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## The Extinguishing and Relighting the Lights Ceremonies Scottish Rite Temple – Thursday, April 18, 2019 – 7:00 p.m.

Open to members, families and friends, all counties are welcome to attend. Light refreshments will be served.

When Winter recedes and new brighter days appear we celebrate Maundy Thursday, the ending of the dark days and the beginning of brighter days of Spring. At this equinox long ago the first exodus occurred as God led the Israelites from slavery in Egypt to freedom in the promised land. Some nineteen hundred years later, at the time of the feast of the Passover, the mandate of Maundy Thursday was born as the Master was returning for the last time to Jerusalem. The next day he was crucified.

Maundy Thursday and the extinguishing of the lights are significant not only in the despair of the event, but also in the recognition of the inevitability that they will be relit. Through God's will it is man's destiny to refute the darkness and barrenness and to bring forth those virtues that are emblematic of the relighting of the lights on Easter morning. Our Masonic traditions provide the blueprint, which, if followed, will replace darkness with the brightness of true brotherhood. Let us therefore join the annual celebration of Extinguishing and Relighting the Lights Ceremony with a fixed purpose.

**Hawkins County Maundy Thursday Service**  
Open to the Public  
Clay Lodge #386 – April 18, 2019 - 7:00 p.m.

**Washington County at Rhea Lodge**  
Maundy Thursday Service  
April 18th, 2019 – 7:00 p.m.

## KNOXVILLE SCOTTISH RITE FOUNDATION 10TH ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

June 12th 2019 – 1:00 p.m.  
Three Ridges Golf Course

Golf Tournament next meeting Saturday, April 6, 2019, 9:00 a.m., Knoxville Scottish Rite Temple, dining room.

## KNOXVILLE SCOTTISH RITE 2019 SPRING REUNION

The Knoxville Scottish Rite Spring Reunion is now in progress. If you have not attended a reunion in a while, we the Knoxville Scottish Rite Executive Committee, the Director of Work Brother Bill Cutlip, 33°, Brother Charles Williams, 33°, Stage Crew Director and the Chairmen of the committees would like to invite you to come join us for a time of fellowship and getting back and remembering the time when you took your degrees. March 9th, will be the second Saturday of the reunion and it will finish up March 16th, 2019.

Please come and joins us, breakfast will be served each Saturday, 6:00 a.m.-7:15 a.m. and lunch as listed on the program at no charge.



## BROTHERS TAKING THE 4° THROUGH THE 32°

**Front row, left to right:** Jack Akard, 33° Erick Tuck, 32° KCCH, Charles Massengill, 32°, Richard LeBeau, 33° Venerable Master.

**Second row, left to right:** Jason H. Armes, Terry L. Brown, Patrick R. Burton, Lucas P. Hurst, Jeffrey R. Koup, Kevin D. Lawson, Paul E. Manning, Bradley K. Marlowe.

**Third row, left to right:** Allen P. McMichael, Timothy J. Morgan, Christopher J. Rock, Vito A. Sagliano, Robert M. Tarwater, Albert L. Travis.

These Brothers began their journey toward their 32° Saturday March 2, 2019 by receiving the 4°-14°. They will continue their journey, Saturday, March 9th, receiving the 18°-29° and Saturday March 16th, receive their 30°- 32°. Class begins at 8:15 each morning. Come join them in remembrance of receiving your degrees. Breakfast is served each morning from 6:00 a.m.- 7:15 a.m. for everyone to enjoy the fellowship.

**Scottish Rite Office closed on Good Friday, April 19, 2019**

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**ALLEGIANCE**

The several bodies of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry sitting in the Valley of Knoxville, Orient of Tennessee acknowledge and yield Allegiance to the Supreme Council of the Thirty-Third Degree, the Mother Supreme Council of the World whose see is at Charleston in the State of South Carolina of which

- RONALD A. SEALE, 33°**  
*Sovereign Grand Commander*
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- ROBERT T. REED, 33°**  
*Personal Representative*
- BILL R. CUTLIP, 33°**  
*Assistant Personal Representative*

**Stated Meeting 4th Tuesday, 7:30 P.M.**  
**Knoxville Lodge of Perfection**  
Venerable Master..Richard M. LeBeau, 33°  
Senior Warden  
.....Harvey H. LaFollette, 32° KCCH  
Jr. Warden.....J. Wesley Edens, 33°  
Orator.....J. Ronald Worthington, 32° KCCH

**Knoxville Chapter Rose Croix**  
Wise Master .....Rick D. Runion, 32° KCCH  
Senior Warden..Joseph C. Tucker, 32° KCCH  
Junior Warden.....A. Bryce Harris, 32°  
Orator .....John Walter Sayne, 32°

