



March 1, 2009

## **Welcome!**

*Welcome to the Members of the International Supreme Council, Delegates to the 42nd International DeMolay Congress, Visitors, Guests & Friends of DeMolay! We are returning to Kansas City for the 90<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the founding of this great order!*

*The registration materials & forms for the 89<sup>th</sup> Annual Session being held at The Westin Crown Center Hotel, June 17 – 21, 2009 are currently available “**On-Line**” for the 1<sup>st</sup> time! Registrations need to be received at the Service & Leadership Center in Kansas City **prior** to the **deadline of May 1, 2009**. **Nancy Shipps** of our Service & Leadership Center staff will coordinate the registration process with Registrars **Dennis & Cindy Reed** who will manage all registration matters on site at the hotel. Please review all materials carefully.*

*The meal for the Grand Masters’ Banquet will feature a “duet” entrée of steak & chicken. As in the past, those Jurisdictions or groups desiring Banquet seating together should have **1 person** order and pay for all the tickets requested (except for Congress Delegates & Non-Delegate Youth Package registrants who will have their tickets). That person will receive the ordered tickets in his/her packet at the registration desk and may distribute them as necessary. We will have **rounds of 8** and will do our best to accommodate all.*

*The Congress Officers have selected a trip to Worlds of Fun on Wednesday, June 17<sup>th</sup> as the Congress Event. A ticket is included in the registration fee for all registered Delegates and others registered with the Youth Group Package.*

*Tickets for the following added events are available on the registration forms:*

*A. Worlds of Fun Park on Wednesday; B. The Kansas City Royals vs. the Arizona Diamondbacks on Wednesday evening; C. Bussing for each of these events; and D. Ladies Luncheon at the Nelson-Atkins Art Museum on Friday with transportation included.*

*The hotel rates are \$113/room/night, inclusive, regardless of the number of occupants.*

**By Contract, the Convention Planning Committee must make all hotel reservations.**

*We expect to have another superb Session this year in Kansas City. Plan to attend as we celebrate our 90<sup>th</sup> Anniversary!*

*If you have any questions, please contact **Nancy Shipps** at the Service & Leadership Center.*

*Look forward to seeing “y’all” in Kansas City,*

***Frank***

*Franklin J. Kell, Jr., PGM  
Chairman, Convention Planning Committee*