



Asbury Jordan Lodge No. 142

Free & Accepted Masons

Constituted 29 April 1999

Asbury Lodge #142: Constituted 1875 / Jordan Lodge #247: Constituted 1923

February

Anno Domini 2012 Anno Lucis 6012



MASTER'S MESSAGE

I want to extend heartfelt congratulations to WB Marc C. Ippolito, PM (2009) and his wife, Stephanie, on the birth of their first child, Valentina Sophia. May she find all the joy and excitement in the world she deserves. Good luck and Mazel Tov!

In ancient times, quarried stone which could be easily shaped into desired configurations, was called "freestone". Typical freestones are limestone and sandstone.

Then, as now, only after refining and smoothing these rough stones into their desired shape, were the stonemasons able to "fit them for the builder's use".

In the Fellowcraft degree, the Rough Ashlar represents a man's unrefined state and his need for improvement. He learns that the goal of being a better man includes spirituality of thought and striving for perfection of conduct. Via duties, expectations and obligations, he is charged to work toward these goals of self improvement.

As the Freemason "smooths" his rough edges, internally and externally; he becomes a better man and, therefore, a better Freemason.

Once a man has perfected his ashlar to the best of his ability,... as Brothers to all mankind, it is his duty to help others become better men and better Freemasons.

Freemasonry has a glorious history. Flawed ashlars can bring negative feelings and reproach upon the Fraternity from non-Freemasons in the outside world and therefore, can have no place within its walls.

...That said,...let us not forget that perfect ashlars are not found lying about the stone quarry without benefit of their having been hammered, chiseled and polished into such a state of being.

It also holds true that "perfect" men are also such an anomaly without the benefit of Brotherly love, guidance and light. There are very few Freemasons who have not been in both the rough and perfect ashlar state-of-being at some point in their lives.

ADAM M. REICH
Worshipful Master

Attest: Bennett D. Schneider, PM, Secretary

Regular Communications
Second and Fourth Mondays
Except July and August

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DESIGNS UPON THE TRESTLEBOARD

- *Lodge may open earlier than scheduled. Business meetings will start at 8:00PM. Please be prompt.*
- *Weekly Mentoring is from 7:00PM to 8:00PM every Monday evening unless otherwise noted.*
- *Officer's Attire for Regular Communications is Business Suit unless otherwise noted.*

Monday, February 6, 2012 ... 8:00PM
EA Degree Rehearsal

Monday, February 13, 2012 ... 8:00PM
Regular Communication

Thursday, February 16, 2012
17th Masonic District Assn. Meeting ... 7:00PM
District Lodge of Instruction ... 7:30PM
Hosted by: Asbury Jordan Lodge #142

Monday, February 20, 2012 ... 8:00PM
EA Degree Rehearsal

Monday, February 27, 2012 ... 8:00PM
Regular Communication
*Presentation: A Guide to Disaster and
Emergency Preparations*
By: Bro. Michael Aulisio

**Awaiting
Entered Apprentice Degree**

Mr. Anthony A. DiNardi

**Awaiting
Master Mason Degree**

Bro. FC Fredrick Beerman
Bro. FC Michael Ely
Bro. FC John Lauritsen
Bro. FC Edward Maier, III
Bro. FC David Truax

Masonic Birthdays

Richard P. Collins 29; George W. Cook 64;
Ernest Cox 54; Albert Diefert 20;
Bernard Epstein 51; Gerald Freeman 31;
Donald Haines 52; Steven Harber 36;
Robert Heldreth 48; Christopher Henn 6;
Chad Irons 20; Cary Keller 14;
John Miller 47; Christian Mogensen 33;
Franklin Poland 42; Robert Randall 46;
John Rippeto 44; Lewis Rogers 39;
Joseph Salustro 49; Adrian Stevens 31;
Eugene Weaver 51; Ira Winters 50;
Charles Wojciechowicz 24; Gregory Wright 25;
John Wright 46; David Wyckoff 36;
William Zimmerman 43

If your birthday is not listed here, please notify the Secretary

**"Thank you" From the
Children's Christmas Party
Committee**

The December 16, 2011 C.P.C. High Point Elementary School annual Christmas Party was the last to be coordinated by the current committee of Bro. Cliff Gibson (a member since 1972), RW John Post and his wife, Mary (members since 1972), and Joan Stembel (a member since 1981).

We want to thank all the Brethren, Ladies and their families for all the help over the past years with decorating, serving on party day and undecorating.

RW Phil Scrudato (Santa) and his wife Susan will take over the coordinating task and we, the former committee, will help as much as possible. We trust the younger Brethren will all pitch in and help keep this very rewarding project operating smoothly.

Thank you again for everyone's help over the past 29 years!

Sincerely,
The Committee



DISTRICT EVENTS

Saturday, February 4, 2012

Matawan Lodge #192
8:00 AM to 12:00 PM
Pancake Breakfast

Sunday, February 19, 2012

Olive Branch Lodge #16
7:00 AM to 1:00 PM
George Washington's Birthday Breakfast

Saturday, February 25, 2012

Matawan Lodge #192
3:00 PM to 8:00 PM
Spaghetti Dinner
\$8 Adult / \$5 Children

Friday, June 15, 2012

Durand Lodge #179
6:00 PM to 10:00 PM
Blue Claws Baseball Game
\$35 Adult / \$20 Children 5+

For more information, please contact
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GRAND LODGE EVENTS

Note: Details for all Grand Lodge events can be found on our website or by contacting the Secretary.

