

# ANCIENT YORK LODGE N<sup>o</sup> 89

## Greetings from the East

Greetings Brethren,

I hope everyone is enjoying the spring weather wherever you are. It has been very nice here in NH. I would like to start off with recognizing Right Worshipful Thomas S. Lowe on receiving the Jeremy Ladd Cross Award. R.W. Lowe has done a tremendous amount of work for our Lodge as well as Grand Lodge over his several decades of service to Freemasonry and is well deserved.

As you may know Ancient York is celebrating our 150th Anniversary this month. Your officers have put a lot of effort in the planning of this event and it is sure to be great. As you may have read in the email, we will be hosting it online for our Brothers that are out of the area or want to be socially distant, and masks are now optional going forward per the Grand Master. This will be a great opportunity to learn about the city when we were chartered along with seeing a great presentation on Freemasonry for the public.

Normally this would be the last event before we go dark, but we will be getting together during the summer to have a Master Mason degree in August. I hope to see as many Brothers at our events going forward, especially if you have not been in a while. I am pleased to see the sidelines filling up with more Brothers as the pandemic fades away. I hope I see you all and get to shake your hand in Lodge.

Mike Mader  
Master

## Happy Birthday to the following Brothers Raised in June!

Wayland Hall .....	68	Ronald LaTerza .....	20
RW Brian Noble .....	42	Michael Jarzabek (Hon.).....	19
Stephen Bahsler, PM .....	38	Fernando "Tony" Campos .....	11
Edmund Correa, PM .....	37	Edward Wigfield .....	11
Treffley "Treff" Sage, HPM.....	34	Christopher Escobar .....	4
RW Mark Leavitt .....	33	Daniel Moriarty .....	3

## From the West

Gary Waters- Senior Warden

Traditionally, Masonic Lodges went dark until the fall when the crops have been harvested. Summer was a time for growing and tending crops. In the Modern Era, the same still holds true, but the "crops" we tend are of a different sort, but just as important to our well being.

Have a great Summer, and tend well your crops.

## From the South

Peter LaFauci- Junior Warden

Brethren, as our last meeting before we go dark is upon us, I want to take a moment to reflect on what a strange journey we've been on over the last year plus. Many of you have been away, unable to partake in the Brotherly Love and Friendship of the Lodge in person.

As we start to open back up and are able to meet face to face, please know that there will always be refreshment and a place to break bread for all of you. I look forward to more days of bringing you the comforts of our dinner and seeing you all enjoy a meal together.

## Ancient York Lodge No. 89 150th Anniversary Celebration

Our 150th Anniversary Celebration is only a few short weeks away. As Wor. Mader alluded to, we will be running a terrific program followed by Friendship and Brotherly Love during our Ladies at the Table.

If you haven't yet purchased your tickets to dinner, please make sure to visit our website (<http://www.ancientyork89.org/>) or reach out to one of your officers.

We look forward to seeing all of you on June 13th!

## LODGE CALENDAR

### June 3- Masters and Wardens Meeting

Jewel Lodge, 148 Main St, Pembroke

Refreshments at 6:30, Meeting starts at 7:15

### June 8- Ancient York Stated Communication

\*\*\*\*Masks will be optional per edict of the Grand Master\*\*\*\*

Dinner served at 6:00 PM (Baked Ziti with Salad and Garlic Bread)

Lodge Opening at 7:00 PM under the Entered Apprentice Degree

### June 13- Ancient York 150th Anniversary Celebration

Program starting at 2:00

Social Hour at 4:30

Ladies at the Table commencing at 5:30

### June 24- "Whether or not blue lodges should abandon the progressive line"

An educational debate where RW Chris Busby and our DDGEO Ryan Flynn will debate for and against this practice.