**Knoxville Council of Kadosh**  
Commander .....Derek K. Adamson, 33°  
1st Lt. Com.....Michael R. Byrd, 32° KCCH  
2nd Lt. Com ...Tron D. Valentine, 32° KCCH  
Chancellor .....Earl L. Ammon, 33°  
Orator .....Timothy P. Terry, 32°

**Knoxville Consistory**  
Master of Kadosh..Kenneth P. Roberts, 33°  
Prior .....David A. Webb, 32° KCCH  
Preceptor .....Shane B. Ratliff, 32° KCCH  
Chancellor .....W. Charles Williams, 33°

**All Bodies**

Secretary .....Robert B. Beam, 33°  
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Tiler.....Bobby G. Pollard, 33°

**Scottish Rite Executive Committee**

Robert T. Reed, 33° .....Chairman  
Richard M. LeBeau, 33° ..Venerable Master  
Bill R. Cutlip, 33° .....Vice Chairman,  
.....Past Ven. Master  
Rick D. Runion, 32° KCCH.....Wise Master  
Dan G. Lovely, 32° KCCH...Past Wise Master  
Derek K. Adamson, 33° .....Commander  
Billy R. Miller, 33° .....Past Commander  
Kenneth P. Roberts, 33° Master of Kadosh  
James B. Clark, 33° .....Past Master Kadosh  
Phillip G. Barrett, 32° .....At-Large  
Leon F. Shields, 32° .....At-Large  
Erick H. Tuck, 32° KCCH .....At-Large

**CONSISTORIANS**

Meets Fourth Tuesdays, 6:30 P.M.  
William "Bill" Price, 33° .....President  
Frank M. Johnson, 33° .....Vice President  
Ralph E. Keffer, 32° KCCH .....Sec.-Treas.  
Bart O. Iddins, 32° KCCH .....Chaplain

**KNOXVILLE SCOTTISH RITE FOUNDATION GOLF TOURNAMENT**

This year will be the 10th year for the Knoxville Scottish Rite Foundation Golf Tournament. In the nine years of the tournament, about \$150,000.00 has been donated to the Mercy Fund and Hearing and Speech. With the Mercy Fund that supplies shoes to school age children in need, counties that cannot support the needs in their county, \$500.00 is added to their account from the Golf Tournament to help with these needs. Please support the Knoxville Scottish Rite Foundation Golf Tournament with your sign sponsorship, door prizes and food for the Tournament. Join the Golf Tournament Committee to make the 10th annual Foundation Golf Tournament a great success. Next meeting will be at the Knoxville Scottish Rite Temple, Saturday, April 6, 9:00 a.m. in the dining room.

**10th ANNUAL FOUNDATION CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT**

**KNOXVILLE SCOTTISH RITE FOUNDATION, INC.**



**June 12th, 2019  
1:00 p.m.**



**Three Ridges Golf Course  
6101 Wise Springs Road  
Knoxville, TN**

**ADVERTISING INFORMATION**

**Levels of Donations....**

**\$100.00** \_\_\_\_\_

**\$250.00** \_\_\_\_\_

**\$500.00** \_\_\_\_\_

**Sponsor Golf Team** \_\_\_\_\_

**Donation Door Prize** \_\_\_\_\_

**Donation Other** \_\_\_\_\_

**We appreciate all donations,  
which are tax deductible.**

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**Sponsor or Team Name**

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**Address**

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**City, State, Zip**

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**Phone No.**

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**Email Address**

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**Golfer #1**

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**Golfer #2**

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**Golfer #3**

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**Golfer #4**

**FOUNDATION CHANGES STORAGE AND DISTRIBUTION OF SHOES**

This year the Foundation plans to take on a project of changing the storage and distribution of shoes to counties and children to a central location on the second floor (old Ramsey space). This will make the job of filling order for counties and stocking shoe easier for everyone. If you or your county would like to contribute to this project it would be greatly appreciated. To make a contribution for this project contact the office (865-524-3459).



**RELOCATING THE SCOTTISH RITE SHOE ROOM**

Pictured at left is the old Scottish Rite Shoe Room. The Foundation would like to move the Shoe Room to the old Ramsey Space pictured at right.





# MERCY FUND

The final report of the Mercy Fund contributions, by counties, is always an item of interest to our many brethren in the jurisdiction. The figures published below are 2011-2018 inclusive and reveal the ups and downs of the promotion, mostly up, we are pleased to say.

Money raised through the Temple by the Clubs pays for the shoes that are distributed in the area where the funds came from. It also pays for wheelchairs and other hospital equipment loaned out in each county. Some years the need may be less; changing economic conditions might be blamed at times for the decreases. One thing is certain, there is no decrease in interest in this worthwhile promotion, approved by the school authorities with whom we cooperate.

