

The Masonic Order of Pilgrim Preceptors



Handbook

2018- 2019

GRAND MASTER

M.III.Bro. Stephen Michael AYRES *JP*

OFFICERS OF GRAND CONCLAVE

(Invested June 2018)

DEPUTY GRAND MASTER

R.III. Bro. Roger O'Brien, **PGExp**

ASSISTANT GRAND MASTER

R.III.Bro. Charles Jonathan Aspinell **PGExp**

REGIONAL GOVERNORS

R.III.Bro. Leslie Bale [USA]

R.III.Bro. Thomas Auber [Eastern Counties]

R.III.Bro. Raymond Stewart Ellis [Heart of England]

R.III.Bro. John Stephen Priestley [Northern Counties]

R. III. Bro. Paul Hollebone [Southern Counties] - from *07/01/2019*

GRAND EXCELLENT PRECEPTOR

R.III.Bro. Andrew Christopher Sweeney

GRAND WORTHY PRECEPTOR

R.III.Bro. Graham Fenwick

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V.III.Bro. Louis Keats

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R.III.Bro. Peter Rollin, **PGWyP**

GRAND SECRETARY and DATA PROTECTION OFFICER

R.III.Bro. Eric Bourne, **PGWyP**

GRAND MARSHAL

R.III.Bro. Jonathan Roberts **PGExp**

GRAND TREASURER

R.III. Bro. John Wickes **PGExp**

DEPUTY GRAND SECRETARY

III.Bro. Douglas Hopton

DEPUTY GRAND TREASURER

R.III. Bro. Christopher Burgess **PGWyP**

DEPUTY GRAND MARSHAL

III.Bro. Gerry Barker

DEPUTY GRAND MARSHAL

V.III. Bro. Trevor Dutt **PGReg**

GRAND BANNER BEARER

III.Bro. Ian Dobinson

ASSISTANT GRAND MARSHALS

V.III. Bro. Colin Tunbridge **PGReg**

III.Bro. Peter Layton

III.Bro. Jeffrey Conway **PDepGMar**

III.Bro. Clifford Bull

GRAND ORGANIST

III.Bro. Matthew Burt

GRAND KEEPER OF THE PORTAL

III.Bro. Andrew Gilham

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III.Bro. Stephen Heard

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III.Bro	Baikie Peter	PDepGMar PGBB	2017 2014
R.III.Bro	Bale, Leslie N.	RegGov GWyP GKoP	2015 2013 2011
V.III.Bro	Barker, Arthur C.	PReg PAGMar	2017 2012
III.Bro	Barker, Gerald A. G.	DepGMar	2014
III.Bro	Barker, Roderick J.	PAGMar	2014
III.Bro	Beardsley, James	GBB	2017
III.Bro	Beber, Howard	PGBB	2015
V.III.Bro	Boswell, David	PReg	2017
R.III.Bro	Bourne, L. Eric	GSec PGWyP DepGSec	2017 2015 2015
III.Bro	Bowler, Terence A. D.	PReg GBB	2016 2014
R.III.Bro	Brackley, John	GExp	2014
III.Bro	Budds, Martin B.	GKoP	2015
III.Bro	Bull, Clifford H.	AsstGMar	2017

V.III.Bro	Burgess, Alfred	PGReg	2016
		PDepGMar	2012
R.III.Bro	Burgess, Christopher M.	DepGTreas	2015
		PGWyP	2014
		DepGSec	2012
		DepGMar	2011
III Bro	Burt, Matthew	G Org	2018
III.Bro	Butler, Paul	PAGMar	2015
III.Bro	Carley, Stewart	PGBB	2015
III.Bro	Chape, Andrew	PGBB	2018
		GKoP	2017
VIII.Bro	Chilvers Robert	PGReg	2017
		PAGMar	2014
III.Bro	Conway, Jeffrey L.	AGMar	2017
		PDepGMar	2105
		GKoP	2013
Bro	Corcoran, Mark S.	G Guard	2018
R.III.Bro	Crane, Gerard J. Revd	PGWyP	
		GChap	
III.Bro	Davies, D. Michael W.	PGBB	2015
III.Bro	Dobinson, Ian	GBB	2018
		PGBB	2017
R.III.Bro	Doe, Howard	PGExP	2016
		PGWyP	2011
		PDepGMar	2007
R.III.Bro	Dupee, Matthew	PGWyP	2011
V.III.Bro	Dutt, Trevor P.	DepGMar	2018
		PGReg	2018
		PDepGMar	2017
		GKoP	2016

R.III.Bro	Edge, David F.	PGWyP	2012
		PDepGMar	2007
R.III.Bro	Ellis, Raymond S.	RegGov	2017
		PDepGMar	2017
		PAGMar	2016
V.III.Bro	Evans, James A.	PGReg	2018
		PAGMar	2013
III.Bro	Evatt, George	PGBB	2015
III.Bro	Fenwick, Graham H.	GWyP	2017
		GStwd	2016
M.III.Bro	Field, James J.	PGM (Hon. Causa)	2017
		DepGM	2014
		GMar	2011
		PGExP	2011
		GWyP	2007
III.Bro	Firth, Daniel F.	PDepGMar	2015
		PGBB	2013
R.III.Bro	Fox, David G.	PGWyP	2012
		PDepGMar	2007
III.Bro	Freedman, Philip	PAGMar	2015
R.III.Bro	Fretten, Raymond G.	PGWyP	2017
		PAGMar	2014
R.III.Bro	Gentry, Gordon	PGWyP	2012
		PDepGMar	2010
R.III.Bro	Gilbert, John H.	PGWyP	2018
		PDepGMar	2015
		G Org	2013
III Bro.	Gilham, Andrew D.	GKoP	2018

