



## **HARBOR CITY LODGE NO. 318 F. & A. M.**

### **TRESTLE BOARD JUNE 2026**

**Established: April 21, 1954 A.D., 5954 A.L.**

**1715 Avocado Ave. Melbourne, FL (321-537-0113)**

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Stated Communications: Second Tuesdays

Open Communication Fourth Tuesdays

Dinner at 6:30 PM and Meeting at 7:30 PM

Lodge web site: <http://www.harborcity318.com>

Facebook link: <https://www.facebook.com/HarborCity318?mibextid-JRoKGI>

**17<sup>th</sup> Masonic District of the**

**Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Florida F. & A. M.**

**Grand Master: M.:W.: Haskell R. Vest, Jr.—**

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**District 17 website: <https://thunderingdistrict.wixsite.com/seventeen>**

**District 17 Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/thundering17>**

### **Worshipful Master's Message**

Greetings from the East Brothers!

Once again, we've got a packed calendar ahead of us-but I know we'll get through it with the style and ease we've come to expect in a job well done! I wanted to include a quick recap of the Grand Lodge legislation, but I haven't seen it published anywhere yet; however, it mainly aligned with the jurisprudence recommendations. The biggest event for us, at least in my opinion, is our very own Brother Henry Engel becoming the next District Deputy Grand Master for District 17! Be sure to congratulate Right Worshipful when you see him at our stated communication on June 23<sup>rd</sup>!

## HC 318 Worshipful Master's Message (Con't)

Speaking of communications, here is a brief summary of upcoming events:

June 9<sup>th</sup>-Stated Communication: This is going to be a great one brothers! We've got proficiencies lined up for Brothers Ian White (EA), Daniel Limoges (MM), and Jean Michelle Assignon (MM).

They've done a ton of work preparing for it, and one of the best ways to be a Mason is to support those coming up behind you. Come on out and support them in the next step!

June 23<sup>rd</sup>: Second Stated Communication: This is the homecoming for our newly installed DDGM, Brother Henry Engels! Come out for what is sure to be a fantastic meal and great presentation along with the first incoming words of our Newly installed Grand Master (MW Haskell Vest) to the Craft!

July 14<sup>th</sup>: Stated Communication: We're going to continue the celebration of our nation's 250<sup>th</sup> with our meal and Masonic Education! We have a great nation, and we're going to keep that 4<sup>th</sup> of July spirit going.

July 28<sup>th</sup>: Open Communication: This is going to be the big one. I'd like to host an in-house BBQ competition (for Masons of District 17) at Harbor City Lodge. I'm thinking my entry will be smoked pulled pork and homemade BBQ sauce. We may combine this with our Santa in the Summer fundraiser for the Haven House (stay tuned for more info!). As always, Cash prize to the winner and no charge on the competition food to guests and brothers. Just bring enough servings for 10 people. Friends and Family invited!

On top of all that, I wanted to offer a chance for Masonic Travel- if there's any one thing that can make you learn more about the Craft, it's travelling out and getting to know your brothers. This year, I plan on travelling to other lodges not only within the district but also to nearby districts including District 16 (Orlando) and District 13 (Volusia). Let me know if you are down for a trip! I'd love to have you with me!

As always, let me know if you need anything and thanks for doing what you do.

Worshipful Master, John Allen, Harbor City Lodge #318. 321 604 2513

## Harbor City No. 318 Senior Warden's Message

From the West,

I hope this message finds you and your families well.

As we move into a new month, I want to thank each of you for your continued support, fellowship, and dedication to our lodge. Your attendance, participation, and commitment help keep our traditions strong and our brotherhood thriving.

Our stated communication this month will be held on 6/9 at 7:30. Dinner will begin at 6:30, followed by the opening of lodge promptly afterward. We encourage all brothers to attend and enjoy an evening of fellowship and Masonic education.

Santa in the summer is in the works, we had a huge success last year, let's make it even better!

