

BRETHREN,

Your 2021 Dues are Late! February 1st, a \$25 Late Fee has been added & Dues are now \$125

EASTGATE ASSOCIATION.

AS OF NOW WE HAVE 33 MEMBERS. If you are interested in becoming a member, or have any questions about **EASTGATE**, please contact



Guy Whitley PM – Treasurer @ 615-416-3141 or Gary Pirtle PM – Secretary @ 615-838-1601 THIS IS STRICTLY ON A VOLUNTEER BASIS!

Service Awards in 2021

25 Years: Thomas A. Cole & Todd B. Sanders
50 Years: Ervin C. Blackwelder Jr, Robert J.
DeBerry Jr, Kenneth D. Hudgens, Ottie C.
Renegar, Ronald W. Sloan, James D. Spain,
Roger D. Taylor

"FEBRUARY'S STATED MEETING"



Due to Covid-19 social distancing no one sat in the "Chair of Honor".

This months *Stated Meeting*We had **29** Members & **1** Visitor present
(**11** were Past Masters).

As of August 1st, 2020 MWGM Robert Reed has suspended All Degree Work until further notice!

"New Petitions"

Mr. Austin Williams & Michael Turner have petitioned Our Lodge to receive the 3° of Masonry.

Mr. John Shuford & Junior Marks petitions for the 3° were both rejected. They have to wait 12 months before They can repetition.

Let's Go to the Lodge Tonight

My Brother let's go to Lodge tonight; You haven't been for years. Let's don our Lambskin Apron white And sit among our peers. I feel a kind of longing, see, to climb those creaky stairs; I know it'll be a thrill for me to lay aside my cares. We'll meet the Tyler at the door and though he'll hesitate, we'll hear him say just as before, "Come in or you'll be late." I'd like to get out on the floor--Come on, let's get in line; I want to face the East once more And give the same old sign. I want to hear the gavel rap the Craftsmen to attention. and see the Master don his cap; a night without dissention. So, come! Pass up that picture show, or your wrestling bout or fight; Switch off that TV set! Let's go! Let's go to Lodge tonight.

>> SOME FEBRUARY EVENTS <<

Monday, February 1st, 2021 "National Freedom Day"

honors the signing of a resolution that proposed the 13th amendment of the nation's constitution (outlaws' slavery), on February 1, 1865 by President Abraham Lincoln.

Tuesday, February 2nd, 2021 "Groundhog Day"

Friday, February 5th, 2021 "National Wear Red Day"

On this day, men and women are encouraged to wear red as a symbol of their support of women's heart health.

Tuesday February 9th, "LODGE PRACTICE"

Eat @ 6 pm & Work @ 7 pm

Friday, February 12th, 2021 *"Lincoln's Birthday"*

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Sunday, February 14th, 2021 "Valentine's Day"

Monday, February 15th, 2021 "Presidents Day"

Tuesday, February 16th, "LODGE PRACTICE

Eat @ 6 pm & Work @ 7 pm

Wednesday, February 17th, 2021 "Ash Wednesday"

Tuesday, February 23rd, "FELLOWSHIP NIGHT"

Eat @ 6 pm & Work @ 7 pm

Our next **STATED MEETING** will be Tuesday, "**FEBRUARY 2nd**, **2021**" @ 7 pm Dinner is at 6 pm by Our 5-star Kitchen Crew!!

Prayer Request

James Anderson Jr; Charlie Bamman
Sr.; Albert Copen Jr; Ronnie Davis; Danny Dorsey;
Gibson Duncan Jr. & Wife; Buck Gentry; Bill
Henderson; James Highers; Dewey Holt; Will
Lansdown & Family; Preston Marsh; Joe, Matheny;
Jimmy Meadows; Randy Pryor; Larry Spurlock &
Family; Burton True; Don Waggoner; Randy Wilson.

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Bro. Jay W. Gilliam passed away 1/20/21.

Bro. Herman Paul Tomlin Jr passed away 1/15/2021. A Masonic Service was conducted on 1/20/21 @ Woodlawn Funeral Home.

Bro. John Daniel Coleman passed away 1/8/2021. No Services @ this time.

Bro. Chadwick Wayne Walls passed away 12/28/20 A Masonic Service was conducted 1/4/21 @ Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church in Belle Chasse LA.

Please Keep These Brothers & Families IN YOUR PRAYER!

''OUR'' NEW 2021 OFFICERS!

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We have a new web page @ "IonicLodge254.com" **CHECK IT OUT!**

February's Birthday Wishes

James Bamman, Robert Beck Sr, James Boswell, Walter Brown Jr, Leslie Buckner, George Burrus, Jr., Donny Dobbs, Gary Ferrell, Howard Ford, Malcolm Helton, Richard Hitch, Edwin Hoover Jr., John Koch, Danny Lashley, William Leptic, Dane McCary, William Merrill, David Michon, John Nesmith Jr, Douglas Pardue, Richard Perry, Gary Pirtle, **Brandon Powell, Charles Rhodes**

Happy Birthday Brothers!

"OUR" NEW 2021 TRUSTEES!

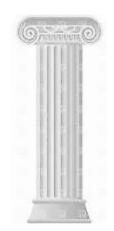
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