R.III.Bro	Goddard, Glyn R.	PGExP	2017
		GWyP	2015
		DepGMar	2012
III.Bro	Goodwin, Edwin	PAGMar	2018
		GStwd	2017
V III Bro	Grout, Noel A B.	PGReg	2018
R.III.Bro	Guest, Michael W.	PAGM	2018
		GExP	2016
		PGWyP	2015
R.III.Bro	Hamilton-Hinds, William J.	PDepGM	2018
		AGM	2017
		PGExP	2014
		PGWyP	2012
		GSec	2012
		DepGSec	2011
III.Bro	Hartley, Colin	PAGMar	2018
		GStwd	2017
V.III.Bro	Hatton, Christopher F.	PGReg	2017
		PDepGMar	2013
III.Bro	Hayes, Peter	PGBB	2017
V.III.Bro	Haynes, George	PGReg	2017*
III.Bro	Hayward, Leonard G.	PGBB	2015
III.Bro	Heard, Stephen R.	GStwd	2018
III.Bro	Hill, Bryan	PDepGMar	2017
III.Bro	Hills, John	PAGMar	2015
III.Bro	Holland, Brian	PAGMar	2017
III.Bro	Hopton, Douglas	DepGSec	2017

R.III.Bro	Howarth, Barry J.	PGWyP	2015
		PDepGMar	2011
III.Bro	Hudson, Raymond W.	PGBB	2016
III.Bro	Hughes, Peter W.	GBB	2015
R III.Bro	Johnston, Paul W.	PGWyP	2018
Em.Bro	Keer, Geoffrey	GStwd	2017
V III Bro	Keats, Louis M.	G Chaplain	2017
III.Bro	Layton, Peter	AGMar	2015
		PGBB	2015
		PAGMar	2012
V III Bro	Leavers, Roy W.	PGReg	2018
III.Bro	Llewlyn, Anthony W.	PAGMar	2017
		GStwd	2016
III.Bro	Long, Arnold	PGBB	2016
III.Bro	Lysons Eric	PDepGMar	2014
III.Bro	MacKenzie, Ian.	PAGMar	2018
R.III.Bro	Maiden, Christopher G.	PGWyP	2016
R.III.Bro	McIntyre, Peter J.	PGWyP	2012
V.III.Bro	McLain, John D.	PGReg	2016
		PDepGMar	2012
R.III.Bro	Middleton, Stewart C. L.	PGWyP	2017
		PGBB	2016
III.Bro	Mighall, Simon	PDepGMar	2016
V.III.Bro	Morris, David B.	PGReg	2016
		PAGMar	2012
III.Bro	Mycock, Paul	PAGMar	2016

III.Bro	Neve, William	PAGMar	2017
III.Bro	Newth, Michael J.	PAGMar	2017
R.III.Bro	O'Brien, Roger J. E.	DepGM	2017
		AGMaster	2016
		RegGov	2014
		GExP	2013
		GWyP	2011
III.Bro	Oliver, Derek F.	PGBB	2015
III.Bro	Page, Bryan F.	PDepGMar	2018
R.III.Bro	Paternoster, John R.	PAGM	2017
		GChap	2013
		PExP	2012
		PGWyP	2011
		PDepGMar	2010
III.Bro	Pearson, John E.	PAGMar	2015
R.III.Bro	Perry, Allan B.	PDepGM	2016
		PExP	2014
		PGWyP	2012
		GMar	1987
Bro	Phillips, John D.	GStwd	2018
III.Bro	Polkinghorne, Simon E.	PDepGMar	2011
III.Bro	Pratt, William J. (Toby)	PGBB	2016
R.III.Bro	Prevelt, Brian	PReg Gov	2016
		GExP	2015
		GExP	2011
V.III.Bro.	Price, Brian	PReg	2017
III.Bro	Price, David	PDepGMar	2016
R.III.Bro	Priestley J. Stephen	Reg Gov	2018
		PGWyP	2015
III.Bro	Rhodes, David K.	PAGMar	2014

III.Bro	Rice, John G.	PGBB	2013
R.III.Bro	Roberts, Jonathan C.	PGExP	2017
		GMar	2014
		PGWyP	2014
		DepGMar	2013
R.III.Bro	Rollin, Peter	PGWyP	2018
		GReg	2016
III.Bro	Ronson, Ian	PDepGMar	2015
III.Bro	Russell, Terence G.	PGBB	2013
III.Bro	Sale, Martin	PAGMar	2013
R.III.Bro	Saunders, Dennis B.	PGWyP	2013
		PDepGMar	2011
III.Bro	Setterfield, Gordon	PAGMar	2013
III.Bro	Shearer, Alan B.	GBB	2016
III.Bro	Slade, Barry W.	PDepGMar	2018
		PGBB	2014
R.III.Bro	Slater, Malcom E.	PGExP	2018
III.Bro	Smith, Christopher, G.	GStwd	2018
III.Bro	Smith, Stanley	PAGMar	2016
M.III.Bro	Stephenson, Andrew B.	GMaster	1991
R.III.Bro	Sweeney, Andrew C.	G ExP	2018
		PGWyP	2016
III.Bro	Taylor Gary.	PAsstGMar	2018
R.III.Bro	Temple, Aubrey	PGWyP	2014
		PDepGMar	2012
V.III.Bro	Thacker, Jack	PGReg	2016
		PDepGMar	2013

R.III.Bro	Thomson, Tommy	PGWyP	2018
		PGReg	2017
		GGuard	2012
III.Bro	Thompson, Alan L.	PDepGMar	2015
III.Bro	Tinkler, Laurence	PAGMar	2014
R.III.Bro	Tough, Ian W.	PGWyP	2013
		DepGMar	2011
		PDepGMar	2007
III.Bro	Trotter, Alan C,	PAGMar	2015
V.III.Bro	Tunbridge, Colin P.	PGReg	2018
		PDepGMar	2016
		AGMar	2014
		PGBB	2014
III.Bro	Warburton, John	PGBB	2014
III.Bro	Warham, John	PGBB	2018
III Bro	Welton, John C	PAGMar	2018
R.III.Bro	Wickes, John H.	PGExP	2017
		PGWyP	2013
		GTreas	2011
III.Bro	Williams, Malvern	PAGMar	2017
III.Bro	Young, Laurence	PDepGMar	2017

