



Greetings from the East

Brethren,

Undoubtedly you have all heard or read the German philosopher Friedrich Nietzsche's adage, "what does not kill me makes me stronger." Indeed, our beloved Ancient York Lodge is proof of this statement. Despite the challenges of the Covid pandemic, and the horribly tumultuous social and political division seen over the past two years, our Ancient York brethren are fearless in showing the world how Masons love one another. I look from the East and see an excellent line of officers, and brothers who truly exemplify that statement despite the challenges our modern society faces.

Please, come and join us for dinner and discussions in our Lodge, and be a part of that brotherhood. Our Jr. Warden, Corey R.J. Maclean plans and practices every meal to make sure we are all well fed. He never disappoints. We have a new "Organist", Brother Brian Murphy. Brian is a very accomplished professional guitarist/musician. We got a small taste of what he has planned for music at our rehearsal the other night, it was excellent. Our Chaplin, Brother Christopher Fowler, brings a real devotion to the solemnity of our prayers in Lodge. The other new addition is Brother Lee Forrence, who jumped in as our Marshal. Bro. Forrence spent years in the Army practicing for this very opportunity. I could go on bragging about all of our officers, but it is better if you join us and find out.

We have a very active year planned. We kick it off by hosting the 2nd Masonic District, starting with our Past Master and DDGEO Ryan Flynn leading a discussion on Feb. 1st to contemplate the E.A. degree. A week later, Feb. 8th we have our stated communication, and then Feb. 12th we have 20 tickets for the Rising Sun Comedy Night. In April we will once again host the 2nd Masonic District in a discussion led by R.W. Ryan Flynn in an Introspective Approach to the Master Mason Degree. April 30th we will head South to Jenks Lodge to support their Speakeasy night. That's not all! Over the year we will also have a pig roast, Evening of Masonic Light, candidate degrees, traveling degrees, and don't forget Masoniccon. I will be sending out email communications regularly to keep you all abreast of our strategy moving forward.

Fraternally Yours,
W.°. Gary D. Waters Jr.
Worshipful Master

ANCIENT YORK LODGE № 89

Happy Birthday to the following Brothers Raised in February!

Frederick Hebert 71 years
Wor. Thomas Streck, PM, 50 years
Robert Fellows, 50 years
Frank Twardowsky, 49 years

Wor. Arthur Herbert, PM 48 years
Wor. Benjamin Feldman, PM 45 years
Joel Van Patten, 6 years



Greetings from the West

Brethren,

As I step to the West, I'm filled with excitement and nervous energy of what this year will bring. Wor. Waters has a lot of wonderful ideas on how we're going to grow as Brothers, Masons, and as a Lodge. Most recently, a group of Brothers traveled to attend the visitation of our good friends at Jenks Lodge in Rhode Island. This was the first time in a while that we shared an event with our Brothers from the Ocean State, and I know that we're all looking forward to more time spent with them.

If you have not been to attend Lodge in a while, now is a perfect time to get back. The great work that Wor. Mader has done over the last two year, and with all that Wor. Waters is planning, Ancient York is continuing on a journey set for years ago.

If you need any help in getting to a meeting or an event, please feel free to reach out to any of the officers. We always enjoy talking with our Brothers, especially those who we may not have seen in a while.

Brothers, please remember that your officers are here to serve you. Please, if you need anything, don't hesitate to reach out.

Peter LaFauci, Senior Warden

LODGE CALENDAR

Entered Appetence Education Program - February 1

Nashua Masonic Temple

A Chicken Teriyaki will be served for dinner at 6:00 PM; Program will start at 7:00 PM

Join RW Ryan Flynn who will be leading a seminar on how to approach the Entered Apprentice Degree in a contemplative way. This is the first part of a three part series on all three degrees. This is open to all Masons.

February Stated Communication - February 8

Nashua Masonic Temple

An Indian Inspired dinner at 6:00pm sharp.

Lodge opens at 7:00pm on the Entered Apprentice degree.

Rising Sun Comedy Night - February 12

222 Central St, Hudson NH

Doors open at 7:30, show starts at 8:00.

For tickets and information, please contact Guy Martineau or Larry Gullett

District 2 Town Hall Meeting - March 1

Pembroke Masonic Temple, 146 Main St. Pembroke NH

Light Refreshment at 6:30, Opening at 7:00

March Stated Communication - March 8th

Nashua Masonic Temple

Dinner at 6:00pm sharp.

Lodge opens at 7:00pm on the Entered Apprentice degree.

Fellow Craft Degree Education Program - March 9th

Must be a Fellow Craft to attend

St. Marks Lodge No. 44, Derry, NH 7:30 start

This is part two of the Degree education program presented by RW Ryan Flynn.



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2022 Installation

Brethren, on January 22nd, your newly elected officers were installed for the 2022 year. While it was a scaled down event, the brothers in attendance experienced a wonderful installation. Over very own R. W. Christopher Busby and R.W. Thomas Lowe did a fantastic job installing all of the officers. R.W. Ryan Flynn chipped in, helping us out by acting as our Secretary, and Treff Sage killed it as our acting Marshal. Below are some of the pictures we captures on the day.



2022 OFFICERS

Worshipful Master	Gary D. Waters, Jr.	603-365-1600
Senior Warden	Peter LaFauci	603-930-4775
Junior Warden	Corey MacLean	
Secretary	Oliver Frates	
Assoc. Secretary	Christopher Busby, PM	
Treasurer	Stephen Bahsler, PM	
Assoc. Treasurer	Michael Henry, PM	
Senior Deacon	Michael Mader, PM	
Junior Deacon	Andrew Lane	
Steward	Peter Daigle	
Chaplin	Christopher Fowler	
Marshall	Lee Forrence	
Organist	Brian Muprhy	

MASONIC LABOR IS PURELY A LABOR OF LOVE.

HE WHO SEEKS TO DRAW WAGES IN GOLD OR SILVER WILL BE DISAPPOINTED.

THE WAGES OF A MASON ARE EARNED AND PAID IN THEIR DEALINGS WITH ONE ANOTHER:

SYMPATHY THAT BEGETS SYMPATHY
KINDNESS BEGETS KINDNESS
HELPLESSNESS BEGETS HELPLESSNESS
AND THESE ARE THE WAGES OF A MASON.

BY BROTHER BENJAMIN FRANKLIN 1706 - 1790

An Introspective Class on the Entered Apprentice Degree

When: Tuesday, February 1st

Dinner at 6:00 PM, Class at 7:00 PM

Where: Nashua Masonic Temple

196 Main St, Nashua NH 03060

Ancient York is hosting the DDGEO of the 2nd Masonic District, Right Worshipful Ryan Flynn, in a discussion on the Entered Apprentice Degree

This event will likely have people from all around the district, if not the jurisdiction. Please plan to be at this event, and ready to host on the E.A. degree.

This is part 1 of a 3 part series taking an introspective look at the Blue Lodge Degrees. This will take a different approach to how we normally discuss Degrees in our Lodges. It promises to be an exciting experience for all that attend.

Dinner starts at 6:00 pm and will be Chicken Teriyaki as prepared by our J.R. Warden Brother Corey Maclean.



R.W. Ryan Flynn

