Scotia	R. Em. Kt.	Terence Read	
New Brunswick	R. Em. Kt.	Christopher Kitson	
Manitoba & Northwestern Ontario	R. Em. Kt.	Robert A. McMillan	ABSENT
Pacific Coast	R. Em. Kt.	Kenneth Overy	
Kootenay	R. Em. Kt.	Dale Townsend	
Algoma	R. Em. Kt.	Stanley R. Fenton	
Alberta	R. Em. Kt.	Gordon Berard	
Saskatchewan	R. Em. Kt.	Mark L. Millar	
Northern British Columbia	R. Em. Kt.	Stephen Finnigan	ABSENT
Newfoundland & Labrador	R. Em. Kt.	Cluney W. G. Vincent	

## KNIGHT COMMANDERS OF THE TEMPLE

R. Em. Kt. David W. Hickman	2004	EXCUSED
R. Em. Kt. Douglas B. Hall	2006	EXCUSED
R. Em. Kt. Michael Abbott	2009	
R. Em. Kt. T. Roy Binns	2010	
R. Em. Kt. Jean-Marc J. Laprise	2011	
R. Em. Kt. Willard G. Dionne	2012	
R. Em. Kt. Normand Lavoie	2013	
R. Em. Kt. Leroy Harrison	2015	
R. Em. Kt. Gary C. Patterson	2015	
R. Em. Kt. Leonard Pickell	2015	
R. Em. Kt. Charles E. Rutt	2016	
R. Em. Kt. Kenneth M. Collard	2016	
R. Em. Kt. Clive D. Stephenson	2017	EXCUSED
R. Em. Kt. Robert Turner	2018	
R. Em. Kt. Ian Murray	2019	
R. Em. Kt. Eric L. Shaw	2021	
R. Em. Kt. George B. Fairbairn	2021	
R. Em. Kt. Kenneth B. Mielkie	2021	
R. Em. Kt. Michael J. R. Millard	2021	
R. Em. Kt. Richard B. Algood	2022	
R. Em. Kt. Gary P. Humes	2022	
R. Em. Kt. Eric Johnson	2022	
R. Em. Kt. Bruce Allan	2022	
R. Em. Kt. Donald Gillies	2023	

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**Most Eminent Knight Geoffrey C. Perry G.C.T., Supreme Grand Master opened the Sovereign Great Priory of Canada in ample form at 11:00 a.m.**

M. Em. Kt. Geoffrey C. Perry, G.C.T., extended a warm welcome to all in attendance in person and virtually to the 140<sup>th</sup> Annual Assembly at the North Bramalea Presbyterian Church in the City of Brampton. He expressed his pleasure at the attendance and his sincere hope that the proceedings would be of benefit to all. The Supreme Grand Master then called on the Grand Chaplain to invoke a blessing upon our proceedings.

Grand Chaplain: God of all seasons and ages, as we gather for this Annual Assembly of our beloved Order, we give you thanks for this past year: for those who have led us, for those who journeyed with us, for the time we shared with one another as fellow pilgrims on the journey of life. We pray for your guidance in this meeting. Grant us attentiveness in our listening, wisdom in our speaking, sound judgment in our decision-making. These things we ask as your beloved people, in the Name of the Great Captain of our Salvation, and in the power and presence of the Holy and Undivided Trinity...  
Amen.

**MOTION** Moved by M. Em. Kt. Gerald A. Riley, GCT, seconded by: M. Em. Kt. Gerry Tetzloff, GCT That: The Order of business be changed at the discretion of the Supreme Grand Master.  
**Carried.**

**MOTION.** Moved by R. Em. Kt. Howard Adams, KCT, Grand Chancellor, seconded by the Acting Deputy Grand Master, that: Honourary Membership with the rank of Past Supreme Grand Master be bestowed upon Most Eminent Knight Robert Glenn, KCT KYGCH. Most Eminent Grand Master, Grand Encampment Knights Templar United States of America & Jurisdiction, Prince Hall Affiliation, Inc.

***Supreme Grand Master***

Grand Chancellor Please introduce our distinguished visitors.

Each Distinguished Guest was introduced. They brought greetings from their respective organizations, and each was welcomed by our Supreme Grand Master.

**Sir Knight David Joseph Kussman, Grand Cross of the Temple**, Most Eminent Grand Master, Grand Encampment of Knights Templar of the United States of America.

**Sir Knight Robert Glenn, KCT, KYGCH**, Most Eminent Grand Master of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar of the United States of America and Jurisdiction, Prince Hall Affiliation Inc.,

**M. W. Bro. Thomas W. Hogeboom**, Grand Master, Grand Lodge Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

**NATIONAL ANTHEMS:**

Canada  
United States

**RESOLUTION OF LOYALTY:** R. Em. Kt. Howard Adams, KCT

May it please Your Majesty:

We, members of the Sovereign Great Priory of Canada Knights Templar, assembled in the City of Brampton, Province of Ontario, on the occasion of our 140<sup>th</sup> Annual Assembly, on August 18, 2023, reaffirm our loyalty to the Throne and the person of His Majesty, King Charles III by the Grace of God, King of Canada and his other realms and territories, Defender of the Faith and Head of the Commonwealth. We pray the Almighty God to continue granting His Majesty good health as he performs the many duties of his high and important office.

**MOTION:**

Moved by: R. Em. Kt. Howard Adams, KCT, seconded by the Acting Deputy Grand Master  
That this Resolution of Loyalty to the King be adopted. **Carried**

***SUPREME GRAND MASTER***

**PRESENTATION of PAST SUPREME GRAND MASTERS**

Grand Vice-Chancellor calls the Roll

<b>M. Em. Kt. Gordon H. Stuart, GCT (2)</b>	<b>(excused)</b>	<b>1992 – 1994</b>
<b>M. Em. Kt. Joseph R. Marshall, GCT (34)</b>	<b>(excused)</b>	<b>2006 - 2008</b>
<b>M. Em. Kt. Gerald A. Tetzloff, GCT (46)</b>		<b>2012 – 2015</b>
<b>M. Em. Kt. Gerald A. Riley, GCT (5)</b>		<b>2016 – 2017</b>
<b>M. Em. Kt. David P. Hardie, GCT (12)</b>		<b>2018 – 2019</b>
<b>M. Em. Kt. David G. Walker, GCT, (12)</b>		<b>Honourary</b>
<b>M. Em. Kt. William F. Mann, GCT, (3)</b>		<b>2019 - 2022</b>

Supreme Grand Master addressed the Past Supreme Grand Masters expressing his appreciation of their support, assistance, and advice.

Reply by: M. Em. Kt. Gerald A. Riley, GCT

**PRESENTATION of the REPRESENTATIVES of the GREAT PRIORIES NEAR the SOVEREIGN  
GREAT PRIORY of CANADA:**

Grand Vice-Chancellor called the Roll

- M. Em. Kt. David P. Hardie, GCT, from the Great Priory of England and Wales**
- M. Em. Kt. Gerald A. Riley, GCT, from the Great Priory of Scotland**
- M. Em. Kt. Gerald E. Tetzloff, GCT, from the Great Priory of Ireland**
- M. Em. Kt. David G. Walker, GCT, from the Grand Encampment K.T. of the U.S.A.**
- R. Em. Kt. Hendren Ray, from the Great Priory of Finland (excused)**
- R. Em. Kt. Willard G. Dionne, KCT, from the Great Priory of Belgium**
- R. Em. Kt. Michel J.S. Sastre, from the Great Priory of Spain (excused)**
- R. Em. Kt. Normand Lavoie, KCT, from the Great Priory of France**
- R. Em. Kt. Howard F. Adams, KCT, from the Grand Encampment K.T. Prince Hall**

Supreme Grand Master addressed the Grand Representatives thanking them for their continued efforts on behalf of Sovereign Great Priory

Reply by: **M. Em. Kt. David P. Hardie, GCT**

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT of the KNIGHT COMMANDERS of the TEMPLE**

Grand Chancellor called the Roll:

R. Em. Kt. David W. Hickman, 2004	Kingston / Ottawa	Preceptory No.52
R. Em. Kt. Douglas B. Hall, 2006	Québec	Preceptory No.7
R. Em. Kt. Michael G. Abbott, 2009	Manitoba (regrets)	Preceptory No.23
R. Em. Kt. T. Roy Binns, 2010	Hamilton	Preceptory No. 17
R. Em. Kt. Jean-marc J. Laprise, 2011	London	Preceptory No.20
R. Em. Kt. Normand Lavoie, 2013	Québec	Preceptory No.63
R. Em. Kt. Gary C. Patterson, 2015	Nova Scotia / PEI	Preceptory No. 73
R. Em. Kt. Leroy P. Harrison, 2015	London	Preceptory No. 22
R. Em. Kt. Leonard G. B. Pickell, 2015	Pacific Coast	Preceptory No. 34
R. Em. Kt. Kenneth M. Collard, 2016	Kingston / Ottawa	Preceptory No. 6
R. Em. Kt. Charles E. E. Rutt, 2016	Nova Scotia / PEI	Preceptory No. 5
R. Em. Kt. Kenneth J. McKenzie, 2017	Kootenay	Preceptory No. 84
R. Em. Kt. Robert Turner, 2018	Saskatchewan	Preceptory No. 51
R. Em. Kt. Ian A. Murray, 2019	Newfoundland/Labrador	Preceptory No. 71
R. Em. Kt. Eric L. Shaw, 2021	Toronto	Preceptory No. 13
R. Em. Kt. Kenneth B. Mielkie, 2021	London	Preceptory No. 37
R. Em. Kt. Michael J.R. Millard, 2021	Algoma	Preceptory No. 14
R. Em. Kt. Eric Johnson, 2022	New Brunswick	Preceptory No. 3A
R. Em. Kt. Richard Algood 2022	Toronto	Preceptory No. 2
R. Em. Kt. Gary Humes 2022	Hamilton	Preceptory No. 3
R. Em. Kt. Bruce Allan 2022	British Columbia	Preceptory No. 30
R. Em. Kt. Donald Gillies 2023	Alberta	Preceptory No. 33
R. Em. Kt. Richard Burden 2023	Kingston-Ottawa	Preceptory No. 52
R. Em. Kt. Robert Dunn 2023	Toronto	Preceptory No. 40
R. Em. Kt. Stanley Fenton 2023	Algoma	Preceptory No. 65

**At large**

R. Em. Kt. Clive D. Stephenson, DGM		Preceptory No. 65
R. Em. Kt. Willard G. Dionne, PDGM, 2012		Preceptory No. 32
R. Em. Kt. George B. Fairbairn, PGT		Preceptory No. 3
R. Em. Kt. Howard F. Adams, GC		Preceptory No. 29
R. Em. Kt. Terry Gould 2023		Preceptory No. 46

**EMERITUS**

R. Em. Kt. Kenneth J. McCracken, 2002-2019		Preceptory No. 39
R. Em. Kt. Norman D. McComb, 2005-2017		Preceptory No. 65
R. Em. Kt. James Dawe, 2012-2018		Preceptory No. 80
R. Em. Kt. Bruce Miller 2008-2021		Preceptory No. 62

R. Em. Kt. Frederick A. Healey, 2021-2022		Preceptory No. 3A
R. Em. Kt. E. (Eric) W. Weigelt, 2010-2022		Preceptory No.66

Supreme Grand Master addressed the Knight Commanders of the Temple thanking them for their continuing service to Sovereign Great Priory

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT of the ORDER of MERIT**

Grand Chancellor called the Roll.

2001	Harry Dokmecian	Windsor No. 26, Windsor, Ontario
2009	John Verner Mathers	Geoffrey de St. Aldemar No. 2 Toronto, Ontario
2011	Robert Edward Kerr	Godfrey de Bouillon No. 3 Hamilton Ontario
2011	Morley Everett Robinson	Mount Zion No. 73 Kentville, Nova Scotia
2021	William Grant Mounce	Western Gate No. 30 Victoria, British Columbia

*(None present)*

**READING of the MINUTES of the 139<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL ASSEMBLY**

**MOTION**

Moved by: **M. Em. Kt. Gerald A. Riley, GCT**, seconded by the Acting Deputy Grand Master, That as the Minutes of the 139<sup>th</sup> Annual Assembly and Grand Council Meeting having been produced, and distributed, they be confirmed as if read. **Carried.**

**BUSINESS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES:** - R. Em. Kt. Howard Adams, KCT  
None.

**COMMUNICATIONS SUMMARIZED:** - R. Em. Kt. Howard Adams, KCT

Regrets Received from: Great Priory of Scotland; Great Priory of Ireland; Grand Master, Royal and Select Masters of Ontario, Sovereign Grand Commander, AASR, Grand First Principal Royal Arch Masons of Ontario, several SGP Officers and numerous Sir Knights

**ADDRESS of the SUPREME GRAND MASTER**

Distinguished Guests and Fraters

I welcome you to the 140<sup>th</sup> Annual Convocation of the Sovereign Great Priory of Canada. This is my first opening of Sovereign Great Priory since my installation as the Supreme Grand Master, and it has been something I have been looking forward to. While it is a virtual hybrid assembly, we must meet and conduct the business of the meeting the best we can.

I have attended several events and Official visits to Preceptories during my year. Unfortunately, due to some health situation, I had to cancel some and hopefully attend them this year. I have attached a list of my travel separately for your information.

I have learned this year that achieving success takes many individual efforts. I have been very fortunate to have an excellent team backing me. The Deputy Grand Master R. Em. kt. Clive

Stephenson K.C.T. and the Grand Chancellor R. Em. Kt. Howard Adams K.C.T. While they are at the forefront, many are in the background and on committees. Being privy to the vast knowledge of our past Grand Master has proven invaluable. I would be remiss if I forgot to thank them personally. I wish to state my great appreciation for the efforts of M. Em. Kt. Gerald Tetzloff G.C.T., M. Em. Kt. David Walker G.C.T., M. Em. Kt. Gerald Riley G.C.T., M. Em. Kt. William Mann G.C.T., and of course M. Em. Kt. I got to know David Hardie more personally on the drive down and back to Louisville in his convertible.

Several issues arose this year and were dealt with expeditiously—one of the issues related to the statutes. The Grand Executive, according to the statutes, is comprised of nine members. These members are the Supreme Grand Master, Deputy Grand Master, Grand Treasurer, Grand Chancellor, and five members appointed from the Grand Council. The current Grand Executive Council is comprised of sixteen members—more than allowed by the statute. I sent a directive stating that the Grand Executive has nine members. They are the Supreme Grand Master, Deputy Grand Master, Grand Treasurer, Grand Chancellor, and five members appointed from the Grand Council. To make the selection equitable, I used this method for the selection process. I chose one past Grand Master, one Knight Commander of the Temple, one Provincial Grand Prior, one elected member of the Grand Council and one appointed. This reduces it from sixteen members to the correct amount of nine.

With the severe changes to our membership, it is apparent that some Preceptories will go dark shortly. This will have an impact on their life memberships and other fraters. It is unfair to alter their life membership status so that when they join a new Preceptory, they will have to start paying dues again. In addition, closing a Preceptory might result in the inability to find another Preceptory within a reasonable distance. To this end, I have asked the Committee on Jurisprudence to prepare a set of by-laws for a Grand Master's Preceptory.

I'm looking forward to the next year and its challenges so that in 2024 I will see my successor installed and be relegated to the status of the "New Kid" on the block as I sit with all the Past Grand Masters.

I wish you and your families the best wishes for good health until we all meet again. May the Captain of our Great Salvation watch over us as we continue to do his work.

In the Bonds of the Order

M. Em. Kt. Geoffrey C. Perry G.C.T.  
Supreme Grand Master  
Sovereign Great Priory of Canada

**MOTION:**

Moved by: **M. Em. Kt. Gerald Tetzloff, GCT**, seconded by: **M. Em. Kt. Gerald Riley, GCT**  
That: the Address of the Supreme Grand Master be referred to the Past Supreme Grand Masters **CARRIED**

**REPORT of the DEPUTY GRAND MASTER** R. Em. Kt. Clive Stephenson, KCT

Most Eminent Supreme Grand Master, Officers and Members of Sovereign Great Priory of Canada:

The last 12 months have passed extremely quickly, and I must say the journey so far has been educational and extremely enjoyable.

I have been fortunate over the past year to be able to accompany the Supreme Grand Master on a number of fraternal and Official Visits: In September to Mavar Preceptory in Sudbury to mark the occasion of their 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary; in January to Cyrene Emanuel Preceptory in Brampton; in February to Gibson Preceptory in Sault Ste Marie; and again, in February to Mount Calvary Preceptory in Barrie.

In addition, from June 28<sup>th</sup> to the 31<sup>st</sup> I accompanied the Supreme Grand Master on his visit to Cypress Preceptory No.33 in Calgary where the chapel room for the Preceptory was consecrated and two worthy Knights were invested as Knight Commanders of the Temple. This was one of the highlights of my tenure so far and I was very grateful to be able to take part in the ceremonies.

Apart from my visits with the Supreme Grand Master, I personally completed fraternal visits to Harington Preceptory in North Bay in September and Mount Calvary Preceptory in January.

I had planned a number of additional visits, but on a couple of occasions a lack of quorum negated these and in addition, personal health issues have made travelling difficult. However, on a more positive note I am scheduled for hip replacement surgery on August 18<sup>th</sup> which in all likelihood will fix my mobility issue and get me out and visiting as I should and want to be.

I had the pleasure of chairing the Grand Executive meeting, held in-person at Mississauga, Ontario on February 4<sup>th</sup> and a second Grand Executive meeting on May 14<sup>th</sup> held virtually, at which business of your Grand Priory was presented and addressed. A further Grand Executive meeting is scheduled for July 22<sup>nd</sup> and a Grand Council meeting, for August 13<sup>th</sup>. Added to this are attendance at a significant number of virtual meetings on the zoom platform, ranging from, Sovereign Great Priory committee meetings, to Christmas or Easter observances.

