



## **JOHN LEONARD DAMIAN BUTTERWORTH**

### **IMMEDIATE PAST MASTER 2016-2017 The Worshipful Company of Founders**

John was born and bred in Surrey. His early career was in accountancy and he then had over thirty years in the family building company, established in the City in 1838.

He is now semi-retired which leaves time to pursue a lifelong interest in antique firearms and gunpowder flasks. He endeavours to keep the weeds away, improve the lawn and bring colour to the garden. He is a member of the Rowland Club and The Royal Automobile Club and hugely enjoyed a very busy year as Master Founder.

Charitable works include past chairman of the Board of Trustees of The Cardinal Hume Centre and he is currently a Foundation School Governor. He has been married to Angela for almost forty years, they have two children, Phillip and Caroline, who are both Founders' Liverymen, and two grandchildren.