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<b>SK Bobby Simmons</b>	<b>Right Eminent Grand Treasurer</b>
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<b>SK William D. Hartman</b>	<b>Right Eminent Grand Prelate</b>
<b>SK Jeffrey A. Bolstad</b>	<b>Right Eminent Northwest Department Commander</b>

# Grand High Priest's Message



## Companions—

In travels around our Grand Chapter I was fortunate to come across a copy of a Centenary history of Royal Arch Masonry in Washington. So Companions, here is a bit of history worth sharing and remembering.

On 1 November 1869 the General Grand Chapter issued a dispensation to Daniel Bagley, High Priest; Ilias F. Roberts, King; and Thomas M. Reed, Secretary, to form a Chapter in Seattle, Washington Territory, under the name Seattle Royal Arch Chapter No. 1. That Charter was never delivered and Walla Walla was to get the distinction of being the first Chapter chartered. On 13 February 1871, a Dispensation was issued to Walla Walla Chapter No. 2 by the General Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons and on 20 September 1871 the charter was approved. The original No. 1 Chapter in Seattle was forfeited due to various reasons. Walla Walla Chapter requested their number be changed to No 1. And in 1880 the General Grand Chapter granted their request. The Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Washington was consummated with Walla Walla Chapter No. 1, Spokane Chapter No. 2 and Seattle Chapter No. 3 on Friday, 6 June 1884.

I will hold my official visit to Centralia Chapter No. 44 this month. Centralia Chapter No 44 was granted a Dispensation on 18 November 1921. Perhaps the most interesting period in the history of Centralia Chapter's history are the 10 years from 1944 to 1954. The Chapter not only exalted more companions during this time than any ten-year period before or since, but also began conferring the Mark Master Degree in an actual stone quarry at nearby Tenino. The conferral of the Mark Master Degree in the quarry near Tenino continued until 1954. The Companions of Centralia Chapter No. 44 were well known for their Good work, True work, Square work.

Dayton Chapter No. 5 is also on my calendar for an OV this month. They were Chartered on 1 June 1886. They now meet in Waitsburg.

Triple Tau Chapter No. 66 is another Chapter on my OV list for April. They were Chartered on 23 May 1958.

History is important. In centuries past this statement would have seemed self-evident. Ancient cultures devoted much time and effort to teaching their children family history. It was thought that the past helps a child understand who he is.

One final thought: Worrying does not take away tomorrow's troubles; it takes away today's peace.

Companions, be well and safe in your travels.

Fraternally,  
Joseph MacIntyre, Grand High Priest

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# Illustrious Grand Master's Message

Our Grand sessions are just around the corner. I'm looking forward to seeing all of you at Little Creek. By now hopefully you have sent in your registration as it is due April 10<sup>th</sup>. Companions, now more than ever we need to step up and support our fraternity. Be sure and let your blue lodge brethren know that they are part of the York Rite and let them know how they can complete their journey in Masonry.

I have enjoyed meeting the companions as I have traveled around the state. My travels however have made one important fact evident. Companions, we need to be sure and let others know about our rite and encourage membership. While we do not solicit membership in Blue Lodge we can solicit membership in the York Rite. But that is only half the solution. We need to make sure that we deliver the promise of York Rite at our meetings. Are they interesting and offer something that will keep members coming back? Ask yourself is this what you expect to gain and if not you my companion need to work to be the change.

I am looking forward to seeing all of my companions during my OV's and also am looking forward to seeing you at sessions.

**MIC Steven L Dazey**  
**Illustrious Grand Master**  
**Royal and Select Masters of WA**

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# Grand Commander's Message



Greetings Sir Knights,

Grace, mercy and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord.

I will be overseeing the memorial observance at our next grand sessions and I was given the list of past grand officers that passed away during the last York Right calendar year. It includes 5 Past Grand High Priests, 2 Past Illustrious Grand Masters and 2 Past Right Eminent Past Commanders. I have not yet received the complete breakdown of all the brothers that have passed yet, but I am not looking forward to it.

Today is Easter Sunday as I write this article and the verse up above appeared to me within my mind in bright neon lights. **JESUS WEPT!**

It makes sense, after all I am only human, and a number of my friends have passed and I am sad. But then my faith kicks in, and I remember that, "death is really the last true enemy of God!" It's what the Bible says in 1 Corinthians 15:26. We can beat many other enemies, but death always wins in the end. We can put it off, dress it up, delay it, or deny it, but to no avail. "It is appointed unto man once to die," says the Bible, and no one will escape that appointment.

This may not come as a surprise to you, but many faithful people cry when someone they love dies. This is our human side realizing the enormity of never seeing the person you care for again. But then you realize, Jesus wept too!

Jesus wept too. When he stood before the tomb of Lazarus he wept openly. People have wondered why he wept since he knew he was going to raise Lazarus from the dead. I think he wept because he loved Lazarus and he felt the pain of his absence. He saw Mary and Martha grieving and wept for all the suffering that death causes in the world.

Death is the last enemy, and until it is destroyed, we, like Jesus, will weep too.

Yours in Christ!

SK Rt. Rev. +Paul K. Reckamp, REGC

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# York Rite College Grand Governor's Message

Greetings Companion Knights—

Time is passing very fast and we are about to begin the York Rite Grand Sessions in the local jurisdictions. First and foremost is our own on May 11<sup>th</sup> -13<sup>th</sup> at the Little Creek Casino Resort near Shelton. So please help the Arrangement Committee by sending in your reservations and room rentals very soon. The Honorariums will be offered on Thursday, May 11<sup>th</sup>, beginning at 1:00 PM. If you are qualified, submit your petition(s) for the Holy Order of High Priesthood, Thrice Illustrious Master and/or Past Commanders Association to your respective York Rite Secretary/ Recorder.

A reminder that your college secretary will soon be working up his Annual Return, so you can help him by listing your special activities you have done during the Fiscal Year June 1, 2017 to May 31, 2018. Your input may help your college to score over 100 points and be recognized as an "Honor College". The highest honor a college may attain is the coveted Spencer Award Plaque which is retained for a year and the college's name engraved thereon. Also, don't forget to honor any worthy brother Mason for outstanding work he has done by submitting his name for the Gold Honor Award to your secretary. Did you notice an outstanding ritualist in your York Rite Bodies lately who had memorized his work? If so, submit his name to the Grand Governor who may honor him in the near future. Only one outstanding ritualist will be honor per year.

The current college officers will be finishing their year come the April or May meeting. All members of the college should try to attend the installation and support your new Governor who has made great plans for you in the coming year.

God Bless and hope you had a happy Easter and possibly attended your commandery's Easter Service.

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# **Royal Arch Masons Children's Heart Foundation**

[www.ramchf.org](http://www.ramchf.org)

## **Companions—**

**Greetings Companions from your Royal Arch Masons Children's Heart Foundation**

**We held our “informational gathering” on Sunday 3/25 at the Palace Café in Ellensburg.**

**All that were able to attend enjoyed the information shared.**

**The 2018 budget was passed out, 2017 detailed P&L as well as our balance sheets.**

**The By-Laws revision (emailed prior) and a copy of the proposed GC Resolution were also provided to all in attendance.**

**Attached is a copy of a proposed budget so all the companions can see what the foundation has for line items and expenses, copy of the 2017 P&L as well as a copy of the balance sheet.**

**Looking forward to seeing all the Companions at Grand session and as always please feel free to ask questions as the more you know the better informed all of our companions will be.**

**VEC Jimmy Norton**

**President**

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## **York Rite Life Memorial Foundation**

The York Rite Life Membership Memorial Foundation - YRLMMF - was created by the three grand bodies in November 1986. Chapters, Councils and Commanderies with existing individual life membership funds had the option of turning their funds over to YRLMMF for management. YRLMMF uses a professional investment firm to hold and oversee the pooled life membership contributions. Annual distribution of investment income is made in proportion to the dollars invested by each group not by their membership numbers. Each grand body elects three trustees and the grand presiding officer serves ex officio as a trustee.

The major challenge facing the member groups of YRLMMF (and most Masonic life membership funds) stems from the very low dollar amount by which a life membership may be purchased. By way of example, the Grand Chapter Code provides that a life membership may be purchased for a minimum of \$150. Chapters may, if they wish, set a higher figure than the minimum but some participant groups still offer life memberships for the bare minimum amount. The average annual return of the stock market over the long term is roughly seven percent. So the distribution to chapters that offer low cost life memberships won't even cover the annual per capita tax and will be less than what dues paying members are contributing to the upkeep of their group.

New contributions for life memberships can be mailed to:

York Rite Life Membership Memorial Foundation  
David Flood, Secretary  
PO Box 23322  
Seattle, WA 98102-0622 (Please use the Zip + four)



Greetings Companions,

I hope you are staying dry this winter. It seems like every year the winter gets wetter and wetter. There are a lot of plans for the Park this year, as well as some fellowship activities. We hope you come out to your park and join us for those events. The dates will be showing up in the Focus, so please stay tuned!

The lightning strike repairs are still going on, but the repairs will be complete soon and there is still some clean up that will need to be when the weather breaks, but even now as I walk through the park, it makes me smile and the relaxed feeling in the serene setting. If you have not had a chance please to come to the park, we invite you out to help, spend time visiting and having fellowship or just look around.

We will have some dates planned starting in March and we hope to see you there.  
This year's projects are:

- Doing repairs to the driveway
- Replanting of some grass
- Going through the electrical in the park

We could use your help to get it ready. We will be ordering 60 yards of gravel and installing fabric to help with the wear and tear of the driveway and some wet spot on the grounds.

I hope to see you there.

With that said, you will want to start reserving your dates for 2018, soon as it is booking up fast.