I have also had the pleasure of co-chairing the Condition of Masonry Committee with R. Em. Kt. Ian Murray KCT to whom working with has been an enjoyable and educational experience. I also thank the Supreme Grand Master in allowing me to continue as the Chairman of the Provincial Grand Priors Instruction Committee and the Preceptory Officers Instruction Committee. As part of the Provincial Grand Priors Instruction Committee, plans are in preparation for a fall meeting with the Provincial Grand Priors to review and discuss their first year in office and how the Committee and Sovereign Great Priory can assist them in their duties going forward. In terms of the Preceptory Officer Instruction Committee, things have been relatively quiet with Preceptories focusing on getting things back to “normal” after COVID, but an educational thrust by this Committee is planned for the second year of its term.

As an ex-officio member of all Great Priory Committees, I have provided input where possible and where the opportunities presented themselves.

On closing I would like to thank the members of Sovereign Great Priory for the confidence they have placed in me and the unwavering support I have been so fortunate to receive over the past

year. In particular, I would like to thank our Supreme Grand Master, M. Em. Kt. Geoff Perry GCT, who I have worked closely with, and would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge the positive level of communication we have had and his dedication to the cause.

My stated appreciation to the members of Sovereign Great Priory is heartfelt and there are too many people to single out, but I'd like to mention your Grand Chancellor, R. Em. Kt. Howard Adams KCT who I have had the pleasure of working with very closely. In addition, I have received, and appreciate deeply, the advice and direction offered by M. Em. Kt. Gerry Tetzloff GCT, M. Em. Kt. David Walker GCT and M. Em. Kt. David Hardie GCT. Their experience and sage advice are valuable and appreciated.

Finally, and most importantly, I want to mention the support and patience exhibited by my wife Deborah as I continue my masonic journey. Simply put, without her support I could not continue.

Yours in the Bonds of Our Order

R. Em. Kt. Clive D. Stephenson KCT  
Deputy Grand Master  
Sovereign Great Priory of Canada

**MOTION:**

Moved by: **M. Em. Kt. Gerald E. Tetzloff, GCT**, Seconded by **M. Em. Kt. Gerald A. Riley, GCT**  
That the Report of the Deputy Grand Master be received and printed in the Proceedings. **Carried**

**GRAND COUNCIL MINUTES**

**CALL TO ORDER:** 1:30 p.m. Deputy Grand Master - R. Em. Kt. Clive Stephenson, KCT.

**INVOCATION:** R. Em. Kt. Donald Emerick.

**WELCOME:** R. Em. Kt. Clive Stephenson, KCT welcomed everyone and thanked them for their attendance.

**REMARKS of the SUPREME GRAND MASTER:** M. Em. Kt. Geoffrey C. Perry, GCT, welcomed everyone and stated that there were several topics to be discussed and hoped that all would participate.

**ROLL CALL:** The Grand Chancellor recorded the members that were on the ZOOM call.

**REGRETS:** M. Em. Kt. David Hardie, GCT, R. Em. Kt. Anthony Kopf-Johnson, R. Em. Kt. Robert McMillan, R. Em. Kt. Cluney Vincent, R. Em. Kt. Alan Akehurst, R. Em. Kt. Jean-Marc Laprise, KCT, R. Em. Kt. Eric Johnson, KCT and R. Em. Kt. Douglas Shaw.

Sir Kt. Alistair Munro presented a synopsis of the Public Relations Committee report which was published in the Agenda.

**Grand Executive Meeting:** The Grand Chancellor provided an overview of the meeting of August 11<sup>th</sup>, 2023.

## **FINANCIAL REPORTS**

The following reports were moved and seconded to be received and referred to the 140<sup>th</sup> Annual Assembly.

### **GRAND TREASURER**

Moved by R. Em. Kt. Howard Adams seconded by  
CARRIED

R. Em. Kt. Douglas Shaw

R. Em. Kt. Peter Sialtsis

### **GRAND CHANCELLOR**

Moved by R. Em. Kt. Howard Adams, KCT seconded by  
CARRIED

R. Em. Kt. Howard Adams, KCT

M. Em. Kt. David Walker, GCT

### **FINANCIAL REVIEW**

#### **FINANCE**

Moved by M. Em. Kt. David Walker, GCT seconded by

M. Em. Kt. David Walker, GCT

R. Em. Kt. Howard Adams, KCT

## **COMMITTEES REPORTS**

(A) CONDITION of the ORDER	R. Em. Kt. Ian Murray, KCT
(B) FUTURE PLACES OF MEETINGS	R. Em. Kt. Eric Shaw, KCT
(C) MEMBERSHIP & KT ADVANCEMENT	R. Em. Kt. Michael Millard, KCT
(D) WARRANTS, JURISDICTION & NEW PREC	R. Em. Kt. David Boone
(E) GRIEVANCES & APPEALS	R. Em. Kt. John R. Dollimount
(F) JURISPRUDENCE	R. Em. Kt. Mark Millar
(G) RITES & CEREMONIES	R. Em. Kt. Brian R. S. Manson
(H) HISTORY	R. Em. Kt. Charlie Rutt, KCT
(I) ARCHIVES	R. Em. Kt. Charlie Rutt, KCT
(J) CHRISTIAN EDUCATION	M. Em. Kt. David P. Hardie, GCT
(K) FRATERNAL RECOGNITION	R. Em. Kt. Willard Dionne, KCT
(L) MACLEOD MOORE MEMORIAL	R. Em. Kt. M. John Moore
(M) PGP INSTRUCTION	R. Em. Kt. Clive D. Stephenson, KCT
(N) PRECEPTORY OFFICER INSTRUCTION	R. Em. Kt. Clive D. Stephenson, KCT
(O) ELECTRONIC INFORMATION MANAGEMENT	V. Em. Kt. James Leutri
(P) PUBLIC RELATIONS	Sir Kt. Alistair Munro
(Q) CHARLES E. WELLS MEMORIAL FUND	R. Em. Kt. Charlie Rutt, KCT
(R) 2023 ASSEMBLY	M. Em. Kt. David Walker, GCT
(S) DONALD A. KING MEMORIAL AWARD	R. Em. Kt. James O'Halloran
(T) KNIGHTS TEMPLAR CHARITABLE FOUNDATION	R. Em. Kt. George Fairbairn, KCT

Moved by R. Em. Kt. Michael Millard, KCT and seconded by R. Em. Kt. Ian Murray, KCT, that the above noted reports be received and printed in the proceedings. CARRIED

## 2023 Motions

**to approve (pass) requires 66.6% affirmative vote (Statute 1.8.4)**

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M. Em. Kt. David Hardie, GCT moved, seconded by the Deputy Grand Master that the following change to the Statutes of the sovereign Great Priory of Canada.

Statute 3.2.1 which reads: There shall be an executive committee composed of the Supreme Grand Master, the Deputy Grand Master, the Grand Chancellor, the Grand Treasurer together with five other members of the Grand Council appointed by the Supreme Grand Master of whom five shall constitute a quorum.

Be amended to read:

Statute 3.2.1 "There shall be an executive committee composed of the Supreme Grand Master, the Deputy Grand Master, the Grand Chancellor, the Grand Treasurer, and the past Supreme Grand Masters together with five other members of the Grand Council appointed by the Supreme Grand Master of whom eight shall constitute a quorum.

**R. Em. Kt. Howard Adams, KCT moved, seconded by the Deputy Grand Master that this motion be amended to read:**

Statute 3.2.1 "There shall be an executive committee composed of the Supreme Grand Master, the Deputy Grand Master, the Grand Chancellor, the Grand Treasurer, and the past Supreme Grand Masters together with five other members of the Grand Council. These members to be appointed by the Supreme Grand Master. Eight members shall constitute a quorum.

M. Em. Kt. David G. Walker moved, seconded by the Deputy Grand Master that the Statutes and Regulations of the Sovereign Great Priory be amended to effect a change of holding their assemblies "Biannually" instead of "Annually".

That the term "Annual Assembly" be changed to "Biennial Assembly".

CLOSING REMARKS Chairman, Deputy Grand Master, R. Em. Kt. Geoffrey C. Perry, KCT

DISMISSAL \_\_4:15\_ P.M. adjournment Moved by M. Em. Kt. Gerald E. Tetzloff, GCT

### **MOTION:**

Moved by: M. Em. Kt. David G. Walker, GCT, Seconded by the Acting Deputy Grand Master  
That: The Minutes of the Grand Council Meeting Saturday, August 13<sup>th</sup> 2023 be received and adopted. **CARRIED**

**REPORT OF THE GRAND CHANCELLOR**

The figures presented, cover the period from January 1st to December 31st, 2022, This report represents the returns of 58 of the 58 Preceptories in Canada.

**TOTAL MEMBERSHIP REPORTED AS OF 31/12/2021 3,158**

**RETURNS RECEIVED FOR DECEMBER 31<sup>ST</sup>, 2022.**

ADDITIONS	2022	2021	
Consecrations	56	0	
Affiliations	16	0	
Restorations	5	3	
<b>Total</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3235</b>

DEDUCTIONS	2022	2021	
Deaths	136	119	
Withdrawals	102	64	
Suspensions	70	63	
<b>Total</b>	<b>308</b>	<b>246</b>	<b>2927</b>

ADJUSTMENTS (minus) 29

**TOTAL MEMBERSHIP AS OF DECEMBER 31<sup>ST</sup>, 2022 2956**

	2022	2021	
LOSS FOR THE YEAR	-308	-246	
Adjustments	29	-6	
Gain for the year	77	3	
<b>Total</b>	<b>-207</b>	<b>-237</b>	

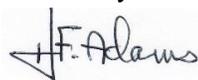
Five (5) of our 58 Preceptories held their own and eight (8) gained and (45) experienced a loss.

At present, we have 788--(868) Life Members or 26.65%---(27.49%) of our total membership on the Roll of Sovereign Great Priory and 2 Honourary Members. As previously reported these figures are grandfathered prior to January 1, 2001, and there have been no new commutations since that time.

The timely submission of Annual Returns decreased again. This year, 60% (75%) of Annual Returns were filed by January 31<sup>st</sup>; with 14 (7) in February 4 in March 2 in April, 2 in May and 1 in June.

Operating the Grand Chancery continues to be a challenging and rewarding experience. I am grateful for the ongoing assistance of the Grand Chancellor Emeritus, Chairman of Finance and the Grand Treasurer who continue to provide invaluable support.

Sincerely and fraternally submitted:



Howard F. Adams, KCT, Grand Chancellor

### MEMBERSHIP OF PRECEPTORIES AS OF DECEMBER 31ST, 2022

No.	Preceptory	Location	2022	2022 LIFE	2021	Change
1	Hugh de Payens Premier	Kingston	19	1	21	-9.52%
2	Geoffrey de St. Aldemar	Toronto	127	69	137	-7.30%
3	Godfrey de Bouillon	Hamilton	100	36	106	-5.66%
3A	St. John de Molay	Saint John	46	0	46	4.35%
4	Richard Coeur de Lion	London	128	102	130	-1.54%
5	Antiquity	Halifax	36	12	36	0.00%
6	King Baldwin	Belleville	30	7	32	-6.25%
7	Richard Coeur de Lion	Montreal	85	14	83	2.41%
8	Plantagenet	St. Catharines	72	17	80	-10.00%
9	Sussex	Lennoxville	27	2	28	-3.57%
12	Mount Calvary	Barrie	151	21	151	0.00%
13	Moore	Peterborough	38	8	42	-9.52%
14	Harington	North Bay	33	5	34	-2.94%
15	St. John the Almoner	Oshawa	48	10	48	0.00%
16	Gondemar	Brockville	48	14	53	-9.43%
17	Odo de St. Amand	Oakland	35	9	36	-2.78%
18	Palestine	Port Hope	25	0	28	-10.71%
20	Kent	Chatham	49	23	54	-9.26%
21	Burleigh	St. Thomas	119	82	120	-0.83%
22	St. Elmo	Mitchell	63	53	77	-18.18%
23	Rhodes	Thunder Bay	27	1	28	-3.57%
24	King Edward	Stonewall	51	2	52	-1.92%
25	Wm. de la More the Martyr	Quebec	21	1	14	50.00%
26	Windsor	Windsor	85	39	86	-1.16%
27	Malta	New Glasgow	44	14	49	-10.20%
29	Cyrene-Emmanuel	Toronto	102	50	103	-0.97%
30	Western Gate	Victoria	28	0	25	12.00%
32	Ottawa	Ottawa	45	8	52	-13.46%
33	Cyprus	Calgary	104	12	116	-10.34%
34	Columbia	Vancouver	70	5	74	-5.41%
35	Prince Edward	Charlottetown	22	5	24	-8.33%
36	Ivanhoe	Moncton	27	2	24	12.50%
37	St. Simon of Cyrene	Sarnia	101	52	112	-9.82%
39	Gibson	S. Ste. Marie	35	0	35	0.00%

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40	Offanto	Owen Sound	46	17	51	-9.80%
43	Cape Breton	Sydney	18	0	20	-10.00%
44	Mount Carmel	Portage la Prairie	25	1	34	-26.47%
45	Selkirk	Invermere	17	0	23	-26.09%
46	Edmonton	Edmonton	123	7	150	-18.00%
48	St. Andrew's	Prince George	63	11	67	-5.97%
51	Wascana	Regina	78	13	81	-3.70%
52	St. George	Picton	30	3	31	-3.23%
55	Saskatoon	Saskatoon	40	0	31	29.03%
59	Kincolith	Prince Rupert	37	1	35	5.71%
60	Temiskaming	Timmins	17	0	13	30.77%
62	Rosslyn	Cambridge	40	10	45	-11.11%
63	Melita	Montreal	31	0	31	0.00%
65	Mavar	Sudbury	54	20	58	-6.90%
66	Acre	Lethbridge	37	0	36	2.78%
69	Bethlehem	Nanaimo	38	0	42	-9.52%
70	Ledger	Fort Frances	35	7	36	-2.78%
71	Beothic	St. John's	21	0	39	-46.15%
72	Okanagan	Kelowna	23	0	25	-8.00%
73	Mount Zion	Kentville	46	8	52	-11.54%
74	Brandon	Brandon	8	1	10	-20.00%
78	Mount Slesse	Mt Slesse	30	0	31	-3.23%
80	Crossroads	Gander	45	13	64	-29.69%
84	Kamloops	Kamloops	13	0	15	-13.33%
Total			2956	788	3156	

**MEMBERSHIP BY PROVINCE AS OF DECEMBER 31st 2022**

PROVINCE	MEMBERSHIP	PERCENTAGE
ONTARIO	1702	57.50%
BRITISH COLUMBIA	319	10.7%
ALBERTA	264	8.9%
NOVA SCOTIA/PEI	166	5.6%
QUEBEC	164	5.5%
SASKATCHEWAN	118	3.9%
NEWFOUNDLAND & LABRADOR	66	2.2%
MANITOBA	84	2.8%
NEW BRUNSWICK	73	2.4%
TOTAL	2956	100%

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## GRAND TREASURER'S REPORT TO SOVEREIGN GREAT PRIORY

The financial statements for the fiscal period July 1, 2022, to Jun 30, 2023, have been reviewed by a Licensed Public Accountant. Electronic copies of the financial statements and year end investment statements are available upon request.

The operations for the period generated a loss of \$4,865 over receipts of \$117,660.00.  
The General Fund increased by \$14,199.00 to a balance of \$415,998.00.  
The Life Membership Fund increased by \$6,371.00 to a balance of \$275,382.00.  
The total equity of the Sovereign Great Priory has increased by \$24,382 to \$769,010.00.

The operating and investment transactions are summarized with the statements being forwarded to the Chair of Finance and Chancery Office on a quarterly basis.

I have chosen QuickBooks software for the reporting process, which allows for more comprehensive information.

Respectively Submitted,

R. Em. Kt. Douglas T. Shaw,  
Grand Treasurer

### **MOTION:**

Moved by R. Em. Kt. Howard Adams, KCT and Seconded by the Acting Deputy Grand Master that: This Report be received and adopted. **CARRIED**

### **REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES**

This year's report will be briefer than those of previous years. The Grand Treasurer's Report gives details of the investments of Sovereign Great Priory so they will not be repeated in detail.

The Finance Committee, and Trustees, met with Trevor Roberts, RBC Dominion Securities, on June 23<sup>rd</sup> and reviewed the portfolio performance for the past twelve months. During this meeting, we reviewed the asset allocations and consensus was we should continue with the current investment strategies.

As of June 30, 2022, the net market value of the overall portfolio was \$703,705.91 and as of June 20, 2023, it had marginally decreased to \$698,717.50. The net decrease was approximately \$5,000.00, this decrease does not include the fact Sovereign Great Priory took just over \$23,000 into income from these investments. Including the past year, our five-year Annualized Return stands at 6.10%.

We must take into consideration world markets have overall experienced significant market fluctuations and we feel our staying with our investment strategy has allowed our portfolio to experience a better than average return on investments.

One question arising from our discussions is what is our long-term goal we wish to reach from our investments? There was no immediate answer, and this subject will be reviewed over the next fiscal year.

In conclusion, our investment portfolio is progressing as well as we could hope, taking market variations into consideration, and we recommend no change for the immediate future.

Yours in the Bonds of Our Order,

Rt. Em. Kt. Ian Murray, KCT  
Trustee Chairperson

**MOTION:**

Moved by R. Em. Kt. Howard Adams, KCT and Seconded by the Acting Deputy Grand Master that: This Report be received and adopted. **CARRIED**

**REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE**

The Finance Committee has reviewed the receipts and disbursements for the fiscal year July 1, 2022, to June 30, 2023, and find all items to be properly reported. Our financial statement records a surplus of \$22,049 but this includes a net realized and unrealized gain on our investments of \$-16,320. On an actual cash basis review, our deficit of \$ - 4,865 was over the budget of \$7,815 due mainly to an excess in “Purchase for resale” of \$11,359. This, of course, will be recover in future by “Resale sales” The Office of the Grand Chancellor and the officers of the Sovereign Great Priory of Canada have been frugal this past fiscal year by adhering to the budget. The Finance Committee expresses their appreciation on a job well done. The general fund reported a June 30, 2023, cash balance of \$41,769 which is sufficient for ongoing operating purposes.