Grand Ranks and accepted abbreviations

RANK	ABBREVIATION	HONORIFIC	SALUTATIONS
Grand Master	GM	M.III.Bro	11 x T o B
Past Grand Master	PGM	M.III.Bro	11 x T o B
Past Grand Master Honoris Causa	PGM (Hon. Causa)	M.III.Bro	11 x T o B
Deputy Grand Master	DepGM	R.III.Bro	9 x T o B
Past Deputy Grand Master	PDepGM	R.III.Bro	9 x T o B
Assistant Grand Master	AGM	R.III.Bro	9 x T o B
Past Assistant Grand Master	PAGM	R.III.Bro	9 x T o B
Provincial Grand Master	ProvGM	R.III.Bro	7 x T o B
Past Provincial Grand Master	PProvGM	R.III.Bro	7 x T o B
Regional Governor	RegGov	R.III.Bro	7 x T o B
Past Regional Governor	PRegGov	R.III.Bro	7 x T o B
Grand Excellent Preceptor	GExp	R.III.Bro	5 x T o B
Past Grand Excellent Preceptor	PGExp	R.III.Bro	5 x T o B
Grand Worthy Preceptor	GWyP	R.III.Bro	5 x T o B
Past Grand Worthy Preceptor	PGWyP	R.III.Bro	5 x T o B
Grand Registrar	GReg	V.III.Bro	3 x T o B
Past Grand Registrar	PReg	V.III.Bro	3 x T o B
Grand Chaplain	GChap	V.III.Bro	3 x T o B
Past Grand Chaplain	PGChap	V.III.Bro	3 x T o B
Grand Secretary	GSec	V.III.Bro	3 x T o B
Past Grand Secretary	PGSec	V.III.Bro	3 x T o B
Grand Marshal	GMar	V.III.Bro	3 x T o B
Past Grand Marshal	PGMar	V.III.Bro	3 x T o B
Grand Treasurer	GTreas	V.III.Bro	3 x T o B
Past Grand Treasurer	PGTreas	V.III.Bro	3 x T o B
Deputy Grand Secretary	DepGSec	III.Bro	3 x T o B
Past Deputy Grand Secretary	PDepGSec	III.Bro	3 x T o B
Deputy Grand Marshal	DepGMar	III.Bro	3 x T o B
Past Deputy Grand Marshal	PDepGMar	III.Bro	3 x T o B
Deputy Grand Treasurer	DepGTreas	III.Bro	3 x T o B
Past Deputy Grand Treasurers	PDepGTreas	III.Bro	3 x T o B
Grand Banner Bearer	GBB	III.Bro	3 x T o B
Past Grand Banner Bearer	PGBB	III.Bro	3 x T o B
Grand Organist	GOrg	III.Bro	3 x T o B
Past Grand Organist	PGOrg	III.Bro	3 x T o B
Assistant Grand Marshal	AGMar	III.Bro	3 x T o B
Past Assistant Grand Marshal	PAGMar	III.Bro	3 x T o B
Grand Keeper of the Portal	GKoP	III.Bro	3 x T o B
Past Grand Keeper of the Portal	PGKoP	III.Bro	3 x T o B
Grand Steward	GStwd	III.Bro	3 x T o B
Past Grand Steward	PGStwd	III.Bro	3 x T o B
Grand Guard & Past Grand Guard	(P) GGuard	III.Bro	3 x T o B

Grand Masters

	Appointed	Retired
Howard Alan Stokes		5 September 1987
John Edward Nowell Walker	5 September 1987	6 July 1990
Andrew Barry Stephenson	4 September 1993	8 April 2006
Benson Franklyn Catt	8 April 2006	19 March 2011
Stephen Michael Ayres	19 March 2011	

Deputy Grand Masters

	Appointed	Retired
Andrew Barry Stephenson	5 September 1987	6 July 1991
(Acted as Deputy Grand Master in Charge from July 1990 to September 1993)		
Ralph John Wheeler	19 March 2011	9 October 2014
James John Field	9 October 2014	24 June 2017
Roger Joseph Ernest O'Brien	24 June 2017	

Assistant Grand Masters

	Appointed	Retired
Roger Joseph Ernest O'Brien	30 April 2016	24 June 2017
William John Hamilton-Hinds	24 June 2017	30 June 2018
Charles Jonathan Aspinell	30 th June 2018	

Regional Governors

	Appointed	Retired
Roger Joseph Ernest O'Brien	31 May 2014	30 April 2016
Leslie Norman Bale	30 May 2015	
Brian James Prett	30 April 2016	October 2018
Thomas Auber	24 June 2017	

Raymond Ellis	4 th October 2017
John Stephen Priestley	30 th June 2018
Paul Hollebhone	January 2019

Grand Secretaries

	Appointed	Retired
Benson Franklyn Catt	8 December 1984	8 April 2006
Ralph John Wheeler	8 April 2006	30 June 2012
William John Hamilton-Hinds	30 June 2012	24 June 2017
Laurence Eric Bourne	24 June 2017	

Grand Treasurers

	Appointed	Retired
John Mitchell	14 April 2007	19 March 2011
John Harlow Wickes	19 March 2011	

Grand Marshals

	Appointed	Retired
Allan Barry Perry	5 September 1987	12 March 2005
Stephen Michael Ayres	12 March 2005	19 March 2011
James John Field	19 March 2011	9 October 2014
Jonathan Charles Roberts	9 October 2014	

St Andrew

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(GM)

2nd Saturday April (Inst), 3rd Saturday August

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R Illustrious Bro. G. M. Gentry PGWyP	1996-1997
M Illustrious Bro. J. J. Field PGM (Hon.Causa)	1998-1999
Illustrious Bro. D. J. Price PDepGMar	2000-2001
R Illustrious Bro. Rt. Rev. G. Crane PGWyP	2003-2004
R Illustrious Bro. I. W. Tough <i>JP</i> PGWyP	2005-2006
R Illustrious Bro. C. Burgess PGWyP, DepGTreas	2007-2008
R Illustrious Bro. B. Prevett RegGov	2008-2009
R Illustrious Bro. W.J. Hamilton-Hinds PDepGM PGEpP	2009-2010
V.Illustrious Bro. D Morris PGReg	2010-2011
V Illustrious Bro. Christopher Hatton PGReg	2011-2012
V Illustrious Bro. Robert Chilvers PGReg	2012-2013
Illustrious Bro. Howard Beber PGBB	2013-2014
V Illustrious Bro. Trevor Dutt PGReg	2014-2015
Illustrious Bro. Edwin Goodwin PAGMar	2015-2016
Illustrious Bro. Douglas Hopton DepGSec	2016-2017
Illustrious Bro. Trevor Gray	2017-2018
Illustrious Bro Peter Lindell	2018-2019

