



HARBOR CITY LODGE N^o. 318 F. & A.M. TRESTLE BOARD - DECEMBER 2023

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W.: Heryny L. Engel, Jr, Chmn.
R.: W.: Thomas L. Moore
R.: W.: Ben Schwartz

PETITIONS

W.: Wade Atchison, Chmn.
R.: W.: John Paniccia
W.: Shaun Arner

MASONIC EDUCATION

R.: W.: Ben Schwartz, Chmn.
R.: W.: Dayle Schrock
Bro.: Brian Nemeth
Bro.: John Allen

BOARD OF RELIEF

R.: W.: James W. Demenkow, Chmn,

COMING EVENTS

December 6, 2023, 6:00pm Open Books, SOI on Installations

December 9, 2023, Children's Christmas Party

December 16, 2023, Family Dinner

WORSHIPFUL MASTER'S MESSAGE

My Brothers,

As 2023 draws to a close, I would like to thank the Brethren of Harbor City Lodge for allowing me to serve as their Worshipful Master this past year. It has been an honor and a pleasure.

I want to thank the Brethren for putting together and delivering the Thanksgiving Baskets. We delivered baskets to 35 needy families. The Lodge will hold a Christmas party at The Haven on December 9, 2023. A gift list for the children is on the counter outside the Lodge Room. The Thanksgiving and Christmas activities are very worthwhile charities, and your support is greatly appreciated.

We had a successful Fellowcraft Degree on November 15, 2023. I encourage all of the brethren to come and join us for the conferring of these degrees because your Lodge does excellent degree work

We are planning for a family dinner on December 16, 2023. A flyer with more detailed information on this event will be sent out shortly. The installation of 2024 Lodge Officers is scheduled for Saturday, January 13, 2023 at 10:00 am. This will be an open installation and friends and families are welcome.

Fraternally,
Jim Demenkow,
Worshipful Master

SENIOR WARDEN'S MESSAGE

Brothers All:

Some say "bah humbug," some say "just another day" and don't care at all. It's one time of the year we should put all our differences aside and be kind, understanding, and as helpful as we can to one another. When the year is over, we want to look back and see what was accomplished and what we can improve on. Time is not always on our side, but friends and brothers are. Next year please make the decision to come to Lodge more often to join in the camaraderie, brotherhood, and charity.

Have a Merry Christmas and we'll see you all next year.

Fraternally,
Mike Hutzler,
Senior Warden

JUNIOR WARDEN'S MESSAGE

My Brothers,

The End of the year is upon us, time to wrap it up with a couple great events. We have the Christmas Party for The Haven coming up soon, this event is one of the most rewarding events of the year for the lodge. The list is published and at the lodge. Also, house gifts for all the kids to share are always welcome as well. Art and Craft supplies, board games, pizza gift cards have all been popular group items in the past.

LODGE COMMITTEES cont.

BOARD OF RELIEF, CONT.

W.: Michael R Hutzler,
W.: Henry L. Engel, Jr.

CHARITY

R.: W.: James Demenkow, Chmn.
Bro.: Richard Huffman
Bro.: Stephen Spears

LODGE PROPERTY

R.: W.: Dayle Schrock, Chmn.
W.: Allen Gregg,
Bro.: Richard Huffman,
Bro.: George Major

LODGE LIBRARIAN

W.: Al Zabel

SICKNESS & DISTRESS

Bro.: Richard Huffman, Chmn.

INVESTIGATION

As needed

PAST MASTERS

*Aubrey Bates..... PDDGM1954
*E. R. Mayfield1955
*Richard F. Griffie,.....1956
PDDGM & PGM 1976-77
*Raymond McAlpine1957
*Leo Culp1958
*Steven RianaldoPDDGM.....1959
*Richard F. Griffie,.....1960
PDDGM & PGM 1976-77
*Keith Brown1961
*Paul Heiss1962
* Charles McLin.....1963
*George Schulties.....1964
*Paul V. Gandy1965
*Adam BudrisPDDGM.....1966
John Beasley.....1967
*Arlon E. Noll.....1968
*Robert Notvest.....1969
Robert M. Bullock.....1970
*Edward P. Abbott.....1971
*Glenn T. Stitt.....PDDGM.....1972
*Robert L. Goldsmith.....1973
PDDGM, PGM 1983-84
Carl G. Planck, Jr.....1974
Douglas Dagley.....1975
*Henry Farrow.....1976
*Donald R. Pacetti.....1977
*Patrick A. Galbraith.....1978
*Curtis Horton.....1979
*James H. Bragg.....1980
Robert C. Birmie.....1981
*Wallace L. Whiting.....1982
Stanley W. Miller.....1983
*Gerald T. Freese.....1984
Ronald E. LaCair.....1985
Charles R.R. Walle.....1986
Corenth Owens.....1987
Karol M. Dziegiel.....PDDGM.....1988
Allen P. Gregg.....1989
Fred S. Ferrell.....1990
*George Ed. Gardner, Jr.....1991
William C. White.....1992
Kenneth L. Jenkins1993
Robert P. Edmiston.....1994
Thomas L. Moore.....PDDGM.....1995
E. Dean Hall.....1996
Mark C. Mason.....1997
John Paniccia.....PDDGM.....1998
Dayle Schrock.....PDDGM.....1999
Jim Kerrigan.....2000
Gary Wilson.....2001
Fred Baker.....PDDGM.....2002
Ron Trinkle.....PDDGM.....2003
Fran Cirillo.....2004
*John Ellis.....2005
George Goddard.....PDDGM..... 2006
Ernest Libby2007
Michael Hutzler.....2008
James Demenkow.....PDDGM.....2009
Shaun Arner2010
Wade Atchison.....2011