**Budget**

We have prepared the budget for the next fiscal year ended June 30, 2024, which predicts a surplus of \$1,000.00. Budgeted expenditures of \$77,150 include a modest 2023 grand assembly costs of \$2,500 along with increases in Honouraria for the SGM of \$2000 and DGM of \$250. There is a small Grand Council expense of \$300 since those meetings will be held virtually in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2024.

As noted in the Trustee’s report, we have confidence with our RBC Investment Advisor generating investment revenue with the two-pronged approach via interest and capital gains. Office salaries and benefits have decreased \$1,822 as predicted. The full 2024 budget is attached to this report along with comparisons to 2021, 2022 and 2023 results.

**Investments**

The long-term investments of the SGP continue to be well managed and providing a material percentage of the annual income via interest and dividends that is used for SGP operating purposes.

Sovereign Great Priory’s approved Private Investment Management structure (PIM) with our Investment Advisor, RBC Dominion Securities continues to be very satisfactory with RBC adhering to our SGP Investment Policy and generating a \$20,570 market value increase of the two funds for the year ending June 30, 2023. The fiscal year’s total investment return represents an increase of 3.1% on the market value of our assets in spite of the very difficult market this past year.

The Investment Committee Trustees are following the SGP Investment Policy while working closely with our Investment Advisor. Our long-term investments are properly managed and reflective of the conservative investment philosophy of the SGP.

In conclusion, the Committee wishes to express our appreciation to the Grand Chancellor R. Em. Kt. Howard F. Adams, K.C.T., the Grand Treasurer Sir Kt. Douglas T. Shaw for their dedication in managing the financial affairs of the Sovereign Great Priory of Canada.

Finance Committee Members: R. Em. Kt. Howard F. Adams, K.C.T. Grand Chancellor, Sir Kt. Douglas T. Shaw, Grand Treasurer, R. Em. Kt. Ian A. Murray, Chairman of Trustees

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### BUDGET

#### SOVEREIGN GREAT PRIORY OF CANADA BUDGET FOR YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2023

##### Sovereign Great Priory of Canada Budget to Actual Comparison

INCOME	Budget 2021	Actual 2021	Budget 2022	Actual 2022	Budget 2023	Actual 2023	Budget 2024
Per Capita assessment	29,500	27,882	37,000	35,896	35,000	36,001	33,000
Certificates	300	750	750	180	1,000	1,245	1,500
Registrations	300	540	600	-	1,000	1,425	1,600
Resale sales	1,000	2,479	7,500	8,566	12,000	12,876	12,000
Dispensations	150	10	300	-	250	480	300
Grand Assembly	300	5	300	-	300	41,578	-
Interest (General)	15,684	22,685	12,554	14,985	12,500	14,367	14,000
Interest (Life Fund)	8,880	-	9,336	10,376	8,500	9,438	9,000
Sundry	300	1,013	1,000	-	1,000	94	300
Interest (Combined)	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,450
Realized G/L Investments	-	24,505	-	16,584	-	131	-
Realized G/L USD Exchange	-	(13,818)	-	4,232	-	25	-
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>56,414</b>	<b>66,051</b>	<b>69,340</b>	<b>90,819</b>	<b>71,550</b>	<b>117,660</b>	<b>78,150</b>
EXPENSES	Budget 2021	Actual 2021	Budget 2022	Actual 2022	Budget 2023	Actual 2023	Budget 2024
Archives /Historian	50	-	50	-	50	-	50
Capital Purchases	500	-	500	-	500	-	500
General & Office	-	149	-	160	-	61	100
Grand Assembly	-	(30)	1,000	500	5,000	43,561	2,500
Grand Council expense	100	(195)	200	-	200	1,406	300
Honoraria	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,500	10,250	12,500
Insurance	1,700	1,829	1,900	1,712	2,050	1,808	1,900
Knights Templar Advancement	50	-	50	-	50	-	1,000
Other Expense	200	-	200	-	200	-	200
Printing	100	93	200	416	200	530	500
Proceedings	-	-	200	-	200	-	-
Professional Fees	2,300	2,260	2,300	10,621	2,500	10,960	11075
Purchase for resale	300	1,923	1,000	6,216	1,500	12,859	5,000
Regalia and Jewels	100	(237)	100	-	100	-	100
	<b>15,400</b>	<b>15,792</b>	<b>17,700</b>	<b>29,625</b>	<b>23,050</b>	<b>81,435</b>	<b>35,725</b>
General & Office supplies	1,000	845	1,500	3,856	1,500	638	1,500
Office Moving	-	-	-	1,468	-	406	0
Postage/Shipping	250	380	500	549	500	616	500
Rent (office)	5,400	5,400	5,000	4,794	5,000	4,524	5,000
Office salaries & benefits	31,600	31,583	33,169	33,197	32,000	31,833	30,000
Office 365	-	-	350	-	350	406	425
Telephone and Internet	3,900	3,287	4,000	1,551	3,500	1,273	1,500
Travel	500	-	2,500	206	2,500	1,394	2,500
	<b>42,650</b>	<b>41,495</b>	<b>47,019</b>	<b>45,621</b>	<b>45,350</b>	<b>41,090</b>	<b>41,425</b>
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>58,050</b>	<b>57,287</b>	<b>64,719</b>	<b>75,246</b>	<b>68,400</b>	<b>122,525</b>	<b>77,150</b>
<b>Surplus/Deficit</b>	<b>(1,636)</b>	<b>8,764</b>	<b>4,621</b>	<b>15,573</b>	<b>3,150</b>	<b>(4,865)</b>	<b>1,000</b>
<b>One time Transition Expense</b>	-	-	<b>2,000</b>	-	-	-	-
<b>Net Surplus Deficit</b>	-	-	<b>2,621</b>	-	-	-	-

\* includes DGW to Dec 31

Moved by M. Em. Kt. David G. Walker, GCT, and seconded by R. Em. Kt. Howard F. Adams, KCT, that this report be received, adopted and published in the proceedings. CARRIED.

**Sovereign Great Priory of Canada**  
**Knights Templar**  
Financial Position  
(Unaudited-See Independent Practitioner's Review Engagement Report)  
June 30, 2023

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## **INDEPENDANT PRACTITIONER'S REVIEW ENGAGEMENT REPORT**

To the Supreme Grand Master, Officers and Members of  
**The Sovereign Great Priory of Canada, Knights Templar**

I have reviewed the accompanying Consolidated financial statements of The Sovereign Great Priory of Canada, Knights Templar that comprise the statement of financial position as at June 30, 2023, and the statement of operations and fund balances and cash flow for the year then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

### **Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements**

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit enterprises, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

### **Practitioner's Responsibility**

My responsibility is to express a conclusion on the accompanying financial statements based on my review. I conducted my review in accordance with Canadian generally accepted standards for review engagements, which require me to comply with relevant ethical requirements.

A review of financial statements in accordance with Canadian generally accepted standards for review engagements is a limited assurance engagement. The practitioner performs procedures, primarily consisting of making inquiries of management and others within the entity, as appropriate, and applying analytical procedures, and evaluates the evidence obtained.

The procedures performed in a review are substantially less in extent than, and vary in nature from, those performed in an audit conducted in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Accordingly, I do not express an audit opinion on these financial statements.

### **Conclusion**

Based on my review, nothing has come to my attention that causes me to believe that the financial statements do not present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of The Sovereign Great Priory of Canada, Knights Templar as at June 30, 2023, and the results of its operations and its cash flow for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit enterprises.

*George M. Puccia*



Newmarket, Ontario  
Friday, July 28, 2023

Chartered Professional Accountant, CA  
Licensed Public Accountant

**Sovereign Great Priory of Canada, Knights Templar**  
Statement of Financial Position  
(Unaudited-See Independent Practitioner's Review Engagement Report)  
June 30, 2023

	2023	2022
<b>ASSETS</b>		
<b>Current</b>		
Cash - general fund	41,769	42,123
Cash - life fund	3,141	852
Investments @ fmv - general fund (Schedule A.1)	415,998	401,799
Investments @ fmv - life fund (Schedule A.2)	275,382	269,011
Accounts receivable	6,562	3,553
Inventory (Note 3)	18,026	25,596
Prepaid deposits	8,132	1,694
	769,010	744,628
	769,010	744,628

**LIABILITIES**

<b>Current</b>		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	7,051	4,770
Government remittances payable	493	491
Donations - in trust	600	600
Regalia deposits (Note 4)	2,450	2,400
Heraldic arms	1,835	1,835
Preceptories - in trust	6,998	6,998
	19,427	17,094

**FUND BALANCES**

<b>Restricted Fund Balance</b>	285,331	269,011
<b>Unrestricted Fund Balance</b>	464,252	458,523
	749,583	727,534
	769,010	744,628

Approved on behalf of the Sovereign Great Priory of Canada, Knights Templar

  
Grand Chancellor \_\_\_\_\_

  
Grand Treasurer \_\_\_\_\_

**Sovereign Great Priory of Canada, Knights Templar**  
Statement of Receipts, Expenditures and Fund Balances  
(Unaudited-See Independent Practitioner's Review Engagement Report)  
June 30, 2023

		2023	2022
<b>Receipts</b>	(Schedule B.1)	117,660	90,819
<b>Administrative Expenditures</b>			
General and office		61	160
Grand Assembly		43,561	500
Grand Council		1,406	-
Honouraria		10,250	10,000
Insurance		1,808	1,712
Printing		530	416
Professional fees		10,960	10,621
Purchases		12,859	6,216
		<b>81,435</b>	<b>29,625</b>
<b>Grand Chancellor Expenditures</b>			
General and office		1,044	3,856
Office moving costs		406	1,468
Postage		616	549
Rent		4,524	4,794
Salaries & benefits		31,833	33,197
Telephone		1,273	1,551
Travel		1,394	206
		<b>41,090</b>	<b>45,621</b>
<b>Other Items</b>			
Unrealized (gains)/losses	(Schedule B.2)	(26,914)	71,473
<b>Total Expenditures</b>		<b>95,611</b>	<b>146,719</b>
<b>Excess/(Shortfall) of Receipts Over Expenditures</b>		<b>22,049</b>	<b>(55,900)</b>
Restricted portion of excess/(shortfall) of receipts over expenditures		(16,320)	14,088
<b>Unrestricted Fund Balance, beginning of the year</b>		<b>458,523</b>	<b>500,335</b>
<b>Unrestricted Fund Balance, end of the year</b>		<b>464,252</b>	<b>458,523</b>
<b>Restricted Portion of Excess/(Shortfall) of Receipts Over Expenditures</b>		<b>16,320</b>	<b>(14,088)</b>
<b>Restricted Fund Balance, beginning of the year</b>		<b>269,011</b>	<b>283,099</b>
<b>Restricted Fund Balance, end of the year</b>		<b>285,331</b>	<b>269,011</b>

**Sovereign Great Priory of Canada, Knights Templar**  
Statement of Cash Flow  
(Unaudited-See Independent Practitioner's Review Engagement Report)  
June 30, 2023

	2023	2022
<b>Cash provided by (used in) operating activities:</b>		
Excess/(Shortfall) of Receipts over Expenditures	22,049	(55,900)
Changes in non-cash working capital items		
Accounts receivable	(3,009)	1,550
Inventory	7,570	2,561
Prepaid deposits	(6,438)	(1,683)
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	2,281	2,510
Government remittances payable	2	491
Donations - in trust	-	(500)
Regalia deposits	50	1,000
<b>Cash provided by (used in) investing activities:</b>		
Changes to investments - general fund (net)	(14,199)	34,033
Changes to investments - life fund (net)	(6,371)	14,088
	22,505	(42,973)
	(20,570)	48,121
<b>Cash provided by (used in) financing activities:</b>		
Additions (reductions) to financing activities	-	-
	-	-
<b>Increase (decrease) in cash</b>	<b>1,935</b>	<b>5,148</b>
Restricted portion of increase/(decrease) in cash	(2,289)	1,911
<b>Cash, beginning of the year</b>	<b>42,123</b>	<b>35,064</b>
<b>Cash, end of the year</b>	<b>41,769</b>	<b>42,123</b>
<b>Restricted Portion of Increase/(Decrease) in Cash</b>	<b>2,289</b>	<b>(1,911)</b>
<b>Restricted Fund Balance, beginning of the year</b>	<b>852</b>	<b>2,763</b>
<b>Restricted Fund Balance, end of the year</b>	<b>3,141</b>	<b>852</b>

**Sovereign Great Priory of Canada, Knights Templar**  
Schedule A - Investments  
(Unaudited-See Independent Practitioner's Review Engagement Report)  
June 30, 2023

	2023	2022
<b>Schedule A.1 - General Fund (@ Fair Market Value)</b>		
<b>Canadian Dollar Account</b>		
Preferred Shares	17,117	18,202
Common Shares	132,964	130,928
Mutual Funds	159,781	153,172
Foreign Securities	8,206	8,027
	318,068	310,329
<b>United States Dollar Account (\$CAD)</b>		
Common Shares	73,965	70,984
Foreign exchange on US holdings	23,965	20,486
	97,930	91,470
	415,998	401,799

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**Schedule A.2 - Life Membership Fund  
(@ Fair Market Value)**

<b>Canadian Dollar Account</b>		
Preferred Shares	10,067	10,867
Common Shares	87,214	85,917
Mutual Funds	108,486	106,267
Foreign Securities	5,425	5,353
	211,192	208,404
<b>United States Dollar Account (\$CAD)</b>		
Common Shares	48,482	47,033
Foreign exchange on US holdings	15,708	13,574
	64,190	60,607
	275,382	269,011

**Sovereign Great Priory of Canada, Knights Templar**  
Schedule B - Receipts & Other Items  
(Unaudited-See Independent Practitioner's Review Engagement Report)  
June 30, 2023

	2023	2022
<b><i>Schedule B.1 - Receipts</i></b>		
<b>Receipts</b>		
Grand Assembly	41,578	-
Certificates	1,245	180
Dispensations	480	-
Investment income - general	14,367	14,985
Investment income - life	9,438	10,376
Merchandise sales	12,876	8,566
Per capita assessments	36,001	35,896
Registrations	1,425	-
Sundry	94	-
Realized gain/(loss) on investments	131	16,584
Realized gain/(loss) on foreign exchange	25	4,232
	117,660	90,819

***Schedule B.2 - Other Items***

<b>Unrealized Gains/(Losses)</b>		
Unrealized gain/(loss) on foreign exchange	5,613	653
Unrealized gain/(loss) on investments - general	15,084	(41,537)
Unrealized gain/(loss) on investments - life	6,217	(30,589)
	26,914	(71,473)

## **Sovereign Great Priory of Canada, Knights Templar**

**Notes to the Financial Statements**  
**(Unaudited - See Review Engagement Report)**  
**Friday, June 30, 2023**

### **1 DESCRIPTION OF ORGANIZATION**

The Sovereign Great Priory of Canada, Knights Templar (“the Organization”) is an unincorporated not-for-profit association. The purpose of the organization is to have supreme and exclusive jurisdiction over the United Religious and Military Orders of St. John of Jerusalem, Palestine, Rhodes and Malta and of the Temple in Canada and authority over all Priories and Preceptories, and over all Companions of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross, Knights of Malta, and Knights Templar. The organization operates out of Oakville, Ontario.

### **2 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

The financial statements of the organization were prepared in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles for not-for-profit enterprises. A summary of significant accounting policies is as follows:

#### **Fund Accounting:**

The organization maintains its accounts in accordance with the principles of “Fund Accounting”. The resources of the organization are classified into the various funds in accordance with the various activities or specified objectives which it is to undertake.

The General Fund accounts for administrative and other operations of the organization and is financed principally by membership fees and investment income.

The Life Membership Fund accounts for life membership fees paid by candidates. All investment income earned by the Life Membership Fund is payable to the General Fund.

#### **Investments:**

The investments held by the organization are carried at fair market value. All changes in the fair market value of the investments are included in income in the year in which they occur.

#### **Revenue Recognition:**

The organization recognizes revenue when the goods are provided or services are rendered to the members.

#### **Income Taxes:**

The organization is a not-for-profit organization within the meaning of the Income Tax Act (Canada), section 149(1) and accordingly no provision for income taxes has been made.

#### **Measurement of Financial Instruments:**

The organization’s financial instruments include cash, investments, accounts receivable and accounts payable. Financial instruments are initially measured at fair value, when the organization becomes a party to the contractual provisions, and are subsequently measured at amortized cost, which approximates fair value due to their short term nature.

#### **Use of Estimates:**

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with Canadian accounting standards requires the

organization to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, and the reported amounts of receipts and expenditures during the reporting period. Actual results could differ substantially from management’s best estimates as additional information becomes available in the future.

**Notes to the Financial Statements**  
**(Unaudited - See Review Engagement Report)**  
**Friday, June 30, 2023**

**3 INVENTORY**

The organization measures inventory at the lower of cost and net realizable value. Cost is determined on the first-in first-out basis and net realizable value is the selling price of the item. The cost of inventory includes the following:

	2023	2022
Items for resale	12,384	15,962
Collars and jewels	<u>5,642</u>	<u>9,634</u>
	<u><u>18,026</u></u>	<u><u>25,596</u></u>

**4 REGALIA DEPOSITS**

The organization has provided regalia items to various long standing members of the organization and is holding refundable deposits pending their return. These have been provided to members who are either a Knight Grand Cross of the Order of the Temple (G.C.T.) or a Knight Commander of the Temple (K.C.T.).

**5 COMPARATIVE FIGURES**

For the fiscal years ended since June 30, 2021, the organization has approved the preparation of a combined set of financial statements wherein the general fund assets and the life fund assets are disclosed on one set of financial statements. As a result, and where necessary, the comparative figures have been re-stated to conform to the current year presentation format.