Glenn Butler  
Secretary  
Royal Arch Park Board



# Upcoming Events

Official Visits/Upcoming Events—April 2018/May 2017

## Grand High Priest

- April 4<sup>th</sup>: Centralia Chapter No. 44, Centralia
- April 11<sup>th</sup>: Triple Tau Chapter No. 66, Des Moines
- April 25<sup>th</sup>: Dayton Chapter No. 5, Waitsburg

## Illustrious Grand Master

- April 9<sup>th</sup>: Bellingham Council No. 16, Bellingham
- April 16<sup>th</sup>: Naval Council No. 11, Bremerton
- April 21<sup>st</sup>: King Solomon No. 27, Auburn

## Grand Commander

- April 16<sup>th</sup>: Juan de Fuca No. 17, Port Angeles
- April 18<sup>th</sup>: Seattle No. 2, Shoreline
- April 26<sup>th</sup>: Temple No. 5, Ellensburg

# **Grand Officer Reports**

## **Companions and Sir Knights:**

**With sessions only a few weeks away, it's time to get your reports submitted to the Grand Secretary and Grand Recorders. If you have no report, please let us know.**

**Since sessions this year will be shorter than in past years, it's vital to have this information for inclusion in the pre-printed reports since they as well will be a combined one.**

**REC Michael Smitson, Grand Secretary  
RPC Bryan D. Bechler, Grand Recorder  
SK Michael Smitson, Grand Recorder**

# **York Rite Secretaries/Recorders**

## **Companions and Sir Knights:**

**I've received a number of the updated election of officers from the York Rite bodies; however, not every secretary/recorder has submitted them. If your body is still showing in red, please send in the current information so I can get it listed. If you emailed it to me and I overlooked it, my apologies.**

**In addition, the Council recorders will be receiving an email from me via MIC Michael Holland regarding the MMS system. This will allow each of the recorders to submit information for a database that can be accessed and easily updated when changes occur, etc.**

**RPC Bryan D. Bechler, FOCUS Editor**

# YORK RITE REGISTRY

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### District #1:

#### Bellingham Bay Chapter No. 12

Meets 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday at Bellingham Lodge, 2626 W. Maplewood Ave., Bellingham, WA. Dark July and August.  
Dinner at 6:30PM, stated meeting at 7:30PM.

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#### Anacortes Chapter No. 59

Meets 4<sup>th</sup> Monday at Anacortes Lodge, 1019 8<sup>th</sup> St., Anacortes, WA, except July, August and December.  
Dinner at 6:30PM; stated meeting at 7:30PM.

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#### Research Chapter No. 68

Meets 1<sup>st</sup> Friday at the Arlington Masonic Lodge, 405 N. Olympic Ave., Arlington, WA. Potluck begins at 6:30PM provided by the Social Order of the Beauceant in January, April and October; stated meetings are: January, April, July and October at 7:30PM.

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## **District #2:**

### **Snohomish County Chapter No. 15**

Meets 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of February, April, June, September and November at Edmonds Lodge, 515 Dayton St., Edmonds, WA. Potluck at 6:30PM; stated meeting at 7:30PM.

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### **University Chapter No. 32**

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### **Fellowship Chapter No. 61**

Meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday at Ashlar Masonic Temple, 10035 1/2 Main St., Bothell, WA, except for July and August. Stated meeting begins at 7:30PM. Dinner at 6:30PM.

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## **District #3:**

### **Oriental Chapter No. 19**

Meets on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of January, March, May, September and November at Green Lake Masonic Hall, 307 NE Maple Leaf Pl., Seattle, WA at 10:30AM. If in conflict with Grand Chapter meeting, the first (1<sup>st</sup>) Saturday in May. Lunch follows all meetings at a nearby restaurant.

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### **Issaquah Chapter No. 39**

Meets on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday at St. Andrews Masonic Center, 505 Williams Ave. S, Renton, WA except for July and August. Potluck at 6:30PM; stated convocation at 7:30PM. Every September is the annual visitation of Falls City Chapter No. 54.

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### **Falls City Chapter No. 54**

Meets the 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of June and the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of January, February, March, April, October, November and December at 4 PM at 4304-337<sup>th</sup> Place SE, Fall City, WA. Dark in May, July and August. The September convocation is at 7:30PM on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday and is held JOINTLY with Issaquah #39 at 505 S. Williams Ave., Renton, WA.

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## **District #4:**

### **Enumclaw Chapter No. 42**

Meets on the 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of February, May, August and November at the Enumclaw Masonic Temple, 42810 264<sup>th</sup> Ave., SE, Enumclaw, WA. Meetings begin at 6:00PM which includes dinner.

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### **Robert B. Palmer Chapter No. 46**

Meets on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of each month at the Auburn Masonic Temple, 10 Auburn Way S, Auburn, WA, except May and December. Potluck dinner at 6:30PM; stated meeting at 7:30PM.

High Priest:	EC H. Ronald Walker	(253) 314-3361	<a href="mailto:Resq999@comcast.net">Resq999@comcast.net</a>
Secretary:	EC Loren Franz	(253) 569-3060	<a href="mailto:mtemple1007@gwestoffice.net">mtemple1007@gwestoffice.net</a>

### **Triple Tau Chapter No. 66**

Meets on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of month at the Des Moines Masonic Temple, 2208 S 223<sup>rd</sup> St., Des Moines, WA. Dark in July & August. Potluck dinner at 6:30 PM; stated meeting at 7:30 PM. If May meeting conflicts with Grand Chapter, it may be held at the discretion of the Chapter High Priest within 10 days of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of May.

High Priest:	EC Leonard A. Gottner	(253) 939-3329	<a href="mailto:leonardgott@hotmail.com">leonardgott@hotmail.com</a>
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## **District #5:**

### **Tacoma Chapter No. 4**

Meets on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday in February, April, June, August, October and December at 5405 S. Puget Sound Ave., Tacoma, WA. Potluck dinner at 6:30PM.

