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Motto: *Anything Worth Doing Can Be Done.*
Color: Black, Gold, and Red

Songs: Encourage Yourself; The Best in Me

Scripture: Psalm 34:1 KJV
"I will bless the LORD at all times; his praises shall continually be in my mouth."

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TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE MOST ROYAL PRINCE HALL GRAND COURT ORDER OF CYRENE, STATE OF NEW YORK:

Greetings and Happy New Year,
The Most Royal Grand Chief Engineer and I would like to first and foremost thank everyone for their support in this administration, and we ask that you continue to work towards the true spirit of Truth, Charity, and Love.

ANNUAL GRAND COURT SESSION: **The 109th Annual Grand Session of the Most Royal Prince Hall Grand Court Order of Cyrene,** will convene on Friday, October 2nd, 2026, at the Crown Plaza Albany (The Desmond Hotel) 600 Albany Shaker Road, Albany, NY 12211. Hotel rate is $155 per night plus tax, single or double. You may contact the hotel at 518-869-8100 and use the group code YRT or on-line booking link:
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Cut-off for group rate is September 9th, 2026, at 12:01am

OFFICIAL VISITATION: District Deputy Grand Commandresses and District Deputy Grand Chief Engineers will make their official visits in March 2026. The District Deputy Grand Commandress will inspect the books and records of the Secretary and Treasurer. Royal Commandress, it is your responsibility for ensuring your Secretary and Treasurer books are made available for inspection at that time.

ADVANCE NIGHT: All royal courts are encouraged to have an advance night in your March meetings, even if the Royal Commandress is not leaving office. It is encouraged that all members learn their work and be prepared.

COURT ELECTIONS: There will be a blanket dispensation for all Royal Courts to open one (1) hour early in April.
******NOTE: Schedule of court elections attached, and all are welcome to attend these elections.***

The Administrative Degree will be conferred following the elections under the direction of Right Royal Deputy Grand Commandress, Sandra Romani (3). **ONLY FIRST TIME ROYAL COMMANDRESSES AND SIR ENGINEERS ELECTED TO SERVE WILL RECEIVE THIS DEGREE.**

BALDRICS: Baldric orders that are needed for Royal Commandresses leaving office in April, must be submitted to the Right Royal Deputy Grand Commandress, Sandra Romani (3) 3204 Park Ave #17D Bronx, N.Y .10451 and accompanied by a payment of $200.00**. Orders must be submitted** no later than your February court meeting. Make payment to **Most Royal Prince Hall Grand Court Order of Cyrene and in the memo-BALDRIC.**

PARAPHENALIA: All request/orders for paraphernalia (Rituals, Turbans, Constitutions, etc.) needed for Royal Courts are to be made through the Grand Court Trustees. Please reach out to them for assistance. Thank you.

LOW SUNDAY SERVICE & FEE: Our Low Sunday Service will be held on **Sunday, April 12th, 2026, via Zoom platform. Time-TBD** Royal Ladies you are to wear black, Turban, Baldric, black accessories, black shoes.
Sir Engineers please dress in your Knights Templar uniform.
Royal Grand Magdalene Ella L Robinson (3) will be requesting all Royal Magdalens to collect $2.00 from each member on roll no later than your February meeting. Make payment to **Most Royal Prince Hall Grand Court Order of Cyrene and in the memo-LOW SUNDAY** and mail to Royal Grand Magdalene Ella L Robinson, 40 East Sidney Ave.#18D Mt. Vernon, N.Y. 10550

OCCASIONAL GRAND COURT: will be held on Saturday, March 28th, 2026, at 9:00am sharp at The Prince Hall Grand Lodge, 454 West 155th Street, NY, NY. All five (5) degrees of the Order of Cyrene will be conferred. The degrees will be performed by members of various courts and the Grand Court Officers under the direction of our Royal Grand Lecturers.
There will be a flat-rate fee of $25.00 per candidate for the degree(s). Candidates must be balloted on and received clearance by the Office of the Royal Grand Secretary by March 14th, 2026.
For those wishing to become a member of the Cyrene, but have not joined a Royal Court, they will be charged $50.00 to receive all degrees and will have ninety (90) days to join a Royal Court of their choice.