County	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Anderson & Oak Ridge	\$270	\$375	\$977	\$315	\$640	\$815	\$1050	\$1025
Blount	474	490	730	2445	3135	2275	1623	3655
Campbell	835	715	185	272	370	115	635	745
Carter	430	165	1640	367	280	280	2597	240
Claiborne	595	1115	1397	1759	1794	2285	1380	425
Cocke	345	762	732	1100	675	635	1030	590
Grainger	20	45	110	85	85	10	65	95
Greene	5020	4459	6135	245	10225	4145	4660	11,740
Hamblen	1215	1250	1285	1250	2500	2837	1805	820
Hancock	0	0	0	0	0	0	530	00
Hawkins	50	1120	1650	230	145	5245	4980	4854
Jefferson	3400	945	5175	1800	400	7237	6340	6750
Johnson	2160	1600	1230	960	1520	1760	1710	2030
Knox	4338	3765	4485	11375	5598	4715	7594	4456
Loudon	355	110	410	205	245	230	430	485
Monroe	65	95	135	25	200	50	150	80
Morgan	0	0	25	0	0	20	50	30
Roane	1065	2016	1225	2625	875	1690	4540	2124
Scott	380	1560	790	220	810	280	500	1460
Sevier	3455	180	466	110	625	225	915	2729
Sullivan	9875	12161	11414	21215	4752	5048	13448	6133
Unicoi	0	25	0	320	0	20	50	50
Union	7320	8165	5845	7892	7183	8482	4442	2885
Washington	400	1770	4560	1000	7400	3381	2944	2220
Misc./Memorials	1310	2099	1945	1807	1737	1665	5530	1779

**\$13,000.00 was donated to the Mercy Fund from Golf Tournament proceeds in 2018.**



### PATENTS PRESENTED

At Johnson City Lodge #486 Stated Meeting February 5, 2019, Brother James A. Saults, 33° on left, presented Brother Chris Breland his 32° Scottish Rite patent.

Pictured on right, Brother Brian Sousa, 32° Worshipful Master.



### CERTIFICATES PRESENTED

Brother Richard Lebeau, 33°, Venerable Master on right, presented Brother Danny Mayville, 32°, with his Master Craftman certificates and pins. Brother Mayville has completed two of the Master Craftman programs.

## VARIOUS CAST MEMBERS IN WARDROBE AROUND THE TEMPLE AT REUNION TIME



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**OFFICE HOURS**

MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY

8:00 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.

**SPRING REUNION**

**MARCH 2, 2019**

**MARCH 9, 2019**

**MARCH 16, 2019**

# TIME DATED MATERIAL

NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION  
U.S. Postage  
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## In Memoriam

*In the Celestial Lodge*



<i>James Bowling Allen</i>	<i>Strawberry Plains, TN</i>	<i>December 30, 2018</i>
<i>Jerry Lester Bond</i>	<i>Pioneer, TN</i>	<i>February 3, 2019</i>
<i>Leon Franklin Bryant</i>	<i>Newport, TN</i>	<i>October 10, 2018</i>
<i>William Davis Campbell</i>	<i>Greeneville, TN</i>	<i>December 3, 2018</i>
<i>Willard Harvey Carter</i>	<i>Gate City, VA</i>	<i>August 4, 2013</i>
<i>Joel Melvin Chambers</i>	<i>Knoxville, TN</i>	<i>February 22, 2019</i>
<i>Jay Robert Clark</i>	<i>Jefferson City, TN</i>	<i>January 31, 2019</i>
<i>Martin Howard Clarke</i>	<i>Elizabethton, TN</i>	<i>February 17, 2019</i>
<i>Henry Preston Duncan</i>	<i>Briceville, TN</i>	<i>February 15, 2019</i>
<i>Larry Edward Elliott</i>	<i>Knoxville, TN</i>	<i>December 28, 2018</i>
<i>Owen David Frei</i>	<i>Knoxville, TN</i>	<i>January 11, 2019</i>
<i>Charles Larry Hatmaker</i>	<i>Knoxville, TN</i>	<i>January 8, 2019</i>
<i>Jesse Willard James, Jr.</i>	<i>Hampton, TN</i>	<i>January 29, 2019</i>
<i>Melvin Jinkins</i>	<i>Corryton, TN</i>	<i>January 12, 2019</i>
<i>Thomas Marvin Johns, Sr.</i>	<i>Sevierville, TN</i>	<i>January 1, 2019</i>
<i>Tom C. Leach</i>	<i>LaFollette, TN</i>	<i>February 12, 2019</i>
<i>Charles Wayne McDaniel</i>	<i>Jacksboro, TN</i>	<i>January 18, 2019</i>
<i>David Ronald McGoldrick</i>	<i>Knoxville, TN</i>	<i>January 6, 2019</i>
<i>Allen Tiller Murray</i>	<i>Berlin, MD</i>	<i>May 21, 2018</i>
<i>Roscoe Murray</i>	<i>Bristol, VA</i>	<i>May 1, 2018</i>
<i>Emerson Lee Mynatt</i>	<i>Knoxville, TN</i>	<i>January 10, 2019</i>
<i>Paul Argen Parris</i>	<i>Kingsport, TN</i>	<i>July 24, 2014</i>
<i>Charles Roger Poole</i>	<i>Maryville, TN</i>	<i>January 25, 2019</i>
<i>James Paul Purdy</i>	<i>Loudon, TN</i>	<i>January 19, 2019</i>
<i>Jack Alan Ray</i>	<i>Norris, TN</i>	<i>January 14, 2019</i>
<i>Jimmie Kyle Shelton</i>	<i>Elizabethton, TN</i>	<i>February 7, 2019</i>
<i>Clifford Street</i>	<i>Johnson City, TN</i>	<i>February 6, 2018</i>
<i>Floyd Samuel Thompson</i>	<i>Kingsport, TN</i>	<i>February 18, 2019</i>
<i>Ion Wainwright</i>	<i>Maryville, TN</i>	<i>January 8, 2019</i>
<i>Roger Day Wisecarver</i>	<i>Owens Cross Roads, AL</i>	<i>January 5, 2019</i>

