



TENTH ANNUAL MRF SYMPOSIUM PROVISIONAL PROGRAM

Friday, 16 August

5:00-6:30 PM – Registration Opens at Spindletop Hall

6:30-7:30 PM – Cash Bar at Spindletop Hall

7:30 PM – Harmony

– Keynote Address –

Our Grand Experiment: When Amity Becomes Enmity

Rt. Wor. Bro. Mikel Stoops

Grand Senior Warden, Grand Lodge of Kansas

Saturday, 17 August

9:00 AM – Fraternal Greetings and Opening Address

Master of Ceremonies – Wor. Bro. John W. Bizzack, PM

Wor. Bro. Andrew Hammer, PM, President, MRF

9:30 AM – First Session

Assembly Required: Building and Maintaining an Observant Lodge

M.W. Douglas L. Caudle, PGM, Past Master, Sophia Lodge No. 767, Salisbury, NC; Secretary, MRF

A Call to Engagement

Wor. Bro. Dan Kemble, PM, William O. Ware Lodge of Research, Covington, KY

10:30 AM – Second Session

On High Hills and In Low Vales: Building the Lodge Without the Building

Wor. Bro. Patrick Craddock, PM, Conlegium Ritus Austeri No. 779, Nashville, Tennessee

Freemasonry and Freedom Veiled

Bro. Robert Pollock, Junior Warden, Harmony Lodge No. 8, Urbana, Ohio

11:30 PM– Break

11:45 PM - Third Session

The Indispensable Obligation: Examining the Esoterics of Masonic Prayer

Wor. Bro. Christopher Murphy, PM, Fibonacci Lodge No. 112, South Royalton, VT

Developing Sustainable Leadership in the Craft

Wor. Bro. John D. Cissell, PM, Grand Junior Deacon, Grand Lodge of Kentucky

12:45 PM – Transport to Lexington Lodge for Lunch

1:15 – Lunch

2:15 PM - Fourth Session

Moving Forward By Looking Back: The Restoration of Lexington Lodge No. 1

Wor. Bro. Cameron Poe, PM, Lexington Lodge No. 1, Lexington, KY

3:15 PM – Break

3:45 PM – English Emulation Master Mason Degree (*Lexington Lodge Room*)

Fiat Lux Lodge No. 1717, Washington, DC

5:30 PM – Evening Free in Lexington

Sunday, 18 August

9:00 AM – Closing Address

A Slippery Slope: The Promotion of Masonry by Association With the Well-Known

Wor. Bro. John W. Bizzack, PM, Master, Lexington Lodge No. 1, Lexington, KY

10:00 AM – Closing Discussion with Speakers

Moderator: Most Worshipful Douglas L. Caudle, PGM, Secretary, MRF

11:00 AM - Symposium Ends