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R Illustrious Bro. Ian Tough PGWyP	2000 - 2001
R Illustrious Bro. David Edge PGWyP	2001 - 2002
R Illustrious Bro. Peter McIntyre PGWyP	2002 - 2003
R Illustrious Bro. Roger O'Brien DepGM, PGExP	2003 - 2004
R Illustrious Bro. Dennis Saunders PGWyP	2007 - 2008
Illustrious Bro. Terence Russell PGBB	2008 - 2009
Illustrious Bro. Daniel Firth PDepGMar	2009 - 2010
V Illustrious Bro. Colin Tunbridge AGMar, PGRreg	2010 - 2011
Illustrious Bro. John Hills PAGMar	2011 - 2012
Illustrious Bro. Peter Hughes GBB	2012 - 2013
Illustrious Bro. Peter Hughes GBB	2013 - 2014
Illustrious Bro. Raymond Hudson PGBB	2014 - 2015
Illustrious Bro. Stephen Heard GStwd	2015 - 2016
Illustrious Bro. Eric Head	2016 - 2017
Illustrious Bro. Clive Manuel	2017 - 2018
Illustrious Bro. Trevor Sharpe	2018 - 2019

Athelstan No. 2 Consecrated 25th January 2003 (RG-N)

4th Saturday January (Inst), 2nd Monday July, 4th Friday August

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Illustrious Bro. Anthony R Perry	2008 - 2009
R Illustrious Bro. Lesley Bale RegGov PGWyP	2009 - 2010
Illustrious Bro. Gordon Setterfield PAGMar	2010 - 2011
Illustrious Bro. John Warburton PGBB	2011 - 2012
Illustrious Bro. Ian Ronson PDepGMar	2012 - 2013
Illustrious Bro. Gerald Barker DepGMar	2013 - 2014
Illustrious Bro. Anthony Llewellyn PAGMar	2014 - 2015
Illustrious Bro. Ian Dobinson GBB	2015 - 2016
Illustrious Bro. Clive Warham	2016 - 2017
Illustrious Bro. Paul Cowley	2017 - 2018
Illustrious Bro. Paul Clarke	2018 - 2019

Prince Edwin No.3 Consecrated 25th October 2003 (RG-E)

3rd Monday March, 2nd Friday November (Inst)

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R Illustrious Bro. Christopher Burgess PGWyP , DepGTreas	2007 - 2008
V Illustrious Bro Alf Burgess PGReg	2008 - 2009
R Illustrious Bro. John Wickes PGWyP GTreas	2009 - 2010
Illustrious Bro. Peter Baikie PDepGMar	2012 - 2013
Illustrious Bro. Philip Freedman PAGMar	2013 - 2014
Illustrious Bro. Roy Bridgen	2016 – 2017
Illustrious Bro. Colin Ringham	2017 – 2018
Illustrious Bro. Geoffrey Cheshire	2018 - 2019

Holy Well No. 4 Consecrated 5th May 2007 (RG-N)

3rd Tuesday April, 1st Thursday October (Inst)

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R Illustrious Bro. Barry Howarth PGWyP	2008 - 2009
Illustrious Bro. Robert Eaves PAGMar	2009 - 2010
Illustrious Bro. Eric Lysons PAGMar	2010 - 2011
Illustrious Bro. D Michael W Davies PGBB	2011 - 2012
Illustrious Bro. David K Rhodes PAGMar	2012 - 2013
Illustrious Bro. Andrew C Chape GKoP	2013 - 2014
Illustrious Bro. Arthur Graham Parry	2014 - 2015
Illustrious Bro. Kenneth Mayer	2015 - 2016
Illustrious Bro. Brian Williams	2016 - 2017
Illustrious Bro. J Christopher Welton PAGMar	2017 – 2018
Illustrious Bro. Geoffrey Gill	2018 - 2019

St Laurence No. 5 Consecrated 9th October 2008 (RG-E)

3rd Thursday May, 2nd Thursday October (Inst)

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R Illustrious Bro. Aubrey Temple PGWyP	2009 - 2010
Illustrious Bro. Jeffrey Conway PDepGMar AGMar	2010 - 2011
V Illustrious Bro. Terence Bowler PGRReg	2011 - 2015
Illustrious Bro. Paul Butler PAGMar	2012 - 2013
Illustrious Bro. Stanley Smith PAGMar	2013 - 2014
Illustrious Bro. Malvern Williams PAGMar	2014 - 2015
Illustrious Bro. Malvern Williams PAGMar	2015 - 2016
Illustrious Bro. Christopher Sampson	2016 – 2017
Illustrious Bro. Colin Innes	2017 – 2018
Illustrious Bro. Harry Muir	2018 - 2019

St Richard No. 6

Consecrated 17th November 2008 (RG-S)

4th Wednesday June, 1st Thursday December (Inst)

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Illustrious Bro. John G Rice PGBB	2011 - 2012
Illustrious Bro. Rod J Barker PAGMar	2012 - 2013
Illustrious Bro. Derek Oliver PGBB	2013 - 2014
Illustrious Bro. Toby Pratt PGBB	2014 - 2015
Illustrious Bro. Colin Hartley GStwd	2015 - 2016
Illustrious Bro. Paul Hollebhone Reg Gov	2016 – 2017
Illustrious Bro. Brian Pulley	2017 – 2018
Illustrious Bro. William Hoare	2018 - 2019

St Petroc No.7

Consecrated 9th September 2009

(RG -AsstGM)

3rd Thursday October (Inst), Last Tuesday May

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Illustrious Bro. Michael Daniels	2015 - 2016
Illustrious Bro. Terence Sloan	2016 – 2017
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Mayflower No. 8 Consecrated 14th February 2010 (RG–USA)

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2nd Monday of March (Inst) and September

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Palatine No.10

Consecrated 24th August 2011 (RG-N)

Last Wednesday of April (Inst) and September in the forenoon

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Illustrious Bro. John Welton PAGMar	2016 – 2017
Illustrious Bro. Michael Beesley	2017 – 2018
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Londinium No. 11

Consecrated 29th November 2011 (GM)

2nd Thursday October (Inst), 3rd Thursday June

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Illustrious Bro Peter Hayes PGBB	2015 - 2016
Illustrious Bro George Rodger	2016 – 2017
Illustrious Bro Eric Trodd	2017 – 2018
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Consecrated 21st June 2012 (RG-S)

