

Maryland Supplement

Serving our Community and our Masonic Fraternity

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My Fellow Sir Knights,

I'm writing this supplement the day after our 2021 Grand Commandery of Maryland Semi-annual conclave.

A big thank you to all our Commandery Recorders and Commanders for their cooperation with having 100% of our Maryland Commanderies represented at this Conclave.

Special guests included Past Grand Commanders Clifton Friel, Richard Naegele, John Rafine, Thomas Heimiller, Randolph Disney, and Spyridon Treklas. Attending via of Zoom were Past Grand Commanders Kenneth Wyvill and Arthur Hebbeler. Also attending The Illustrious Grand Master of Cryptic Masons of Maryland, Randolph Disney and his Grand Line.

Included in the agenda was:

- Election of Officers
- Committee reports
- A vote to join the Grand Chapter and Grand Council for the 2022 Annual York Rite Session in Ocean City Maryland on October 28th and 29th.
- Announcement of the re-opening of Knights Templary for Maryland Commanderies on May 24th, 2021
- Announcement of the merger of St. Bernard #9 and Jacques DeMolay #4 Commanderies.

Also discussed was the 150th Anniversary Celebration for the 150th Anniversary of the Grand Commandery of Maryland.

This event will take place on September 17th, 2021 (banquet) and September 18th, 2021 (Order of the Temple, Sword Ceremony, and Bar-B-Que picnic). *Please look for sign-up information in July.*

These are the Grand Line Officers elected at this semi-annual to assume their positions at the 2021 York Rite Annual Session in Ocean City Maryland on October 22nd and 23rd:

Grand Commander John Austin
Deputy Grand Commander Brad Andrukitis
Grand Generalissimo John Mitchell
Grand Captain General Gary Kennedy
Grand Treasurer Randall Watson
Grand Recorder Kris Brown

Congrats and Good Luck to all these elected officers.

Now that Grand Commander Elect Austin has been elected, he will begin the process of selecting his appointed officers.

Yours in service to Christ and our community,

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