



The Enthronement Meeting of Saint Macarius Conclave



The Enthronement meeting of Saint Macarius Conclave No 507 was held at Surbiton on Tuesday the 20th of January. Present was our Intendant-General, Right Illustrious Knight Simon McCarthy, and our Past Intendent General, Right Illustrious Knight Bob Hancock, an Honorary Member of the Conclave.



The Conclave was opened by the Most Puissant Sovereign, Ill.Kt. Ian Bloodworth, who welcomed everyone, especially our Intendant-General and our Past Intendent General.



After the regular business of the Conclave had been completed the main item on the agenda was to Enthroned Em.Kt. Chris Eley as Most Puissant Sovereign.

A College of Priests-Mason was opened and W.Kt. Eddie Ertan was Consecrated as Viceroy.



The College of Priests-Mason was closed, and a Senate of Princes-Mason opened. Em.Kt. Chris Eley was Enthroned as Most Puissant Sovereign.



The Knights were re-admitted, and the Officers of the Conclave were appointed and invested. Many thanks to our Past Intendent General who assisted in the Enthronement Ceremonies.



The Conclave was closed and after photographs we retired to the bar for refreshments before sitting down to a most convivial meal at the Surbiton Masonic Hall.



Family Church Service 2026



The Masonic and Military Order of the Red Cross of Constantine and the Orders of the Holy Sepulchre and of St John the Evangelist Family Church Service will be held on Saturday the 18th of April 2026 at 11:00 am (Doors open at 10:00 am) at The Liverpool Cathedral, St James' Mount, Liverpool Post Code: L1 7AZ.



The booking for the 2026 Church Service at Liverpool Cathedral is now open.

Booking Link: <https://markmasonshall.org/latest-events/events/red-cross-of-constantine/rcc-church/rcc-church-service> This promises to be a truly memorable occasion, and a wonderful opportunity to come together, celebrate our shared traditions, and be part of a meaningful and historic gathering. It's a highlight of the year that offers both inspiration and connection, making it an event you won't want to miss.

Attendees who have booked a place at a table can avail themselves of pre-dinner drinks at the cash bar and 3-course lunch in the Liverpool FC Dugout Suite. Lunch will be served at 1:30 pm with informal wine takings and an address by the Grand Sovereign, followed by departure to home addresses.

Division of Surrey web site:

<https://www.surreycompanionorders.com/welcome-red-cross>



Have you received a Divisional Appointment? Grand Rank? Or have been Enthroned as Sovereign?

Do you have any surplus RCC sashes or jewels?

If so, your Divisional Warden of Regalia would be pleased to take them off your hands, so that they can be reallocated.

All proceeds will go to the Intendant General's designated charity.