3rd Thursday January, 3rd Thursday June (Inst)

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Illustrious Bro Jason Cameron-Potter	2017 – 2018
Illustrious Bro David Barden	2018 - 2019

Portus Adurni No. 13 Consecrated 24th November 2012

(RG-AsstGM)

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Illustrious Bro Andrew Gilham GKoP	2015 – 2016
Illustrious Bro Matthew Burt GOrg	2016 – 2017
Illustrious Bro Paul Hollebone Reg Gov	2017 – 2018
Illustrious Bro Brian Pulley	2018 - 2019

Mercia No. 14 Consecrated 3rd April 2013 (RG-HofE)

1st Wednesday in April (Inst) and October

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R Illustrious Bro Michael Guest GExp	2016 – 2017
R Illustrious Bro John Paternoster PAGM	2017 – 2018
Illustrious Bro Colin Brown	2018 - 2019

Pride of Surrey No. 15 Consecrated 19th September 2013

(RG-S)

3rd Monday in April, 3rd Thursday in September (Inst)

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Deoraby No. 16 Consecrated 27th June 2014 (RG-HofE)

3rd Wednesday in July, 2nd Friday in September (Inst)

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Illustrious Bro Christopher Smith GStwd	2016 – 2017
Illustrious Bro Melvin Storrow	2017 - 2018
Illustrious Bro Richard Heap	2018 - 2019

Conclave of the Angles No. 17 Consecrated 8th August 2015

(RG-E)

3rd Wednesday in February (Inst), 1st Wednesday in August.

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Kernow No. 18 Consecrated 25th June 2016 (RG-AsstGM)

1st Wednesday in February, 1st Wednesday in July (Inst), 4th Friday in September

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The Lady Eleanor No. 19 Consecrated 28th June 2016 (RG-HoE)

2nd Monday in March (Inst), 4th Tuesday in August

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Gippelwich No. 20 Consecrated 22nd September 2016 (RG-E)

3rd Monday in May, 3rd Thursday in September (Inst)

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Illustrious Bro Raymond Pascoe	2018 - 2019

Rex Britannicus No. 21 Consecrated 29th August 2017

(RG-HoE)

2nd Tuesday in July, 4th Friday in October (Inst)

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2017- 2018

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2018 - 2019

Litus Saxonicum No. 22 Consecrated 13th November 2017 (RG-S)

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2017- 2018

Illustrious Bro Michael Chesson

2018 - 2019

Bishops' Lynn No. 23 Consecrated 2nd August 2018 (RG-E)

2nd Thursday in April, 3rd Thursday in September (Inst).

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Illustrious Preceptors of the Conclave

Illustrious Bro Donald Woodgate

2018 - 2019

AFTER PROCEEDINGS THE COMMEMORATION

(Offered by the ILLUSTRIOUS PRECEPTOR with answers give by a NOMINATED PAST PRECEPTOR)

- Ill.Prec. **How many Grand Lodges do we commemorate?**
Answer **Four**
- Ill.Prec. **Name them**
Answer **The First, or Holy Lodge, the Second or Sacred Lodge, the Third or Grand and Royal Lodge and the Fourth or Fraternal Lodge**
- Ill.Prec. **Where was the First or Holy Lodge holden ?**
Answer **At the foot of Mount Horeb in the wilderness of Sinai**
- Ill.Prec. **Who presided ?**
Answer **Moses, Aholiab and Bezaleel**
- Ill.Prec. **Let us drink to the memory of those three Grand Originals**
- Ill.Prec. **Where was the Second or Sacred Lodge holden ?**
Answer **In the bosom of the Holy Mount Moriah**
- Ill.Prec. **Who presided ?**
Answer **Solomon King of Israel, Hiram King of Tyre and Hiram Abif**
- Ill.Prec. **Let us drink to the memory of those three Grand Masters**
- Ill.Prec. **Where was the Third or Grand and Royal Lodge holden ?**
Answer **At Jerusalem**
- Ill.Prec. **Who presided ?**
Answer **Zerubbabel, Prince of the People, Haggai the Prophet and Joshua the son of Josedech the High Priest**
- Ill.Prec. **Let us drink to the memory of those three Grand Principals**
- Ill.Prec. **Where was the Fourth or Fraternal Lodge holden ?**
Answer **At Rome**
- Ill.Prec. **Who presided ?**
Answer **The Illustrious Titus Caesar, the Excellent Simonides and the Worthy Valerian**
- Ill.Prec. **Let us drink to the Royal memory of those three Grand Preceptors**

TOASTS

The Queen

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The Most Illustrious Grand Master

Most Illustrious Brother Stephen Michael Ayres, JP.

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The Right Illustrious Deputy Grand Master

Right Illustrious Brother Roger Joseph Ernest O'Brian

The Right Illustrious Assistant Grand Master

Right Illustrious Brother Charles Jonathan Aspinell

and Officers of Grand Conclave

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The Right Illustrious Regional Governor

(ONLY if the Conclave is under the **superintendence** of a Regional Governor)

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The Illustrious Preceptor of this Conclave

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The newly received [Pilgrims] [Preceptors] *

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The Visitors

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“ . . Our next Fraternal Meeting...”

* “Pilgrims” to be used if only the 1st Degree worked, “Preceptors” if 2nd Degree worked or both 1st and 2nd Degrees worked

THE ORIGINS OF THE PILGRIM PRECEPTORS

The early part of this account was told to Andrew Stephenson by the late John Edward Nowell Walker, a former Grand Master who died shortly before his 90th birthday in 1990. The remainder is from Andrew's recollections.

The acting profession has always been a precarious one. The Play is all important, and nobody has ever been able to predict what makes a Play a success with the public. Even Shakespeare wrote failures, performed today as 'curiosities'. In this country it is the custom for producers to try out new Plays in selected Provincial Theatres with the authors re-writing parts of the script in the light of audience reaction. Only if the final version appears to appeal do they then perform in London. The actors do their best, but even the inclusion of, say Laurence Olivier, in the cast is no guarantee of success.

