

The Most Excellent Prince Hall Grand Chapter of Holy Royal Arch Masons Jurisdiction of South Carolina

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Let us Commit ourselves to "LOVE, HONESTY, RESPECT, INTEGRITY, FAMILY, AND MOST OF ALL – GOD!"

January 31, 2024 PROCLAMATION

To: Excellent High Priests, Past Excellent High Priests, Kings, Scribes, Grand Chapter Officers, and Companions of the Most Excellent Prince Hall Grand Chapter of Holy Royal Arch Masons, Jurisdiction of South Carolina; Greetings!

HOLINESS TO THE LORD

By the authority in me vested, I, Jerome G. Brooks, Most Excellent Grand High Priest of The Most Excellent Prince Hall Grand Chapter of Holy Royal Arch Masons, do with this proclamation call all Elected and Appointed Grand Chapter Officers, Excellent High Priests, Past Excellent High Priests, Kings, Scribes, Secretaries, Treasurers, Officers, and all Companions, to assemble in our Mid-Year Instructional Session, April 4-5, 2024 at the Embassy Suites by Hilton Columbia Greystone 200 Stoneridge Drive Columbia, SC 29210

REGISTRATION

The Excellent High Priest, King, Scribe, Secretary, and Treasurer of each subordinate chapter are expected to register and attend the Grand Session. All Royal Arch Masons are encouraged to attend.

Registration: \$115.00 Must be received no later than March 15, 2024. \$165.00 if received between March 16-29, 2024. \$215.00 if received after March 30, 2024, or paid on-site (CASH ONLY). (Men who register with the, HRAM will also be registered with the HOJ.) (Registration Fee includes meeting fee, luncheon, and banquet.) A registration form is included with this mailing and is also located on our website www.scyorkritepha/hram. Make as many copies of this form as may be needed and **please** send your registrations in by deadline.

MAKE ALL CHECKS OR MONEY ORDERS PAYABLE TO: The Grand Chapter of Holy Royal Arch. MAIL ALL FUNDS AND FORMS TO: York Rite Convention 6941 N. Trenholm Rd, Suite F104-Box 410 Columbia, SC 29206

HOTEL RESERVATIONS

Reservations can be made at the Hotel Embassy Suites 200 Stoneridge Dr. Columbia, SC 29210. 800-EMBASSY or (803) 744-8132 Group Name-York Rite of SC. Check in time is 4:00PM and checkout time is 12:00 Noon. The front desk must approve all late checkouts. Early check-in will be accommodated based



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upon availability. The room rates are \$141.00 plus taxes and fees. The cutoff date for group rate is March 15, 2024, to get the stated room rate. Please contact Committee Chair Marlon Hinds 910-778-4639 if you have any questions.

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hotel registration link -

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DRESS

Holy Royal Arch Masonic dress will be required of all Companions attending the Session: Dark Suit (Black or Blue), white shirt, black or red tie, black shoes and socks, white gloves, crown and apron.

ORDER OF HIGH PRIEST

The Order of High Priesthood will hold its Annual meeting on Friday, April 5, 2024, at 9 AM. All High Priest and Past High Priest are expected to attend. Dues are due at this meeting.

A Proclamation from the President is included in this announcement.

LUNCH/BANQUET

The Luncheon and Banquet are included in your registration. Dress for the banquet is red and white (or dark suits) and collars for Royal Arch Masons, Members representing other orders will regale as they choose.

This proclamation is to be read in each <u>chapter meeting</u> through the convening of the Mid- Year Session. This proclamation having been given, please observe the dates, times and place; take due notice thereof and govern yourselves accordingly.

Fraternally yours,

Jerome G. Brooks

Most Excellent Grand High Priest

Ricardo J. Mungo

R.E. Grand Secretary



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(This agenda is subject to change)

AGENDA

Thursday, April 4, 2024

4:30 pm – York Rite of South Carolina Foundation Meeting

6:00 pm – Reception (Hotel meeting area)

7:00 pm - Executive Meeting Open to all Companions)

Friday, April 5, 2024

6:00-8:00 AM Breakfast

9:00 AM Order of High Priesthood

9:00 AM Workshop

11:00 A M Opening of Mid-Year Session

12:00 – 1:30PM LUNCH

2:00-5:00 Session Resume

Companions Workshop

Companion from District 1, 4, 7, 9, 10, 11

7:00 PM Banquet