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The Installation Meeting of the Chertsey Tabernacle

The Installation meeting of Chertsey Tabernacle was held on Monday the 23rd of February 2026 at Agincourt Hall, Camberley, in the presence of R.Em.Kt.Pt. Peter G Vosser, CHW, Grand Superintendent and High Prelate District No. 15, Surrey.



The Tabernacle was opened by the High Priest, V.Em.Kt.Pt. Alan Pharro, who welcomed everyone, especially our Grand Superintendent. They had over 30 attending to support the Tabernacle, which is a testament to the strength of our visiting initiative. They even needed two stations for the Grand Point.



The main item on the agenda was to Install Em.Kt.Pt. Andrew Banks as High Priest. The ceremony was conducted by V Em Kt Pt. Alan assisted by his officers. After V.Em.Kt.Pt. Andrew had appointed his Officers, he was congratulated by our Grand Superintendent.



The Grand Superintendent was invited to present Kt.Pt. Alex Green with his Grand College Certificate and Ill.Kt.Pt. Kevin McSorley with a Companion of Holy Wisdom Certificate both of which were presented in an informative manner.

Our Grand Superintendent then gave a most interesting short talk on the Appendant Degrees.

After a collection had been taken for the Pillar Fund our Grand Superintendent

conducted the Grand Point and the Tabernacle was closed. Everyone retired for refreshments before dining together at the Agincourt Hall.

Photos by Andrew Banks





GRAND COLLEGE

The Holy Royal Arch Knight Templar Priests and Order of Holy Wisdom



Annual Assembly 2026

The Annual Assembly of Grand College will be held in the Paris Suite, Leonardo Hotel Hinckley Island, Watling Street, Hinckley, Leicestershire, LE10 3JA on Saturday the 13th of June 2026 at 11.00 a.m.

All Officers of Grand College, High Priests, VII and VI Pillars are summoned to attend, and Knight Priests are invited to be present.

FRIDAY 12th JUNE

Ladies Dinner in the London Suite

SATURDAY 13th JUNE

Luncheon for members only in the London Suite.



**At Grand College in June 2026
the Grand High Priest will be pleased to appoint
and promote the following Kt.Pts.**

First Appointments.

Chris Eley PGIIP

Bob Hancock PGIIP

Charles Hoad GSB

Barrie Selway PGIP

David Thompson PGIIP



Promotions.

Alan Brockwell PGIIP

John Coleman PGVIP

Eddie Ertan PGVIP

Paul Fitzgerald PGVP

David Ford PGIVP

Andrew Fox PGVP

Michael Griffiths PGVIP

Stephen Jones PGVIIP

David Matthews PGVIIP

Graham Rawlinson PGVP

Derek Williamson PGVP

The Installation Meeting of the Holy Trinity Tabernacle

The Installation meeting of the Holy Trinity Tabernacle will be held at Croydon on Thursday the 7th of May. They will be honoured by the presence of R.Em.Kt.Pt. Peter G Vosser, CHW, Grand Superintendent and High Prelate District No. 15, Surrey, escorted by his District Director of Ceremonies, Leslie Grout, on his last official duty in this role after ten years.

Our Grand Superintendent hopes that as many Knight Priests and Pillars will be able to join him on this special day to give Leslie a good send-off.

The meeting starts at 5 pm and after welcoming our Grand Superintendent Em.Kt.Pt. Michael Petryszyn will be installed as High Priest.

If you can make it, please contact the Recorder, V.Em.Kt.Pt. C W Eley (Chris), CHW, on cw.eley@talktalk.net who will send you the details.

Tabernacles in the District

The Surrey Tabernacle No.27

Meeting at:
Surbiton Masonic Hall, Surbiton, RH1 KT6
On: 1st Wednesday in July (**Inst**); 2nd Wednesday **Nov**;
4th Tuesday in January Incorporating The OHW meeting

Saxon Tabernacle No. 104

Meeting at:
Surbiton Masonic Hall, Surbiton, RH1 KT6
On: 2ND Monday June (**Inst**) Last weekday of November

Pride of Surrey No.184

Meeting at:
Sutton Mason Hall, Sutton, SM1 1BB
On: 2nd Friday May (**Inst**); 2nd Friday December

Gyldeforda Tabernacle No. 186

Meeting at:
SWMC, Hitherbury Close, Guildford, GU2 4DR
On: 2nd Friday Jan (**Inst**); 2nd Monday July

Chertsey Tabernacle No.195

Meeting at :
Agincourt Hall, London Road,
Camberley, GU15 3JA
On: 4th Monday Feb (**Inst**); 2nd
Friday October

Holy Trinity Tabernacle No. 212

Meeting at:
Croydon Masonic Halls, 73 Oakfield
Road, Croydon, CR0 2UX
On: 1ST Thursday May (**Inst**); 2nd
Monday September

North Downs Tabernacle No 299

Meeting at:
Nutfield Centre, Nutfield Road, Redhill, RH1 4ED
On: 3rd Thursday September (**Inst**); 4th Thursday May



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