

Preceptory Business

1. Installation of the Preceptor Nominate.
2. Appointment and Investiture of the Chaplain.
3. Investiture of the Constables Nominate.
4. Election of the Treasurer and Guard.
5. Appointment and Investiture of the Officers.
6. Adoption of the Preceptory By-Laws.
7. Election of the Consecrating Officers as Honorary Members.
8. Collection of Alms. *(during which the Templars' Hymn will be sung)*

*For all the Saints who from their labours rest,
Who Thee by faith before the world confessed.
Thy name, O Jesu, be for ever blest.
Alleluia! Alleluia!*

*Thou wast their Rock, their Fortress and their Might,
Thou, Lord, their Captain in the well-fought fight,
Thou, in the darkness, still their one True Light.
Alleluia! Alleluia!*

*From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast,
Through gates of pearl streams in the countless host,
Singing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Alleluia! Alleluia!*

9. Recession of the Consecrating Officers.
10. Adoption of the Preceptory Fees.
11. General Business.
12. Closing the Preceptory.

Great Priory of the United Religious, Military and Masonic Orders of the Temple and of St. John of Jerusalem, Palestine, Rhodes & Malta of England and Wales and its Provinces Overseas

Most Eminent & Supreme Grand Master
Paul Raymond Clement, G.C.T.

Province of Monmouth and South Wales

Provincial Prior
Right Eminent Knight Dr. Paul R. Calderwood J.P.
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Eminent Knight David F. Court P Gt Std.B. (B)



Consecration

of

St John of Cardiff Preceptory No. 712

The Masonic Temple
Cardiff

Thursday 4th April 2019

11.00 a.m.

*Rehearsal at 9.00 a.m.
Brethren to be seated in the Temple by 10.45 a.m.
Lunch will be served at 1.00 p.m.*

ORDER OF PROCEEDINGS

1. The Knights will stand to receive the Consecrating Officer
2. The Consecrating Officer will enter in procession, assume the Throne, appoints his Officers and open a Preceptory.
3. The Consecrating Officer will state the object of the Meeting.
4. The Provincial Prelate will offer prayer – Omnes: *Amen*.
5. The Provincial Prelate will deliver an Oration on the Nature and Principles of the Order.
6. The Knights-Petitioner will form in the West of the Preceptory, facing East.
7. The Warrant will be read from the North-East by the Provincial Vice-Chancellor.
8. The Consecrating Officer will question the Knights-Petitioner.
9. The Consecrating Officer will Constitute the Preceptory.
10. The Knights-Petitioner will march in procession once round the Preceptory, re-forming in the West.
11. The Consecrating Officer will scatter corn.
12. The Provincial Prelate will give an Invocation.
13. The Knights-Petitioner will march in procession once round the Preceptory re-forming in the West.
14. The Consecrating Officer will pour wine.
15. The Provincial Prelate will give an Invocation.
16. The Knights-Petitioner will march in procession round the Preceptory re-forming in the West.
17. The Consecrating Officer will sprinkle oil.
18. The Provincial Prelate will give an Invocation.
19. The Knights-Petitioner will resume their stations and remain standing.
20. The Provincial Prelate will perambulate three times round the Sepulchre censing.
21. The Provincial Prelate will light the candles on the Sepulchre.
22. The Standards will be lowered before the Consecrating Officer, who will Consecrate them.
23. The Provincial Prelate will give an Invocation.
24. The Standards will be raised and placed in the West.
25. The Knights-Petitioner will form round the Sepulchre, facing East.
26. The Provincial Prelate will read a passage from the Scriptures.
27. The Consecrating Officer will Dedicate and Consecrate the Preceptory.
28. The Provincial Prelate will pronounce the Invocation.
29. The Provincial Herald will proclaim from the South-West.
30. The Provincial Herald will proclaim from the North-West.
31. The Provincial Prelate will offer Prayers and give the Benediction.

Omnes: *Amen*



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Those wishing to dine please return your remittance (£25-00) payable to
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To

Michael Hopkins, 37 St Margaret's Road, Whitchurch, CARDIFF, CF14 7AB

Name.....

Office/Rank.....

Please reserveplaces at £25.00 per head. I enclose a cheque for £.....
Payable to St John of Cardiff Preceptory

Menu

Ardennes Pate Served with Onion Marmalade and Crusty Bread Roll or Melon
Roast Beef with Yorkshire pudding Served with Potato and Seasonal or Fish
Egg Custard Tart with Vanilla Cream or cheese and biscuits
Coffee and Mints

Please state any dietary requirements below: