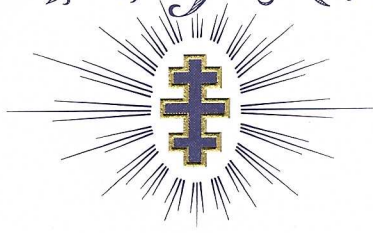


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JEREMY C. VAUGHN
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July 26, 2022

Dear Sir Knight:

Enclosed herewith, please find the information for the Northwest Department Conference for the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar to be held on Saturday, October 15, 2022, at the Red Lion Downtowner, 1800 Fairview Ave., Boise, ID 83702. Hotel reservation details are in the Registration Information enclosure. Also enclosed is a Registration Form. Please note the Hotel and Conference registration date deadlines. Additional information, including the schedule, can be found on the website for the conference at www.nwyr.org. General Grand Chapter and General Grand Council will have their presentations on Friday, October 14, along with the banquet, while the Grand Encampment presentations and the Emerging Leaders training will be all day Saturday.

Pursuant to Section 114(b) of the Constitution and Statutes of the Grand Encampment, every Grand Commander, Deputy Grand Commander, Grand Generalissimo, Grand Captain General and Grand Recorder is required to attend the Conference. I request that each Right Eminent Grand Commander in the Northwest Department assist in ensuring that your Officers are fully apprised of the Conference details and emphasize the necessity and importance of their attendance! If any of the above Officers are unable to attend the Northwest Department Conference, he must directly request an excusal, with reasons therefor, from the Grand Master of the Grand Encampment. This Conference is open to all Sir Knights who desire to attend, so please feel free to advise your Sir Knights and extend them an invitation to attend and participate in the Conference.

The Officers of the Grand Encampment expend considerable time and effort in preparing the Department Conference Program in order to assist your Grand Commandery and your efforts as an elected Grand Officer. I believe that you will find the same to be most beneficial as you prepare and execute your plans to promote and grow Templar Masonry during this triennium in your respective jurisdictions. Together, we will continue to make Templar Masonry the most prestigious appendant Masonic Body that one may petition for membership.

Each Grand Commander will be called upon to give a brief account of the activities planned or occurring in your Grand Commandery. Please give some thought to your presentations as each of us can learn from one another. Make it concise and insightful for your peers.

Courteously,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Jeremy C. Vaughn', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Jeremy C. Vaughn
Northwest Department Commander