Saturday, February 4, 2012

Masonic Home Tricky Tray Event
Fellowship Center
1114 Oxmead Rd. Burlington, NJ
\$25.00 per person

Wednesday, April 4, 2012

Grand Lodge Banquet – Annual Communication
Bally's Park Place Hotel & Casino – Ocean Ballroom
\$50.00 per person

Thursday, April 5, 2012

Grand Master's Installation
Bally's Atlantic City – Convention Room
2:00 PM

Saturday, April, 21, 2012

Grand Master's Reception
Fellowship Center
1114 Oxmead Rd. Burlington, NJ
\$50.00 per person

To Help, Aide and Assist...

Masonic Help Lines

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Proxy to Grand Lodge

Lodges of the 17th District

Navesink #9.....152 Maple Ave. Red Bank
WM: James Mueller 1st & 3rd Wednesday; 7:30PM
(732) 546-8390

Olive Branch #16.....2 Dutch Lane Rd. Freehold
WM: Albert Barbato 2nd & 4th Tuesday; 8:00PM
(732) 431-2234

Caesarea #64.....60 Osborn St. Keyport
WM: Welton Assis 1st & 3rd Monday; 7:30PM
(732) 739-2212

Ocean #89.....559 Church St. Spring Lake Heights
WM: Robert Perry 2nd & 4th Thursday; 7:30PM
(732) 681-1383

Monmouth #172.....14 E. Garfield Ave. Atlantic Highlands
WM: Clifford D. Heller, PM 2nd & 4th Friday; 8:00PM
(908) 601-2546

Durand #179.....911 Richmond Ave. Point Pleasant Beach
WM: Martin Anton 2nd & 4th Monday; 7:30PM
(732) 295-8677

Matawan #192.....192 Main St. Matawan
WM: Rick Peterson 1st & 3rd Tuesday; 8:00PM
(732) 583-7875

LIVING PAST MASTERS

1954	Richard A. White
1955	Nathan Siegal
1961	Howard L. Ely
1966	Nathan J. Cotler
1967	Robert Rogove
1968	Eugene L. Weaver
1970	Robert Milfred L. Heldreth
1972	John Miller
1972	Herbert Wizanski
1974, '80, '85, '02	RW John D. Post, PGC, PDRI
1976, '77, '86, '91, '94	RW Herbert Glikin, PGC
1977	Cliff Gibson
1986	Burt Coffee
1987, '96	RW Chris Mogensen, PGC, PDRI
1988, '92	Bernard Merer
1988	William C. Zimmerman
1989	Lynn A. Parry
1990	Richard P. Collins
1992, '05	RW John S. Tsettos, PGC
1993	RW Philip Scrudato, PGC
1997	Chad Irons
1999	Robert T. Baer
2004	Denver L. White
2006	Robert B. Lee
2007	Bennett D. Schneider
2008	Hal V. Enoch
2009	Marc C. Ippolito
2010	Adam M. Reich
2011	Pierre F. Foy

AFFILIATED PAST MASTERS

RW Edward Durna, PS to GM
RW Michael Richard "Dick" Mekenian, PGC
WB William Mark Manigold, PM

HONORARY MEMBERS

MW Douglas R. Policastro, PGM
RW Harold Ascough, PDDGM
RW Fred E. Schlosser, PGC
WB Elmer Potter, PM
Bro. Tom Burke, DWAB

LODGE COMMITTEES

TRUSTEES

WB Pierre F. Foy, PM 3 Years
Bro. Milton Ziment 2 Years
WB Marc C. Ippolito, PM 1 Year

AUDIT & FINANCE

WB Robert B Lee, PM, Chair
RW John S. Tsettos, PGC
Bro. George Sakelaris

FRANZ FUND

WB Hal V. Enoch, PM, Chair
WB Pierre F. Foy, PM
WB Bennett D. Schneider, PM
RW Philip L. Scrudato, PGC
RW John D. Post, PGC, PDRI
RW Christian Mogensen, PGC, PDRI

SICKNESS & DISTRESS

All Lodge Officers

HOUSE/GENERAL

Bro. Christopher R. Henn, Chair
BLOOD DONATIONS/DRIVE
WB Adam M. Reich, PM, Chair
WB Bennett D. Schneider, PM

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY

RW Philip L. Scrudato, PGC, Chair
WB Pierre F. Foy, PM

WIDOWS SUPPORT

WB Bennett D. Schneider, PM, Chair

RITUAL

RW John D. Post, PGC, PDRI
RW Christian Mogensen, PGC, PDRI
RW Philip L. Scrudato, PGC

FUNERAL SERVICES

RW John Post, PGC, PDRI, Chair
RW Christian Mogensen, PGC, PDRI
WB Nathan Siegal, PM Chairman Emeritus