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## **GRAND COMMANDER'S MESSAGE**

Sir Knights,

As you should have been informed, our Grand Conclave and the sessions as a whole have been postponed from this month until August. Your elected York Rite leadership came to a consensus to delay the sessions with the safety of our membership as the one and only consideration and with the hope that life will return to some semblance of normality. After these unsettling times, I would understand those who will hesitate due to caution, but I hope to see many, if not all of you, at the Conclave. We must fear not, but have faith in our Lord.

I ask each you to keep searching your communities for a worthy Christian pastor who would be willing and eager to travel to the Holy Land and walk where our Lord and Savior walked. Nominations must be submitted through our Grand Recorder's office and the Holy Land Pilgrimage Committee no later than September to be considered for the February 2022 trip. Also, please consider donating to our Pilgrimage fund as the Grand Commandery does incur some upfront costs in assisting the pastor(s) on their journey.

I encourage you to begin or to continue making contributions to the Knight Templar Eye Foundation. Consider joining the Grand Commanders/Grand Masters Club. This is a worthy charity. Give the gift of sight.

After three years of proudly serving as the Grand Commander of this valiant Order in this magnanimous Jurisdiction, I want to humbly thank each and every one of the Sir Knights who have advised me, guided me, and most importantly walked with me on this remarkable journey. We have traveled together along a winding path that at times was hidden amongst the shadows, but we have prevailed and emerged into the glorious light.

We must now step out of the past and into the future. With the Blessing of our Heavenly Father, some new ideas, and good old-fashioned hard work on our parts, we can overcome the darkness we have faced and make our Asylums grow and flourish. Let us grab the bridle of Hope and guide our Grand Commandery into a glorious future and leave a grand legacy for the Sir Knights who will follow.

I ask that you keep those Sir Knights whom we have lost over the past year in your hearts and prayers.

As always, I thank you for your service to Templary.

In the name of our Blessed Emmanuel, may Peace be with You.

Courteously, SK Kevin McCans, KTCH Grand Commander

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