## **REPORT of the COMMITTEE on FUTURE PLACES OF MEETINGS**

Next meeting to take place after the next assembly and depending on the results of the motion to move to biannual assemblies, proposals for future assemblies will be discussed. The 2024 GIC/SGP Assembly is confirmed for Regina Saskatchewan for the week of August 13<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

### **MOTION:**

Moved by R. Em. Kt. Eric L. Shaw, seconded by the Acting Deputy Grand Master: that the report be received and approved. **CARRIED**

## **REPORT of the JURISPRUDENCE COMMITTEE**

As Chairman of the Committee on Jurisprudence I beg to report. We have examined the Notices of Motion received by the Chancery Office and which are to be dealt with at the 140<sup>th</sup> Annual Assembly on August 18, 2023. I see no constitutional bar to the proposed motions. They are in order and appear to be regular at least to the extent they may be brought forward for consideration at this 140<sup>th</sup> Annual Assembly.

All of which is respectively submitted.

V. Em. Kt. Mark L. Millar, Chairman

## **CONDITION OF THE ORDER**

Sir Knights, this past year has been an eye opener for many of us within the Sovereign Great Priory of Canada. Covid 19 isn't behind us but most of us have learned to deal with it on a day-to-day basis.

On a reduced basis, we still continued to lose members within our Order due to deaths, demits, and exclusions. As before, some became disillusioned with the many barriers Covid 19 threw in front of us and as they felt they couldn't communicate to one another, as in the past, some withdrew.

We are rising above those challenges, but new ones need to be addressed in a positive manner.

### **Notice Papers/Summons**

For the last ten months, the co-chairs of the Condition of the Order Committee have been receiving most of the Preceptory Notice Papers/Summons along with many of the Provincial Grand Prior Visitation Reports and Annual Reports. This has proven to have been very interesting and some of our comments are listed below:

- There seems to be no set standard in how Notices are designed. Some are virtual works of art, incorporating colour and design. Some are a very basic attempt to communicate the bare essentials of information.
- Should we consider a standardized template?
- Should each Presiding Preceptor have a new and engaging insert for the Notice Paper each month? Many have none at all.
- What, if any, are the basic information points that should be included each month?

- Do we need to list the historical list of past Presiding Preceptors with dates of office or is there a better way to honour their service?
- Other than possibly the Preceptory's Registrar, should any other contact points (phone numbers, email addresses and home addresses) be included in a Notice Paper? We have to keep in mind Federal Privacy legislation which was enacted in 2007. Many Fraters contact information are openly displayed. Do we have their consent to do so?

I want to relate a personal opinion and observation and a brief background on the reasoning for the same.

In 2007, I was the Secretary for my Mother Lodge. When I started filling the position, I used the same template our Lodge had used for years. A simple two-page format with the only regular changes being that of the upcoming Communication date and sometimes even an insert from the Lodge's Master. In essence, if you read one, you pretty much read them all. The recipient may glance to confirm the next Communication date and that's pretty much it. And then something happened. The daughter of a Past Master of my Lodge came to me for my professional services and the conversation quickly focused on her dad's health. He was dealing with full-fledged dementia. He was a Brother who had prided himself on his ritual excellence and was pretty much the model to compare one's ritual excellence against. His mind had almost perfect recall and his memory had been crystal clear and razor sharp. Several years later, his illness had progressed to the point where he could rarely remember loved ones' names. I asked my client how often she visited her dad, and she said weekly if not more often. I asked if he ever talked about his years in the craft and she said yes. I made a decision. I asked her if I had a copy of the Lodge Summons sent to her, would she read it to her dad and she immediately agreed.

How many members do we each have in our varied Preceptories who are unable to attend a stated Assembly because of ill health, inability to get around, job commitment and general life reasons overall? My observation is "a lot".

In my opinion, these Fraters are not attending Preceptory (or Lodge, or Chapter) because they don't want to attend, they simply just can't. They have been cut off from the social fulfillment they would normally have gotten if they could attend.

We have all repeated, taking at least a few Masonic obligations, to look after the wants of a Brother/Companion/ Frater in need. Have we been assisting to fill the needs of their soul? Have we tried to quench their thirst for fellowship and knowledge?. So, I changed the format of my Lodge's Notice paper. It became more of a newsletter. It went from two pages to fourteen (on average).

Sounds like a lot of work? It was the most fun and pleasurable thing I have done as a Mason regardless of what body I was in. People (the readers) want to know what is going on. If you include pictures, they first look to see if they are in any and if not, they look to see if someone they know is in them. It is simple human nature. It **engages them** (this phrase will be repeated). I had Brethren take pictures at every opportunity (note now the picture takers will want to see if their pictures have been used). They were taken at every social, of the kitchen crew, the serving crew and even the cleanup crew. I labeled every picture used with the names of the Brethren (and partners) in them and usually added a comment that occasionally could be considered somewhat off colour (my sense of humour is somewhat stretched). Pictures were

taken when we held a church service, War Memorial parades, civic events, award presentations and just about any other reason we could find or invent. The feedback received told us not only were our Lodge members taking more of an interest and reading the Notice, but our Lodge attendance started to increase. Members were becoming engaged. I then added a monthly article where I would interview a senior Mason. I would first ask five standard questions (such as when did you join the Craft, what is your Mother Lodge, what is the highest Craft Lodge/Grand Lodge rank you had obtained). And then, I let them talk and I took notes. This section became really popular. So much so, other Lodges asked to be copied in on the distribution list to forward to their members.

The rest of the pages were made up with Masonic humour and Masonic related articles. I should also note I included a personal “point of view” section (an opinion piece) that received a great deal of feedback. Some may not have been particularly complimentary to me but I did at least have confirmed my patents were married, to one another, prior to my birth.

So, by changing the Notice paper from a redundant one to an attempt to be an engaging one, the readers had a way of staying in touch, enforce a feeling of belonging and a more positive Lodge attitude developed.

My point in all of this was and still is simple. Engage your readers! Engaged readers often become active in attendance and everyone profits in the end. Try doing it differently. You may be very surprised.

### **Assembly Attendance**

There has been a common and troubling theme in many Notice papers. That of almost begging Fraters to attend Assemblies so a minimum quorum could be reached. This, in and of itself, raises a bright red flag. If Fraters are not engaged, they are not going to attend. We have already addressed this somewhat in the above section and will repeat it in other sections. The point: engage the people. They will come.

It could also suggest we collectively are not doing enough to attract new members. If we are not attending, and participating in our R.A.M. Chapters, we can't expect to promote membership. In our two previous Annual Reports, the following was printed:

***All of our Preceptories need more participating members. These must come from our Royal Arch Chapters. In turn, all of our Chapters need new members and these must come from our Craft Lodges. It is incumbent on all of us to stay active in our Lodges and our Chapters to assist them to grow and prosper. By our own example and endeavours, we can do it. We can help attract interested men to join Freemasonry and as they progress towards the Third Degree and beyond, many will join Chapters in the search for more knowledge and light. If we provide the leadership, we have shown we are capable of, we will all benefit together.***

Does your Preceptory have a well thought out action plan to encourage new membership. If it does, is it being actioned? We will not get positive results until we plan and put the plan in action. Where does your Preceptory stand?

### **Webinars/Digital Communication**

Each Provincial Grand Prior has to comment on whether the Preceptory being visited holds an Easter, Ascension and Christmas Service. In too many cases, the answer “No” was given. First, we are a Christian body, and we should happily take opportunities to celebrate whenever we get a chance.

Second, when well planned, these celebrations give us an opportunity to engage with other Sir Knights, other Masons and the families of those while promoting our Christian beliefs.

My mother Preceptory suffered tremendously, during Covid, and we lost one half of our members for various reasons. On the positive side, those left show up and participate. Due to the dates of our regular Assemblies, we hadn't scheduled an Easter Devine Service. I found out Mount Slesse Preceptory, No. 78, in Chilliwack B.C was going to hold an Easter Divine Service via Zoom. I wrote to their Registrar and asked if his Presiding Preceptor would give his permission for our Preceptory members to attend the Zoom service and it was delightfully agreed to. So, we held an Easter Devine Service, coast to coast and everyone who attended profited. A different way to take advantage of today's technology and promote engagement. If we think “out of the box” we can find unique ways to promote our values.

### **Agendas**

We have all heard the saying, “if you fail to plan, you plan to fail”. I believe that to be absolutely true!

My Masonic experience has been that too many of our leaders (Masters of the Lodge, Most Excellent High Priest/First Principals, Thrice Illustrious Masters and Presiding Preceptors) do not take the time to plan each Communication, Convocation and Assemblies out. They do not put the effort into ensuring each meeting has at least one thing to engage each of the attendees. In too many cases, they take a copy of that body's Notice paper and simply run the meeting as set out in that paper. That often proves to be very ineffective. If members have no engagement, they simply will not show up. It is suspected that plays a large part in why some Preceptoriums are having attendance issues. We need to change how we have been doing things. We need to plan our Assemblies in advance and not the night before or the afternoon of our Assemblies. This should not fall solely on the Presiding Preceptor's shoulders alone. The planning should be a team effort which will help ensure more ideas are considered and help in training junior Officers for senior positions. With practice, you will find it works. Engage each member at least once.

A few years ago, the Masonic Service Association, in partnership with the A.A.S.R. Northern Jurisdiction of the U.S.A., did a lot of studying on Freemasonry in general and membership in particular. They have held annual seminars in Washington D.C. and pretty much any Grand Lodge and Concordant body could attend for free providing they covered their own transportation and accommodation costs. It has been surprising how few Grand Lodges have been represented. The point to be made is they published 250 ideas on how to increase membership. Almost all of these ideas could apply to any Masonic body. The point is, there already exists any number of ideas to promote and foster new members while retaining existing ones. It does require some effort. We simply need to empower our leadership to lead.

In summary, we are back! We need to revisit how we had done things in the past, collect the positive practices, embrace new technology and ideas, work on engaging our membership and promoting our vision of the future.

Your senior Sovereign Great Priory officers are here to assist in any reasonable way possible. Simply just reach out and let us know.

Yours in the Bonds of Our Order,  
Rt. Em. Kt. Ian Murray, K.C.T.  
Rt. Em. Kt. Clive D. Stephenson, K.C.T.

**MOTION:**

Moved by R. Em. Kt. Ian Murray, KCT and Seconded by the Acting Deputy Grand Master that: This Report be received and adopted. **CARRIED**

**PRESENTATIONS**

**The Donald A. King Memorial Award**

Brother Knights, this award is to recognize the Best Uniformed Turn-out of Preceptors on the occasion of the Official Visit of the Provincial Grand Prior. This year's recipient is St. Georges Preceptory No. 52, Kingston-Ottawa District No. 4.

**The Roger N. Delisle Award**

Brother Knights, this trophy presented by the late Most Eminent Knight Roger N. Delisle, G.C.T., Past Supreme Grand Master, to reward the Preceptory with the largest percentage of Increase in membership during the year. This year the recipient is William de la More the Martyr No. 25, Quebec District No. 5 with an increase of 50%. Honourable mention goes to Temiskaming Preceptory No. 60, Algoma District No. 12 with an increase of 30.7%.

**Presentation of the Supreme Grand Master's Award**

There was no award presented this year.

**Presentation of Honourary Memberships**

Sir Kt. David Kussman, GCT Past Supreme Grand Master  
Sir Kt. Robert Glenn, GCT Past Supreme Grand Master

**One Member for the Charles E. Wells Memorial Fund**

Appointed by the Supreme Grand Master in accordance with Regulation R10.1.2 for a term of 5 Years as a member of the Charles e. Wells Memorial Fund. R. Em. Kt. Howard Adams, KCT.

**REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE SUPREME GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS**

A committee composed of the Past Supreme Grand Masters reviewed prior to the assembly the Annual Report/Message of the Supreme Grand Master.

In doing so, the committee has found the endeavors and energy of the SGM to be acceptable to the position and would like to particularly thank the SGM's wife, Marianne, for her continuing support of her husband in completing his Masonic duties. Her effort does not go unnoticed.

**MOTION:**

Moved by M. Em. Kt. William Mann, GCT and Seconded by the M. Em. Kt. David Hardie, GCT that: This Report be received and adopted. **CARRIED**

**MOTION:**

Moved by M. Em. Kt. Gerald A. Riley, GCT, seconded by M. Em. Kt. David P. Hardie, GCT That a hearty vote of thanks be extended to R. Em. Kt. Alan Akehurst for his preparation of an excellent Memorial Ceremony and Vesper Service. **CARRIED**

**MOTION:**

Moved by: M. Em. Kt. Gerald A. Riley, GCT, seconded by: M. Em. Kt. W. David P. Hardie, GCT That: a hearty vote of thanks be extended to V. Em.Kt. James Leutri for administering this virtual Assembly. **CARRIED**

**MOTION:**

Moved by: M. Em. Kt. David P. Hardie, GCT, seconded by: M. Em. Kt. W. David G. Walker, GCT, That: a donation of \$500 be made on behalf of Sovereign Great Priory of Canada to the North Bramalea Presbyterian Church in care of Rev. Geoffrey Ross for kindly sharing their wonderful facilities with us. **CARRIED**

**NEW BUSINESS**

Whereas: A couple of years prior to 2010, a motion was made to Sovereign Great Priory that all future assemblies be held in a city with a major transportation facility (i.e. Airport). This motion was passed at an Annual Assembly and has been generally followed since.

There was a recommendation from the Finance Committee to select three sites, one in the West, one Central and one in the East in which to hold the Annual Assemblies. That we would rotate between those three locations and the rotation would be West, Central, East, Central, West, etc. So that every second year they would be in the Central area. That Alberta be selected for the West, Ontario for the Central and Nova Scotia for the East. So that we would stay east of the Rockies and on the mainland in the East.

This was a committee recommendation only. The suggestion of selecting three sites in which to rotate the assemblies did not garner support, but the rotation West, Central, East, Central did.

and Whereas: there has been discussion recently about these recommendations amongst the members of GIC and SGP, voicing concern about limiting where an Annual Assembly may be held,

and Whereas: generally, the membership of GIC and SGP feel that limiting where an Annual Assembly may be held is inappropriate for national organizations.

**Therefore: I M. Em. Kt. David G. Walker, GCT move, seconded by R. Em. Kt. Eric Shaw, KCT that: any and all former location limiting recommendations be rescinded and that the Joint Committee of Future Places of Meetings, who are charged with the responsibility of securing locations and negotiating with suitable Hotels, (i.e. room rates, food costs, meeting rooms, etc.) be so advised.**

## **Ceremony of Investiture of the Knight Commanders of the Temple**

### **Supreme Grand Master:**

Brother Knights, the time having arrived for the Installation and Investiture of the Supreme Grand Master and the Great Priory Officers for the ensuing term of Office.

**M. Em. Kt. Geoffrey C. Perry, GCT:** I request the following Installing Officers to assemble in the East.

### **INSTALLATION TEAM**

Installing Supreme Grand Master	Geoffrey Perry
Grand Captain General	Brampton Gushway
Grand Chancellor	Howard Adams
Grand Chaplain	Alan Akehurst
Grand Constable	Robert Dupel
Grand Marshall	William Boote
Grand Pursuivant	Howard Adams
Grand Sword Bearer	Brian Kiernan

### ***Supreme Grand Master***

Grand Chancellor, you will read the names of those Brother Knights recommended by the College of Honours and approved by me to be honoured in 2021 as Knight Commanders of the Order of the Temple in Canada. I request the Grand Captain General to present them in the Grand East for Dubbing and Investiture.

### ***Grand Captain General***

Most Eminent Sir, we have the honour to present Right Eminent Knights Richard Burden, Robert Dunn and Stanley Fenton, for dubbing and investiture as Knight Commanders of the Order of the Temple.

### ***Grand Chancellor***

Right Eminent Knights, in accordance with the statutes of Sovereign Great Priory, the College of Honours, after careful consideration of your record of service to Freemasonry and more particularly to the Order of the Temple, have been pleased to recommend to Supreme Grand Master that you be accorded the honour and dignity of Knight Commander of the Order of the Temple. Your Dedication Zeal and Fidelity have shown you to be deserving of this honour which I now propose to confer upon you. The Supreme Grand Master has directed that the citation covering the highlights of your Masonic Service be printed in the Proceedings and deposited in our archives.

Most Eminent Kt. Geoffrey C. Perry, GCT proceeded to dub each recipient as a Knight Commander of the Temple. The new Knight Commanders of the Temple were invested and presented with their Patent of Honour.

The Grand Pursuivant made the Proclamation.

Be it known that Right Eminent Knights, Richard Burton, Robert Dunn and Stanley Fenton have this day been created and invested as Knight Commanders of the Order of the Temple of the

United Religious and Military Orders of St. John of Jerusalem, Palestine, Rhodes and Malta and of the Temple.

**COLLEGE OF HONOURS CITATIONS  
KNIGHT COMMANDERS OF THE TEMPLE**

**Right Eminent Knight Donald Gillies**

Was born on November 15, 1942, in Swift Current, Sk. After graduating from high school moved to Calgary in 1962. He was employed by Canadian General Electric from February 1963 to May 1969 in Calgary and Edmonton. He married Joyce Moore on September 12, 1964, and had two daughters with Joyce, Donna and Heather and has five grandchildren.

He was employed by Kohn Electric as an Apprentice Electrician in June 1969 and graduated as a Journeyman Electrician in 1973. He continued with Kohn Electric and Canem Systems from 1973 to 1976.

He was an electrical instructor at the Southern Alberta Institute of Technology from 1976 to 1981 and an Electrical Inspector, first with the Province of Alberta from 1981 to 1995, then with TECL Inspections from 1995 to 1997, retiring from the City of Calgary as an inspector from 1997 to 2003.

His wife Joyce passed away on July 9, 1993, and he remarried Diane Heil on July 18, 1997.

After retiring from full time employment, worked part-time employment with Davis Inspections, Calgary as an electrical inspector from 2003 to 2018.

Boy Scouts of Canada – Scout Leader, 1970 to 1973

International Order of Jobs Daughters – Associated Guardian, 1982, 1983

Parkdale United Church – Maintenance Committee, 1976 to 1988

Parkdale Elementary School – Parent, Teacher Association, 1971 to 1974

Initiated, Passed and Raised in St. Marks Lodge # 118, Calgary in 1980 and was Master in 2013. He Affiliated with Rockyford Lodge # 123, in 1983 was Master in 1988 & 2000.

