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goals, in addition to assisting and encouraging our upcoming new officers. If we combine past efforts with future efforts I know great progress will be obtained in the ensuing year.

We should always remember our philanthropy. There is no higher calling then helping children.

I want to take this opportunity to thank all the Past Grand High Priest and companions who were instrumental in helping me these past four years. At times it has been challenging, but an experience I would not want to have missed.

With all said, I hope to see each and every one of you in Lexington at the Grand Session.

God bless our great Fraternity, God bless each and every one of you and God bless the USA.

Charles T. Mason
Grand High Priest

Itinerary

- 01 Sep 2015 Mc Neil Annual Bib Overalls Fried Bologna and Eggs Night Lebanon Junction, KY
- 03 Sep 2015 Morrison Lodge # 76 Elizabethtown, KY
- 10 Sep 2015 Hardin Chapter 105 Elizabethtown, KY
- 14 Sep 2015 Glasgow Chapter # 46 Glasgow, KY
- 20-23 Sep 2015 York Rite Grand Session, Lexington, KY

Companions

It is difficult to believe that September is here already. Seems to me that the year went by in a flash. I want to thank you for allowing me to serve as your Grand High Priest which was a privilege and honor I will always remember.

I feel we have accomplished a lot through the dedication of my fellow officers and Companions. Without their help there would be so much more to be done, notwithstanding the fact that there is still more to be done.

It is imperative that we stay focused on our future



*From the desk of the
Grand Secretary*

Companions,

CHANGES TO THE KENTUCKY KEYSTONE

In order to better serve and provide a more effective means of communication, a Newsgroup has been established to provide Sir Knights and Companions with a method of state wide communication. The group is available on Yahoo Groups and will function much the same way as the similar Group for the Grand Lodge of Kentucky. I urge all York Rite members to join and spread the word; we can only grow if people know we are here.

A group dedicated to York Rite Freemasonry in Kentucky and surrounding areas. All forms of announcements regarding Chapter's, Councils, Commanderies, such as events, degree work, obituaries, special services, etc., are welcome, but all postings must first be approved by either the owners or the moderators of the group before it will be sent out to the membership. This list will also serve as the distribution/delivery system for the Kentucky Keystone which is the monthly publication of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Kentucky. We reserve the right to reject any message that we may deem inappropriate or off-topic.

This group is not administered by, nor does it represent the views of The Grand York Rite Bodies of Kentucky, The General Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, the General Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters, or the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar. This is a restricted list, however, this list is not a tiled group, so govern yourselves accordingly and always remember your obligations to our beloved Order. You may join the group from the Grand York Rite home page at www.yorkriteky.org If you have any problems please contact Darrell Waddell.

If you are Secretary and/or Recorder at your local body we would like to remind you that Assessments are due now if we have received your Assessment thank you, if not please see to it that they are paid this month. We still have several bodies that have not paid. Your delegates will not be able to register at sessions until your assessments are paid.

James King Jr.
Grand Secretary/Recorder

UP COMING EVENTS

Grand York Rite Sessions

Grand Commandery K. T.

Monday-September 21, 2015

Grand Council R. & S.M.

Tuesday- September 22, 2015

Grand Chapter R.A.M.

Wednesday- September 23, 2015

We need as much participation at our Grand Session as possible to keep the traditions of our craft alive. If you can join us please come. We still need a lot of orders to reach our goals. We hope to see you there.

Link to ticket order form online

<http://www.yorkriteky.org/sessions2015/2015-ticket-order-form.pdf>

CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE KENTUCKY KEYSTONE

Editorial- New Editor Kentucky Keystone

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It is hard to believe that the Grand Session is just around the corner. I hope that as many of you Companions as possible can come to it and participate in the business of our Bodies. You can still obtain meal tickets by contacting the York Rite office at 859 209-4120, but please do so as quickly as possible since this is what pays for our meeting rooms. Hope to see you there; be safe.

Fraternally,

Ron

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