



## From the East

Brethren,

The temperatures are rising and the summer will soon be on us.

This is the time of year where we start planting our crops so we can harvest them in the fall.

Ancient York has indeed been planting some seeds over that last several month and we're starting to see the growth.

We recently brought a new man into the Fraternity. Bro. Andrew Simons joined us on April 29<sup>th</sup> in one of the best degrees I've had the privilege of being a part of.

Everyone in the Degree brought their A game that evening. From RW Busby as sitting Master, to RW Lowe giving the EA History, all Brothers involved showed their love and dedication to the Craft, and more importantly to Bro. Simons.

That is three Entered Apprentices we have brought in since December. That is three new Brothers that we have the privilege of bringing on a once in a life time journey.

And, I want to welcome back Bro. Rodrigo, who has been working down South this winter.

These Brothers have been a wonderful addition to our Lodge. They're excitement and want for knowledge and Brotherly Love is contagious.

These four Brothers are seeds that will help Ancient York grow and continue to be the wonderful Lodge we've all grown to love and cherish.

That love was on full display this past Tuesday. It was an honor to have a part in this Brothers journey into Masonry. And it will continue to be that as he and our other EA's and FC's work on their journey through our Craft.

I thank all four of you for the honor of helping you become the Masons I know you'll be.

Fraternally Yours,  
Peter N. LaFauci  
Worshipful Master

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

## LODGE CALENDAR

### **Tuesday, May 13<sup>th</sup> - Ancient York Lodge Stated Communication**

**Dinner:** 6:00 PM; **Meeting Start:** 7:00 PM, Opening Entered Appetence

**Who:** All members of Ancient York Lodge;

**Dress:** Dark Suit

**Education:** Andrew Simons talking about the importance of Physical Fitness

### **Saturday, May 17<sup>th</sup> - Grand Lodge Annual Communication**

**Registration:** 9:00 AM; **Opening:** 9:30 AM

1505 Elm St, Manchester NH

**Who:** Master, Sr. and Jr. Wardens, Grand Lodge Representative, and any Master Mason

**Dress:** Dark Suit and regalia of your office for Officers

### **Tuesday, June 10<sup>th</sup> - Ancient York Lodge Stated Communication**

**Dinner Start:** 6:00 PM; **Meeting Start:** 7:00 PM Opening on Entered Apprentice

**Who:** All members of Ancient York Lodge;

**Dress:** Dark Suit

**Education:** TBD

### **Saturday, June 21<sup>st</sup> - AYL Movie Night**

**Time:** 6:00 PM

**Where:** Back Room of the 4th floor

**Who:** All members of Ancient York Lodge and guests

**Movie:** Dogma

**Please RSVP for all meals utilizing the QR Code below, or through  
[ancieintyork89.org](http://ancieintyork89.org)**

Use the QR code to RSVP  
for our next Stated  
Communication



If any Brothers have something to  
share with the Lodge, please reach  
out. We love to share our  
experiences with our Brothers!  
Peter LaFauci, Master

# ANCIENT YORK LODGE Nº 89

## Happy Birthday to all our Brothers Raised in May!

Samuel Kinsman	53 Years	Wor. Kevin Carter, PM	20 Years
Robert Gidari	42 Years	Benjamin Wallace (Hon)	18 Years
RW Russell Lowe	42 Years	RW Christopher J. Busby, PM	16 Years
RW Thomas Lowe, PM	42 Years	Wor. Michael Mader, PM	16 Years
Clifford Church	40 Years	Daniel Arcidiacono	9 Years
Gerhard Coorsen	26 Years	Wor. Peter N. LaFauci	8 Years

## From the South

*"Learning is the only thing the mind never exhausts, never fears, and never regrets."*

*-Leonardo da Vinci*

Everyone joins the Freemasons for different reasons. One of the many things that we all have in common is learning. Maybe it was learning the history of Masonry, or learning how to do Ritual, or any number of other things that Masonry exposes us to.

The one thing that Masonry taught me more than anything else was that I can do more than I ever thought was possible. And that makes me feel proud every time I pick up the Ritual book. I never dreamed that I was capable of memorizing multiple pages of monologue and not just recite it back, but perform it with inflection and meaning-in front of a room full of men. I don't have a theatrical or musical background. So how did I learn it?

Brother Waters told me when I was studying my EA catechism, that it was no different than me learning all the words to my favorite songs. That blew my mind, and changed how I looked at learning my work.

So why do I bring all this up? We have several new Brothers in our Lodge and they all have different learning abilities. Each are gifted individuals and they may learn at different speeds. I ask them to not worry if one of them learns faster than the others, or if they having difficulty with it. Instead, take the time to learn what it means in addition to what it says. Once you do that, the lessons will become easier and you'll be the ones teaching the next generation of Masons in no time.

Fraternally,  
Bro. Peter Daigle  
Junior Warden

## 2025 LODGE OFFICERS

Worshipful Master - W. Peter LaFauci  
Senior Warden - W. Oliver Frates  
Junior Warden - Peter Daigle  
Treasurer - W. Stephen Bahsler, PM  
Secretary - R.W. Christopher Busby, PM

Chaplin - W. Gary Waters, PM  
Senior Deacon - Andrew Lane  
Junior Deacon - Chirstopher Fowler  
Musician - Brian Murphy  
Historian - W. Edmund Correa, PM



## Welcome Bro. Andrew!



Congratulations to Bro. Andrew Simons on starting his journey in Masonry. Bro. Simons has joined Ancient York Lodge as our youngest Entered Apprentice. We are happy to have you Brother!