High Priest:	VEC Alex Jordan	(253) 625-3567	<a href="mailto:xanderjoe81@gmail.com">xanderjoe81@gmail.com</a>
Secretary:	EC Joseph McAlister	(253) 241-0358	<a href="mailto:airborne51@aol.com">airborne51@aol.com</a>

### **Olympus Chapter No. 27**

Meets on the 4<sup>th</sup> Monday at the Bremerton Masonic Temple, 878 5<sup>th</sup> St., Bremerton, WA, except July and August. Hosted dinner provided by York Rite body at 6:30PM.

High Priest:	MEC Michael Pursey	(360) 908-5354	<a href="mailto:deebo_99@yahoo.com">deebo_99@yahoo.com</a>
Secretary:	VEC Robert Monroe	(360) 801-2237	<a href="mailto:robertmonroe@hotmail.com">robertmonroe@hotmail.com</a>



## **Angeles Chapter No. 38**

Meets on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of March, June and September at the Port Angeles Masonic Temple, 622 S. Lincoln, Port Angeles, WA. Meetings are in conjunction with Crescent Council No. 18 and Juan de Fuca Commandery No. 17. Hosted dinners before Official Visits at 6:30PM. Stated meeting begins at 7:30PM. No meeting in December.

High Priest:	EC Tim Hamm	(360) 670-3053	N/A
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## **District #6:**

### **Centralia Chapter No. 44**

Meets on the 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of February, April, June, October and December at the Centralia Masonic Temple, 218 N. Pearl St., Centralia, WA. Stated meeting at 7:30PM. Refreshments served after the meeting.

High Priest:	EC John H. Vivian	(360) 280-0154	<a href="mailto:john@wwgemlab.com">john@wwgemlab.com</a>
Secretary:	EC Lawrence M. Byrd	(360) 960-8967	<a href="mailto:lbyrd1947@gmail.com">lbyrd1947@gmail.com</a>

## **District #7:**

### **Ellensburg Chapter No. 11**

Meets on the 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday at the Ellensburg Masonic Temple, 111 ½ W. 6<sup>th</sup> Ave., Ellensburg, WA, except July, August, and Federal Holidays. Stated meeting at 7:00PM. Meetings are combined with Ellensburg Commandery.

High Priest:	EC Ronald Graham	(509) 946-0234	<a href="mailto:running2p@icloud.com">running2p@icloud.com</a>
Secretary:	C Marco Thompson	(509) 901-0736	<a href="mailto:thomarc@gmail.com">thomarc@gmail.com</a>

### **Pasco Chapter No. 33**

Meets on the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday in January, April, July and October at the Richland Masonic Temple, 412 Thayer Dr., Richland, WA. On all other months it opens informally in association with Zadok Council #23 and Pasco Commandery #21. Dark in November and December. Stated meeting at 7:30PM. Dinner at 6:00PM when Official Visitation takes place.

High Priest:	EC Earl Fordham	(509) 942-8863	<a href="mailto:earl.fordham@gmail.com">earl.fordham@gmail.com</a>
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## **District #8:**

### **Walla Walla Chapter No. 1**

Meets every 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month, but formally opens only the months of January, April and October at the Walla Walla Masonic Center, 607 E. Main St., Walla Walla, WA, except June, July and August. Stated meeting is at 7:30PM.

High Priest:	EC Sean Scanlon	(541) 861-3373	<a href="mailto:sscanlon68@gmail.com">sscanlon68@gmail.com</a>
Secretary:	VEC Phillip Woodland	(509) 529-3781	<a href="mailto:woodlandforest@charter.net">woodlandforest@charter.net</a>

## **Dayton Chapter No. 5**

Meets the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of every month except June, July, August, November and December at the Waitsburg Masonic Temple, 102 W. 2<sup>nd</sup> St., Waitsburg, WA. Stated meeting begins at 7:30PM.

**High Priest:** VEC Mark Scott (509) 529-2547 [m.scott1@charter.net](mailto:m.scott1@charter.net)  
**Secretary:** MEC Robert Truesdale (509) 382-2379 [bobt@daytonwa.net](mailto:bobt@daytonwa.net)

## **Evergreen Chapter No. 10**

Meets the 4<sup>th</sup> Monday at the Clarkston Masonic Temple, 935 6<sup>th</sup> St., Clarkston, WA, except June, July, August and December. Stated meeting begins at 7:30PM.

**High Priest:** MEC John W. Zeller (208) 413-0375 [jwzidaho@yahoo.com](mailto:jwzidaho@yahoo.com)  
**Secretary:** VEC Steven Kazda (509) 843-3831 [skazda@pomeroy-wa.com](mailto:skazda@pomeroy-wa.com)

## **District #9:**

### **Spokane Chapter No. 2**

Meets 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays except November and December at the Spokane Masonic Center, 506 W. 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave., Spokane, WA. Stated meeting begins at 6:00pm.

**High Priest:** EC Gene Findley (509) 263-2955 [nomorv@hotmail.com](mailto:nomorv@hotmail.com)  
**Secretary:** VEC Michael D. Holland (509) 951-4962 [Michael@pnwnet.net](mailto:Michael@pnwnet.net)

Meets the 2<sup>nd</sup>

### **Wenatchee Chapter No. 22**

Thursday of each month at the Wenatchee Masonic Center, 811 N. Chelan, Wenatchee, WA, except July and August. Stated meetings begin at 7:30PM.