Please continue to keep our sick and distressed brothers, widows and families in your thoughts and prayers. If you know of any brother in need, do not hesitate to contact lodge leadership so

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we may offer assistance.

As always, thank you for everything you do for the good of the craft. I look forward to seeing everyone in lodge soon. Fraternaly, Bro Greg Jones, Senior Warden

## Harbor City No. 318 Junior Warden's Message

From the South,

Grand Lodge is an experience like no other. Seeing that many Masons gathered in one place is both humbling and inspiring. It reminds us of the strength of our brotherhood and the legacy we carry forward.

As we look ahead, we face both great opportunities and real challenges this year, but together, we're more than capable of meeting them.

Govern yourselves according. Respectfully and Fraternaly, Bro Ed Leaman, Junior Warden

## Harbor City No. 318 Secretary's Notes

Greetings my Brother's. We hope you and your Families are doing well.

We have returned from our 197<sup>th</sup> Annual Grand Communication and Congratulations go out to our own R:W: Henry L. Engel our District Deputy Grand Master and Right Honorable Matt Hankes our District Instructor.

Congratulations also go out to R:W: Kevin Smithwick, Chairman for the Board of Trustees for the Masonic Home of Florida.

Just a reminder from our Grand Lodge Office:

You are fraternaly reminded that your members who are six (6) months in arrears in payment of their 2026 dues must have a "Notice of Delinquent Dues" forwarded to them by June 30, 2026, per the requirements of Article X, Section 20, of the Constitution.

We are wishing everyone a happy and safe summer!

May the good Lord watch over you and your Families!

Respectfully and Fraternaly, R:W: John Paniccia

## Harbor City No. 318 Chaplain's Message

To all my Brothers:

Welcome to June, and it has all the making of being quite interesting, we have new candidates in the pipeline and some new brothers preparing for their next step in their masonic journey. We have new directions from the Grand Lodge plus a brand-new District Deputy Grand Master, congratulations to our very own Brother and past Worshipful Master of our Lodge Brother Henry Engle. Do you not just love it when our Lodge is turned to for Masonic leadership both in the 17<sup>th</sup> District and for the Grand Lodge of Florida as it has been in the past.

Now we've chosen the direction in which our Lodge is to take for the future. So now it is incumbent upon all of us to support the committees with physical, mental, and Prayer support.

Respectfully, Bro Richard Huffman, Chaplain

## Harbor City No. 318: Sickness and Distress

The Following Brothers and families need our prayers:

Brothers: Tom M., Steven S., Oliver B., Al Z., William W., Scott S., Joey W., Police Officer Brother Marytin J., Gary W., and Family, Jim D. and wife, Andy C. and wife, and Harry V for hip replacement recovery, and Bro Ed's brother, Rob for healing after surgery. It is incumbent upon us and all Mason to keep these and all Masons in our Prayers. Confidential Prayer requests maybe received by contacting your Chaplain, Brother Richard, at 321-298-1975.

## HARBOR CITY No. 318: Charity

I will make a motion that our Charity for June will be New Life Mission. They work to permanently break the generational cycle of homelessness by providing women and their children housing, access to health care, childcare, counseling, transportation, education in a safe setting. They are a four-phase residential program in a Biblical-centered environment.

Bro. Richard Huffman Chaplain 321-298-1975

## FROM THE 17<sup>th</sup> Masonic District Instructor

My Brothers, I plan to have a couple of Saturday mornings sprinkled in for open books and will remain available to any brother who wants to earn some proficiency cards. A good one to start out with is the Silver Card which is reciting all three catechisms - questions and answers. A perfect opportunity for those brothers looking to get into serving as a lodge instructor for candidates. I'm flexible on communications - text or email is fine! Just a reminder, there will not be Open Books in June. The next one is scheduled for July 1<sup>st</sup> at Harbor City starting at 6:00 PM.

