

SGAUS NATIONAL CHAPLAIN

By way of introduction, my name is Bob Palmer and I will be serving as the SGAUS Chaplain for the 2016 calendar year. I serve as the command chaplain for the Tennessee State Guard. I am an ordained priest in the Episcopal Church. Having retired from General Motors Corporation after over 33 years of service, I now am self-employed as a human resources consultant. I hold a Doctor of Ministry degree in pastoral counseling, a Masters degree in clinical counseling, a Bachelors degree in the management of human resources and I am board



certified in pastoral counseling through the International Board of Christian Care. I have a combined 11 years of service in the Army Reserves and the New York National Guard. I have been in the Tennessee State Guard since 2002. My goal for this coming year is to continue to assist all the State Guards/Militias in growing their chaplain corps both in

numbers and professionalism. Military chaplains provide a valuable service to the citizens of the states they serve – emotional and spiritual care in times of crisis. To that end, it is essential that all chaplains continue to gain new skills and sharpen existing skills. Please let me know if I can assist you in any way.

My email is: palmersintn@comcast.net I look forward to serving as your SGAUS Chaplain. CH(COL) Robert Palmer, Command Chaplain-TNSG