

## COMMANDERS AND PRECEPTORS

### COMMANDERS

1861 William White  
 1862 Graham Stuart  
 1863 Ensor Drury  
 1864 Henry Webster  
 1865 Joseph Rodgers  
 1866 Edmund A.Heeley  
 1867 “ “  
 1868 Henry J.Garnett  
 1869 “ “  
 1870 “ “  
 1871 “ “  
 1872 Robert Amison  
 1873 William H.Brittain  
 1874 “ “  
 1875 William Roddewig  
 1876 “ “  
 1877 Henry Seebohm  
 1878 Samuel B.Ellis  
 1879 “ “  
 1880 “ “  
 1881 “ “  
 1882 “ “  
 1883 Ensor Drury  
 1884 John Shaw  
 1885 “ “  
 1886 Septimus Short  
 1887 Harold Thomas  
 1888 Frederick Cleeves  
 1889 C.W.Finken  
 1890 Robert Davidson  
 1891 Arthur J.Binney  
 1892 George B.Owen  
 1893 Thomas E.Barker  
 1894 V.G.S.Dearden  
 1895 William E.Gray  
 1896 Charles Stokes  
 1897 H.T.E.Holmes  
 1898 Francis G.Cornu  
 1899 John Stokes  
 1900 Thomas Rowbottom  
 1901 Arthur E.Rowland

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1902 W.Fearneough  
 1903 Charles F.Brindley  
 1904 John P.Hewitt  
 1905 Ernest Beck  
 1906 Andrew J.Jordan  
 1907 Joseph J.Pickford  
 1908 William Walker  
 1909 Hermann W.Hitzen  
 1910 Thomas A.Scott  
 1911 Sir J E Bingham Bart  
 1912 Horace Cawood  
 1913 Arthur Truelove  
 1914 Job Holland  
 1915 Edward Holmes  
 1916 Seth Whiteley  
 1917 J W Northend

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1918 Alfred Cattell  
 1919 Thomas S.Cole  
 1920 Henry C.Else  
 1921 Arthur S.Lee  
 1922 Frederick Y.Davy  
 1923 James S.Allen  
 1924 Albert Frost  
 1925 Charles Simpson  
 1926 William Foxon  
 1927 John Evans  
 1928 C.B.Flockton  
 1929 E.S.Nutt  
 1930 Riley Carr  
 1931 David Flather  
 1932 E.S.Graham  
 1933 J.A.Truelove  
 1934 R.B.Haywood  
 1935 Douglas Knoop  
 1936 W.G.Walker  
 1937 F.Reany Booth  
 1938 Colin Laycock  
 1939 Albert B. Nutt  
 1940 “ “  
 1941 J.Harold Allen  
 1942 H.W.F. Peace  
 1943 P.B.Henshaw  
 1944 Edward Boot  
 1945 William Boot  
 1946 C.E.Truelove  
 1947 John H.Barker  
 1948 W.B.Siddons  
 1949 Raymond Meeke  
 1950 J.Arthur Darley  
 1951 E.Alsop  
 1952 W.F.Ibberson OBE  
 1953 J.A.Addy  
 1954 Henry Robinson  
 1955 Arthur M.Lee  
 1956 R.E.Pleasance  
 1957 S.E.Winks  
 1958 V.E.Upton  
 1959 V.E.Upton  
 1960 Frank Shaw  
 decd. 19.7.60  
 V.E.Upton Act EP  
 decd. 10.10.60  
 S.E.Winks Act. EP  
 1961 C N Milner  
 1962 Richard Lamb  
 1963 W F Warburton MBE  
 1964 W F Warburton MBE  
 1965 T F Meehan  
 1966 W H Denton  
 1967 E.Gordon Mackie  
 1968 George Graham  
 1969 Thomas E.Wing  
 1970 J.H.P.Morley  
 1971 Harold Biggin  
 1972 A.J.Wadham  
 1973 J.E.Machent

### PRECEPTORS

1974 E.L.Davison  
 1975 L.Ward Kay  
 1976 A.W.Goodfellow  
 1977 A.F.Argent  
 1978 Joseph Andrew  
 1979 Thomas Fletcher  
 1980 F.H.Westrope  
 1981 J.C.Nicholson  
 1982 G.O.Roberts  
 1983 Leonard C.Bunce  
 1984 Frank Thewlis  
 1985 H R Greenstreet  
 1986 T.L.Hughes MBE  
 1987 Geoffrey Raynor  
 1988 Roy P.Harvey  
 1989 Fred Clark  
 1990 Maurice Matthews  
 1991 Vernon Outram  
 1992 D.F.Bingham  
 1993 R.E.L.Miles  
 1994 J.Waters  
 1995 John Curtis  
 1996 “ “  
 1997 E.M.Ellis  
 1998 K.Gale  
 1999 R.N.Wilkinson  
 2000 H.J.Langford  
 2001 J.H.Hancock  
 2002 D.Garner  
 2003 S.Ridley  
 2004 M.J.O'Neill  
 2005 Graham Duffy  
 2006 Roy Sayles  
 2007 David J.Kirkman  
 2008 David C.Staniforth  
 2009 M.J.O'Neill  
 2010 M W J O'Neill  
 2011 D Garner  
 2012 P E Varley  
 2013 R J Kerr  
 2014 R J Kerr  
 2015 G A Bartle  
 2016 G A Bartle  
 2017 M J O'Neill  
 2018 M J O'Neill  
 2019 D Garner  
 2020 D Garner  
 2021 D Garner  
 2022 R J Campos  
 2023 Scott L Kelsall  
 2024 Mark A Hargreaves  
 2025 James A Shaw



## The United Religious, Military and Masonic Orders of the Temple and of St. John of Jerusalem. Palestine, Rhodes and Malta in England and Wales and Provinces Overseas

The Most Eminent and Supreme Grand Master  
 Paul Raymond Clement, *OStJ*, G.C.T.