RH Matt Matthew Hanks. [matthanks3@gmail.com](mailto:matthanks3@gmail.com) (321-503-2846)

## FUTURE EVENTS

Saturday, June 6, Masters and Wardens at Harbor City: B08/M09

Tuesday, June 9: Stated Communication (Meeting)

Wednesday, Jun 10: Ritual & Degree Practice

Wednesday, June 17: Ritual and Degree Practice

Tuesday, June 23: Stated Communication (Meeting), DDGM OV; St. John the Baptist Eve.

Wednesday, June 24: Ritual and Degree Practice

Wednesday, July 1: Open Books @ HC and HC Practice

## GOOD OF THE ORDER

Please see our web page to view the pictures: <http://www.harborcity318.com>

## HARBOR CITY No. 318 JUNE BIRTHDAYS

Eugene Bjerning; Glenn Henselman; Roger Fowler; George Stenzel; Robert Long; James Demenkow; George Maxwell III; Donald Huggins; Andrew Mehalko II; Cameron Moore; Alexander Young; Steven Logsdon; Dwight Powless; Thomas Brownell.



## HARBOR CITY No. 318 JUNE MASONIC ANNIVERSARIES

Thomas Buterbaugh; Thomas Loshe; William Slover; Eric Hall; George Major; Murray Marsh, Jr.; John Paniccia; Andrew Mehalko II; Robert Arthur; Wade Atchison; Barry Schaffer; Shaun Arner; Russel Henning; Paul Beaudoin; Jordan Hughes, Jr.; Cameron Moore; Charlie Hatchett; Thomas Moore; James Perdue; Glen Cox



The Florida Masonic Home, in St. Petersburg, Fl provides Assisted Senior Living and Skilled Nursing to our Brothers and Sisters and their families and is open to all applicants through the Fraternal Care Plan and a Private Pay Plan.

## MASONIC YOUTH ORGANIZATIONS

DeMolay International is the largest fraternal organization for young men in the world. It provides Masonic tenets and values to a younger audience for young men throughout the world. DeMolay exists in all 50 states and more than 20 countries across the world. Age range: 12 to 21. [www.FLDeMolay.org](http://www.FLDeMolay.org) Florida DeMolay is growing strong.

The Mission Statement of **The International Order of the Rainbow for Girls** is to Prepare girls for responsible and purposeful adulthood through character and leadership development, encouraging unselfish service and higher ideals in life, and promoting teamwork and effective interpersonal communications. Age range: 11 to 20. <https://www.gorainbow.org>

**Job's Daughters'** is an international leadership organization for girls. Its mission is to create confident young women, respect tradition, and shape the future. Our members learn invaluable skills that increase their confidence and prepare them to lead. We teach girls to use their voice. Age range 10 to 20. [www.jobsdaughtersinternational.org](http://www.jobsdaughtersinternational.org)

## HARBOR CITY NO. 318: CURRENT OFFICERS

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Treasurer	∴ Shaun Arner	321-720-2952	sarner318@gmail.com
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Junior Deacon	James Padgett, III	321-587-1364	Jypadgett78@hotmail.com
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Junior Steward	Joey Williams	321-989-9368.	Jwllms30@gmail.com
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Tiler			
Marshall			
Musician			

### HARBOR CITY No. 318 COMMITTEES

Finance	Bro. Greg Jones, Chmn., R:W: Kevin Smithwick, ∴ Al Zabel, Bro. Brian Nemeth, Bro. Dennis Dyer
Vigilance	Bro. Ed Leaman, Chmn., R:W: Thomas L. Moore, R:W: Ben Schwartz
Petitions	∴ Wade Atchison, Chmn., R:W: John Paniccia, ∴ Shaun Arner
Education	R:W: Ben Schwartz, Chmn., R:W: James Demenkow, ∴ Mike Hutzler, Bro. Brian Nemeth, ∴ John Allen
Lodge Mentor's Committee	∴ Shaun Arner
Board of Relief	∴ John Allen, Chmn., Bro. Greg Jones, Bro Ed Leaman
Lodge Property	∴ Al Zabel, Chmn., ∴ Allen Gregg, ∴ Mike Hutzler, Bro. Richard Huffman, Bro. George Major
Charity	∴ John Allen, Chmn., Bro. Richard Huffman
Lodge Librarian	∴ Al Zabel, Chmn.
Sickness & Distress	Bro. Richard Huffman, Chmn.
Investigations	As Needed


