

**Grand Imperial Conclave of the Masonic and
Military Order of the Red Cross of Constantine and the
Orders of the Holy Sepulchre and of St. John the Evangelist for
England and Wales and its Divisions and Conclaves Overseas**

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* Ill.Kt. S. Clayton, P.G. Chamb
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PAST SOVEREIGNS

1976-77	*	V.Ill.Kt.	J. Blackstone, P.G.H.Chan.	2000-01	
1977-78	*	V.Ill.Kt.	S. Clayton, P.G.H.Chan.	001-02	*
1978-79	*	Ill.Kt.	A. Naylor, P.G.Chamb.	2002-03	+
1979-80	*	Ill.Kt.	W. Blackstone, P.G.Chamb.	2003-04	*
1980-81	+	Ill.Kt.	R. Rimmer, P.G.Prefect	2004-05	
1981-82	+	Ill.Kt.	D. G. Lower, P.G.Prefect	2005-06	*
1982-83	*	Ill.Kt.	B. Eastham, P.G.Prefect	2006-07	+
1983-84	+	Ill.Kt.	G. R. Eastham, P.G.W.of Reg	2007-08	+
1984-85	*	Ill.Kt.	T. Higgins, P.G.Std.B.(L)	2008-09	*
1985-86	*	V.Ill.Kt.	J. A. Bibby, P.G.H.Chan.	2009-10	
1986-87	+	P.Kt.	R. Shuttleworth, P.Div.Stwd	2010-11	*
1987-88	+	P.Kt.	R. Shuttleworth, P.Div.Stwd	2011-12	+
1989-90	+	Ill.Kt.	J. Wrennall, P.G.W.of Reg.	2012-13	+
1990-91	*	Ill.Kt.	J. Wrennall, P.G.W.of Reg.	2013-14	+
1991-92	*	P.Kt.	J. Hutton, P.Div.Herald	2014-15	
1992-93	+	Ill.Kt.	K. Smith, P.G.Herald.	2015-16	
1993-94	+	V.Ill.Kt.	J. W. Pearson, P.G.H.Almoner	2016-17	
1994-95	*	Ill.Kt.	P. D. Whalen, P.G.Herald	2017-18	
1995-96	*	Ill.Kt.	P. D. Whalen, P.G.Herald	2018-21	
1996-97	+	P.Kt.	J. Salkeld, P.Div.Almoner	2021-23	
1997-98	+	P.Kt.	J. Salkeld, P.Div.Almoner	2024-25	
1998-99	*	P.Kt.	J. Betty, P.Div.Stwd.	2025-26	
1999-20		Ill.Kt.	W. A. Smith, P.G.Prefect		

R.Ill.Kt.	M. R. Walker, P. Int. Gen.
P.Kt.	D. Onslow, P.Div.W.of Reg
P.Kt.	J. Threlfall P.Div.Std.B.(L)
P.Kt.	T. G. R. Pearson. P.Div.Stwd
Ill.Kt.	M. Beesley, P.G. Chamb.
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P.Kt.	A. G. Hicks
P.Kt.	M. W. Berry
P.Kt.	G. R. Fish, P.Div.Jun.Gen
Ill.Kt.	P. D. Whalen, P.G.Herald
P.Kt.	D. S. Hall, Div.Stwd.
P.Kt.	J. P. R.Astley P.Div.Std.B(L)
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P.Kt.	V.S.Parker, P.Div.Chamb
P.Kt.	R. Gates(disp) P.Div.StdB (L)
P.Kt.	J. Measures, Div.Herald 1
P.Kt.	V.S. Parker. P.Div.Chamb
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* Deceased + Resigned H Honorary

HONORARY MEMBERS

Conclave Representative

V.Ill.Kt. J. W. Pearson, P.G.H.Almoner

DIVISION OF WEST LANCASHIRE

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Intendant General

R. Ill. Kt. Graham Edwin Williams

Deputy Int. General

V. Ill. Kt. Mark Stephen Gregory P.G.H.Chan.

HESKETH CONCLAVE

No. 309

ST. MICHAELS SANCTUARY

CONSECRATED 27th NOVEMBER 1976

**M.P.S. - P. Kt. Victor Stuart Parker, P. Div. Chamb.,
E. - Ill. Kt. David Kenworthy, P.G. W. of Reg.**

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31st January 2026

Dear Worthy Knights,

You are hereby summoned by the Most Puissant Sovereign to attend a meeting of the Conclave to be held at Chorley Masonic Hall, Cunliffe Street, Chorley. PR7 2BD (01257 270940) on:

Wednesday 25th February 2026 at 6.30 p.m. prompt.