**High Priest:** EC Bob McLandress (509) 679-7309 [Goldminer61@nwi.net](mailto:Goldminer61@nwi.net)  
**Secretary:** VEC Steven Guffy (509) 662-7607 [steveg@nwi.net](mailto:steveg@nwi.net)

### **Okanogan Valley Chapter No. 41**

Meets the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of each month at the Okanogan Masonic Lodge, 234 Tye St., Okanogan, WA, except January and February. Stated meetings begin at 7:30PM. If the May Convocation conflicts with Grand Chapter, it shall be held on the fourth Monday.

**High Priest:** VEC Leonard J. Wyllie (250) 494-9487 [lwyllie@telus.net](mailto:lwyllie@telus.net)  
**Secretary:**

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### Arch No. 1:

#### Naval Council No. 11

Meets the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of each month at the Bremerton Masonic Temple, 878 5<sup>th</sup> St., Bremerton, WA, except July and August. Stated meetings begin at 7:30PM.

Illustrious Master:	IC Charles Compton	(360) 981-7687	<a href="mailto:ctdcompton@aol.com">ctdcompton@aol.com</a>
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#### Crescent Council No. 18

Meets on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of each month at the Port Angeles Masonic Temple, 622 S. Lincoln St., Port Angeles, WA. Stated meetings January through November beginning at 7:30PM. Meets in conjunction with Angeles Chapter No. 38 and Juan de Fuca Commandery No. 17. Hosted dinners before Official Visits at 6:30PM, and stated meeting begins at 7:30PM. No meeting in December.

Illustrious Master:	IC Ron Chase	(360) 379-4074	<a href="mailto:ron_chase2000@yahoo.com">ron_chase2000@yahoo.com</a>
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### Arch No. 2:

#### Everett Council No. 8

Meets the 1<sup>st</sup> Friday at the Arlington Masonic Lodge, 405 N. Olympic Ave., Arlington, WA, in February, May, August and November. Stated meeting begins at 7:30PM. Potluck begins at 6:30PM provided by the Social Order of the Beauceant in February, May and November.

Illustrious Master:	IC Vance Whippo	(425) 244-8092	<a href="mailto:vwhippo@hotmail.com">vwhippo@hotmail.com</a>
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## **Bellingham Council No. 16**

Meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month except for July and August at the Maplewood Masonic Center, 2626 Maplewood Ave., Bellingham, WA. Stated meeting at 7:30PM. Hosted dinner begins at 6:30PM.

Illustrious Master: VIC Marion A. Windell (360) 678-6893 [windma@isomedia.com](mailto:windma@isomedia.com)  
Recorder: IC Douglas Jerome (360) 675-6796 [d.jerome@frontier.com](mailto:d.jerome@frontier.com)

## **Arch No. 3:**

## **Adoniram Council No. 17**

Meets the 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday in March, May, September and November at the Greenwood Masonic Center, 7910 Greenwood Ave. North, Seattle, WA. Stated meeting begins at 7:30PM. No meal before the meeting. We go out after the meeting for food and fellowship.

Illustrious Master: IC Alex Credington (206) 283-5353 [credg2@gmail.com](mailto:credg2@gmail.com)  
Recorder: VIC David Flood (206) 720-1560 [floodtax@gmail.com](mailto:floodtax@gmail.com)

## **Walter F. Meier Council No. 22**

Meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday in January, March, September and November; 1<sup>st</sup> Friday in May at the Ashlar Masonic Temple, 10035 1/2 Main St., Bothell, WA. Stated meeting begins at 7:30PM. Potluck dinner (main course provided) begins at 6:30PM.

Illustrious Master: IC Daniel Southerland (253) 508-9410 [danielsoutherland@live.com](mailto:danielsoutherland@live.com)  
Recorder: IC Roger Pankey (206) 542-1937 [pankeypickers@comcast.net](mailto:pankeypickers@comcast.net)

## **Arch No. 4:**

## **Tacoma Council No. 1**

Meets the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of January, March, May, July, September, and November at 5405 S. Puget Sound Ave., Tacoma, WA. Stated meetings begin at 7:30PM. Potluck dinner at 6:30PM.

Illustrious Master: VIC Alex Jordan (253) 625-3567 [xanderjoe81@gmail.com](mailto:xanderjoe81@gmail.com)  
Recorder: IC Joseph McAlister (253) 241-0358 [airborne51@aol.com](mailto:airborne51@aol.com)

## **Seattle Council No 6**

Meets the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of every month except for July, August and December at the St. Andrews Masonic Center, 505 S. Williams Ave., Renton, WA. Potluck dinner at 6:30PM.

Illustrious Master: IC Augusto Yutuc (253) 838-2409 [avutuc@comcast.net](mailto:avutuc@comcast.net)  
Recorder: VIC Jerry E. Whitney (206) 241-7510 [j.whitney@comcast.net](mailto:j.whitney@comcast.net)

## **King Solomon Council No. 27**

Meets the 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of each month except for May and July which meets the 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday at King Solomon Masonic Temple, 10 Auburn Way S, Auburn, WA. November meeting is installation only; no December meeting. Stated meeting at 10:00AM. Breakfast at 9:00AM.