He was the Grand Director of Ceremonies for the Grand Lodge of Alberta in 2005 and District Deputy Grand Master in 2006. He was President of the Board of General Purposes for the Grand Lodge of Alberta in 2011.

He was Exalted in Calgary Chapter # 11, Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Alberta in November 1982 and First Principal in 1991, 1992, 2001. He was the Grand Steward for District # 3 in 1993 and Grand Superintendent – District # 3 in 1998. He is the Grand Representative to the Supreme Grand Chapter of Victoria – 1999 and in 2004 was elected as Grand First Principal of the Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons of Alberta in 2004. He was Grand Lecturer from 2006 to 2011.

Greeted – Zadok Council #3 Cryptic Rite, Calgary – 1993

Received – Knight of the Temple, Cyprus Preceptory # 33, Calgary in 1987 and was Preceding Preceptor in 2006, Grand Constable Sovereign Great Priory of Canada in 2014 and 2015

Elected Member – Pompilius College York Rite College # 79, Calgary in 1994 and became Governor in 2005. He was Awarded the Order of the Purple Cross in 2009. He was appointed Deputy Grand Governor of Alberta in 2020 and Elected Grand Governor of Alberta in 2022

Admitted to Chinook City Conclave # 29, Red Cross of Constantine, Calgary in 2001. He was Viceroy in 2016 and Most Puissant Sovereign in 2017. He was Promoted to the Royal Order of Scotland in 2007.

### **Right Eminent Knight Richard Burden**

He was initiated in Star-In-The East Lodge No. 164 G.R.C., A.F.& A. M., June 4<sup>th</sup>, 1985, Passed, Oct. 10<sup>th</sup>, 1985, and Raised, Feb. 4<sup>th</sup>, 1986. He was Worshipful Master, 1990-1991 and District Deputy Grand Master 2008-2009.

He is a member of Prince Edward Chapter No. 31, G.R.C. and honoured as a MMM, May 16<sup>th</sup>, 1994, MEM, June 20<sup>th</sup>, 1994 and RAM, Sept. 12<sup>th</sup>, 1994. He was District Secretary to the Grand Superintendent, District No. 11, 2002-2002 and Grand Superintendent District No. 11, 2019-2020.

He is a member of St. George Preceptory No. 52, SGP as was the Presiding Preceptor, 2004. He was the Provincial Grand Prior, Kingston-Ottawa District No. 4, 2015-2016.

He was initiated Lactanian Conclave No. 35, Grand Imperial Concave of Canada, Sept. 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2003, Red Cross of Constantine, Mar. 19<sup>th</sup>, 2005, Appendant Orders of the Holy Sepulcher, May 21<sup>st</sup>, 2005, and Most Puissant Sovereign, Nov. 17<sup>th</sup>, 2012.

He is a member of Zabud Council No. 15 and Bay of Quinte Royal Ark Mariners Lodge No. 11, Royal and Select Masters of Ontario. He received the Royal Master Degree, Feb. 24<sup>th</sup>, 1998, Select Master, Apr. 28<sup>th</sup>, 1998, and Super Excellent Master, May 23<sup>rd</sup>, 1998. He was Thrice Illustrious Master and Commander Noah 2005-2006. He served as Secretary to the Grand Inspector General 2007, Grand Steward May 24<sup>th</sup>, 2008, and appointed to the Grand Executive (Hon.) 2014.

He has had a very long and active contribution to his community, and he is proud of his service.

He served for two years on the Hillier Township (Prince Edward County- Ont.) on the planning steering committee. It was also his distinct privilege to serve for five years as Elder of Consecon Unity Church where he is still very active. He served for five years as a Minor Hockey coach along with 14 years as Trainer for the Wellington Dukes OJHL Jr. "A" hockey team in Picton Ontario.

## **Right Eminent Knight Robert Dunn**

From 1961-1973, he worked as a machine operator at Corn Starch Works and Continental Canada.

From 1973-1999, he worked for the Oakville Fire Department, spanning 26 years. During this time, he trained in Emergency Preparedness. and Hazardous Materials. Having excelled in hazardous materials he was promoted to the position of Captain of the Haz. Mat. Station. The last 4 years of his career he was a Platoon Chief and Incident Commander overseeing operations of 7 stations within Oakville.

He was baptized and confirmed into the United Church of Canada.

Since retiring he has been involved socially and as a volunteer at the local Lutheran church at their outdoor events including organizing and volunteering at their garage sales.

He is a member of the Lions Club in Desboro, Ontario and has given educational talks to the members and community and educating them on fire safety and the dangers of hazardous materials.

He is a member of the Tara Legion Branch 383 and has supported their fundraisers and has marched in the Remembrance Day parades representing firefighters.

He assists the Local Fire Department and continues to be available to apply his fire knowledge to educate them, especially in hazardous materials.

Having taken a course in emergency preparedness, he volunteered to participate in the emergency response during an extended major ice storm and aftermath in Quebec. During the Mississauga train derailment in the 1980's, he volunteered fighting the fire explosion and hazardous material containment.

He is a member of Durham Chapter, No. 221, Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons and was First Principal in 2013. He Affiliated with Chantry Chapter No. 130 in 2017.

He joined Moore Sovereign Consistory of the Scottish Rite Hamilton Valley in 1995 and received the 32nd degree.

He was a member of Godfrey de Bouillon Preceptory No. 3 and Affiliated with Offanto Preceptory No 40. He was the Presiding Preceptor in 2009 and the Provincial Grand Prior, Toronto District, 2014-2015.

He is a member of Shealtiel Council No. 21, Royal and Select Masters of Ontario and was Thrice Illustrious Master in 2012. He received the Order of the Silver Trowel in 2012.

He Affiliated with Shekinah Council No. 18 in 2014 and was Thrice Illustrious Master in 2017. He attained the rank of Right Illustrious Companion in 2019 and is an Honourary Member of the Executive Committee. He was the Commander Noah of Midland Lodge No. 18 in 2013.

He is a member of Holy Rood College No. 66 and was Governor in 2013-14 and received the Order of the Purple Cross in 2021.

### **Right Eminent Knight Stanley Fenton**

He was born in Toronto May 21, 1944, and is a widower. He was a Scout Leader for 15 Years (1967-1982).

He worked for the Toronto Dominion Bank for 10 years and for the Ontario government working for the Ministry of Natural Resources and retiring at the age of 53 from the Ministry of Northern Development and Mines as a Facilities Officer (1974- 1997).

He started up Fenton's Bed and Breakfast (1997-2010) and is a Past President of the Sudbury Association of Bed & Breakfast. He also a Past Regional Director-North of the Federation of Ontario Bed & Breakfast Association and Past President of the Federation of Ontario Bed & Breakfast Association.

He was Initiated, Passed and Raised in Coronati Lodge No. 520 in 1982 and was Worshipful Master in 1988. He Affiliated with Sturgeon Falls Lodge No. 447 in 1990 and was Worshipful Master in 1995. He was District Secretary in the Nipissing East District for Grand Lodge in 2012 and Grand Steward in 2013, Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

He was Exalted in Tuscan Chapter No. 95, Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Ontario in 2001 and was First Principal 2009. He became the District Secretary of District #14 in 2012 and Grand Steward 2013.

He was Initiated into Elam Council No. 5, Order of the High Priesthood in 2023.

He was Initiated into Alpha Council No. 23, Royal and Select Masters of Ontario and Nipissing Lodge No. 20 RAM in 2003 and was Thrice Illustrious Master/Worshipful Commander Noah 2011. He was elected Grand Inspector General, District "E" 2015-2016.

### **Right Eminent Knight Terry Gould**

He was born in Kenora, Ontario in February 1955, and was raised and schooled in Dryden, Ontario. One of six children, he was active with camping, fishing and hunting. After graduating high school, he joined the Bank of Montreal in a management training program, being transferred around the Prairies. After 4 years with the BMO, he joined the Alberta Treasury Branches, a provincial bank and enjoyed senior roles being transferred around Alberta over a 20 year period. He finished his banking career in Edmonton with the Canadian Western Bank in various head office roles over a 19-year period. While working he was active with Junior Achievement program teaching and leadership roles with the Chamber of Commerce.

He married Penny in 1996 and they now are blessed and busy with six grandchildren. Terry is very thankful that Penny supports his busy masonic duties and travels. Retirement in 2019 includes gardening and wine making at their Spruce Grove, Alberta home plus a 5 month visit

to their winter home in Phoenix, Arizona which allows continuous play with pickleball and golf over the seasons.

He joined Star of the West Lodge #34, Leduc, Alberta. 1986, was Master in 1994, and Historian for 10 years. He is a Past Grand Steward of Grand Lodge of Alberta 1996 and Past Grand Recorder 2017. He has served as District Secretary and chairman in all various committees for Grand Lodge, Beaverhills District under 3 different DDGMs.

He is a member of North Star Chapter #2, Edmonton, Alberta, and joined In 1991, 1st Principal in 1999, Scribe "E" during 2005 and Treasurer from 2002 to 2008. He was District #1 Secretary and Treasurer starting in 1997 and has remained as the Treasurer since 1997. He was elected and appointed a Member of the Executive Committee for many years. He was appointed as a member of the Grand Chapter Finance Committee for many years and was Grand District Superintendent, District #1, 2001.

He is a Past President of the Edmonton Royal Arch Society 2000 and a Designing/Founding member of the Royal Arch Masonic Website for the Grand Chapter of Alberta in 2002. He originally raised the necessary funding by gathering donations from Chapters. He has been the Website Chairman since 2002.

In 2002 as an assistant during M. Ex. Comp. Tetzloff's year, updated and redesigned the Grand District Superintendent's Handbook including an interactive CD for fillable reports, hosting and documenting the District Meeting and templates for correspondence. He produced the Grand Chapter Music CD for the three degrees which was distributed to all Chapters in Alberta for their continuing use when an organist was not available. This music is now available for downloads on the website.

In 2022 he assisted with updating the GDS Handbook for permanent recording thereby obsoleting the hard copy handbook to electronic format. He has been an Officer/member of Holy Order of High Priesthood in Alberta since 2000, M. Ex. President for 2010.

He is an Officer/member of Edmonton Preceptory #46, Knights Templar, which joined in 1992. Treasurer 2001 - 2007, Presiding Preceptor 2007. Captain General, 2010 to 2013, Provincial Grand Prior 2016-2017. He was elected to the National Executive Committee of the Sovereign Great Priory of Canada 2012, appointed in 2014 and other subsequent years.

He was the General Chairman of the 2013 SGP Assembly in Edmonton, Alberta and was a Member/Chairman of the National Finance Committee from 2012 - 2022. Appointed as a National Director to the Sovereign Great Priory of Canada's Charitable Foundation in 2015-2022 and appointed in 2022 to an ad hoc committee to modernize the SGP's website and facilitate Zoom meetings.

He has been a Noble in Al Shamal Shrine Temple, Shriners International since 1992 and is a past member of the Arab Patrol Unit.

Officer/member of Cryptic Rite Masons, Zohar Council in 1999, T.I.M 2009 – 2010 and Officer/member of Lodge #2 Royal Ark Mariners, Commander Noah 2009 – 2010. He received

the Order of the Silver Trowel in 2011. He was Appointed in 2018 to Grand Conductor of the Council.

He is joined the Holy Royal Arch Knight Templar Priests, Northern Lights Tabernacle in 1999, and was -Em. Kt. High Priest 2006-2007, -Elected Treasurer since 2018 and elevated by the Grand College to Ill. Kt. Priest. Past Grand 7<sup>th</sup> Pillar

He has been a Member of Taylor Conclave #5, Red Cross of Constantine since 2000, and was Most Puissant Sovereign 2017-2018. He was Elected/appointed to the National Executive Committee for many years, the National Finance Committee for many years. He was Appointed as a Director to the Grand Imperial Conclave of Canada Charitable Foundation. In 2021 – 2022 assisted with establishing a new Investment Policy for the Foundation, negotiating new terms with the Investment Firm and modernizing the By-Laws.

In 2022 he was appointed to an ad hoc committee to modernize the GICC’s website and facilitate Zoom meetings.

He has been a Member of Alberta Rose York Rite College since 2004 and was Governor 2014 – 2015. He was honoured with the Order of the Purple Cross 2016.

He was honoured with admission to the Knights of the York Cross of Honour, Western Canada Priory #35 in 2010 and was Elected as Orator in 2022.

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<b>M. Em. Kt. Geoffrey C. Perry, GCT (26)</b>	<b>Supreme Grand Master</b>
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<b>M. Em. Kt. Joseph R. Marshall, GCT (34)</b>	<b>2006 - 2008</b>
<b>M. Em. Kt. Gerald E. Tetzloff, GCT (46)</b>	<b>2012 - 2015</b>
<b>M. Em. Kt. Gerald A. Riley, GCT (5)</b>	<b>2015 - 2017</b>
<b>M. Em. Kt. David P. Hardie, GCT (12)</b>	<b>2017 - 2019</b>
<b>M. Em. Kt. David G. Walker, GCT (12)</b>	<b>Honourary 2019</b>
<b>M. Em. Kt. William F. Mann, GCT (3)</b>	<b>2019 - 2022</b>
<b>R. Em. Kt. Clive D. Stephenson, KCT (65)</b>	<b>Deputy Grand Master</b>

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R. Em. Kt. Kenneth B. Mielkie, 2021	Preceptory No. 37

**HAMILTON DISTRICT (2)**

R. Em. Kt. T. Roy Binns, 2010	Preceptory No. 17
R. Em. Kt. Gary Paul Humes, 2022	Preceptory No. 3

**TORONTO DISTRICT (3)**

R. Em. Kt. Eric L. Shaw, 2021	Preceptory No. 13
R. Em. Kt. Richard Bradley Allgood	Preceptory No. 2
R. Em. Kt. Robert Dunn	Preceptory No. 40

**KINGSTON / OTTAWA DISTRICT (2)**

R. Em. Kt. David W. Hickman, 2004	Preceptory No. 52
R. Em. Kt. Kenneth M. Collard, 2016	Preceptory No. 6

**QUEBEC DISTRICT (2)**

R. Em. Kt. Douglas B. Hall, 2006	Preceptory No. 7
R. Em. Kt. Normand Lavoie, 2013	Preceptory No. 63

**NOVA SCOTIA / PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND DISTRICT (2)**

R. Em. Kt. Gary C. Patterson, 2015	Preceptory No. 73
R. Em. Kt. Charles E. Rutt, 2016	Preceptory No. 5

**NEW BRUNSWICK DISTRICT (1)**

R. Em. Kt. Eric Johnson, 2022	Preceptory No. 3A
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**MANITOBA / NORTHWESTERN ONTARIO DISTRICT (2)**

R. Em. Kt. Michael G. Abbott, 2009	Preceptory No. 23
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**PACIFIC COAST DISTRICT (2)**

R. Em. Kt. Leonard G. B. Pickell, 2015	Preceptory No. 34
R. Em. Kt. Bruce Allan, 2022	Preceptory No. 30

**KOOTENAY DISTRICT (1)**

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**ALGOMA DISTRICT (2)**

R. Em. Kt. Michael J R Millard, 2021	Preceptory No. 14
R. Em. Kt. Stanley Fenton, 2023	Preceptory No. 65

**ALBERTA DISTRICT (1)**

R. Em. Kt. Donald Gillis, 2023	Preceptory No. 33
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**SASKATCHEWAN DISTRICT (1)**

R. Em. Kt. Robert James Turner 2018	Preceptory No. 51
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**NORTHERN BRITISH COLUMBIA DISTRICT (1)**

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**Newfoundland and Labrador & LABRADOUR DISTRICT (1)**

R. Em. Kt. Ian A. Murray, 2019	Preceptory No. 71
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R. Em. Kt. Willard G. Dionne, PDGM 2014	Preceptory No. 32
R. Em. Kt. George Fairbairn PGT	Preceptory No. 3
R. Em. Kt. Howard F. Adams, Grand Chancellor	Preceptory No. 29
R. Em. Kt. Terry Gould, 2023	Preceptory No. 46

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R. Em. Kt. Norman D. McComb, 2005 – 2016	Preceptory No. 65
R. Em. Kt. James Dawe, 2012 – 2019	Preceptory No. 80
R. Em. Kt. Kenneth J. McCracken, 2002 – 2019	Preceptory No. 39
R. Em. Kt. W. Bruce Miller, 2008 – 2021	Preceptory No. 62
R. Em. Kt. Hilliard Clair, 2002 – 2019	Preceptory No. 48
R. Em. Kt. Frederick Healey 2021-2022	Preceptory No. 3A
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2002	Ray T. Bryant	Western Gate No. 30, Victoria, British Columbia
2009	Ralph Stillman Vail	Woodstock No. 41, Woodstock, New Brunswick
2009	John Verner Mathers	Geoffrey de St. Aldemar No. 2 Toronto, Ontario
2011	Robert Edward Kerr	Godfrey de Bouillon No. 3 Hamilton Ontario
2011	Morley Everett Robinson	Mount Zion No. 73 Kentville, Nova Scotia
2021	William G. Mounce	Western Gate No. 30 Victoria British Columbia

**GRAND COUNCIL 2022 – 2024**

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**All PROVINCIAL GRAND PRIORS (15)**

**All KNIGHT COMMANDERS of the TEMPLE (22) TOTAL (45)**

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M. Em. Kt. David P. Hardie, GCT (12)	PAST SUPREME GRAND MASTER

M. Em. Kt. David G. Walker, GCT (12)	PAST SUPREME GRAND MASTER
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3	<p><b>GODFREY DE BOUILLON, HAMILTON, ONTARIO</b> Warrant dates 8 June 1855 Meets first Friday of each month except January, May, July, August, and November Masonic Centre 4 Queen Street, South, Hamilton Sir Kt. John S. Harrop</p>	<p>Registrar <a href="mailto:Godfrey3registrar@gmail.com">Godfrey3registrar@gmail.com</a></p>
3A	<p><b>ST. JOHN DE MOLAY, SAINT JOHN, NEW BRUNSWICK</b> Warrant dates St. John R.S. 1856 – Union de Molay No. 11, 1 May 1869 Meets fourth Tuesday of each month except December, January, June, July, and August Luxor Shrine Temple, 14 McLaughlin Cres., East Side, Saint John, Em. Kt. Mark A. Walsh</p>	<p>Registrar <a href="mailto:markwalsh@bellaliant.net">markwalsh@bellaliant.net</a></p>
4	<p><b>RICHARD COEUR de LION, LONDON, ONTARIO</b> Warrant dates 29 May 1857 Meets second Thursday of each month except July and August Protestant Hall, 1057 Oxford Street East, London R. Em. Kt. Roy Hardy</p>	<p>Registrar <a href="mailto:Richard.cd104@start.ca">Richard.cd104@start.ca</a></p>