In former times, if the cast was lucky, the Manager would pay in advance for their hotel accommodation until the end of the projected visit (usually the weekend) and give the actors rail tickets for their return to London on a specific day (usually Monday morning). If the tour was a flop there would be no money available to pay wages. Many 'ditties' are recited at actors' reunions setting out the hardships which all may have suffered, even the stars.

During the late 1870s three actors found themselves idle and forced to remain in their hotel in Manchester for a long and typically wet weekend because the play in which they had been performing suddenly 'folded'. All three were members of the Craft and the Royal Arch, and possibly other Masonic Orders. During their visits to the North they had visited a number of Masonic Halls and had access to the libraries these places had in those days; the one at Formby was given particular mention. On this wet weekend in Manchester, perhaps to while away the time, they conceived the idea of using some of the information they had found to develop a Masonic ceremony called The Pilgrim Preceptors. By the end of the weekend they had produced a manuscript version which was later polished and typed. However, this was a private enterprise and they made no attempt to invite others to join them or to see the ceremony performed. One of the actors was named LeFre. He prospered and, in his very old age, discovered his Craft Lodge would be celebrating its centenary on his own 100th birthday. The members elected him to be Master for that special year, but sadly he died just three week before his Installation.

This Worshipful Brother LeFre had a son, Eric LeFre, also an actor and a member of the Craft. Amongst his father's papers Eric inherited the original manuscript and the typescript revision developed by the three thespians in Manchester. Sadly Eric did little with these documents until, after much pestering, an elderly Eric conferred, by Obligation, the Order on John Edward Nowell Walker for a fee of a halfpenny in the 1970s, gave him the script and verbally all rights to the Order. Within a year Eric too had died, whereon John Walker "initiated" by Obligation five Companions after a meeting of the August Order of Light held in South London, namely Captain Michael Penrose, Andrew Stephenson, George Duke, John Jary and Howard Stokes. Jary photocopied the typescript and George Duke attempted to set out the floor cloth using purple ribbon and pins, but without success.

The main problem was the script itself. The actors had abbreviated a large number of words to their first letter followed by dots; unfortunately the number of dots did not always match the missing letters! Whilst they had produced a two page key these six members found that the constant reference to the key made them become frustrated and they abandoned their attempt to rehearse the ceremony. Even using the key they quickly found the many of the abbreviated words were far from secret, but ones in common use and already set out in full in other well established masonic rituals. By this time John Walker, with the assistance of other members, was becoming heavily involved in the reconstruction of the Order of St. Thomas of Acon and eventually he appointed Howard Stokes as Grand Master of the Pilgrim Preceptors. Unfortunately Howard's eyesight was failing and he made no attempt to work the Order.

By 1984 the Temple of the Order of Light which met in South London had grown to 23 members and was well established. One feature of their meetings was the dining, and despite its Yorkshire title of High Tea, it was in fact dinner and was cooked by one of the members. The conversations during these meals was lively and during the September 1984 dinner a newish member, one Brian Slater,

brother of John Slater the actor, and himself involved in the entertainment industry as a boffin in special and electrical effects with London weekend Television; Brian had tried to interest John Walker into using special effects, such as dry ice and other theatrical effects in masonic ceremonies. Somehow the conversation moved to the mentioning of the Order of the Pilgrim Preceptors, whereon Brian and another member Benson F. Catt, a City of London accountant, persuaded Howard Stokes into reviving the Order. This he did on 8th December, 1984 when Ben Catt, Brian Slater and Alan Perry were obligated into the Order; Howard handed over copies of the ritual to them with the request that they devise a practical way of working it. He also appointed Ben Catt as Grand Secretary on the spot with the responsibility of structuring a proper Masonic Order.

Brian and Ben studied the ritual and with Brian's knowledge of scripts and special effects he was able to work out simple 'props' were needed; these he produced. Early during their work on the ritual received from Howard Stokes it was discovered that a page was missing; mention was made in the key but there was no matching page. Through research they found that John Jary who had been given copies of the early script but had died some years earlier and his papers had been destroyed. Brian and Ben then reconstructed the missing page and produced new copies of the ritual with some, though not all, of the abbreviated words restored in full. On 8th March 1986, a full rehearsal of the ritual took place followed by a full meeting of the Order with Howard Stokes presiding and Companion Norman Pitt being admitted; the first time the ceremony, or rather ceremonies for there are two, were worked.. At the same meeting five current members of the Order were also admitted to the secrets of the Chair. It was then arranged that the Order would meet twice a year on the morning of two of the four regular meetings of the Order of Light.

Following this first meeting Howards Stokes announced his resignation from the office of Grand Master of the Order, feeling that the progress made had established a firm future for the Order of the Pilgrim Preceptors. Alas Brian Slater died very suddenly at the age of 56 in January, 1987 and Norman Pitt shortly thereafter. At a second meeting, on 5th September, 1987 John Walker became Grand Master and was duly installed in that high office. Andrew Stephenson became Deputy Grand Master. Sadly John Walker died in November 1991 and on 4th September, 1993 Andrew Stephenson was Installed as Grand Master.

Until the 1990s almost all members of the Order had been recruited from those who attended the Order of Light. By 1998 membership had expanded to include a number of members from Kent, and on 13th June, 1998 a new Preceptory, called St. Augustine Preceptory was consecrated. Between the admission of Norman Pitt in March 1986 and August 2000 membership had reached over 50.

As the years have passed changes to the Order have been made. For example the title of units has changed from Preceptory to Conclave, a full set of Regulations adopted and most importantly the original unit which had hitherto governed the Order became a Sovereign Grand Conclave which immediately established a time immemorial Conclave, called the St. Andrew Conclave, to carry on the work of admission of new members from the London area, and sometimes elsewhere in the UK. The Order has continued to expand and on 25th January, 2003 a third unit was established at York called the Athelstan Conclave. This was followed by a fourth on 25th October of the same year, this time at Radlett in Hertfordshire called Prince Edwin Conclave.

In 2006 Andrew Stephenson announced that he was emigrating to New Zealand and in his stead he nominated Benson F Catt to be Grand Master. In September, 2006 Ben was Installed into that high office and for the first time a full team of Grand Officers was appointed. Further Conclaves were consecrated on:

5th May, 2007 the **Holy Well Conclave No 4** to meet at Mold
9th October 2008 **St. Laurence Conclave No 5** to meet at Southend
17th November, 2008 **St. Richard Conclave No 6** to meet at Uckfield
9th September, 2009 **St. Petroc Conclave No 7** to meet at Crediton.