The Very High and Right Eminent Great Seneschal  
 Andrew Christopher Rainbow, G.C.T.

The Provincial Prior  
 Right Eminent Knight Hearl Roger Lenton, *MBE*

The Provincial Sub-Prior  
 Eminent Knight Richard J. W. Binks, P.Gt.A.-de-C.

## De Furnival Preceptory, No.66

Consecrated 3<sup>rd</sup> May 1861

Masonic Hall, 63 Station St, Swinton, Mexborough, S64 8PZ

Eminent Knight James A. Shaw  
 Preceptor

Dear Bro Knight,

You are hereby summoned to attend this Preceptory at the time and date shown within.

By Command :

E.Kt. Peter Firth, P.P.Reg. (Registrar)

## AGENDA

Thursday, 5th March 2026 at 6.30pm.

1. To open the Preceptory in due form and call the muster roll.
2. To welcome the Provincial Prior's Representative, E.Kt. T. Malcolm Brodie, Provincial First Constable.
3. To confirm and approve the minutes of the meeting held on Thursday, 4th September 2025.
4. To read correspondence and take apologies.
5. To elect a Preceptor for the ensuing year in accordance with Statute 68. As only one Brother Knight has been nominated and no other duly qualified member has indicated to the Registrar that he wishes to be considered, E.Kt. James A. Shaw will be declared so elected, provided that no member present shall call for a ballot.
6. To elect a Treasurer for the ensuing year in accordance with Statute 76. As only one Brother Knight has been nominated and no other member has indicated to the Registrar that he wishes to be considered, the Eminent Preceptor will declare E.Kt. Mark A. Hargreaves so elected, provided that no member present shall call for a ballot.
7. To elect a Guard for the ensuing year.
8. To receive the Almoner's report and collect Alms.
9. To receive propositions.
10. To transact any other regular business.
11. To close the Preceptory.

## ORDER of MALTA

1. To open a Priory of Malta.
2. To read and if approved, confirm the Minutes of the last regular meeting of the Priory of Malta held on 5th March 2020.
3. To Install E.Kts. Scott L. Kelsall and James A. Shaw as Eminent Priors.
4. To Appoint and Invest the Officers for the ensuing year.
5. To close the Priory of Malta.

### Preceptor

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### Treasurer

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m777hargreaves@btinternet.com

### Registrar & Almoner

E.Kt. Peter Firth  
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### Marshal

E.Kt. Robert Davis  
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## OFFICERS 2025-2026

Preceptor	E.Kt. James A Shaw
Chaplain	E.Kt. Ian Yates, P.P.2nd Con.
1 <sup>st</sup> Constable	E.Kt. Eric W Bowring, P.Gt.A.-de-C.
2 <sup>nd</sup> Constable	Kt. David Holt
Treasurer	E.Kt. Mark A Hargreaves
Registrar	E.Kt. Peter Firth, P.P.Reg.
Marshal	E.Kt. Robert Davis, P.P.Chamb.
Deputy Marshal	E.Kt. Kenneth Gale, P.P.Her.
Herald	E.Kt. Scott L Kelsall
St Bearer (B.)	E.Kt. George Herd, P.P.St.B.(V.B.)
St Bearer (V.B.)	E.Kt. Michael J O'Neill, P.P.2nd Con.
Almoner	E.Kt. Peter Firth, P.P.Reg.
Capt of Guards	E.Kt. David Staniforth, P.P.A.-de-C.
Guard	E.Kt. Joannes A M Snoek, P.Gt.W. of R.

## Honorary Members

V.H. & R.E.Kt. M E Slater, *OSIJ*, G.C.T., P.Gt.Sen. V.E.Kt. S A Mighall, P.2nd Gt.Con.  
V.E.Kt. J P Walker, P.Gt.Reg. V.E.Kt. R Skinner, P.Gt.Reg.

Please confirm attendance and whether you wish to dine to the Registrar, E.Kt. Peter Firth, by e-mail to [pfirthmason@live.co.uk](mailto:pfirthmason@live.co.uk) or phone 01709 532108 or 07901 733285 **by 27th February 2026, please. Payment on the night, in cash only, please.**

Apologies from members would also be appreciated.

## Forthcoming Events

**Friday, 6th March 2026** - 6.30pm - Provincial Priory, Order of Malta - Castle Grove, Leeds.

**Sunday, 12th April 2026** - 3.00pm - Family Church Service of Thanksgiving - Batley.

**Wednesday, 20th May 2026** - Great Priory, Order of the Temple - London.

**Tuesday, 23rd June 2026** - 6.00pm - Emmaus Society Meeting - Morley Masonic Hall.

**Friday, 17th July 2026** - 7.00pm - Annual Dinner - Manor Golf Club, Drighlington.

## Provincial Website

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