### IN THE HOSPITALS

**Asbury Assisted Living:**  
Roy Pemberton

**Ben Atchley Veterans Home:**  
Franklin E. Hatfield  
James L. Johnson  
Benny E. Walker

**Beverly Park Place North:**  
Marion Brock

**Church Hill Health Care:**  
Doyle K. Derrick

**Dominion Assisted Living:**  
Robert Haynes

**Elmcroft of Halls:**  
Esco L. Owens

**Heritage Nursing Home:**  
John H. Cress

**Jefferson City Health & Rehab:**  
Arlin Russell

**Lifecare - Wartburg:**  
Steven Spitzer

**Park Place - Knoxville:**  
Paul L. Summers

**Parkview Nursing Home:**  
William O. Neubert

**Pinnacle Assisted Living:**  
Ralph Newcomb

**Preston Place II:**  
Billy Gilreath

**River Oaks Place Asst. Living:**  
Fred Shaver

**Shannondale Retire. Home:**  
Thomas A. Nicholson  
Hal T. Randles

**The Waters of Clinton:**  
Thomas N. Muncy

**Windsor Gardens Asst. Living:**  
William J. Campbell, Jr.  
Jack F. Ensor  
Clarence Grey

Tom Hudgens, Tommy Hulse, Carl Johnson, Voyd Keck, Steven Kuhn, William Lyles, F.A. Maples, William McCamy, G.E. McClure, Edward McCoy, R.P. McDaniel, R.C. McElroy, A.L. McGill, J.E. Moore, J.B. Moses, S.D. Nave, Carlton Outhouse, H.L. Patterson, Manford Payne, Jerry Phillips, S.D. Phillips, J.L. Pointer, Paul Qualls, C.E. Ragle, L.H. Ridings, S.D. Rose, Floyd Rutherford, Willis Scott, Herschal Sharp, M.D. Singleton, C.A. Smith, Leonard Smith, Wayne Smith, Brian Sousa, J.P. Stalcup, Ron Stevens, R.E. Stone, James Teffeteller, J.D. Vicars, T.N. Watson, K.R. Webb, William Weeks, Jerry Wolfenbarger, R.B. Woodard, J.W. Wright, Donald Young.

### SICK AT HOME

Robert Acuff, Harrison Ailey, W.F. Ball, S.R. Barger, E.H. Barton, Wayne Bell, Bobby Blakley, Bill Bowers, Ivan Brody, George Burgess, J.A. Carpenter, B.D. Cole, J.E. Collins, Bill Craddock, J.B. Crowson, Roger Dinsmore, H.H. Dolen, Mike Dougherty, G.E. Ferguson, James Ford, Charles Gheen, Jesse Gibson, C.E. Green, H.H. Greene, Alvin Hammer, John Harris, Jeff Heaberlin, Charles Hedgecock, G.R. Holland, Joe Hommell,

### TRESTLE BOARD

#### MARCH

**2 Reunion**

**9 Reunion**

**16 Reunion**

**19 Consistorians . . . . .6:30**

**Stated Meeting . . . . .7:30**

#### APRIL

**6 Golf Tourn. Mtg. . . . .9:00 am**

**18 Extinguishing &**

**Relighting the Lights . . .7:00**

**19 Good Friday Office Closed**

**23 Consistorians . . . . .6:30**

**Stated Meeting . . . . .7:30**

*Meals Will Be Served*