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Grand Commander



GRAND COMMANDERY of KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

OF THE STATE OF
WEST VIRGINIA

11 Snedeker Road
Wheeling, WV 26003

CALL TO ANNUAL CONCLAVE

GENERAL ORDER NO. 5

Series 2009-2010

Greetings: to the Officers and Members of the Grand Commandery, and the Commanders, Generalissimos, Captain Generals and Sir Knights of Constituent Commanderies of Knights Templar of the State of West Virginia:

You are hereby notified that the One Hundred Thirty Sixth Annual Conclave of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of the State of West Virginia, will be convened at the Scottish Rite Cathedral, 83-14th Street, Wheeling, WV on Friday, May 21, 2010, at 1:00 PM for the transaction of such business as may come before it.

A Resolution having been presented at the past two Annual Conclaves to adopt the proposed changes to the Constitutions and Statutes and any other proposed revisions should be in the hands of the Grand Recorder no later than 10:00 AM on Thursday, May 20, 2010. All committee chairmen should be prepared to present (or have presented for the preprinted reports) at this Annual Conclave, a written report summarizing their committee's activities, a copy of which should be in the hands of the Grand Recorder by May 7, 2010, Jurisprudence and Finance excepted.

Each Constituent Commandery is required to be represented by its three dais officers or their official proxies, and every Commander is charged with the duty of seeing that his Commandery is duly represented.

Divine Service, under the direction of Reverend Leon H. Hevener, Grand Prelate, will be held at 7:00 PM on Thursday evening, May 20, 2010, at the Forth Street United Methodist Church, Sir Knights should assemble at the Church at 6:30 pm in full Templar Uniform less sword.

The Grand Commander's Banquet will be held on Friday evening at El Tor Grotto. The Sir Knights should wear uniform (less sword, chapeau and gloves) or coat and tie, while ladies are requested to wear long or short formals. Tickets are required but cannot be guaranteed if requested after May 7th.

It is hereby ordered that this General Order be read at the first Stated Conclave of every Constituent Commandery following its receipt, and that all Sir Knights will govern themselves accordingly, and further, that proper notation thereof be recorded in its minutes.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of the State of West Virginia, the 23rd day of February A.D. 2010, A. O. 892.



By Order of:

Gene Ray Baker,
Grand Commander

Attest: *G Butler Adkins, Jr.*
G. Butler Adkins, Jr, PGC,
Grand Recorder