



# SCOTTISH RITE

VALLEY OF WILMINGTON, DELAWARE



APRIL 3, 2011 CHURCH SERVICE MASONIC HOME 2:00 PM  
APRIL 14, 2011 BUSINESS MEETING MASONIC HOME 7:30 PM  
APRIL 16, 2011 26TH, 31ST, & 32ND DEGREE CEREMONIAL NUR SHRINE 9:30 AM  
APRIL 27, 2011 INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS ST. JOHN'S LODGE NO. 2 7:30 PM  
APRIL 29, 2011 WORKER'S DINNER BRANDYWINE COUNTRY CLUB 6:30 PM



## WILMINGTON CHAPTER OF ROSE CROIX

The Wilmington Chapter of Rose Croix is governed by the Supreme Council of Sovereign Grand Inspectors General of the Thirty-third and Last degree of the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry under the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction of the United States of America. This Chapter of Scottish Rite is responsible for the Seventeenth and Eighteenth Degrees.

The Seventeenth Degree—Knight of the East and West teaches each candidate that loyalty to God is his primary commitment. This degree will inspire every Freemason to believe in the One True God and spread the word of one spiritual Brotherhood throughout the world. The title of the Eighteenth Degree is impressive—Knight of Rose Croix, Perfect Prince Freemason of Heredom, Knight of the Eagle and Pelican. This degree teaches that man must have a new Temple residing in his heart where God is worshipped in spirit and in truth and that man must have a new law—the Law of Love which all men everywhere may understand and practice.

I would like to welcome the members of the Ill.: Kenneth E. Spiess, Sr. Class into the Scottish Rite. Upon conferral of your 32°, I challenge each member of this class to actively participate in Scottish Rite. Do not just get the title, 32nd Degree Mason, be active and support all the activities of the fraternity. Be present at all reunions and degree works. A Masonic pin or ring is a symbol that you belong to the Fraternity. This is not enough to show your commitment. Live up to the principles and always be guided by Faith, Hope and Charity.

I would like to acknowledge the supporters of the Scottish Rite Family Life Day, last December 5, 2010. There were 32 members and their families that attended the musical *Babes in Toyland* at the Delaware Children's Theater. It was a wonderful Christmas show for the entire family. The Wilmington Chapter of Rose Croix will sponsor another Family Life Day in the Spring.

At the March 5th Ceremonial, the Wilmington Chapter of Rose Croix will confer the *(continued on page 2, Column 1)*

## DELAWARE SCOTTISH RITE CHARITY GOLF OUTING

There are designs on the trestle board and work to do! Brethren, your Scottish Rite in Delaware is on the move for a worthy cause. While we are at it, let's have some fun too. "Construction" for this event is the Eagle Creek Golf Course at the Dover AFB.

We are raising funds to support the children and families of our military people serving overseas. When our military are deployed, there are great stresses placed upon their family. The children of these families need special attention. Specially trained staff provides activities for the kids and watch for telltale signs of stress. The staff works to intervene and keep them safe.

Your role in this task is to help raise funds that will be used for the children's benefit. We will leave how the funds are spent to the capable staff at the Dover Air Force Base. Perhaps it is a night out bowling, lessons for golf, and activities for the kids to channel themselves or whatever the trained staff finds that will serve these precious family members.

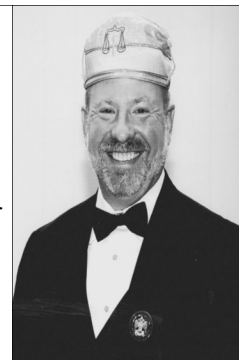
We need golfers, sponsors and volunteers. Some of you can play several roles.

This charity golf outing is open to anyone. Bring your friends, business associates, family and have some fun. Don't golf? No problem! You can encourage folks to sponsor the event, golf or both. The event is limited to 100 golfers, but there is no limit on what we can raise.

M:W: Grand Master John Bednash has issued the challenge. The Grand Master's trophy is up for grabs again. Will anyone beat Concord Lodge to claim the title and add their Masonic group's name to the trophy? We'll see.

Included in this edition is a copy of the brochure. Use the brochure to sign up to play golf, sponsor the event, or pay for a tee sign. Let's get to work!

Edward D. Miles, 32°  
Sovereign Prince



## LET YOUR LIGHT SHINE

On Saturday, April 16, 2011 at the NUR Temple, the Delaware Consistory will confer the final degree for this Scottish Rite Class. Along with the 32<sup>nd</sup>, the 31<sup>st</sup> and the 26<sup>th</sup> Degrees will be presented.

This year has the marking of an excellent year. The degrees conferred so far have been presented in excellent form. The Ill.: Kenneth E. Spiess, Sr., 33<sup>o</sup> Class is going to outnumber many of our past years. Thanks to our membership committee and brothers demonstrating the tenets of our fraternal organization: Friendship, Morality, and Brotherly Love.

Scottish Rite members that concentrate their activities around our Core Values, "Reverence to God, Justice, Toleration, Devotion to Country, Service to Humanity, and Integrity" have great success in attracting prospective members. As a bright light attracts insects, so does a brother that exhibits and lives according to these Core Values. In turn, attracting men seeking {more light} Masonic knowledge.

Now, my Companion Knights, come forth with me and our brothers to welcome our new Sublime Princes of the Royal Secret, 32<sup>o</sup>, of the Valley of Wilmington and the Valley of Lower Delaware. May they serve with us and their light shall shine to all mankind.

May their Masonic light continue to brightly glow as they serve others and become a better husband, neighbor, father, friend, countryman, and Scottish Rite Brother.

Remembering the great motto of the Sublime Prince of the Royal Secret, Spes mea in Deo est, Our Hope is in GOD.

