



The Most Worshipful
PRINCE HALL GRAND LODGE OF OHIO
.....Free and Accepted Masons....

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Proclamation KJD 2019 -3

To all Elected and Appointed Grand Lodge Officers, Most Worshipful Past Grand Masters, Past Grand Masters, Worshipful Masters, Wardens, Past Masters and Brethren

Greetings,

By the virtue of the power and authority vested in me as Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Ohio, Free and Accepted Masons, Know Ye that I, Kelvin J. Davis, Do hereby proclaim the **One Hundred and Seventieth(170th) Annual Communication** of the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Ohio, Free and Accepted Masons shall convene at the **Renaissance Columbus Downtown Hotel – 50 N 3rd St., Columbus, Ohio, Saturday August 3rd through Tuesday August 6th, 2019.**

I do further proclaim that we shall engage in a **State Wide Grand Lodge Social** (invitees are the craft, OES, and guests) held on Saturday August 3rd, 2019 (10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.) at the Renaissance Hotel. There will be board and card games, dominos and music with lunch. This is under the direction of the Right Worshipful Grand Lecturer Robert H. Carpenter, PM No. 106 and Right Worshipful Chief Administration Officer Frank Bowen, Jr., PM No. 2.

I do further proclaim that the craft and guests support and attend the **Scholarship Awards Program** held on Saturday May 3rd, 2019 at 3:00 p.m. at the Renaissance Hotel. Those in attendance will witness the

awarding of Scholarships to high school graduates and continuing college students.

I do further proclaim that the craft and guests join us for the **Grand Lodge Sunday Morning Service**, August 4, 2019 at 11:00 a.m. in the Renaissance Hotel. Assembly time for the Brethren to parade to the Memorial Service is 6:00 p.m. **Memorial Service** will begin promptly at 7:00 p.m.

I do further declare and ordain that a **Lodge of Master Masons** will open at 8:30 a.m. Monday, August 5, 2019 by District No. 3, under the directions of Right Worshipful Dean Jackson PM No. 7 Deputy Grand Lecturer and under the advisement of Right Worshipful Robert H. Carpenter PM No. 106 Grand Lecturer. The Most Worshipful Grand Master will be received at 9:15 a.m. The business will continue until completion on Tuesday, August 7, 2019. The Grand Chaplains and their Associates will conduct the joint devotional period at 7:45 a.m. on Monday, August 5th and Tuesday, August 6th. It is **directed** that all Grand Lodge Officers, Masters, Wardens, and Past Masters, in good standing, are present and registered with the "Credentials Committee". All other Master Masons in good standing are encouraged to register and attend.

Proper **attire** for all sessions beginning Sunday evening for the Memorial Service, a black or dark suit, white shirt and dark or black tie or bowtie, black dress shoes (no tennis shoes), white gloves and apron. All Grand Lodge Trustees present formally attired Sunday evening in Tails for the Memorial Service and Monday Grand Lodge Session, and Black Tuxedos on Tuesday.

All Appointed Grand Lodge Officers, (i.e. Deputy Lecturers, Administrative Officers, Marshall, Deacons, Stewards, Standard Bearer, et.) the dress will be Black Tuxedos with regalia and white gloves on both Monday and Tuesday.

Proper attire for the Banquet on Monday, August 5th - White Dinner jacket, black pants, white shirt, black bowtie and black shoes.

Advanced Registration for voting Members - \$100.00. Onsite- \$115.00; Advanced Registration for Non-Voting Members is \$70.00 (without Banquet ticket). Onsite - \$85.00. Separate banquet tickets are available

for \$55.00. The Registration form is on the Grand Lodge Website and with your Lodge Secretary.

This Proclamation is to be read at the Business and Work Night meetings during the months of May, June and July. Take due and timely notice, thereof, and govern yourselves accordingly.

Given under my hand and private seal of the Most Worshipful Grand Master Cincinnati, Ohio hereto attached April 29, A.D. 2019, A.L. 6019

Respectfully

Kelvin J. Davis

Kelvin J. Davis, PM #106 - 33°
63rd Most Worshipful Grand Master