## PAST MASTERS OF HARBOR CITY LODGE NO. 318

1954	*Aubrey Bates	PDDGM		1990	Fred S. Ferrell	
1955	*E. R. Mayfield			1991	*George Ed. Gardner, Jr.	
1956	*Richard F. Griffe	PDDGM & PGM 1976-77		1992	William C. White	
1957	*Raymond McAlpine			1993	*Kenneth L. Jenkins	
1958	*Leo Culp			1994	Robert P. Edmiston	
1959	*Steven Rianaldo	PDDGM		1995	Thomas L. Moore	PDDGM
1960	*Richard F. Griffe	PDDGM & PGM 1976-77		1996	E. Dean Hall	
1961	*Keith Brown			1997	Mark C. Mason	
1962	*Paul Heiss			1998	John Paniccia	PDDGM
1963	*Charles McLin			1999	Dayle Schrock	PDDGM
1964	George Schulthies			2000	Jim Kerrigan	
1965	*Paul V. Gandy			2001	Gary Wilson	
1966	*Adam Budris	PDDGM		2002	Fred Baker	PDDGM
1967	John Beasley			2003	Ron Trinkle	PDDGM
1968	*Arlon E. Noll			2004	Fran Cirillo	
1969	*Robert Notvest			2005	*John Ellis	
1970	Robert M. Bullock			2006	*George Goddard	PDDGM
1971	*Edward P. Abbott			2007	Ernest Libby	
1972	*Glenn T. Stitt	PDDGM		2008	Michael Hutzler	
1973	*Robert L. Goldsmith	PDDGM, PGM 1983-84		2009	James Demenkow	PDDGM
1974	Carl C. Planck, Jr.			2010	Shaun Arner	
1975	Douglas Dagley			2011	Wade Atchison	
1976	*Henry Farrow			2012	Richard Seteroff	
1977	*Donald R. Pacetti			2013	Henry Engel	
1978	*Patrick A. Galbraith			2014	John Dandeneau	
1979	*Curtis Horton			2015	Jay Rodgers	PDDGM
1980	*James H. Bragg			2016	Doughlas Setzer	
1981	Robert C. Birmie			2017	Kevin Smithwick	PDDGM
1982	*Wallace L. Whiting			2018	Alfred Zabel	
1983	Stanley W. Miller			2019	John Dandeneau	
1984	*Gerald T. Freese			2020	Jorge L. Aladro	PDDGM, PGM 2012-13
1985	*Ronald E. LaClair			2021	Steven Knowlton	
1986	Charles R. R. Walle			2022	Wade Atchison	
1987	Corenth Owens			2023	James Demenkow	PDDGM
1988	Karol M. Dziegiel			2024	Michael Hutzler	
1989	Allen P. Gregg			2025	James Demenkow	PDDGM

### Affiliated Past Masters of Harbor City Lodge No. 318

1963	* William P. Finche	1981	* William Thomas
1986	* Ernest G. Peterson	1988	* Erwin C. Hamm
1989	Jorge L. Aladro, PDDGM & PGM 2012-13	1994	J.S. Harris
1999	* Charles E. Bryant	2000 & 2001	** Robert Buotte
2001 & 2019	Barry R. Shaffer	2002 & 2007	Roger Fowler
2009	Steven B. Walden, PDDGM	2009	Ben Schwartz, PDDGM