Illustrious Master: VIC Donald Eddy (206) 412-9093 No Email  
Recorder: IC Loren Franz (253) 569-3060 [mtemple1007@gwestoffice.net](mailto:mtemple1007@gwestoffice.net)

## **Arch No. 5:**

### **Alpha Council No. 20**

Meets the 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of January, March, May, September and November at the Centralia Masonic Temple, 218 N. Pearl St., Centralia, WA. Stated meeting at 7:30PM. Dinner at Country Cousin Restaurant, 1054 Harrison Ave., Centralia, WA, at 6:00PM.

Illustrious Master:	IC John H. Vivian	(360) 280-0154	<a href="mailto:john@wwgemlab.com">john@wwgemlab.com</a>
Recorder:	IC Clayton LaVigne	(360) 736-6140	<a href="mailto:masonicbarber@yahoo.com">masonicbarber@yahoo.com</a>

## **Arch No. 7:**

### **Ellensburg Council No. 26**

Meets the 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of each month at the Ellensburg Masonic Temple, 111 1/2 W. 6<sup>th</sup> Ave., Ellensburg, WA, except July, August and Federal holidays.

Illustrious Master:	IC Nick Henderson	(509) 674-1335	<a href="mailto:nickhenderson@q.com">nickhenderson@q.com</a>
Recorder:	C Marco Thompson	(509) 901-0736	<a href="mailto:thomarc@gmail.com">thomarc@gmail.com</a>

## **Arch No. 8:**

### **Zabud Council No. 7**

Meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month, but formally opens only the months of February, May and November at the Walla Walla Masonic Center, 607 E. Main St., Walla Walla, WA, except June, July and August. Stated meetings at 7:30PM.

Illustrious Master:	IC Sean Scanlon	(541) 861-3373	<a href="mailto:sscanlon68@gmail.com">sscanlon68@gmail.com</a>
Recorder:	VIC Phillip Woodland	(509) 529-3781	<a href="mailto:woodlandforest@charter.net">woodlandforest@charter.net</a>

### **Zadok Council No. 23**

Meets the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of February, May, August and November at the Richland Masonic Temple, 412 Thayer Dr., Richland, WA. Stated meetings at 7:30PM. Dinner at 6:30PM when Official Visitation takes place.

Illustrious Master:	IC Larry Wilson	(509) 378-3380	<a href="mailto:wilson.larryg@gmail.com">wilson.larryg@gmail.com</a>
Recorder:	MIC Floyd Snyder	(509) 967-5757	<a href="mailto:flsnyder@charter.net">flsnyder@charter.net</a>

The Tri-Cities York Rite thanks everyone that joins us at breakfast at the Richland Masonic Center, 412 Thayer Dr., Richland, WA. We again invite everyone to join us for breakfast at 9:00AM on the 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of the Month. See you there.

## **Arch No. 9:**

### **Spokane Council No. 4**

Meets the 4th Thursday except November and December at the Spokane Masonic Center, 506 W. 2nd Ave., Spokane, WA. Stated meetings begin at 7:00pm.

Illustrious Master:  
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# Commanderies of Knights Templar

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## District No. 2

### Ivanhoe Commandery No. 4

Meets the 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of each month at 5405 S. Puget Sound Ave., Tacoma, WA. Potluck dinner at 6:30PM.

Eminent Commander:	SK Lawrence Byrd	(360) 790-4436	<a href="mailto:lbyrd1947@gmail.com">lbyrd1947@gmail.com</a>
Eminent Recorder:	SK Michael Smitson	(253) 370-9748	<a href="mailto:mike.smitson@comcast.net">mike.smitson@comcast.net</a>

### De Molai Commandery No. 6

Meets the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month at the Centralia Masonic Lodge, 218 N. Pearl St., Centralia, WA, except July and August. Stated meeting begin at 7:30PM.

Eminent Commander:	SK Steven Livingston	(360) 264-2759	<u>No email</u>
Eminent Recorder:	SK David O. Anderson	(360) 532-8732	<a href="mailto:anderson_david@hotmail.com">anderson_david@hotmail.com</a>

## District No. 3

### Seattle Commandery No. 2

Meets the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month at the Seattle Scottish Rite Center, 1207 N. 152<sup>nd</sup> St., Shoreline, WA, except for June, July and August. The May meeting is held on the 4th Wednesday, due to the York Rite Grand Sessions. Dinner at 6:30PM; stated meeting begins at 7:30PM.

Eminent Commander:	SK James T. Stephens	(206) 546-2431	<a href="mailto:jsteph2win@aol.com">jsteph2win@aol.com</a>
Eminent Recorder:	SK Ian Hyde	(206) 356-5420	<a href="mailto:ockerseattle@hotmail.com">ockerseattle@hotmail.com</a>

### Rainier Commandery No. 28

Meets the 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of each month at St. Andrews Masonic Center, 505 Williams Ave. S, Renton, WA, except for July, August, November and December. Potluck dinner at 6:30PM; stated meeting begins at 7:30PM.