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5	<p>ANTIQUITY, HALIFAX, NOVA SCOTIA  Warrant dates 11 October 1858  Meets fourth Wednesday of each month except June, July, August, and December  Freemasons Masonic Hall, 165 Coronation Ave, Halifax  Em. Kt. Tony Szucs</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:t.szucs@eastlink.ca">t.szucs@eastlink.ca</a></p>
6	<p>KING BALDWIN, BELLEVILLE, ONTARIO  Warrant dates 7 June 1861  Meets second Thursday of each month except July, August, and September  Masonic Temple, 132 Foster Ave. Belleville, K8N 3P9  R. Em. Kt. Russell Scott</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:faraday@coqeco.ca">faraday@coqeco.ca</a></p>
7	<p>RICHARD COEUR de LION, MONTREAL, QUEBEC  Warrant dates 5 December 1863  Meets fourth Thursday of each month except June, July, August, and December  Montreal Masonic Memorial Temple, 2295 rue St-Marc, Montreal  Em. Kt. Dale Langille</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:dalelangille72@gmail.com">dalelangille72@gmail.com</a></p>
8	<p>PLANTAGENET, ST. CATHARINES, ONTARIO  Warrant dates 14 November 1866  Meets first Monday of each month except June, July, August, and September  V. Em. Kt. John Newton</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:Plantagenetno8@gmail.com">Plantagenetno8@gmail.com</a></p>
9	<p>SUSSEX, LENNOXVILLE, QUEBEC  Warrant dates 25 May 1867  Meets first Thursday of each month except January, June, July, August, and September  Ascot Masonic Temple, 3002 College Street, Borough of Lennoxville, Sherbrooke,  R. Em. Kt. Allan H. Marshall</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:Allan.marshall@sympatico.ca">Allan.marshall@sympatico.ca</a></p>
12	<p>MOUNT CALVARY, BARRIE, ONTARIO  Warrant dates 15 April 1870  Meets first Friday of each month except July, August, and September  Masonic Temple, 99 Morrow Road, Barrie  V. Em. Kt. Lachlan F Hamilton</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:lac.hamilton@sympatico.ca">lac.hamilton@sympatico.ca</a></p>

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13	<p>MOORE, PETERBOROUGH, ONTARIO  Warrant dates 27 May 1870  Meets second Wednesday of each month except Feb.,  June, July, August &amp; September  Masonic Temple, 415 Rubidge Street, Peterborough,  ON  R. Em. Kt. Eric L. Shaw, KCT</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:Shaw-gicc@outlook.com">Shaw-gicc@outlook.com</a></p>
14	<p>HARINGTON, NORTH BAY, ONTARIO  Warrant dates 14 April 1871  Meets first Monday of each month except July and  August  North Bay Masonic Building, 183 First Avenue, West,  North Bay  R. Em. Kt. Michael Millard, KCT</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:mmillard@cogeco.ca">mmillard@cogeco.ca</a></p>
15	<p>ST. JOHN the ALMONER, OSHAWA, ONTARIO  Warrant dates 8 March 1872  Meets fourth Thursday of each month except Jun, Jul,  Aug, &amp; Dec.  Masonic Temple, 91 Centre Street, Oshawa ON  V. Em. Kt. Douglas W. Overy</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:Douglou292@gmail.com">Douglou292@gmail.com</a></p>
16	<p>GONDEMAR, BROCKVILLE, ONTARIO  Warrant dates 3 May 1872  Meets fourth Monday of each month except June, July,  and August  Masonic Building 2815 2<sup>nd</sup> Concession (Parkdale Ave,  East), Brockville, ON K6V 5T1  Em. Kt. Douglas Miller</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:Millerfamily1986@bell.net">Millerfamily1986@bell.net</a></p>
17	<p>ODO de ST. AMAND, OAKLAND, ONTARIO  Warrant dates 7 May 1872  Meets fourth Thursday of each month except July,  August, September, and December  Masonic Temple, 5 King Street North, Oakland, ON  Em. Kt. Paul Maletta</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:paulmaletta@gmail.com">paulmaletta@gmail.com</a></p>

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18	<p>PALESTINE, PORT HOPE, ONTARIO  Warrant dates 31 May 1872  Meets second Monday of each month except July, August, and October  Port Hope Masonic Temple, 54 Toronto Road, Port Hope  Em. Kt. Ian Morton</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:imorton663@gmail.com">imorton663@gmail.com</a></p>
20	<p>KENT, CHATHAM, ONTARIO  Warrant dates 7 August 1877  Meets third Thursday of each month except June, July, and August  Edward Logan Masonic Centre, 430 Riverview Drive, Chatham  V. Em. Kt. William G. Lockhart</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:wlockhart1@cogeco.ca">wlockhart1@cogeco.ca</a></p>
21	<p>BURLEIGH, ST. THOMAS, ONTARIO  Warrant dates 11 October 1878  Meets third Monday of each month except June, July, and August  42703 Fruit Ridge Line Central Elgin, ON  R. Em. Kt. Sheldon V. Stannard</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:svstannard@sympatico.ca">svstannard@sympatico.ca</a></p>
22	<p>ST. ELMO, STRATFORD, ONTARIO  Warrant dates 18 March 1880  Meets fourth Monday of each month except June, July, August, and December  Mitchell Masonic Hall, 27A Ontario Road, Mitchell ON N0K1N0  R. Em. Kt. Leroy Harrison KCT</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:lharrison1@hotmail.com">lharrison1@hotmail.com</a></p>
23	<p>RHODES, THUNDER BAY, ONTARIO  Warrant dates 9 March 1880  Meets third Wednesday of each month except June, July, August, and December  Masonic Hall, 270 Red River Rd, Thunder Bay, ON  R. Em. Kt. Robert Willett</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:rbwillett@tbaytel.net">rbwillett@tbaytel.net</a></p>
24	<p>KING EDWARD, WINNIPEG, MANITOBA  Warrant dates 27 April 1880  Meets second Thursday of each month, to a min. of 7 assemblies, Sept. to June  East Kildonan Masonic Temple, 205 Kimberley Avenue, Winnipeg</p>	

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	R. Em. Kt. Jack Hooper	Registrar <a href="mailto:jfhooper@mymts.net">jfhooper@mymts.net</a>
25	WILLIAM de la MORE the MARTYR, QUEBEC, QUEBEC Warrant dates 1 May 1880 Meets third Thursday of each month except May, June, July, August, and December Temple Maconnique, 51 rue Des Jardins, Quebec Em. Ch. Gilles Simard	Registrar <a href="mailto:gilles.simard@bell.net">gilles.simard@bell.net</a>
26	WINDSOR, WINDSOR, ONTARIO Warrant dates 9 September 1882 Meets second Monday of each month except June, July, August, October, and December Windsor Masonic Temple, 986 Ouellette St., Windsor, ON V. Em. Kt. Keith Tyler	Registrar <a href="mailto:keith57tyler@gmail.com">keith57tyler@gmail.com</a>
27	MALTA, NEW GLASGOW, NOVA SCOTIA Warrant dates 1 September 1885 Meets first Tuesday of each month except July and August A.D.E. Tri-Lodge, 427 Little Harbour Road, New Glasgow NS R. Em. Kt. Terry Read (Pro-tem)	Registrar <a href="mailto:fealsamh1@gmail.com">fealsamh1@gmail.com</a>
29	CYRENE - EMANNUEL, TORONTO, ONTARIO Warrant dates 12 July 1887 Meets third Tuesday of each month except June, July, and August Brampton Masonic Centre 955 Clark Boulevard, Brampton ON Em. Kt. Stewart Brass	Registrar <a href="mailto:sbrass1@rogers.com">sbrass1@rogers.com</a>
30	WESTERN GATE, VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA Warrant dates 28 May 1891 Meets fourth Tuesday of each month except July and August; third Tuesday of December Freemasons Hall, 650 Fisgard Street, Victoria BC R. Em. Kt. Bruce W. Allan, KCT	Registrar <a href="mailto:ballan@shawcable.com">ballan@shawcable.com</a>

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32	<p>OTTAWA, OTTAWA, ONTARIO  Warrant dates 18 July 1893  Meets fourth Wednesday of each month except June, July, and August  Orange Hall, 41 Rosemount Ave., Ottawa, ON  Em Kt. Michael Vigeant</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:vinny6737@me.com">vinny6737@me.com</a></p>
33	<p>CYPRUS, CALGARY, ALBERTA  Warrant dates 23 August 1895  Meets fourth Friday of each month except June, July, and August  Bowmont Masonic Hall, 7704 39 Ave., NW, Calgary AB  Em. Kt. David Boone</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:deboone@telus.net">deboone@telus.net</a></p>
34	<p>COLUMBIA, VANCOUVER, BRITISH COLUMBIA  Warrant dates 23 August 1895, Amalgamated with Jordan Preceptory No. 76 January 2012  Meets third Thursday of each month except June, July, and August  Masonic Temple, 1142 Lonsdale Avenue, North Vancouver BC  R. Em. Kt. George H. Heggie</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:gheggie@telus.net">gheggie@telus.net</a></p>
35	<p>PRINCE EDWARD, CHARLOTTETOWN, P.E.I.  Warrant dates 16 September 1896  Meets third Wednesday of each month except July and August  Masonic Temple, 204 Hillsborough St., Charlottetown, PEI  R. Em. Kt. Douglas Morton</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:dougmorton17@gmail.com">dougmorton17@gmail.com</a></p>
36	<p>IVANHOE, MONCTON, NEW BRUNSWICK  Warrant dates 16 September 1896  Meets second Wednesday of each month except June, July, August. January and February  Masonic Temple, 115 Queen Street, Moncton, NB  Em. Kt. Chris Kitson</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:odin.wsnb@gmail.com">odin.wsnb@gmail.com</a></p>

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37	<p>ST. SIMON OF CYRENE, SARNIA, ONTARIO  Warrant dates 16 September 1896  Meets first Thursday of each month except February,  July, August, and September  Sarnia Masonic Hall 245 Essex Street, Sarnia  R. Em. Kt. Kenneth B. Mielkie, KCT</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:kenmielkie49@gmail.com">kenmielkie49@gmail.com</a></p>
39	<p>GIBSON, SAULT STE. MARIE, ONTARIO  Warrant dates 20 August 1902  Meets first Thursday of each month except January,  June, July, August, and September  Sault Ste. Marie Masonic Temple, 387 Albert Street  East, Sault Ste. Marie  Em. Kt. Kent Weber</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:kentweber@hotmail.com">kentweber@hotmail.com</a></p>
40	<p>OFFANTO, OWEN SOUND, ONTARIO  Warrant dates 12 August 1903  Meets first Thursday of each month except January,  February, July, and August  Em. Kt. Clinton Smith</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:dundalksmith@gmail.com">dundalksmith@gmail.com</a></p>
43	<p>CAPE BRETON, SYDNEY, NOVA SCOTIA  Warrant dates 9 August 1906  Meets second Tuesday of each month except July,  August, and September  R. Em. Kt. Donald R. MacKay</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:scouter1@hotmail.com">scouter1@hotmail.com</a></p>
44	<p>MOUNT CARMEL, PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE,  MANITOBA  Warrant dates 9 August 1906  Meets first Tuesday of each month except January,  July, and August 7:30 p.m.  Masonic Temple, 52 Tupper St. S., Portage La Prairie,  R. Em. Kt. Robert A. McMillan</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:bobmcmillan123@gmail.com">bobmcmillan123@gmail.com</a></p>
45	<p>SELKIRK, INVERMERE, BRITISH COLUMBIA  Warrant dates 9 August 1906  Meets second Saturday of each month except July,  August, and September  Masonic Hall, 1301 7<sup>th</sup> Ave. Invermere, BC  R. Em. Kt. Ray Picton</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:rapicton@telus.net">rapicton@telus.net</a></p>

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46	<p>EDMONTON, EDMONTON, ALBERTA  Warrant dates 9 August 1906  Meets second Wednesday of each month except June, July, and August  Highlands Hall, 5526 118<sup>th</sup> Ave., Edmonton, AB  Sir Kt. Wes Johnson</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:edmontonpreceptory46@gmail.com">edmontonpreceptory46@gmail.com</a></p>
48	<p>ST. ANDREW'S, PRINCE GEORGE, BRITISH COLUMBIA  Warrant dates 12 August 1908  Meets fourth Tuesday of each month except June, July &amp; August; second Tues. of Dec.  Freemason's Hall, 680 Vancouver St., Prince George, BC  R. Em. Kt. Leonard Timmins KCT</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:lrt_j@telus.net">lrt_j@telus.net</a></p>
51	<p>WASCANA, REGINA, SASKATCHEWAN  Warrant dates 11 August 1909  Meets fourth Monday of each month except June, July August, and December  Regina Masonic Temple, 1930 Lorne Street, Regina SK  R. Em. Kt. Robert J. Turner, KCT</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:bturner@sasktel.net">bturner@sasktel.net</a></p>
52	<p>ST. GEORGE, PICTON, ONTARIO  Warrant dates 11 August 1909  Meets second Tuesday of each month except July, August, September, and November  Masonic Temple, 13251 Loyalist Parkway, Picton ON  Em. Kt. Ken Campbell</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:stgeorgepreceptory52@gmail.com">stgeorgepreceptory52@gmail.com</a></p>
55	<p>SASKATOON, SASKATOON, SASKATCHEWAN  Warrant dates 9 August 1911  Meets first Friday of each month except January, February, June, July, and August  Masonic Hall, 1021 Saskatchewan Cres. West, Saskatoon  Sir Kt. James Foskett</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:jfoskett@sakstel.net">jfoskett@sakstel.net</a></p>

59	<p>KINCOLITH, PRINCE RUPERT, BRITISH COLUMBIA                  Warrant dates 12 August 1914                  Meets fourth Saturday of each month except July and August                  Masonic Hall, 180 7th Ave, E. Prince Rupert BC V8J 1W1                  Em. Kt. Stephen Finnigan</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:preceptory59.registrar@gmail.com">preceptory59.registrar@gmail.com</a></p>
60	<p>TEMISKAMING, SOUTH PORCUPINE, ONTARIO                  Warrant dates 12 August 1914                  Meets third Saturday except July and August                  Porcupine Lodge Room, Whitney Arena Hall                  4969 Highway 101 East, South Porcupine, ON                  R. Em. Kt. Kian A. Jensen</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:kaj@geologist.com">kaj@geologist.com</a></p>
62	<p>ROSSLYN, WATERLOO, ONTARIO                  Warrant dates 9 August 1916                  Meets third Wednesday of each month except June, July, August, and September                  K – W Masonic Temple, 440 Weber Street, North, Waterloo                  Em. Kt. Kelly Feldcamp</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:secretary.rosslyn62@gmail.com">secretary.rosslyn62@gmail.com</a></p>
63	<p>MELITA, MONTREAL, QUEBEC                  Warrant dates 9 August 1921                  Meets third Wednesday of each month except June, July, and August                  Temple Maconnique de Montreal, 2295 St-Marc, Montreal                  R. Em. Kt. Jacques Montreuil</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:melita63secretaire@gmail.com">melita63secretaire@gmail.com</a></p>
65	<p>MAVAR, SUDBURY, ONTARIO                  Warrant dates 8 August 1922                  Meets fourth Thursday of each month except June, July, August, and December                  Belrock Masonic Centre, 845 Regent Street, South, Sudbury, ON                  R. Em. Kt. Clive D. Stephenson, KCT</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:clivedeb@vianet.ca">clivedeb@vianet.ca</a></p>

66	<p>ACRE, LETHBRIDGE, ALBERTA  Warrant dates 6 August 1924  Meets 4<sup>th</sup> Wed. of each month except June, July and August and the 2nd Sat. in December  Lethbridge Masonic Hall, 315A – 10<sup>th</sup> Street, South, Lethbridge, Oct &amp; Apr in Frank Masonic Hall, 14806 21 Ave., Frank, AB  R. Em. Kt. Kyle Burns</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:acrepreceptory66@gmail.com">acrepreceptory66@gmail.com</a></p>
69	<p>BETHLEHEM, NANAIMO, BRITISH COLUMBIA  Warrant dates 9 August 1927  Meets second Wednesday of each month except June, July, August, and September  Concord Masonic Hall, 136 Memorial Avenue, Parksville BC  Sir. Kt. Lorne Gait</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:lorne@lornegait.com">lorne@lornegait.com</a></p>
70	<p>LEDGER, FORT FRANCIS, ONTARIO  Warrant dates 19 August 1927  Meets third Saturday of each month except June, July, August, December, and January  Fort Frances Masonic Hall, 302 Scott Street, Fort Francis and alternately at Kenora Masonic Temple, 413 Second Street, Kenora, ON  Sir Kt. Reginald Northcote-Brewer</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:reginaldbrewer6@gmail.com">reginaldbrewer6@gmail.com</a></p>
71	<p>BEOTHIC, ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND  Warrant dates 21 May 1948  Meets fourth Thursday of each month except June, July, and August  Freemasons Hal, 115 Mount Carson Ave., Mount Pearl, NL  R. Em. Kt. Ian Murray, KCT</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:beothicpreceptory71@gmail.com">beothicpreceptory71@gmail.com</a></p>
72	<p>OKANAGAN, KELOWNA, BRITISH COLUMBIA  Warrant dates 25 August 1952  Meets fourth Wednesday of each month except June, July, August, and December  St. Georges Masonic Hall, 1564 Pandosy St., Kelowna, BC  R. Em. Kt. Kerry Whitefoot</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:kdwhitefoot@shaw.ca">kdwhitefoot@shaw.ca</a></p>