JUNIOR WARDEN'S MESSAGE CON'T

After that, we are planning a Family Dinner on December 16th. My plan is to serve a rib roast dinner with all the trimmings, serving at 6pm. Look forward to a flyer in the coming days for the price and further information.

It's been a pleasure sitting as Junior Warden the last two years, and I'm glad to see these hard working brothers coming up through the ranks to take over the kitchen. I look forward to helping them out when my schedule allows. I hope everyone has a fantastic holiday season and a safe and healthy New Year.

Fraternally,
Henry Engel PM
Junior Warden

SECRETARY'S MESSAGE

Greetings My Brothers and Happy December!

It has been a great year and my honor to serve as Lodge Secretary, My Lady Danielle and I wish you and your Families a very Merry Christmas and a safe New Year!

See you in Lodge in 2024!

Respectfully and Fraternaly,
John Paniccia
Secretary 2023

CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE

My Brothers,

November has been a great month for the Lodge, what with the raising of three Brothers to the Degree of Fellow Craft and their work now towards the Sublime Degree of Master Mason, the delivery of Thanksgiving dinners and preparations for Santa's visit to the Haven makes for a truly Masonic Month.

To finish up my teaching of the Bible Verses as they relate to the different degrees of Masonry, I will discuss the relationship of Psalm 133 to the Entered Apprentice Degree, to me this is the most important Degree of them all. Remember the time and effort you put into the catechism, and the thoughts of going into the unknown? The most important part of this degree was the reciting of the very first line of the Psalm 133 during your circumambulation, "Behold how good and pleasant it is for Brethren to dwell together in UNITY". I have chaptalized the word unity because of its importance to Masons. This statement should be carried forth the rest of your life as a Mason "not only at Home but while abroad in the World." I hope this series has been a help to a better understanding of the Bible's Books and Verses as it applies and applied to your trip to becoming a Master Mason.

Fraternally,
Richard Huffman
Chaplain

PAST MASTERS cont.	
Richard Seteroff	2012
Henry Engel.....	2013
John Dandeneau.....	2014
Jay Rodgers, PDDGM.....	2015
Douglas Setzer	2016
Kevin Smithwick, PDDGM	2017
Alfred Zabel.....	2018
John Dandeneau.....	2019
Jorge L. Aladro.....	2020
PGM 2012-13, PDDGM	
Steven Knowlton.....	2021
Wade Atchison.....	2022
Affiliated Past Masters	
*William P. Fincher.....	1963
*William Thomas.....	1981
*Ernest G. Peterson.....	1986
*Erwin C. Hamm	1988
Jorge L. Aladro.....	1989
DDGM, PGM 2012-13	
J.S. Harris	1994
*Charles E. Bryant.....	1999
*Robert A. Buotte.....	2000, 2001
Barry R. Shaffer.....	2001, 2019
Roger Fowler.....	2002, 2007
Steven B. Walden, PDDGM.....	2009
Benjamin Schwartz, PDDGM.....	2009

SICKNESS & DISTRESS

The following Brothers, their Families and Friends need your Prayers; Brothers; Tom, Ken, T.J., Steven S. Michael S., Doug S., Gary W., Oliver, and Dean.

Wives; Ellen H., Crissy S., and Sandy.

Family and Friends; Elanna, Carrol, Jean, Margo, John S., Curtis P., and Scott.

MONTHLY CHARITY

The recommended monthly charity for December is the Food Pantry at St, Paul's Anglin Church. This is a food pantry in our area serving low-income families, single parents, senior citizens and unemployed.

December 2023

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
26	27	28 7:30p Stated Meeting	29 No Degree Practice	30 OES Event	12/1 OES Event 6p Visit to Eugene C. Johnson I	2
3	4	5 7:30p OES Meeting	6 No Degree Practice 6p Open Books 6:30p Installation SOI	7	8	9 Children's Christmas Pa
10	11	12 7:30p Stated Meeting	13 6:30p MM Degree Practice 1st	14 7:30p York Rite	15 7:30p Amaranth	16 .6p Family Dinner
17	18	19 7:30p OES Meeting	20 6:30p MM Degree Practice 1st	21	22	23
24 Christmas Eve	25 Christmas Day	26 No Meeting	27 No Practice	28	29	30 10a AMD