

The Beehive

October, 2020 A.D.; 6020 A.L

Nashua, New Hampshire

Hello Brethren,

I hope everyone is doing great and enjoying their fall season as the leaves are changing in New England.

A few things as we roll into October: we have our stated meeting on October 13 and I hope to see many brothers filling up our sidelines, especially some faces that haven't been to Lodge in a while. Ancient York's DDGM visitation is on the 27th and it would be great to have a good showing of brothers representing Ancient York.

A big congratulations to Worshipful Michael Henry for rallying Ancient York last year and winning the District Travel Award in 2019.

As you know, Ancient York has elections coming in December. If any Brother is interested in becoming a Lodge officer, please contact me or the Secretary and we can add your name to the ballot for the upcoming year. If you are interested in an appointed position, please let me

know which position you are interested in.

I want to again remind every Brother that your lodge is open to you and it would be great to see some Brothers we haven't seen in a while. If the confinement of COVID-19 has given you cabin fever, come visit your lodge and make some new friends.

If you are nervous to come out, we will be broadcasting the meeting virtually after the ritual opening. Stay tuned for a separate email with the information to participate.

Have a great month and I hope to see you in lodge!

Fraternally,

Mike Mader

Worshipful Master

2020 Lodge Officers

<i>Worshipful Master</i>	<i>Michael R. Mader</i>
<i>Senior Warden</i>	<i>Gary D. Waters, Jr.</i>
<i>Junior Warden</i>	<i>Michael S. Henry, PM</i>
<i>Treasurer</i>	<i>Stephen K. Babsler, PM</i>
<i>Associate Treasurer</i>	<i>Harold Brodell</i>
<i>Secretary</i>	<i>Christopher J. Busby, PM</i>
<i>Associate Secretary</i>	<i>Stephen Stock</i>
<i>Senior Deacon</i>	<i>Peter LaFauci</i>
<i>Junior Deacon</i>	<i>Christopher Fowler</i>
<i>Senior Steward</i>	<i>Andrew Lane</i>
<i>Trustee</i>	<i>Michael S. Henry, PM</i>
<i>Grand Lodge Rep.</i>	<i>Peter LaFauci</i>

October Masonic Birthdays

Howard S. Ehrlich, 19 Years

Stephen M. Stock, 8 Years

Douglas E. Wiggins, Sr., 4 Years

Michael Mader, Master
Master@ancientyork89.org
 Christopher J. Busby, PM, Secretary
secretary@ancientyork89.org

Upcoming AYL Events

10/10, Saturday,

4th District Lodge of Instruction
(Final for Year); Lunch at Noon;
GL opens at 1pm.

10/13, Tuesday,

AYL October Stated Communication;
Dinner 6:00pm / Lodge opens at 7:00pm

10/22, Thursday, Ritual

Excellence Award Session,
Nashua; 7:00.

Open to any MM to participate.

10/20, Tuesday, Trustees

of the Masonic Apartments,
Nashua, 6:30pm

10/24, Saturday, Ritual

Performance Workshop,
Nashua; 9am to Noon.

Open to all MMs. Casual Dress.

10/27, Tuesday,

Ancient York Lodge Visitation;

6:30pm dinner / 7:30pm Lodge opens

11/3, Tuesday, AYL FC Degree.

6:00pm dinner / 7:00pm Lodge opens

11/13, Friday, AYL Special

Communication

Education Program on Swedish Rite with
Bro. Joseph Olefirowicz,
6:00pm dinner / 7:00pm lodge

Remaining Visitation List

All open on Master Mason Degree

10/27-Ancient York Lodge No. 89, Nashua

**10/30-Lafayette Bible Lodge No. 41,
Goffstown**

11/2-Pulpit Rock Lodge No. 103, Pelham

12/3-Spicket Lodge No. 85, Nashua

12/15-St. Mark's Lodge No. 44, Derry

Ritual Performance Workshop Coming to Nashua

Our Grand Lecturer, Right Worshipful Brother Chris Busby, will be hosting a Ritual Performance Workshop featuring Brother Michael T. Brown II at the Nashua Masonic Temple on Saturday, 10/24 starting at 9:00am.

We will be looking at the ritual through the lens of our ceremonies being dramatic performances. This Workshop will provide insight into how actors prepare for their roles, break down and take an in-depth look into several pieces of our ritual, and provide specific recommendations to help improve your ritual performance.

This will be a highly interactive and unique workshop targeted to any Brother that is currently an officer and wishes to improve their ritual delivery, a Brother that is hoping to join the officer line, or any Brother that wishes to help to give our candidates the absolute best experience possible!

There is no cost for the workshop and is open to all Master Mason. Dress is casual. If you have any questions, please contact our Grand Lecturer at grandlecturer@nhgrandlodge.org.

2021 Dues

Brethren, you will be receiving dues bills either in the mail or via email in the coming days. Dues for 2021 as voted on at our September Stated Communication are \$200 (\$145 Lodge, \$45 Grand Lodge Assessment, \$10 Masonic Building Association Assessment). If you are able, please remit your dues as early as you can before December 31. Save a stamp and pay online at <http://www.ancientyork89.org/pay-dues/> (PayPal's fees are included in the total). If you anticipate any problems in paying dues, please contact me at secretary@ancientyork89.org or the Master at master@ancientyork89.org as soon as you are able. Thank you! Chris

Special Communication: The Magic Flute, & the Swedish Rite, Friday, 11/13.

Bro. Joseph Olefirowicz, Ancient York's organist and Past Grand Organist for the Grand Lodge of New Hampshire will be presenting an analysis of Mozart's opera "The Magic Flute" based on the Trestleboard of the EA Degree in the Swedish Rite. He will provide additional insight to his personal experience being inducted into Masonry through the Swedish Rite in Germany. Bro. Olefirowicz is Minister of Music at First Church in Nashua and a world-renowned conductor. Join us for what will be a very compelling presentation and discussion. Dinner at 6:00pm and Lodge opens at 7:00pm.