On 14th February, 2010 the Order make took its first step to becoming international when the **Mayflower Conclave, No 8**, was consecrated with a peripatetic Warrant to meet within the United States of America.

Late in February 2011 Ben Catt announced that for health reasons he could no longer continue as Grand Master and had nominated Stephen M. Ayres, JP as his successor. On 19th March 2011 Stephen was Installed as Grand Master, to become Most Illustrious Brother Stephen M. Ayres, in a full Installation Ceremony. Ralph Wheeler who for the previous five years had been Grand Secretary was appointed as Deputy Grand Master; only the second DGM within the Order.

Since becoming Grand Master, M. Ill. Bro. Stephen Ayres consecrated 8 Conclaves in his first 3 years :

28th June, 2011 the **Hadrian Conclave No 9** to meet at Chester-le-Street
24th August, 2011 the **Palatine Conclave No 10** at Leyland
29th November, 2011 the **Londinium Conclave No 11** meeting at Mark Masons Hall in London
21st June, 2012 the **Cantium Conclave No 12** meeting at Canterbury
24th November, 2012 the **Portus Adruni Conclave No 13** to meet at Havant
3rd April, 2013 the **Mercia Conclave No 14** to meet at Kings Heath, Birmingham
19th September, 2013 the **Pride of Surrey Conclave No 15** to meet at Sutton in Surrey
27th June, 2014 the **Deoraby Conclave No 16** to meet at Long Eaton.

October 2014 saw the Installation of a new Deputy Grand Master, in the person of R. II. Bro. James J. Field at a special meeting of Grand Conclave. R. II. Bro. James was succeeded as Grand Marshal by V. III. Bro. Jonathan C. Roberts.

On the 8th August 2015 the **Conclave of the Angles No 17** was Consecrated to meet in Bury St. Edmund, East Anglia, with the Grand Superintendent in and over Suffolk taking the Chair.

Ralph Wheeler who for the previous five years had been Grand Secretary was appointed as Deputy Grand Master; only the second DGM within the Order.

At the meeting of Grand Conclave on 30th April 2016 the Grand Master re-appointed R. III. Bro. James J. Field as his Deputy and R. III. Leslie Bales as Regional Governor for certain Conclaves meeting in the north of England. He then appointed the first Assistant Grand Master of the Order in the person of R. III. Bro. Roger O'Brien who had hitherto been the Regional Governor for certain Conclaves meeting the south east of England. R. III. Bro. Roger O'Brien will be the key link point for Conclaves not under the superintendence of a Regional Governor. R. III. Bro. Brian Prevett was appointed as Regional Governor for the South eastern Counties of England. The year saw the Consecration of three further Conclaves :

25th Jun, the **Kernow Conclave No. 18** to meet at Wadebridge in Cornwall
28th June, the **Lady Eleanor Conclave No. 19** to meet at Macclesfield
22nd September, the **Gippelwich Conclave No. 20** to meet at Ipswich

At the 2017 meeting of Grand Conclave, R.III.Bro James Field retired as Deputy Grand Master and was replaced by R.III.Bro Roger O'Brien. R.III.Bro William Hamilton-Hinds was appointed as the Assistant Grand Master, R.III.Bro Thomas Auber appointed at Regional Governor for the Eastern Counties and V.III.Bro Louis Keats was appointed Grand Chaplain and R.III.Bro Eric Bourne appointed as Grand Secretary. It was further decided that in future the Annual Meeting of Grand Conclave would be on the last Saturday in June each year.

Two further Conclaves were Consecrated in late 2017.

29th August, the **Rex Britannicus Conclave No. 21** to meet at Leicester
13th November, the **Litus Saxonicum Conclave No. 22** to meet at Eastbourne

In October 2017, the Grand Master, at a Meeting of Mercia Conclave No 14, in Birmingham, appointed and Installed R.III.Bro. Raymond Ellis as Regional Governor for the Heart of England.

2018 saw Grand Conclave move out of London for its Annual Meeting, to Freemasons' Hall, Leicester. Attendance at the Meeting and the following Luncheon was almost 100% greater than when in London.

R.III.Bro Charles Aspinell was appointed Assistant Grand Master upon the retirement of R.III.Bro William Hamilton-Hinds, who for his many years of service, as Grand Secretary and subsequently Assistant Grand Master, was appointed a Past Deputy Grand Master.

R.III.Bro Stephen Priestley was appointed Regional Governor for the Northern Counties in place of R.III.Bro Lesley Bale who was re-appointed as Regional Governor for the United States of America.

Two further Conclaves were Consecrated.

2nd August 2018, the **Bishop's Lynn Conclave No. 23** to meet at Kings Lynn.
19th September, the **Titus Caesar Conclave 0** to meet at Mark Masons Hall.
The Grand Master to be the permanent Illustrious Preceptor of the Conclave with a Deputy Illustrious Preceptor being designated by the Grand Master and installed in September.

Plans are now well in hand for 4 new Conclaves in the United States of America, all to be consecrated at Philadelphia in February 2019 and a Conclave in Greece to be Consecrated in Athens in the spring of 2019.

It is hoped that in the following 12 months, further expansion may be forthcoming with interest being expressed in forming new Conclaves in Oxford, Bournemouth, Devonshire, Somerset, Lancashire and Yorkshire.

The Masonic Order of Pilgrim Preceptors

Data Protection Policy

Definitions

ORDER means The Masonic Order of Pilgrim Preceptors.

PERSONAL DATA means any recorded information which identifies a living individual.

HEAD OF THE ORDER means the Grand Master.

UNIT(S) OF THE ORDER means Conclave(s).

ADMINISTRATION means administrative Officers of Grand Conclave, Regions and Provinces.

CONSTITUTIONS means the Constitutions and Regulations for the Government of the ORDER in force from time to time.

HANDBOOK means the Calendar and Directory published each year.

This data protection policy regulates how the ORDER processes and stores PERSONAL DATA of its members by the ADMINISTRATION. It applies to all officers, members and volunteers of the ORDER. Its purpose is to ensure that the ORDER complies with the law and with high data protection standards.