Eminent Commander:	SK Joey Romero	(253) 334-6110	<a href="mailto:jrom959@yahoo.com">jrom959@yahoo.com</a>
Eminent Recorder:	SK Jerry Whitney	(206) 241-7510	<a href="mailto:j.whitney@comcast.net">j.whitney@comcast.net</a>

## **District No. 4**

### **Juan De Fuca Commandery No. 17**

Meets the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of April, July and October at the Port Angeles Masonic Temple, 622 S. Lincoln Ave., Port Angeles, WA. Stated meeting begins at 7:30PM. Hosted dinners before Official Visits at 6:30PM, followed by stated meeting at 7:30PM. No meeting in December.

Eminent Commander:	SK Jim Taylor	(360) 689-7135	<a href="mailto:firstcpr@yahoo.com">firstcpr@yahoo.com</a>
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### **Malta Commandery No. 18**

Meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month at the Bremerton Masonic Temple, 878 5<sup>th</sup> St., Bremerton, WA, except for July and August. Stated meeting begins at 7:30PM.

Eminent Commander:	SK James Houston	(360) 698-7404	<a href="mailto:jhouston@telebyte.com">jhouston@telebyte.com</a>
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## **District No. 5**

### **Hesperus Commandery No. 8**

Meets the 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of each month at the Bellingham Masonic Center, 2626 W. Maplewood Ave., Bellingham, WA, except for July and September (September meeting is held the last Monday of August due to Labor Day). Dinner at 6:30PM; stated meeting begins at 7:30PM.

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### **Palestine Commandery No. 11**

Meets the 1<sup>st</sup> Friday of March, June, September and December at the Arlington Masonic Lodge, 405 N. Olympic Ave., Arlington, WA. Potluck begins at 6:30PM provided by the Social Order of the Beauceant in March, June, September and December; stated meeting begins at 7:30PM.

Eminent Commander:	SK Anthony C. Schwab	(425) 334-6696	<a href="mailto:a.c.schwab@comcast.net">a.c.schwab@comcast.net</a>
Eminent Recorder:	SK George P. Fischer (PT)	(360) 403-1562	<a href="mailto:g.p.fischer53@gmail.com">g.p.fischer53@gmail.com</a>

## **District No. 6**

### **Temple Commandery No. 5**

Meets the 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of each month at the Ellensburg Masonic Temple, 111 1/2 W. 6<sup>th</sup> Ave., Ellensburg, WA, except July, August and Federal holidays. Stated meetings begin at 8:00PM (meeting will be at 7:30PM when OV is scheduled).

Eminent Commander:	SK Nick Henderson	(509) 974-1335	<a href="mailto:nick.henderson@co.kittitas.wa.us">nick.henderson@co.kittitas.wa.us</a>
Eminent Recorder:	SK Marco Thompson	(509) 901-0736	<a href="mailto:thomarc@gmail.com">thomarc@gmail.com</a>



## **District No. 7**

### **Cataract Commandery No. 3**

Meets 4th Thursday except November and December at the Spokane Masonic Center, 506 W. 2nd Ave., Spokane, WA. Stated meetings begin at 8:00pm.

Eminent Commander:	SK Curly Werner	(509) 448-3135	<a href="mailto:rtwerner.curly@gmail.com">rtwerner.curly@gmail.com</a>
Eminent Recorder:	SK Michael D. Holland	(509) 951-4962	<a href="mailto:Michael@pnwnet.net">Michael@pnwnet.net</a>

## **District No. 8**

### **Washington Commandery No. 1**

Meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of March, September and December at the Walla Walla Masonic Center, 607 E. Main St., Walla Walla, WA, except July and August. The June meeting will be held on the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday. Stated meetings begin at 7:30PM.

Eminent Commander:	SK Anton Miles Lodmell	(509) 525-6415	<u>None</u>
Eminent Recorder:	SK Steven L. Kazda	(509) 843-3831	<a href="mailto:skazda@pomeroy-wa.com">skazda@pomeroy-wa.com</a>

### **Pasco Commandery No. 21**

Meets the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of March, June, September and December at the Richland Masonic Temple, 412 Thayer St., Richland, WA. Stated meeting begins at 7:30PM. Dinner at 6:00PM when Official Visitation takes place.

Eminent Commander:	SK Richard Roblee	(509) 396-7441	<a href="mailto:roblee6@charter.net">roblee6@charter.net</a>
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# York Rite Colleges

## Kamiakin York Rite College No. 28

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Meet at the following dates and places at 10:00AM. Lunch reservations: Contact secretary one week prior to meeting.

March: 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday at Richland Masonic Temple, 412 Thayer St., Richland, WA  
May: 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday at Richland Masonic Temple, 412 Thayer St., Richland, WA  
September: 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday at Spokane Masonic Temple, 506 W. 2nd Ave., Spokane, WA  
December: 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday at Walla Walla Masonic Center, 607 E. Main St., Walla Walla, WA

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Meet the following dates and places at 10:00AM: (note: Contact secretary to verify time).

February: Meet the 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday at 10:00AM at Camanio Lodge No. 19, 27205 102<sup>nd</sup> Ave. NW, Stanwood, WA.  
May: Meet the 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday at 10:00AM at Camanio Lodge No. 19, 27205 102<sup>nd</sup> Ave. NW, Stanwood, WA.  
September: Meet the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday at 10:00AM at Camanio Lodge No. 19, 27205 102<sup>nd</sup> Ave. NW, Stanwood, WA.  
November: Meet the 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday at 10:00AM at Camanio Lodge No. 19, 27205 102<sup>nd</sup> Ave. NW, Stanwood, WA.