73	<p>MOUNT ZION, KENTVILLE, NOVA SCOTIA                  Warrant dates 9 August 1955                  Meets third Thursday of each month except June, July, and August                  Masonic Hall, 16 Aberdeen Street, Kentville, NS                  R. Em. Kt. Gary C. Patterson, KCT</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:gary.patterson5@gmail.com">gary.patterson5@gmail.com</a></p>
74	<p>BRANDON, BRANDON, MANITOBA                  Warrant dates 9 August 1955                  Meets third Tuesday of each month except June, July, August, October, and the First Saturday of December at the Brandon Masonic Temple, 302 8<sup>th</sup> Street, Brandon, MB                  R. Em. Kt. Richard A. Porter</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:raporter@wcgwave.ca">raporter@wcgwave.ca</a></p>
78	<p>MOUNT SLESSE, CHILLIWACK, BRITISH COLUMBIA                  Warrant dates 26 May 1966                  Meets first Wednesday of each month except January, May, June, July, and August                  Odd Fellows Hall, 46008 Reece Avenue, Chilliwack, BC                  V. Em. Kt. Douglas Sprague</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:spraqued@telus.net">spraqued@telus.net</a></p>
80	<p>CROSSROADS, GANDER, NEWFOUNDLAND                  Warrant dates 23 October 1980                  Meets first Saturday of each month except June, July, August, and December                  Freemasons Hall, 10 Lindberg Rd, Gander, NL                  R. Em. Kt. Cluney Vincent</p>	<p>Registrar  <a href="mailto:crossroadspreceptory80@gmail.com">crossroadspreceptory80@gmail.com</a></p>

84	KAMLOOPS, KAMLOOPS, BRITISH COLUMBIA Warrant dates May 1986 Meets second Thursday of each month except June, July, August, and September Masonic Hall, 351 Nicola Street, Kamloops Sir Kt. Wolfgang (Holly) Schwieger	Registrar <a href="mailto:415aurora@gmail.com">415aurora@gmail.com</a>
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**PRECEPTORIES BY DISTRICT 2022**

**LONDON DISTRICT (1)**

Provincial Prior: **R. EM. KT. KENNETH B. MIELKIE KCT**

No. 4	Richard Coeur de Lion, London	County Middlesex	2nd Tuesday
No. 20	Kent, Chatham	County Kent	3rd Thursday
No. 21	Burleigh, St. Thomas	County Elgin	3rd Monday
No. 22	St. Elmo, Stratford	County Perth	4th Monday
No. 26	Windsor, Windsor	County Essex	2nd Monday
No. 37	St. Simon of Cyrene, Sarnia	County Lambton	1st Thursday

**HAMILTON DISTRICT (2)**

Provincial Prior: **R. EM. KT. RAIVO TAHISTE**

No. 3	Godfrey de Bouillon, Hamilton	County Wentworth	1st Friday
No. 8	Plantagenet, St. Catharines	County Lincoln	1st Monday
No. 17	Odo de St. Amand, Oakland	County Brant	4th Thursday
No. 62	Rosslyn, Cambridge	County Waterloo	3rd Wednesday

**TORONTO DISTRICT (3)**

Provincial Prior: **R. EM. KT. PETER J. SIALTSIS**

No. 2	Geoffrey de St. Aldemar, Toronto	County York	4th Thursday
No. 12	Mount Calvary, Barrie	County Simcoe	1st Friday
No. 13	Moore, Peterborough	County Peterborough	2nd Wednesday
No. 15	St. John the Almoner, Oshawa	County Ontario	4th Thursday
No. 18	Palestine, Port Hope	County Durham	2nd Monday
No. 29	Cyrene - Emmanuel, Toronto	County Peel	3rd Tuesday
No. 40	Offanto, Owen Sound	County Grey	1st Thursday

**KINGSTON-OTTAWA DISTRICT (4)**

Provincial Prior: **R. EM. KT. ANDREW B. CIASTEK**

No. 1	Hugh de Payens Premier, Kingston	County Frontenac	1st Friday
No. 6	King Baldwin, Belleville	County Hastings	2nd Monday
No. 16	Gondemar, Brockville	County Leeds	4th Monday
No. 32	Ottawa, Ottawa	County Carleton	4th Wednesday
No. 52	St. George, Picton	County Prince Edward	2nd Tuesday

**QUEBEC DISTRICT (5)**

Provincial Prior: **R. EM. KT. RANDOLPHE SEGLA**

No. 7	Richard Coeur de Lion, Montreal	County Hochelaga	4th Thursday
No. 9	Sussex, Lennoxville	County Sherbrooke	1st Thursday
No. 25	William de la More the Martyr, Quebec	County Quebec	3rd Thursday
No. 63	Melita, Montreal	County Hochelaga	3rd Wednesday

**NOVA SCOTIA & PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND DISTRICT (6)**

Provincial Prior: **R. EM. KT. TERENCE S READ**

No. 5	Antiquity, Halifax	County Halifax	4th Wednesday
No. 27	Malta, Westville	County Pictou	1st Tuesday
No. 35	Prince Edward, Charlottetown	County P.E. Island	3rd Wednesday
No. 43	Cape Breton, Sydney	County Cape Breton	2nd Tuesday
No. 73	Mount Zion, Kentville	County Kings	3rd Thursday

**NEW BRUNSWICK DISTRICT (7)**

Provincial Prior: **R. EM. KT. CHRISTOPHER KITSON**

No. 3A	St. John de Molay, Saint John	County Saint John	4th Tuesday
No. 36	Ivanhoe, Moncton	County Westmorland	2nd Wednesday

**MANITOBA & NORTHWESTERN ONTARIO DISTRICT (8)**

Provincial Prior: **R. EM. KT. ROBERT A. MCMILLAN**

No. 23	Rhodes, Thunder Bay	District Thunder Bay	3rd Wednesday
No. 24	King Edward, Stonewall	County Selkirk	3rd Thursday
No. 44	Mount Carmel, Portage la Prairie	Dist. Portage. la Prairie	1st Tuesday
No. 70	Ledger, Fort Francis	District Rainy River	3rd Saturday
No. 74	Brandon, Brandon	County MacDonald	3rd Thursday

**PACIFIC COAST DISTRICT (9)**

Provincial Prior: **R. EM. KT. KENNETH M. OVERY**

No. 30	Western Gate, Victoria	County Victoria	4th Tuesday
No. 34	Columbia, Vancouver	County Burrard	3rd Thursday
No. 69	Bethlehem, Nanaimo	County Nanaimo	4th Friday
No. 78	Mount Slesse, Chilliwack	County Westminster	1st Wednesday

**KOOTENAY DISTRICT (10)**

Provincial Prior: **R. EM. KT. DALE A TOWNSEND**

No. 45	Selkirk, Invermere	County Yale	1st Tuesday
No. 72	Okanagan, Kelowna	County Yale	4th Wednesday
No. 84	Kamloops, Kamloops	County Yale	1st Thursday

**ALGOMA DISTRICT (11)**

Provincial Prior: **R. EM. KT. STANLEY R FENTON KCT**

No. 14	Harington, North Bay	County Nipissing	1st Monday
No 39	Gibson, Sault Ste. Marie	County Algoma	1st Thursday
No 60	Temiskaming, South Porcupine	County Timmins	3rd Saturday
No. 65	Mavar, Sudbury	County Sudbury	4th Thursday

**ALBERTA DISTRICT (12)**

Provincial Prior: **R. EM. KT. GORDON BERARD**

No. 33	Cyprus, Calgary	Alberta	4th Friday
No. 46	Edmonton, Edmonton	Alberta	2nd Wednesday
No. 66	Acre, Lethbridge	Alberta	4th Wednesday

**SASKATCHEWAN DISTRICT (13)**

Provincial Prior: **R. EM. KT. MARK L. MILLAR**

No. 51	Wascana, Regina	Saskatchewan	2nd Wednesday
No. 55	Saskatoon, Saskatoon	Saskatchewan	1st Friday

**NORTHERN BRITISH COLUMBIA DISTRICT (14)**

Provincial Prior: **R. EM. KT. H TED PERRY**

No. 48	St. Andrew's, Prince George	County Caribou	4th Tuesday
No. 59	Kincolith, Prince Rupert	County Prince Rupert	4th Saturday

**NEWFOUNDLAND & LABRADOR DISTRICT (15)**

Provincial Prior: **R. EM. KT. CLUNEY VINCENT**

No. 71	Beothic, St. John's	Newfoundland	4th Thursday
No. 80	Crossroads, Gander	Newfoundland	4th Tuesday

**ATTENDANCE**

**140th Annual Assembly of Sovereign Great Priory**

Sir Knights attended on ZOOM	119
Sir Knights attended in person	16

**Special Guests**

<b>AASR</b>	<b>SGC</b>	<b>David Bennett 33<sup>o</sup></b>
<b>GEKTUSA</b>	<b>GM</b>	<b>David J. Kussman GCT</b>
<b>GCRAM</b>		<b>Paraag Suchak</b>
<b>GPKTF</b>		<b>Patrick Jaillet</b>
<b>GEKTPHA</b>		<b>Robert Glenn</b>
<b>GL AF&amp;AM MWGM</b>		<b>Thomas Hogeboom</b>

**THE ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY FIRST  
ANNUAL ASSEMBLY  
OF  
THE SOVEREIGN GREAT PRIORY OF CANADA**

**To Be held  
At the Hotel Saskatchewan  
2125 Victoria Avenue  
Regina, Saskatchewan S4S 3P8  
August 16<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

**HOSTED BY  
Sovereign Great Priory**

**AGENDA  
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**GENERAL CHAIRMAN  
TBA**

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**SOVEREIGN GREAT PRIORY OF CANADA  
ANNUAL ASSEMBLIES**

1	July 8th, 1884	Toronto, ON
2	July 7th, 1885	Hamilton, ON
3	July 13th, 1886	Windsor, ON
4	July 11th, 1887	Brockville, ON
5	July 11th, 1887	Toronto, ON
6	October 22nd, 1889	Montreal, QC
7	July 18th, 1890	Kingston, ON
8	July 22nd, 1891	Toronto, ON
9	July 19th, 1892	London, ON
10	July 18th, 1893	Ottawa, ON
11	September 4th, 1894	Toronto, ON
12	August 23rd, 1895	Saint John, NB
13	September 16th, 1896	London, ON
14	August 19th, 1897	Montreal, QC
15	September 6th, 1898	Hamilton, ON
16	September 19th, 1899	Windsor, ON
17	September 5th, 1900	Kingston, ON
18	August 14th, 1901	Saint John, NB
19	August 20th, 1902	Ottawa, ON
20	August 12th, 1903	Sarnia, ON
21	July 22nd, 1904	Brockville, ON
22	August 2nd, 1905	Winnipeg, MB
23	August 8th, 1906	Montreal, QC
24	August 14th, 1907	St. Catharines, ON
25	August 12-13th, 1908	Toronto, ON
26	August 11th, 1909	Truro, NS
27	August 5th, 1910	London, ON
28	August 9th, 1911	Sault Ste. Marie, ON
29	August 14th, 1912	Toronto, ON
30	August 4th, 1913	Vancouver, BC
31	August 12th, 1914	Ottawa, ON
32	August 11th, 1915	Montreal, QC
33	August 9th, 1916	Hamilton, ON
34	September 12th, 1917	Winnipeg, MB
35	September 11th, 1918	Belleville, ON
36	September 16th, 1919	Saint John, NB
37	September 12th, 1920	Calgary, AB
38	August 9th, 1921	Kingston, ON
39	August 8th, 1922	Halifax, NS
40	August 7th, 1923	Port Arthur, ON
41	August 5th, 1924	Windsor, ON
42	August 3rd, 1925	Victoria, BC
43	August 10th, 1926	Peterborough, ON
44	August 9th, 1927	Edmonton, AB
45	July 23-24th, 1928	London, ON
46	August 20-21st, 1929	Montreal, QC
47	August 12-13th, 1930	Regina, SK
48	August 11-12th, 1931	Niagara Falls, ON
49	August 9-10th, 1932	Halifax, NS

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50	August 10-11th, 1933	Barrie, ON
51	August 7-8th, 1934	Toronto, ON
52	August 6-7th, 1935	Quebec, QC
53	August 4-5th, 1936	Vancouver, BC
54	August 3-4th, 1937	Port Arthur, ON
55	August 2-3rd, 1938	Saint John, NB
56	August 8-9th, 1939	Stratford, ON
57	August 6th, 1940	Belleville, ON
58	August 4-6th, 1941	Belleville, ON
59	August 4th, 1942	Winnipeg, MB
60	August 18-19th, 1943	Winnipeg, MB
61	August 7-8th, 1944	Toronto, ON
62	August 14-15th, 1945	Peterborough, ON
63	August 5-6th, 1946	Chatham, ON
64	August 11-12th, 1947	Saint John, NB
65	September 13-14th, 1948	Toronto, ON
66	August 22-23rd, 1949	Winnipeg, MB
67	August 19th, 21-22nd, 1950	Sudbury, ON
68	August 20-21st, 1951	Hamilton, ON
69	August 25-26th, 1952	Banff, AB
70	August 24-25th, 1953	Moncton, NB
71	August 23-24th, 1954	Kingston, ON
72	August 8-9th, 1955	Toronto, ON
73	August 13-14th, 1956	Regina, SK
74	August 12-13th, 1957	London, ON
75	September 15-16th, 1958	Halifax, NS
76	August 10-11th, 1959	Ottawa, ON
77	August 23-24th, 1960	Vancouver, BC
78	August 7-8th, 1961	Belleville, ON
79	September 11-12th, 1962	Saint John, NB
80	August 12-13th, 1963	Montreal, QC
81	August 10-11th, 1964	Calgary, AB
82	August 16-17th, 1965	Toronto, ON
83	August 8-9th, 1966	Halifax, NS
84	July 14-17th, 1967	Ottawa, ON
85	August 10-13th, 1968	Winnipeg, MB
86	August 9-12th, 1969	London, ON
87	September 5-8th, 1970	Saint John, NB
88	August 14-17th, 1971	Peterborough, ON
89	August 12-15th, 1972	Victoria, BC
90	September 8-11th, 1973	Edmonton, AB
91	August 10-13th, 1974	St. John's, NL
92	August 9-12th, 1975	Windsor, ON
93	August 7-10th, 1976	Saskatoon, SK
94	August 13-16th, 1977	Toronto, ON
95	August 12-15th, 1978	Montreal, QC
96	August 18-21st, 1979	Vancouver, BC
97	August 9-12th, 1980	Toronto, ON
98	August 8-11th, 1981	Hamilton, ON
99	August 7-10th, 1982	Halifax, NS

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<b>100</b>	August 13-16th, 1983	Regina, SK
<b>101</b>	August 18-21st, 1984	Calgary, AB
<b>102</b>	August 24-27th, 1985	Sudbury, ON
<b>103</b>	August 23-26th, 1986	Charlottetown, PE
<b>104</b>	August 15-18th, 1987	Ottawa, ON
<b>105</b>	August 20-23rd, 1988	Prince George, BC
<b>106</b>	August 19-22nd, 1989	Chatham, ON
<b>107</b>	August 25-28th, 1990	Saint John, NB
<b>108</b>	August 10-13th, 1991	Victoria, BC
<b>109</b>	September 19-22nd, 1992	Peterborough, ON
<b>110</b>	September 11-14th, 1993	Edmonton, AB
<b>111</b>	September 17-20th, 1994	Toronto, ON
<b>112</b>	September 23-26th, 1995	Montreal, QC
<b>113</b>	August 17-20th, 1996	London, ON
<b>114</b>	August 23-26th, 1997	Winnipeg, MB
<b>115</b>	August 22-25th, 1998	Kingston, ON
<b>116</b>	August 21-24th, 1999	Gander, NL
<b>117</b>	August 5-8th, 2000	Saskatoon, SK
<b>118</b>	August 25-28th, 2001	Chatham, ON
<b>119</b>	August 17-20th, 2002	Kamloops, BC
<b>120</b>	August 9-11th, 2003	Halifax, NS
<b>121</b>	August 21-23rd, 2004	Ottawa, ON
<b>122</b>	August 20-22nd, 2005	Hamilton, ON
<b>123</b>	August 26-28th, 2006	Richmond, BC
<b>124</b>	August 18-20st, 2007	St. John's, NL
<b>125</b>	August 23-25th, 2008	Toronto, ON
<b>126</b>	August 22-24 <sup>th</sup> , 2009	Winnipeg, MB
<b>127</b>	August 21-23 <sup>rd</sup> , 2010	Toronto, ON
<b>128</b>	August 20-22 <sup>nd</sup> , 2011	Dartmouth, NS
<b>129</b>	August 24-26 <sup>th</sup> , 2012	Toronto, ON
<b>130</b>	August 16-18 <sup>th</sup> , 2013	Edmonton, AB
<b>131</b>	August 15-17 <sup>th</sup> , 2014	Toronto, ON
<b>132</b>	August 21-23 <sup>rd</sup> , 2015	Vaudreuil-Dorion, QC
<b>133</b>	August 19-21 <sup>st</sup> , 2016	Toronto, ON
<b>134</b>	August 18-20 <sup>th</sup> , 2017	Calgary, AB
<b>135</b>	August 10-12 <sup>th</sup> , 2018	Toronto, ON
<b>136</b>	August 16-18 <sup>th</sup> , 2019	Vaudreuil-Dorion. QC
<b>137</b>	August 27 <sup>th</sup> , 2020 - cancelled due to COVID-19 Pandemic	
<b>138</b>	August 27 <sup>th</sup> 2021	Virtually via Zoom
<b>139</b>	August 19-21 <sup>st</sup> 2022	Toronto, ON
<b>140</b>	August 18 <sup>th</sup> , 2023	Virtual via Zoom
<b>141</b>	August 16 <sup>th</sup> – 18th	Regina, SK
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**SUPREME GRAND MASTERS OF THE  
SOVEREIGN GREAT PRIORY OF CANADA**