Ill.: Arthur L. Bright, 33<sup>o</sup>  
Commander-in-Chief  
Delaware Consistory

(continued from Page 1, Column 1) Eighteenth Degree. I would like to advise the members of the Ill.: Kenneth E. Spiess, Sr. Class to listen attentively and learn the principles that will be presented on stage. I am requesting the other 32<sup>o</sup> Brothers to come, enjoy and recollect the times when this degree was conferred upon you.

Cesar E. Aniceto, 32<sup>o</sup>  
Most Wise Master



## Jesus Christ Superstar! A DCT Adult Actors Wing Fundraising Event

...an ardent rock opera for all generations, depicting the last week of the life of Jesus Christ.

*Jesus Christ Superstar* is a rock opera by Andrew Lloyd Webber, with lyrics by Tim Rice. First staged on Broadway in 1971, it highlights political and interpersonal struggles between Judas Iscariot and Jesus. The opera is based loosely on the Gospels' account of the last week of Jesus' life, beginning with the preparation for the arrival of Jesus and his disciples in Jerusalem, and ending with the Crucifixion.

The work's depiction offers a free interpretation of the psychology of Jesus and the other characters. A large part of the plot focuses on the character of Judas, who is depicted as a tragic figure who is dissatisfied with the direction Jesus steers his disciples. Twentieth-century attitudes as well as contemporary slang pervade the lyrics, and ironic allusions to modern life are scattered throughout the depiction of political events.

*This production of JESUS CHRIST SUPERSTAR is recommended for children 7 years of age and older.*



**Sunday, April 3, 2011 at 2:00 PM**

*Doors open at 1:30 pm and guests should arrive no later than 1:45 pm*

**Delaware Children's Theatre  
1014 Delaware Avenue  
Wilmington, DE**

*Free parking is available across the street from the theatre in the Colonial Parking / Bellevue Holding Lot next to CVS, as well as street parking all around the theatre. There is also free parking available at the Ursuline Academy Cultural Arts Center parking lot at the end of Park Place and Van Buren Street behind the Theatre.*

**TICKETS are \$25 for adults and \$15 for children 16 and under and seniors 65 and older.**

Tom make reservations or for more information, call Tony Maxwell at (302) 528-2636 or write [tonymaxwell@hotmail.com](mailto:tonymaxwell@hotmail.com).

Please make reservations by March 25, 2011 and send a check payable to "DCT: by March 25, 2011 to:

Tony Maxwell  
32nd Degree Masonic Family Life Program  
2609 Sylvanus Drive  
Wilmington, DE 19803

### PANCAKE BREAKFAST

**NUR DUCK BLIND**

**April 16, 2011**

**8-11 A.M.**



**Pancakes  
Sausage  
Orange Juice  
Milk, Coffee, Tea**

Adults (over 12) - \$5.00

Children - \$3.00

**Seconds available**

**TICKETS: "Q" Members\*  
NUR Office**

**\*Dave Cauffman, Chuck Maass**

**CHECKS PAYABLE TO TEOCALLI#777**

**PROCEEDS BENEFIT SHRINE  
HOSPITAL TRANSPORTATION  
FUND**

### SCOTTISH RITE DELAWARE CONSISTORY 2011 TRIP TO THE LIBERTY BELL AND THE FRANKLIN INSTITUTE

**MEMBERS THEIR FAMILY AND FRIENDS**

**Call your Secretary for reservations now – seating is limited!!**



An ICE event –  
Inspiration, Convenience  
and Enjoyment

**Saturday May 21, 2011**

**Buses leave from Union #7 and Nur Center**

**Stand by the Liberty Bell  
Lunch at Pat or Geno's Steaks  
(your only expense)**



DEPARTS UNION #7 AT 9:00 AM  
DEPARTS NUR TEMPLE AT 9:30 AM  
DEPARTS PHILADELPHIA AT 4:30 PM



**Tour the Franklin Institute  
See the Leonardo Da Vinci Exhibit**



**DEATHS REPORTED SINCE LAST BULLETIN**

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02/25/1921	Jack C. Coughlan, SM	01/18/2011
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12/22/1929	Frank H. Furr, Jr.	02/02/2011
06/06/1931	Raymond E. Robinson, MSA, LM	02/04/2011
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05/10/1925	Clifford M. Downward	02/21/2011
03/06/1926	Donald E. Alford	02/23/2011
07/21/1921	John R. Collison, LM	03/03/2011

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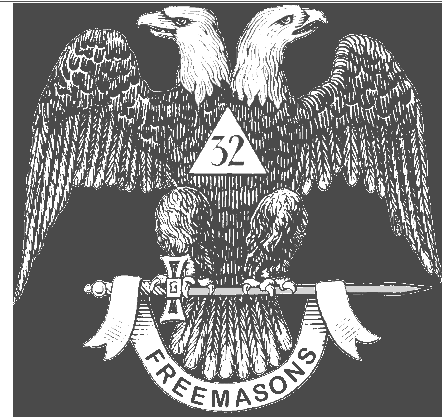
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**THE NEW SCOTTISH RITE LOGO**

Brethren, the above logo, brand new out of Lexington, depicts the new standard, a double headed eagle with a banner pronouncing that we are a fraternity of “Freemasons”. It is used to denote that we, as Scottish Rite Masons, should never forget and always support our great Fraternity of FREEMASONS. Remember, every Scottish Rite Mason is a blue lodge freemason, a patriot, and a man who can be relied upon in all situations to always do the right thing in his obligations to God, his Country, his family, his neighbor and himself.

Did you notice that it replaced the previous double headed eagle on the banner of this newsletter?

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