



March 17, 2022

TONIGHT'S AGENDA:

The Fellowcraft Degree.

Stated Communications on the 3rd Thursday
of the month, September through June

WHITESTONE MASONIC TEMPLE

149-39 11th Avenue, Whitestone NY 11357

"Harmony being the support of all institutions, especially this of ours"

<https://RelianceLodge.com/>

Brethren, You are hereby invited and encouraged to attend the
2,366th Stated Communication of
RELIANCE LODGE No. 776, F. & A. M.

at the Whitestone Masonic Temple
149-39 11th Avenue, Whitestone NY 11357

Thursday, March 17th, 2022

ON THE TRESTLE BOARD TONIGHT:

for the transaction of any such business as may
regularly and constitutionally be brought before
the Lodge, including a **Fellowcraft Degree**.



LODGE OPENS PROMPTLY at 7:30PM

Dinner is at 6:30PM with Fellowship starting just after 6PM.

Attire for Officers: Black Formal.

Attire for Sideliners: Dark Business/Formal optional.

Please RSVP to the Jr. Warden, Bro. Zoll before 5pm the 14th for a
lovely, individually packaged pre-meeting Dinner.



Ladies & Friends of the Lodge, please join us for the
dinner, with an RSVP to the Jr. Warden.
We hope to see you all out with us again.



To all brethren who are unable to attend these communications due to illness or
distance, I extend my warmest regards. If you need transportation to or from any
meeting, please call the Master or Secretary.

Fraternally,

W.: Daniel Trembinski, Master

W.: Rick Gallo, Sr. Warden

Bro. Paul Zoll III, Jr. Warden

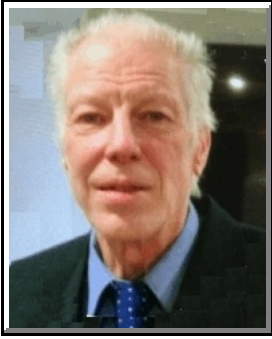
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W.: Robert M. Getschel, Secretary



THE MASTERS WORD



My Brothers,

I bid you welcome and health. Unfortunately the February Meeting was conducted via ZOOM due to COVID issues, which hopefully will end shortly. The work of the evening focused on a Planning Session in order to firm up the assignments for the March's 2nd Degree Ceremony. As of the writing of this communication all positions except Senior Master of Ceremony have been filled with some possible alternates. I am hopeful Brothers from

Ridgewood and/or America Lodges will also attend and assist with the remaining position. We are looking at a joint degree and petitions have been submitted to our DDGM for approval. Coordination of the ceremony is developing nicely and I look forward to this degree. The attire for the evening will be formal for the officers.

On Sickness and Distress Brother Perez was admitted to the hospital due to infection and a fever and will undergo a procedure for a feeding tube in order to allow his esophagus to heal. I have had a conversation with Brother Perez who was enroute to his doctor and he is doing better. Our thoughts and prayers go out to him for a speedy and complete recovery and to his family as this is a stressful situation.

Planning is proceeding on the DDGM re-presentation and Brother Paul Zoll has booked the Coral House for June 12th in the afternoon.

The Grand Lecturer s Convention, remains on track to be hosted by Ridgewood Lodge on March 14, 2022 and The Master's Chair Training on April 15, 2022. I would highly recommend The Master's Chair for officers. Planning is also proceeding for a joint 3rd Degree this June. The Masonic Development Course will be offered and all recent brothers are encouraged to attend. The Master s Chair Course will also be offered and elected officers who have not taken it should.

In closing, I beseech the blessing of heaven watch over and keep all our Brethren and their families safe and well.

Sincerely and Fraternally Yours

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Daniel Trembinski".

W.M. Brother Daniel Trembinski

SENIOR WARDEN

Greetings Brethren,

Spring is right around the corner and we can finally kiss the cold weather goodbye! As the weather warms, I hope your cable tow can extend to the lodge to say hello. Most importantly, hug and kiss your family.



May the Great Architect of the Universe guide you to further light.
W. Rick Gallo, Sr. Warden

FROM THE JUNIOR WARDEN



Brothers,

It is with great enthusiasm we all look forward to gathering together for fellowship and comradery after the brief hiatus from in-person Coalitions. To wit, the following is presented for your choice of delicacies to be enjoyed at coalition prior to the March meeting.

Appetizers: (please choose one)
Potato Leek Soup or
Thai Calamari.

Entrees: (please choose one)
Corned Beef & Cabbage or
Shepherd's Pie or
Fish & Chips or
Celtic Chicken or
Rigatoni ala Vodka.

I hope this meets with the spirit of the day.
Dinner requests must be made by March 14th to either ~
PaulNZ3@aol.com or text to (1) [REDACTED]

May the Great Architect be with you all and peace reign.

Fraternally Yours,
JW Paul N Zoll III, Junior Warden.

TIDINGS

- Bro. Richard Perez was home after almost a month in the hospital. Then an infection set in and he went back for further treatment. He was released from the hospital Feb. 5th and is back in the hospital yet again, due to infection and a fever. He is feeling better and in good spirits. He thanks us for all the support.
- Bro. Erwin Meller spent 5 weeks in the hospital & went in to rehab now.
- Bro. Ron Reid recently had a hernia operation.
- Bro. Mike's son, Jack Monahan was accepted to the University of Texas, Austin.