Yours in Faith, Unity, and Zeal,

Ill.Kt. M. Beesley P.G.Chamb. (Recorder)

Access Code 8532*

Dark Morning Dress and White/Purple Sash

Set-up followed by Practice on Tuesday 24th February 7.30pm

Both in the Ground floor Lodge Room

(All W.Kts. in office, please make every effort to attend)

OFFICERS 2025/26

RED CROSS

M.P.S.	P.Kt. Victor Parker, P. Div.Chamb.
I.P.S.	P.Kt. Jon Measures, Div. Herald 1.
Viceroy	Ill.Kt. David Kenworthy. P.G.W. of Reg.
Senior General ...	Rt.Ill.Kt. Mike R. Walker, P. Int-Gen. *
Junior General	W.Kt. Jonathan Measures S.G.
High Prelate	P.Kt. Graham R. Fish, P.Div.Jun.Gen. *
Treasurer	Ill.Kt. Mike Beesley, P.G.Chamb.
Recorder	Ill.Kt. Mike Beesley, P.G.Chamb.
Almoner	P.Kt. Jon Measures, Div, Herald 1.
Marshal	V.Ill.Kt. Derek Alty. P.G.H.Alm.
	(Tel.no.01772 600584)
Dep.Mar.	V.Ill.Kt. J. Wayne Pearson, P.G.H.Alm.
Orator	Ill. Kt, Jason Nash, G.Std.B.(C.), (Capt.S.G.)
Std. Bearer (C)	P.Kt Robert K, Norris, P.Div.Stwd.
Std. Bearer (L)	W.Kt. Peter Allen
Prefect	Ill. Kt. Ian H. Scott, P.G.Chamb.
1st. Aide	W.Kt. Raymond Passmore (S.G.)
2nd. Aide	P.Kt. Ron Gates, P.Div.St.B.(L.)
Herald	P.Kt. Tony Hall, P.Div.S.Gen, P.G.Vice-Chamb, etc.....
Steward	Ill. Kt. W. Alan Smith, P.G.Prefect.
Sentinel	E.Kt. Peter M. Taylor *

K.H.S. & St.J.E.

Rt.Rev.Prelate & Commander
.....Seneschal
..... Prior
..... Sub Prior
..... 1 st Lieut
..... Treasurer
..... Registrar
..... 2 nd Lieut
..... Marshal
..... Dep.Mar
..... Guardian S.V.
..... Sub-Prior
..... Verger
..... Torchbearer
..... Harbinger
..... Std. Bearer
..... Warder
..... Steward
..... Beadle

Diary Dates 2025/26 (any in Black subject to confirmation)

Grand Cathedral Service Liverpool (Anglican)	Saturday	18 th April 2026
General Purposes Meeting, (Zoom) 7pm	Thursday	4 th June 2026
Grand Imperial Conclave, London 12.30pm	Tuesday	7 th July 2026
Divisional Meeting, Brookfield, Westhoughton 11am	Saturday	5 th Sept 2026
Ladies Festival, Bryn 6pm	Saturday	28 th Nov 2026
Due to Cathedral Service the Divisional Church Service will not be held in 2026		

Knights should not attempt to make contact with Districts or Conclaves Overseas without having first checked with the Grand Recorder's office that there is recognised Red Cross Freemasonry in the country concerned.

Intendant Generals Special Representative V.Ill.Kt. M.I. Bell P.G.H. Almoner.

The Divisions Web Site www.westlancsrcc.org.uk

Is your gateway to more information of what is happening in the Division.

Submit your stories to the webmaster by email on:

mike_beesley@btinternet.com

If you are unsure how 'Just Ask'

**The Conclave will be honoured to receive
R.Ill.Kt. Graham Edwin Williams, Intendent General**

BUSINESS

1. To open the Conclave.
2. To confirm and approved the circulated minutes of the last regular meeting held on 29th October 2025.
3. To appoint and invest officers not resent at Enthronement meeting.
4. To Pass Accounts.
5. Pursuant to Notice of Motion 29th October 2025, Ill. Kt. Mike Beesley will propose that the conclave donate £100 from the General Fund to the Chorley Masonic Hall building/restoration fund.
6. To Read Correspondence.
7. To receive a report from the Conclave Divisional Representative.
8. To receive Propositions and or Notices of Motion.
9. To honour the Charities.
10. Any other competent business.
11. To close the Conclave.

Subscriptions of £53.00 became due on 1st September 2025

All paid thank you!

Our Next Meeting 29th April 2026

Next Cluster Group meetings subject to confirmation:

Agnus Dei –18th March 2026 Geoff Jackson rgjackson@msn.com

St. George's – 2nd June 2026 Ray Thain ray.thain@outlook.com

Sovereign's Unity 6th June 2026 Edwin Schofield lockfarm@btinternet.com

All Conclave meeting dates can be viewed on our website:

<http://www.westlancsrcc.org.uk/Pages/Diary.html>

Further details from the Conclave Recorder.