

Grand Commandery of Knights Templar
of the
State of West Virginia

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Right Eminent Grand Commander

May 18, 2024

GENERAL ORDER NO. 1

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EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

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Meeting Dates and Locations

Aug 10, 2024

Nov 9, 2024

Feb 15, 2025

May 16, 2025

INSPECTIONS

Each commandery will be inspected by a Grand Line Officer between June 1st and November 31st. This inspection will be at a regular conclave or at a separately arranged meeting, which requires the Commanderies Eminent Commander, Recorder and inspecting Grand Line Officer to be present. The Grand Line Officer will contact the Commandery Recorder to select a date. This inspection will be of the records, armory and organization items. An inspection form will be provided to be completed and returned to the VEDGC by January 10th. It is the responsibility of the inspecting Grand Line Officer that the timelines are met. The Grand Deputy Commander will assign the Grand Line Officers to the individual commanderies. This inspection is to gather information about the needs of the individual commanderies; and will enhance the setting of short and long term goals.

Wheeling #1 at Wheeling, WV	Harold JB Campbell EGJW (3)
Palestine #2 at Martinsburg, WV	Greg A. Amlin EGSW (2)
Calvary #3 at Parkersburg, WV	Harold JB Campbell EGJW (3)
Kanawha #4 at Charleston, WV	Kenneth C. Messer EGStdBr (22)
Potomac #5 at Charles Town, WV	Greg A. Amlin EGSW (2)
Crusade #6 at Fairmont, WV	Bradley R. Lewis EGW (8)
St. Johns #8 at Weston, WV	Bradley R. Lewis EGW (8)
Huntington #9 at Huntington, WV	Bobby L. Stotridge EGSwdBr (26)
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Clarksburg #13 at Clarksburg, WV	Bradley R. Lewis EGW (8)
Greenbrier #15 at Lewisburg, WV	Kenneth C. Messer EGStdBr (22)

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Mt. Hope #22 at Oak Hill, WV	Kenneth C. Messer EGStdBr (22)
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Logan #26 at Logan, WV	Bobby L. Stotridge EGSwdBr (26)
Jeffery O. Schrader #31 at Mannington	John H. Taylor EGS (3)

There will be **NO INSPECTIONS on September 21st, 2024** as the Mid Atlantic Department Conference is held on this weekend.

DISPENSATIONS

Dispensations are hereby granted to each Sir Knight of this Jurisdiction during the Templar year to appear in full Templar uniform for the following purposes:

For participating with the Grand Commandery or their own Commandery in street parades which will promote Templary.

At all meetings of any group or organization within the State for the purpose of providing information about or receiving donations for the Eye Foundation, Educational Foundation or Holy Land Pilgrimage.

While attending meetings of DeMolay Chapters within the State for the purpose of showing their support to these fine young men who are part of the future of Templary.

For special observances such as Christmas, Easter, Ascension Day and Flag Day.

NEXT ANNUAL CONCLAVE

The 151st Grand Conclave of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of West Virginia will be held in Wheeling, West Virginia on May 15, 16, and 17th, 2025. The Grand Commandery will reconvene at 9:00 A.M. on Friday, May 16, 2025 with the introduction of Dignitaries, Grand Officers and Guests.

A more complete agenda for the Grand Conclave will be forth coming at a later date.

I hereby order that this General Order be read at the first stated conclave of every constituent Commandery following its receipt, and further, **that every Recorder notify those Committeemen from his Commandery of their appointments.** All Sir Knights shall govern themselves accordingly.

Given under my hand and seal of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of the State of West Virginia this 18th day of May A.D. 2024, A.O. 906

F. Paul Baker
Grand Recorder

James E. Winzenreid
Grand Commander