ATTIRE: All royal ladies are to be in long white, with long sleeves, white accessories, shoes, gloves, turban, baldric/sash of office, or collar. All sir engineers appropriate knight templar attire. ***Candidates:*** Sisters are to be in short white with long sleeves, white accessories, shoes, gloves. Brothers in appropriate knight templar attire.
Please contact the Royal Grand Lecturer PRC Katheann Woodroffe if you would like to assist with the first four (4) degrees. The last degree will be done by the Grand Court Officers.

JURISDICTION VISITATIONS: We look forward to having our royal ladies and sir engineers attend jurisdiction visits with us. We invite you to join us as we visit the following jurisdictions: New Jersey, Connecticut, South Carolina, and Pennsylvania. Our Royal Grand CCFC PRC Sharon Chaple (20) will inform us as to the dates of these sessions.

MOST EMINENT PRINCE HALL GRAND COMMANDERY: The MEPHGCKT of New York will be celebrating 150 years of service. They will be hosting their 150th Anniversary Luncheon on Saturday, April 25th, 2026, in Albany, NY. More information will be forth coming.

STUDENT ASSISTANCE CHARITY & APPLICATION: If you are aware of graduating high school Senior for the year 2026, please contact our Royal Grand Martha, Katheann Woodroffe for an application. Remember, only one (1) application per court will be accepted. Reminder, each court is to collect $5.00 from each member on your roll and remit your court's annual charity amount. Make payment to **Most Royal Prince Hall Grand Court Order of Cyrene and in the memo-STUD. ASSISTANCE** and mail to Royal Grand Martha Katheann Woodroffe (2), 751 Van Siclen Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11207, no later than your June meeting.

ETTA FORBES CHARITY: This annual charity is for our beloved Royal Ladies and Sir Engineers who are sick and/or shut in. Each court is to collect $5.00 from each member on your roll and remit your court's annual charity amount. Make payment to **Most Royal Prince Hall Grand Court Order of Cyrene and in the memo-ETTA FORBES** and mail to Royal Grand Magdalene Ella L Robinson (3), 40 East Sidney Ave.#18D Mt. Vernon, N.Y. 10550, no later than your June meeting.

SOCIAL CONCERNS CHARITY: This annual charity focuses on giving to special charity or not-for-profit organizations or groups that give support to those in need that affect our communities. Each court is to collect $5.00 from each member on your roll and remit your court's annual charity amount. Make payment to **Most Royal Prince Hall Grand Court Order of Cyrene and in the memo-SOCIAL CONCERNS** and mail to the Right Royal Deputy Grand Commandress, Sandra Romani (3) 3204 Park Ave #17D Bronx, N.Y .10451, no later than your June meeting.

The Most Royal Grand Chief Engineer and I would like to wish everyone many blessings for the year 2026. Extend condolences and prayers to all our members who have loved ones who have passed on and those who may be experiencing health and personal challenges. That our Heavenly Father continues to bless us all with his abundant grace and boundless mercy. We pray for health, strength, love, life, and prosperity.

This proclamation must be read in its entirety at your next meeting and may be duplicated for distribution to members.

Done under our hand and the Seal of the Most Royal Prince Hall Grand Court Order of Cyrene, State of New York, on this 18th day of January in the Year of our Lord, Two Thousand Twenty-Six.

Yours In Truth, Charity, and Love

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Richard A. Bourne

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Most Royal Grand Chief Engineer

Attest:

Jennie Dingwall
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Royal Grand Secretary

April Elections

2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3 Bathsheba Royal Court No. 15 @ 7:00pm	4
5	6	7 Magdalene Royal Court No. 12 @ 7:00pm	8	9	10	11
12 Annual Low Sunday Service via Zoom	13	14	15 St. Mary's Royal Court No. 13 @ 7:00pm	16	17	18 Unbroken Circle Royal Court No. 20 @ 9:00am
19	20 Crown of Thorns Royal Court No. 19 @ 7:00pm	21	22 Oriental Royal Court No. 5 @ 7:00pm	23	24 Nazarene Royal Court No. 2 @ 7:00pm	25
26	27 Bethany Royal Court No. 3 @ 7:00pm	28	29	30		