## HARBOR CITY LODGE No. 318-----JUNE 2026 Calendar of Events

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
	<b>1</b> Melbourne 143-D-6:30/M-7:30 Merritt Is 353-M-7:00	<b>2</b> <b>OES 263 Meeting AT HC 318. 7:30</b> Brevard 113-D:6:30/M:7:30 Beach 354-D6:30/M:7:30	<b>3 HC 318 Ritual Practice @ 6:30</b> <b>NO OPEN BOOKS</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b> <b>M&amp;W @ HC 318.B-08/M-09</b> BELMONT STAKES 1806: Grand Lodge of DE est.
<b>7</b>	<b>8</b> Canaveral 339 D-6:30/M-7:30 Gateway 384-D:6:30/M:7:30	<b>9</b> <b>Harbor City 318 Stated Meeting D: 6:30/M: 7:30</b>	<b>10</b> <b>HC 318 Ritual Practice @ 6:30</b> 1775: Bro Bro James Barbour, 18 <sup>th</sup> Gov VA	<b>11</b> <b>York Rite @ HC D: 6:30-M 7:30 PM</b> Indian River 90 D:6/M:7PM Palm Bay 397 D: 6:30/M: 7:30 1821:Grand Lodge of AL est.	<b>12</b> 1889: Grand Lodge of ND est. 1924: 41 <sup>st</sup> Pres George HW Bush	<b>13</b>
<b>14</b> <b>FLAG DAY</b> 1775: US ARMY est. 1946: 45 & 47 <sup>th</sup> Pres Donald Trump	<b>15</b> Melbourne 143-D-6:30/M-7:30 DDGMOV Merritt Is 353-D-6:30/M-7:30 1880: Bro Fred Bennett Balzar, 15 <sup>th</sup> Gov of NV	<b>16</b> Brevard 113-D:6:30/M:7:30 Beach 354-D6:30/M:7:30 DDGMOV  1820: Grand Lodge of ME est. 1816: Bro Luke P. Blackburn, 28 <sup>th</sup> Gov of KY	<b>17</b> <b>HC 318 Ritual Practice @ 6:30</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19 JUNETEENTH Amaranth (Ida E. Banks Court No. 51) M 7:30 @ HC</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>21</b> <b>FATHER'S DAY Summer Begins!</b>	<b>22</b> Canaveral 339 D-6:30/M-7:30 DDGMOV Gateway 384-D:6:30/M:7:30	<b>23</b> <b>Harbor City 318 Stated Meeting DDGMOV</b> 1981: Grand Lodge of AK est.	<b>24</b> <b>HC 318 Ritual Practice @ 6:30</b> <b>ST. JOHN'S DAY</b> 1731: Grand Lodge of PA est. 1826: Grand Lodge of MI est.	<b>25</b> Indian River 90 D:6/M:7PM DDGMOV Palm Bay 397 D: 6:30/M: 7:30 1886: Bro Gen Henry "Hap" Arnold 1901: Bro Harold Roe Bartle, Boy Scout Executive	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>
<b>28</b> 1850: Bro Daniel Carter Beard, Founder of Boy Scouts	<b>21</b>		<b>July 1</b> HC 318 Ritual Practice Open Books at HC 318	<b>July 2</b>	<b>July 3</b>	<b>July 4</b> <b>FOURTH OF JULY -----</b> <b>America 250<sup>th</sup>!!!</b> 

Beach 354 (1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesdays): 1550 Hwy A1A, Indialantic---Brevard 113 (1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesdays) 40 Carmalt St. Cocoa---Canaveral 339 (2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Mondays): 149 S. Orlando Ave. Cocoa;---Gateway 384 (2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Mondays): 2995 Temple La., Mims---Harbor City 318 (2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays): 1715 Avocado Ave. Melbourne---Indian River 90 (2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays): 19 N. Washington Ave. Titusville;---Melbourne 143 (1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays): 2300 Dairy Rd. W. Melbourne---Merritt Island 353 (1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays): 247 S. Tropical Tr. Merritt Island---Palm Bay 397 (2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays): 4430 Dixie Hwy., Palm Bay. *Please contact each Lodge or Group to confirm times and programs.*