MIDWOOD TEMPLE

Brethren, Midwood Masonic Temple @ 1348 East 64th Street in Brooklyn, New York 11234 is doing renovations. On behalf of the members of Midwood-Fortitude Lodge No. 19, we are proud to say that repairs



on the Temple are proceeding well. Thanks to the generosity of the Brooklyn Masonic Guild the collation room, kitchen, and bathrooms are beautiful! There is more to come... we are hopeful to begin work on the Lodge room during the summer. In the meantime, have a look at the work so far!"

SCHOLARSHIPS

April 15, 2022 is the 2022 deadline for the Ruby Kaplan Scholarship Fund Application (tax day.)

Please contact the lodge if you are interested in applying.

WEEKEND AWAY

June 3rd ~ 5th is our trip to Woodloch Pines. Get your reservations in!

QUEST



Queens United Education Seminar Today
41 years of Excellence in Masonic Education

"MASONS MAKE A DIFFERENCE"
Community Service, Education,
Teamwork and Leadership

Saturday, April 9, 2020 - Cost: \$25.00 (Pay at the Door)
Continental Breakfast at 8:00 a.m. and Hot Lunch at 12:20 p.m.
Seminar Starts: 9:00 a.m. Sharp (Dress Code: Business Casual)
Location: Scottish Rite Masonic Hall, 28 Lincoln Avenue, Rockville Centre NY 11570

QUEST AGENDA

8:00 – 8:50	.....Check-in / Breakfast - Collation Hall - All
8:50 – 9:00	.....Go upstairs to Lodge Room – All
9:00 – 9:05	.....Grand Master escorted into Lodge room
9:05 – 9:10	.....Invocation / Present Colors / Pledge Allegiance
9:10 – 9:20	.....Introductions/Program/Handouts
9:20 – 9:40	.....Keynote Address: "Freemasonry's Core Values and the Direction of NY Masonry" R. : W. : Steven A. Rubin, Deputy Grand Master of Masons of the State of New York
9:40 – 10:00	.....Leadership Presentation R. : W. : Ernest Hudson
10:00 – 11:25	.....Breakout Session Fairness, Integrity, Membership Environment, Diversity, Ritualistic Environment, and Leadership
11:25 – 11:45	.....Morning Break
11:45 – 11:55	.....Wrap Up – Attendance Recognition
11:55 – 12:15	.....Address, M. : W. : Richard J. Kessler, Grand Master of Masons in the State of New York
12:15 – 12:20	.....Benediction
12:20	.....Retire to Collation Hall for Lunch

Brothers from all Masonic Districts are welcome and encouraged to attend
Candidates voted on and awaiting EA degree are welcome to attend

An educational and fun time for all who attend!

DATES TO REMEMBER

Monday, March 14th 2022 18-14 College Point Blvd. College Point, NY 11356	Second Kings Grand Lecturer's Convention Hosted by Ridgewood Lodge in College Point.
Thursday, March 17th 2022 149-39 11 th Avenue Whitestone NY 11357	Our regular 3 rd Thursday meeting of Reliance Lodge No. 776 , Whitestone, Fellowcraft Degree tonight.
Saturday, April 9th 2022 28 Lincoln Blvd. Rockville Centre, NY 11570	Queens United Educational Seminar Today 41 st year of Masonic education. Rockville Centre 8Am - after lunch, \$25 meals included. See Ad for more details.
Friday, April 15th 2022	The 2022 Ruby Kaplan Scholarship Fund Application deadline (tax day.) Please contact the lodge as soon as possible if you are interested in applying.
Sunday, May 1st 2022	Broadway Show ~ Music Man at the Winter Garden Theater on Sunday, May 1 st at 3pm. Tickets are \$50 ⁰⁰ for Members & their family members.
Monday and Tuesday May 2-3, 2022	Grand Lodge Annual Communication. This year will be back at Masonic Hall - 23 rd Street, NYC.
Thursday, May 19th 2022	Our regular 3 rd Thursday meeting of Reliance Lodge No. 776 , Whitestone.
Sunday, June 12th 2022 70 Milburn Ave. Baldwin NY 11510	Reserve the date: Re-representation of the Apron of our DDGM , Luncheon party @ Coral House, Baldwin, 1-5pm .

ON THE TRESTLE BOARD

Awaiting the Degree of Fellowcraft:
 Bro. Azizollah E. Haghighy

BROADWAY SHOW

Reliance Lodge is going see The Music Man at THE WINTER GARDEN THEATER! We still have a few tickets to go see The Music Man at the Winter Garden Theater on Sunday, May 1st at 3pm.

These are orchestra seats for this show ~ yet YOU can get one for a great discount through your Lodge, only \$50⁰⁰ each!

RSVP to Bro. Garrett Taverna via email to: GarrettTaverna@gmail.com
 or by phone at ([REDACTED])

Seats are limited and running out, so reserve yours fast!

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