



## Louisiana Supplement

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### Grand Commander's Message

Well, it is summertime already. All our Knights are doing well, and I hope all have had their shots and their families have had their shots for COVID 19. We still need to be diligent in our activities, even though the Grand Master, Governor and CDC have relaxed the rules. COVID 19 is and will be with us so we must be diligent.

I appreciate all the Sir Knights that participated in the numerous Memorial Day Ceremonies around the state to commemorate the ultimate sacrifice of our brave men and women in all our armed services, Army, Coast Guard, Marine Corp, Navy and Air Force. This is a way for the Knights Templar to get out in public and be seen, to have people ask who we are and what we do. Each Commandery should also strive to have some community involvement with parades or color guards, offering to present the flag at different functions or to carry the flag in a procession. It would only take two or four Knights to do this, and it would be a way to get us out before the public in our full-dress uniforms. We look sharp in them.

Wishing all Sir Knights and their families a safe summer and a break from the rigors of work, COVID and other issues affecting all our lives.

Remember that the Grand Conclave will be held in Shreveport/Bossier City, Louisiana on February 24, 25, and 26, 2022 at the Bossier City Hilton Garden Inn. More information to follow on that. I hope to see a very good turnout for that. It should be an interesting and enjoyable Conclave, with activities for our ladies.

Remember to put on the Armor of God, (Ephesians 6:10-18).

Onward Christian Soldiers  
W. James Hill, III, REGC, Grand Commandery, Louisiana



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*"Every Christian Mason should be a Knight Templar"*



C A Everitt#29 meeting with Grand Commander on March 10, 2021



Sir Knight Carlton Conway receiving Meritorious Service Medal on March 10, 2021



Easter Service, April 4, 2021 – on steps of First United Methodist Church



Easter Service at First United Methodist Church Ascension Commandery #6 left to right:

John Cunningham, David Maxey, Jim Hill, Dr. Steven Bell (Senior Minister),  
C A Everitt #29 meeting with Grand Commander on March 10, 2021  
John Sharlow, Al Simms, Ballard Smith, John Knox on April 4, 2021