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Meets at the following dates and places at 10:00AM: (note: Contact secretary to verify time).

February: Meets the 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday at the Pyramid Masonic Center, 1700 S. 340<sup>th</sup> St., Federal Way, WA.  
April: Meets the 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday at the Pyramid Masonic Center, 1700 S. 340<sup>th</sup> St., Federal Way, WA.  
October: Meets the 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday at the Centralia Masonic Center, 218 N. Pearl St., Centralia, WA.



**Evergreen Priory No. 41 KYCH**



Knights –

Our Knights York Cross of Honour Medical Research Foundation (formed 1963) many years ago began supporting research for causes, prevention and treatment for cancer, particularly for leukemia. Our late Most Eminent Knight Waldron C. Biggs of Vermont began our support of the Norris Cotton Cancer Center (affiliated with Dartmouth College in New Hampshire). Since 1980, over \$1.7 million (as of 8/2016) from our Foundation has been given to fund new areas of research at Norris Cotton Cancer Center, especially immunotherapy and anti-drug resistance. I know from my own observation that wonderful progress in treatment has been made in recent years. Learn more at: [www.KYCH.org](http://www.KYCH.org) and consider joining in the support! By the way, [www.KYCH.org/41/](http://www.KYCH.org/41/) will get you into our own Priory website (you may have to enter the url manually), which is no longer a stand-alone site.

Please note on your calendars that our Annual Meeting is coming up on Saturday, April 14<sup>th</sup>, 2018, at 12:00PM, at Myrtle Lodge, 57 Sunset Way, Issaquah, where we will have our election and installation of officers, and a Reception of a new Knight of the York Cross of Honour. Hope to see you all!

Fraternal regards,

Jim Larson, Eminent Prior  
Evergreen State Priory #41, KYCH



**EVERETT ASSEMBLY NO. 242**  
**SOCIAL ORDER OF THE BEAUCEANT**

The regular meeting of Everett Assembly No. 242 will be held on Friday April 6<sup>th</sup>, at 7:30PM sharp at the **ARLINGTON MASONIC LODGE** located at 405 N. Olympic Ave. in Arlington. A potluck / donation dinner before the meeting will start at 6:30 p.m. Ladies who are interested in more information about joining SOOB are encouraged to attend the dinner, along with their Sir Knights.

Everett Assembly No. 242 will host the official visit of the Supreme Worthy President, (Mrs. Dean) Edith 'Edie' Rein, on April 27<sup>th</sup> with a luncheon and an afternoon meeting.

Mrs. Rein's theme this year is: "Be Faithful, Be Loyal, Be Loving, Be Friendly, Be Generous, Be Happy, Be Beautiful and leave everything else to God in our journey through Life!"

Additional information and/or brochures about SOOB can be obtained by contacting (Mrs. Richard) Linda Roblee, Recorder, at [lindarpigg97@charter.net](mailto:lindarpigg97@charter.net), or 509-578-1398.



## Washington Masonic Charities

Children’s Programs, Masonic Outreach Services, Masonic Library & Museum

**Our Mission:** Washington Masonic Charities invests in youth and education, provides comfort and support for seniors and those in need, and preserves and shares the Masonic Heritage of Washington State.

### Masonic Outreach Services

Masons caring for Masons, their wives, and widows as they age has been a long and important tradition of Freemasonry. WMC’s Masonic Outreach Services program replaced the Masonic Retirement Center of Washington. In October of 2014 children’s programs and the Library & Museum merged with Masonic Outreach Services and formed Washington Masonic Charities. New staff joined WMC to provide positive energy for an effective, and relevant service that meets the needs of the Masonic community.

### Masonic Outreach Services Program Purpose

The Masonic Outreach Services’ purpose is to help individuals stay at home as long as they can by providing information and support. When the time comes, staff are available to help individuals find the right path to make the transition into a higher level of care, and to provide limited financial assistance through our emergency needs service.

### Services Provided

- **Information & Referral** – staff are available to assist individuals in identifying resources available to them in their community including care providers, housing options, support groups, nutrition and more.
- **Assessments** – Staff can visit individuals to assess their physical, financial, and social needs to make recommendations.
- **Care Planning & Home Visits** – Based on assessment, staff will prepare recommendations for individuals and assist in connecting them with services. When possible, our staff will visit people in their homes on a regular basis.
- **Financial Benefits Application Assistance** – Staff can assist in the preparation of benefits and entitlement applications for qualified individuals.
- **Emergency Needs** – Washington Masonic Charities can assist with one time emergency needs requests. We do this in coordination with their local lodge and the Grand Lodge.

Services are provided at no cost, but we do suggest a donation for assessment & evaluation, care planning, and benefits assistance services.

### What Happened to the Masonic Retirement Center?

The Masonic Retirement Center of Washington (MRC) has been closed to residents for several years. Changes in building codes, costs for construction to meet those new requirements, and ongoing operational costs led the Grand Lodge of Washington to make the decision to close the facility. The MRC is owned by the Grand Lodge. The disposition of proceeds from any future sale of the MRC will be decided upon by the Grand Lodge.

### Washington Masonic Charities

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