1	*W.J.B. MacLeod Moore, G.C.T.	Ontario	1855-1889
2	*J.A. Henderson, G.C.T.	Ontario	1890
3	*H. Robertson, Q.C.	Ontario	1891
4	*E.T. Malone, Q.C.	Ontario	1892
5	*E.E. Sheppard	Ontario	1893-1894
6	*Will H. Whyte	Quebec	1895-1896
7	*D.F. MacWatt	Ontario	1897-1898
8	*Hon, J.V. Ellis	New Brunswick	1899-1900
9	*D.L. Carley	Ontario	1901-1902
10	*Hon. William Gibson	Ontario	1902-1904
11	*J.B. Tressider	Quebec	1905-1906
12	*A.A. Campbell	Ontario	1907-1908
13	*L.B. Archibald	Nova Scotia	1909-1910
14	*W.P. Ryrie	Ontario	1911-1912
15	*Donald D. Gordon	Quebec	1913-1914
16	*A.W. Chapman	Manitoba	1915-1916
17	*Charles H. Collins	Ontario	1917-1918
18	*Abraham Shaw	Ontario	1919-1920
19	*A.S. Estey, M.D., G.C.T.	Alberta	1921-1922
20	*Edward A. Evans, G.C.T.	Quebec	1923-1924
21	*George B. McLeod, G.C.T.	Alberta	1925-1926
22	*H.A. Porter, K.C., G.C.T.	New Brunswick	1927-1928
23	*A.B. Barr, G.C.T.	Ontario	1929-1930
24	*W.W. Williamson, G.C.T.	Quebec	1931-1932
25	*C.W. Haentshel, M.D.	Ontario	1933-1934
26	*W.M. Archibald	British Columbia	1935-1936
27	*R.V. Harris, Q.C., D.CJ., G.C.T.	Nova Scotia	1937-1938
28	*F.D. Diamond, G.C.T.	Ontario	1939-1940
29	*J.T. Boyd	Manitoba	1941-1942
30	*R.L. Dobbin, G.C.T.	Ontario	1943-1944
31	*J.S. Hoyt, G.C.T.	New Brunswick	1945-1946
32	*B.S. Bailey, D.D.S.	Manitoba	1947-1948
33	*J.H. Eydtt, G.C.T.	Ontario	1949-1950
34	*C.H. Minchin	Alberta	1951-1952
35	*F.G. Mann, G.C.T.	Ontario	1953-1955
36	*P.S. Cochrane, M.D., G.C.T.	Nova Scotia	1955-1957
37	*Lorne Johnson G.C.T.	Saskatchewan	1957-1959
38	*J.W. Carson, G.C.T.	Ontario	1959-1961
39	*E.G. Shafer, G.C.T.	British Columbia	1961-1963
40	*F.C. Ackett, G.C.T.	Ontario	1963-1965
41	*W.E. Montgomery, G.C.T.	Quebec	1965-1967
42	*Dr. C.A. Bell, G.C.T.	Ontario	1967-1969
43	*Harry Killam, G.C.T.	British Columbia	1969-1971
44	*W. Stanley Wright, G.C.T.	Ontario	1971-1973
45	*Mark B. Davis, G.C.T.	Newfoundland & Labrador	1973-1975
46	*Richard V. Weir, G.C.T.	Manitoba	1975-1977
47	*J. Ross Beattie, G.C.T.	Quebec	1977-1979
48	*G.O. Smith, G.C.T.	Ontario	1979-1981

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49	*P.J. Kendal, D.D.S., G.C.T.	Alberta	1981-1983
50	*Frederick. C. Morrison, G.C.T.	Nova Scotia	1983-1985
51	*Donald A. King, G.C.T.	Ontario	1985-1988
52	*Edward S.P. Carson, G.C.T.	Ontario	1988-1990
53	*David B. Turner, G.C.T.	British Columbia	1990-1992
54	Gordon H. Stuart, G.C.T.	Ontario	1992-1994
55	*W. Marshall Black, G.C.T.	Nova Scotia	1994-1996
56	*Roger N. Delisle, G.C.T.	Quebec	1996-1998
57	*Donald A. Orr, G.C.T.	Saskatchewan	1998-2000
58	*Larry J. Hostine, G.C.T.	Ontario	2000-2002
59	*Robert W. Munday, G.C.T.	Nova Scotia	2002-2004
60	*F. Douglas Draker, G.C.T.	Ontario	2004-2006
61	Joseph R. Marshall, G.C.T.	British Columbia	2006-2008
62	*W. Job Parsons, G.C.T.	Newfoundland & Labrador	2008-2010
63	*Thomas Gordon Janes, G.C.T.	Ontario	2010-2012
64	Gerald Edward Tetzloff, G.C.T.	Alberta	2012-2015
65	Gerald Arthur Riley, G.C.T.	Nova Scotia	2015-2016
66	David Paul Hardie, G.C.T.	Ontario	2017-2019
67	William Frank Mann, G.C.T.	Ontario	2019-2022
68	Geoffrey Charles Perry, G.C.T.	Ontario	2022 -2024

## HONOURARY PAST GRAND MASTERS

1	*Daniel Spry, G.C.T. (Hon.)	Ontario	1893
2	*Isaac H. Stearns, G.C.T. (Hon.)	Quebec	1912
3	*HRH the Duke of Connaught, G.C.T. (Hon.)		1914
4	*C.E. Wells, G.C.T. (Hon.)	Ontario	1961
5	David G. Walker, G.C.T. (Hon.)	Ontario	2019

Deceased \*

## GRAND CHANCELLORS OF THE SOVEREIGN GREAT PRIORY OF CANADA

1	*Daniel Spry, G.C.T.	Served	1884 - 1896
2	*William H. Whyte	Served	1897 - 1916
3	*Phillip D. Gordon	Served	1917 - 1918
4	*W. H. A. Eckardt	Served	1919 - 1930
5	*Thomas Essery	Served	1931 - 1932
6	*John A. Mackerrow	Served	1933 - 1936
7	*W. W. Williamson G.C.T.	Served	1937 - 1944
8	*Charles E. Wells, G.C.T.	Served	1945 - 1980
9	*Gerald O. Smith, G.C.T.	Served	1981 - 1982
10	*James W. Gerrard, K.C.T.	Served	1983 - 1994
11	*Edward W. Elcombe, K.C.T.	Served	1994 - 2010
12	David G. Walker, G.C.T.	Served	2010 - 2021
13	Howard F. Adams, KCT	Served	2021 -

**Appendix I - Recipients of the Order of Merit**

The Order of Merit was first conferred at the 71st Assembly, August 23-24, 1954, in Kingston, by Em. Kt. Frederick George Mann, GCT, Supreme Grand Master 1953-54 and 1954-55).

<b>August 24, 1954</b> Sir Kt. Charles Ralph Churchill Sir Kt. George W. Mackellar Sir Kt. George Marshall	King Baldwin # 6, Belleville, ON Geoffrey de St. Aldemar #2, Toronto, ON Columbia #34, Vancouver BC
<b>August 9, 1955</b> Sir Kt. Alexander Malcolm Manson Sir Kt. William Murray Young Sir Kt. Thomas Gormley	Kincolith #59, Prince Rupert, BC Rossland #38, Trail, BC St. John the Almoner #15, Oshawa, ON
<b>August 14, 1956</b> Sir Kt. William Taylor Sir Kt. Arthur Benjamin Smith Sir Kt. Rev. Canon Frederick William Colloton	Kent #20, Chatham, ON Moore #13, Peterborough, ON Gibson #39, Sault Ste. Marie, ON
<b>August 13, 1957</b> Sir Kt. Ralph George Moore Sir Kt. Lincoln E. Weaver Sir Kt. John E. Collings	Ottawa #32, Ottawa, ON Wascana #51, Regina, SK Ivanhoe #36, Moncton, NB
<b>September 13, 1958</b> <i>no award presented</i>	
<b>August 11, 1959</b> Sir Kt. Charles William Mason Sir Kt. John Ebenezer Lucas	Cape Breton #43, Sydney, NS King Edward #24, Winnipeg
<b>August 23, 1960</b> Sir Kt. William Sudlow Sir Kt. Robert Milton Armstrong	Geoffrey de St. Aldemar #2, Toronto, ON Cyrene #29, Toronto, ON
<b>August 8, 1961</b> Sir Kt. Alfred A. Bott Sir Kt. John Harper	Rhodes #23, Sault Ste. Marie Columbia #34, Vancouver, BC
<b>September 12, 1962</b> Sir Kt. Thomas Nelson Clarke	Hugh de Payens Premier No. 1, Kingston, ON
<b>August 13, 1963</b> Sir Kt. William Lavern Leppert	Mount Carmel #44, Neepawa, MB
<b>August 11, 1964</b> <i>no award presented</i>	
<b>August 17, 1965</b> Sir Kt. Thomas Victor Rogers Sir Kt. Charles Hoppa Sir Kt. William Henry Holcombe	Gondemar #16, Brockville, ON Windsor #26, Windsor, ON Godfrey de Bouillon #3, Hamilton, ON
<b>August 8, 1966</b> Sir Kt. Frederick Gustave Newman	Mount Calvary #12, Barrie, ON
<b>July 17, 1967</b> Sir Kt. Charles Edward Stride Sir Kt. Edward Taylor Tucker	Westminster #56, New Westminster, BC Cape Breton #43, Sydney, NS
<b>August 13, 1968</b> <i>no award presented</i>	
<b>August 12, 1969</b> Sir Kt. Walter Baxter	Western Gate #30, Victoria, BC

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<b>September 8, 1970</b> <i>no award presented</i>	
<b>August 17, 1971</b> Sir Kt. Lloyd Clayton	Palestine #18, Port Hope, ON
<b>August 17, 1972</b> Sir Kt. Arthur Fitzgerald Yates Sir Kt. Kenneth John Blackburn	Bethlehem #69, Nanaimo, BC Geoffrey de St. Aldemar #2, Toronto, ON
<b>September 11, 1973</b> <i>no award presented</i>	
<b>August 13, 1974</b> Sir Kt. Oran G. McAuley	Ivanhoe #36, Moncton, NB
<b>August 12, 1975</b> Sir Kt. Rev Lawrence Potruff Sir Kt. William Albert Vincent	Cyprus #33, Calgary, AB Wascana #51, Regina, SK
<b>August 7, 1976</b> Sir Kt. Leonard Arnold Pickell	Saskatoon #55, Saskatoon, SK
<b>August 16, 1977</b> Sir Kt. Thomas Gerald Mavety	Hugh de Payens Premier #1, Kingston, ON
<b>August 15, 1978</b> <i>no award presented</i>	
<b>August 21, 1979</b> <i>no award presented</i>	
<b>August 12, 1980</b> Sir Kt. Harold Franklin Blanchard	Gondemar #16, Brockville, ON
<b>August 11, 1981</b> <i>no award presented</i>	
<b>August 10, 1982</b> Sir Kt. Rev. Herman Miller Sir Kt. Walter Springates	Cyprus #33, Calgary, AB Melita #63, Montreal QC
<b>August 16, 1983</b> Sir Kt. Henry Cuthbert	Edmonton #46, Edmonton
<b>August 21, 1984</b> Sir Kt. Frank James Dowding Sir. Kt. Ebenezer Smith	Saskatoon #55, Saskatoon Palestine #18, Port Hope, ON
<b>August 27, 1985</b> Sir Kt. Rev. Dr. Donald MacLean Sinclair	Antiquity #5, Halifax, NS
<b>August 26, 1986</b> Sir Kt. Robert Irvine	Western Gate #30, Vancouver, BC
<b>August 18, 1987</b> Sir Kt. George Douglas Wood Sir Kt. Arnold Dixon Smith	St. Simon of Cyrene #37, Sarnia, ON Woodstock #41, Woodstock, NB
<b>August 23, 1988</b> Sir Kt. Robert Going McClintock Grubb Sir Kt. Philemon Morin	Bethlehem #69, Nanaimo, BC William de la More #25, Quebec, QC
<b>August 22, 1989</b> Sir Kt. Walter Daniel Joe Sir Kt. Edward Frencham Armstrong	Okanagan No. #72, Vernon, BC Geoffrey de St. Aldemar #2, Toronto, ON
<b>August 28, 1990</b> Sir Kt. John Allison Ronson Sir Kt. Alfred Tingle Sir Kt. Harry John Toderash	Kent #20, Chatham, ON Wascana #51, Regina, SK Damascus #58, Moose Jaw, SK
<b>August 13, 1991</b>	

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Sir Kt. John (Jack) Walters	Crossroads #80, Gander, NL
<b>September 22, 1992</b> Sir Kt. William Kirby Bangs Sir Kt. Douglas Clark Sir Kt. Melvin Leonard White	Ottawa #32, Ottawa, ON Moore #13, Peterborough, ON Viking #82, Cornerbrook, NL
<b>September 14, 1993</b> <i>no award presented</i>	
<b>September 20, 1994</b> Sir Kt. Rev. Dr. John (Jack) Collett Sir Kt. William Waltham Huxtable Sir Kt. Rev. Arthur M. Watson	Cyprus #33, Calgary, AB Selkirk #45, Cranbrook, BC Godfrey de Bouillon #3, Hamilton, ON
<b>September 26, 1995</b> Sir Kt. Henry Rulton Nash	Bethlehem #69, Nanaimo, BC
<b>August 20, 1996</b> Sir Kt. Dalton St. Clair Randall	<i>Preceptory unknown</i>
<b>August 26, 1997</b> Sir Kt. Ronald Hodgson Smith Sir Kt. Gordon Cameron Sir Kt. Alfred Gordon Perry	Edmonton #46, Edmonton, AB Sir Kt. Gordon Cameron Western Gate #30, Victoria, BC
<b>August 26, 1998</b> Sir Kt. Garnet Clarence William. Brown	Kamloops #84, Kamloops, BC
<b>August 24 1999</b> Sir Kt Neil Archibald Marshall Sir Kt. Gerald Harvey Kerr	Bethlehem #69, Nanaimo, BC Geoffrey de St. Aldemar #2 Toronto ON
<b>August 8 2000</b> <i>no award presented</i>	
<b>August 28 2001</b> Sir Kt. Harry Dokmecian Sir Kt. Dr. Donald Andrew Rennie	Windsor #26 Windsor, ON Saskatoon #55, Saskatoon, SK
<b>August 20, 2002</b> Sir Kt. Ray Thomas Bryant Sir Kt. James W. Reid	Western Gate #30, Victoria, BC Godfrey de Bouillon #3, Hamilton, ON
<b>August 11, 2003</b> Sir Kt. Rev. Harold G. W. Higgins	Antiquity #5, Halifax, NS
<b>August 23 2004</b> Sir Kt. Raymond C. Purslow Sir Kt. Barry Sullivan	Geoffrey de St. Aldemar #2, Toronto, ON St. John de Molay #3A, St. John, NB
<b>August 22, 2005</b> Sir Kt. Donald Richard Milley	Crossroads #80, Gander, NL
<b>August 27, 2006</b> Sir Kt. Andrew Haig Young	Mount Carmel #44, Portage la Prairie, MB
<b>August 2007</b> <i>no award presented</i>	
<b>August 2008</b> <i>no award presented</i>	
<b>August 2009</b> Sir Kt. John Verner Mathers	Geoffrey de St. Aldemar #2, Toronto, ON
<b>August 21, 2010</b> Sir Kt. Rev Sidney James Maddock	Mount Calvary #12, Barrie, ON

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<p><b>August 20, 2011</b>                  Sir Kt. Robert Edward Kerr                  Sir Kt. Reddie Shedden                  Sir Kt. Morely Everett Robinson</p>	<p>Godfrey de Bouillon #3, Hamilton, ON                  Plantagenet #8, St. Catharines, ON                  Mount Zion #72, Kentville, NS</p>
<p><b>August 2012</b>                    <i>no award presented</i></p>	
<p><b>August 2013</b>                  Sir Kt. John Vincent Lawer</p>	<p>Geoffrey de St. Aldemar #2, Toronto, ON</p>
<p><b>August 2014</b>                    <i>no award presented</i></p>	
<p><b>August 2015</b>                  Sir Kt. W.A. R. (Bill) McKee</p>	<p>St. Simon of Cyrene #37, Sarnia, ON</p>
<p><b>August 2016</b>                    <i>no award presented</i></p>	
<p><b>August 2017</b>                    <i>no award presented</i></p>	
<p><b>August 2018</b>                    <i>no award presented</i></p>	
<p><b>August 2019</b>                    <i>no award presented</i></p>	
<p><b>August 2020</b>                    <i>no award presented</i></p>	
<p><b>August 2021</b>                  Sir Kt. William G. Mounce</p>	<p>Western Gate #30 Victoria, BC</p>
<p><b>August 2022</b>                    <i>no award presented</i></p>	
<p><b>August 2023</b>                    <i>no award presented</i></p>	

## **RULES FOR MASONIC DATES**

### *Ancient Craft Masons –*

Commence their era with the creation of the world, calling it Anno Lucis (A.L.), “in the year of light.” Add 4000 years to the common era: thus 4000 and 2019 = 6019

### *Royal Arch Masons –*

Date from the year the second temple was commenced by Zerubbabel, calling it Anno Inventionis (A.I.), “in the year of discovery.” Add 530 years to the common era: thus 530 and 2019 = 2549

### *Order of High Priesthood –*

Date from the blessing of Abram by the High Priest Melchizedek, calling it Anno Benefacio (A.B.), “in the year of Blessing.” Add 1913 years to the common era, thus 1913 and 2019 = 3932

### *Royal and Select Masters –*

Date from the year in which the Temple of Solomon was completed, calling it Anno Depositionis (A.Dep.), “in the year of deposit.” Add 1000 years to the common era: thus 1000 and 2019 = 3019

### *Knights Templar –*

Commence their era with the organization of the Order, Anno Ordinus (A.O.) “in the year of the Order” From the Christian era take 1118, thus 1118 from 2019 = 901

### *Ancient & Accepted Scottish Rite –*

Same as Ancient Craft, except Jewish Chronology is used. Anno Mundi (A.M.), “in the year of the world.” Add 3760 to the common era, thus 3760 and 2019 = 5779