1. Purposes

As a membership organisation the ORDER processes, retains and shares PERSONAL DATA of members for the purposes set out in the Data Protection Notice. Where the ORDER employs or contracts with a member it may also process, retain and share PERSONAL DATA of that member for all lawful purposes related to that employment or contractual relationship.

The ORDER shall not collect or store PERSONAL DATA of members for any other purposes.

2. Appointment of a Data Protection Officer

The ORDER shall appoint a Data Protection Officer who will oversee compliance with data protection law and will act as a point of contact for members and the Information Commissioner's Office (the "ICO"). The Data Protection Officer shall have a direct line of communication with the HEAD OF THE ORDER and shall have, or shall undergo training to ensure that he has, knowledge of data protection law and practices.

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a. Provides him with a copy of all PERSONAL DATA that the ORDER holds about him. The Data Protection Officer shall promptly provide a copy of all information required to be disclosed by law.

b. Rectifies any incorrect PERSONAL DATA held by the ORDER about him. The Data Protection Officer shall promptly consider such a request and respond to it in accordance with the law.

c. Stop the ORDER from some or all of its processing of his PERSONAL DATA. The Data Protection Officer shall promptly consider such an objection and respond to it in accordance with the law

4. Deletion of PERSONAL DATA

A member may resign from all UNITS OF THE ORDER at any time. After it has processed such resignation(s) the ORDER shall archive the PERSONAL DATA for historical reference purposes and will stop the PERSONAL DATA from being used that it holds about that member as set out in The Data Protection Notice (Attachment A).

5. Sharing data with third parties

As a membership organisation the ORDER shares PERSONAL DATA of its members within the ADMINISTRATION as required by the CONSTITUTIONS or bodies it sanctions from time to time.

It will not share PERSONAL DATA of members for any other reason unless it has the consent of the relevant member.

6. Data Protection Notice

The ORDER shall publish a Data Protection Notice (Attachment A) so that it is available to members. The Data Protection Notice shall comply with the requirements of data protection law and among other things shall inform members how their PERSONAL DATA will be used by the ORDER and how they may contact the Data Protection Officer.

7. Data security

The ORDER shall periodically review the security of its records and processing activities and shall take appropriate steps to ensure the confidentiality, integrity and availability of PERSONAL DATA that it holds.

8. Social Media

No reference either by name or by photograph to any Brother is to be made on any form of social media without his express permission and that failure to adhere to this will be regarded as a Masonic Offence.

9. Registration with ICO

The ORDER as a non-profit organisation is exempt from registration with the ICO.

10. Data Protection Officer

The Data Protection Officer shall be the **GRAND SECRETARY**

11. Reporting breaches to the Data Protection Officer

Actual or potential breaches of this policy, or of data protection law by the PERSONAL DATA, shall be reported immediately to the Data Protection Officer. Breaches shall be reported if required by the Data Protection Officer to the ICO or to the member(s) whose data is affected. Normally the Data Protection Officer shall not report breaches without prior consultation with the HEAD OF THE ORDER.

ATTACHMENT A – DATA PROTECTION NOTICE

This notice is for all candidates and members of the ORDER and should be read in conjunction with the Data Protection Policy of the ORDER

It applies to the processing of your PERSONAL DATA by the ORDER.

Section I sets out the purposes for which your data will be used by the ORDER if you are a candidate to become a member of the ORDER.

Section II sets out the purposes for which your data will be used by the ORDER if you are a member of the ORDER.

Please note that your PERSONAL DATA will be processed by the ADMINISTRATION.

Section I - Use of your data during your application to become a member of the ORDER

As a candidate to become a member of the ORDER, you consent to the processing, retention and sharing of your personal data for the purpose of assessing your membership application and any other Masonic applications you may make.

You can withdraw your consent and request erasure of your data at any time prior to your admission into the ORDER by notifying your proposer and seconder that you wish to cancel your application.

Section II - Use of your data after you become a member of the ORDER

As a member of the ORDER your data will be processed, retained and shared for any reasonable purposes required by the CONSTITUTIONS or the bodies it sanctions from time to time. These purposes include, but are not limited to, the following purposes:

- a. Assessing any Masonic applications you make;
- b. Registering you as a member of the ORDER
- c. Receiving communications to which you are entitled a member of the ORDER.
- d. Recording the progress of your career in the ORDER; and
- e. Masonic disciplinary processes.

You may stop your data from being used by the ORDER by resigning from all UNIT(S) OF the ORDER.

Please contact Data Protection Officer if you wish to:

1. Object to the ORDER processing your data;
2. Request access to your data; or
3. Request rectification of your data.

DATA PROTECTION ACT.

Companions are reminded that the membership records of this Conclave include names, addresses and dates of birth and that these records are held on a computerised database held by this Conclave and Grand Conclave. Access to this information is regulated by the Data Protection Act.

SOCIAL MEDIA

No reference, either by name or by photograph, to any Companion is to be made on any form of social media without his express permission and that failure to adhere to this will be regarded as a Masonic Offence.

The legal bases on which your personal data will be used in accordance with this Section II are:

1. The legitimate interests of the ORDER as a not for profit membership organisation; and
2. The fulfilment of contractual obligations owed to you by the ORDER supported by the ADMINISTRATION

Contact

Contact details for the Data Protection Officer are in the HANDBOOK.

Adopted on 21st March 2018

QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED OF A CANDIDATES

34. A Candidate for admission into a Conclave shall be:

- i) a subscribing Past First Principal of a Royal Arch Chapter under the Supreme Grand Chapter of England or in amity therewith
- ii) a subscribing Past Master of a Craft Lodge under the United Grand Lodge of England. or in amity therewith.

He shall be proposed and seconded by two subscribing members of the Conclave and his Royal Arch Certificate shall have been produced to the Conclave Scribe.

No more than 3 Candidates may be received into the Order, at any one meeting of a Conclave, without prior Dispensation from the Grand Master.

25 To remain in regular membership of a Conclave, and, therefore of the Order, each member must remain a subscribing member of a Royal Arch Chapter under, or in amity with, The Supreme Grand Chapter of England and a subscribing Past Master of a Craft Lodge under, or in amity with, United Grand Lodge of England. Any member of the Order not complying with this requirement shall be deemed no longer to be a member of the Order and, therefore of any Conclave.