



## MOST EXCELLENT PRINCE HALL GRAND CHAPTER

### HOLY ROYAL ARCH MASONS

### of the Jurisdiction of Michigan

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### To All Those Whom These Presents Come,

Greetings:

By the authority in me vested and agreeable to the Constitution and By-Laws governing the Most Excellent Prince Hall Grand Chapter of Holy Royal Arch Masons of the state of Michigan, be it known that I, **Bernt C. Walker**, Most Excellent Grand High Priest, do hereby proclaim that on **Saturday, April 25, A.D. 2026, A.I. 2556, the 146<sup>th</sup> Annual Grand Convocation of Holy Royal Arch Masons** will be convened in the city of Muskegon, Michigan, at the Delta Hotels Muskegon Convention Center - Marriott, 939 Third St., Muskegon, Michigan 49440.

I hereby summons all Grand Chapter Officers, Past Grand High Priests, Past and Present, Excellent High Priests, Kings, Scribes, and all Royal Arch Masons to be present.

A Chapter of Royal Arch Masons will open their Chapter at 8:00 a.m. and will be prepared to receive the Right Excellent Deputy Grand High Priest and the cabinet at 8:30 a.m. We will be done with our business at 12pm. We will join the Heroines of Jericho for their Convocation after having Lunch with them at 12pm.

**REGISTRATION: Advance registration is \$100 which will include lunch. After April 10, 2026, the registration fee will be \$150 which will not include lunch.**

Per the Constitution and By-Laws of the Most Excellent Prince Hall Grand Chapter, the three principal officers (Excellent High Priest, King and Scribe) of each Subordinate Chapter and all Appointed Grand Chapter Officers are required to register and attend the Grand Convocation. **Each Chapter is responsible for the \$300 registration fee of their principal officers, whether they are in attendance or not.** Subordinate Chapters and Companions are requested to pre-register before the cutoff date of April 10, 2026. Mail checks and/or money orders to the Right Excellent Grand Secretary Mark E. Lynn, 29370 Marimoor Dr., Southfield, MI 48076.

**"Holiness to the Lord"**



**HOTEL RESERVATION:** Lodging accommodations will be at the Delta Hotels Muskegon Convention Center - Marriott, 939 Third St., Muskegon, Michigan 49440. Room rates are \$154.00 plus taxes (single or double). All attendees must make reservations directly with the hotel. Please use code PHM. The number to reserve a room at the Delta Hotels Muskegon Convention Center - Marriott is 1-833-999-0181. The cut-off date for hotel reservations is April 2, 2026. Any reservations after this date will be accepted based upon room type availability and the contracted rate may not be applicable. You will be charged for one night upon making reservations. The cancellation of any reservations must be confirmed 24 hours prior to arrival. No-shows are billed for the first night and tax, and reservation is considered cancelled.

**BY-LAWS, RESOLUTIONS AND GRIEVANCES:** Any bylaw changes, resolutions and grievances to be acted upon at the 146th Annual Grand Convocation must be received in the office of the Right Excellent Grand Secretary on or before April 2, 2026.

**GRAND REPORTS:** The following reports are to be completed and in the office of the Right Excellent Grand Secretary on or before April 2, 2026.

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| 1. Right Excellent Deputy Grand High Priest | 4. Right Excellent Grand Lecturer  |
| 2. Right Excellent Grand King               | 5. Right Excellent Grand Treasurer |
| 3. Right Excellent Grand Scribe             | 6. Right Excellent Grand Secretary |

**WORKING REPORTS TO BE RECEIVED DURING THE GRAND CONVOCATION ARE:**

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| 1. Most Excellent Grand High Priest | 5. Credential Committee   |
| 2. Grand Treasurer                  | 6. Registration Committee |
| 3. Grand Secretary                  | 7. Way and Means          |
| 4. Audit Committee                  | 8. Grand Officers Reports |

**COMMITTEE REPORTS**

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| 1. Appeals and Grievances   | 5. Hospitality                |
| 2. Constitution and By-Laws | 6. Necrology                  |
| 3. Jurisprudence            | 7. Resolutions                |
| 4. Works and Returns        | 8. Charters and Dispensations |

This Proclamation is to be read at each Royal Arch Chapter Meeting until the commencement of the 146 th Annual Grand Convocation.

Yours 3x3

*Bernt C. Walker*

Bernt C. Walker, KYGCH, KCT  
Most Excellent Grand High Priest

In testimony whereof, I have set my hand and caused the Seal of the Grand Chapter aforesaid to be hereto affixed the 1st day of Jan, AD 2026, AI 2256

*Mark E. Lynn*  
Mark E Lynn, MEPGHP, KYGCH, KCT  
Right Excellent Grand Secretary



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