

Cincinnati Lodge No. 3

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Second and Fourth Mondays Opening at 7:30 PM

JANUARY 2009

My Dear Brother,

First of all, I want to give praise to God for giving me the strength, courage and wisdom and for allowing me to serve You, the Craft and the Community. I am deeply honored and privileged to have been nominated, duly elected and installed as the Incumbent Worshipful Master of Cincinnati Lodge #3

in its 206th year of existence.

To RW R. Eugene Hill, PGC, 2008 Worshipful Master, we applaud your tremendous efforts. Thank you for your steady perseverance, for your care of the Craft and for tending the flame that "keeps the Masonic Light Shining" this past year. To the brethren of Cincinnati Lodge #3 for electing me to serve you in this great Lodge as the Worshipful Master for the Masonic Year of 2009. The foundation of this great Lodge has already been established by some great men before me. As the Worshipful Master, I will do my best to build onto the foundation of Cincinnati Lodge #3. To all Past Masters of the Lodge, Officers and Brethren who have served throughout the years in various capacities, chairs and committees, I thank you for all the work you have done in making Cincinnati Lodge #3 the success it has been, so rich in history and may all of you have many more years of Masonic involvement now and in the future.

Cincinnati Lodge has been fortunate to have had such dynamic brethren throughout these years. I am deeply honored to have been associated and continue to work with the Pillars of the Lodge. Your never ending contributions have withstood the test of time and many traditions and programs are still a

part of our Lodge activities today. Your Legacy Lives On...

To our Brethren who are no longer with us-you are in our thoughts and your spirits remain

within our great Craft. May the Supreme Architect of the Universe be with you always.

It was more than five years ago that I knocked on the door of Freemasonry. I thank WB Todd Tubby for bringing me to see the light of Freemasonry. To WB Drew Jardine, I truly respect you as my Masonic Mentor, and hope I can, in a small way, follow the great example you have set in Masonry.

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I am very thankful for the good men who have agreed to serve our Lodge and the Fraternity with me this year. To my Wardens, Appointed Officers and Committee Members, I look forward to working with you. Brethren, let us fulfill and execute our duties if within the length of our cabletow and enjoy your

Masonry and have fun.

We have embraced and relished the Masonic education we have acquired, the knowledge in the Craft we have earned and the proficiency in the rituals that we have learned by heart thus far. Our Masonic work has always been focused around the three Principal Tenets of Freemasonry which are Brotherly Love, Relief and Truth while embodying the important qualities of Freemasonry which are faith, hope and charity, belief in God, the equality of all people, and the ability of each person to improve. This driving force has shown through in all the accomplishments our great Lodge has attained. According to Benjamin Franklin, "Masonic work is purely a labor of love. The wages of a Mason are earned and paid in their dealings with one another; sympathy begets sympathy, kindness begets kindness, helpfulness begets helpfulness, these are the wages of a Mason."

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As I start my leadership of Cincinnati Lodge #3, I thank all the Brethren for this trust and confidence as I assure you that I will do my level best to steer our Lodge to greater heights of

achievements.

Masonry speaks of making good men better. It is very clear that this means self-improvement, or becoming an individual who is more knowledgeable in life, more able to subdue his passions, and more useful to the society where he resides. This we strive to achieve by our own desire, by virtuous Masonic education and by our faithful reliance upon the Great Architect of the Universe.

My term of office as the incumbent Worshipful Master of Cincinnati Lodge #3, therefore, will be marked by endeavoring to make good Masons better. Our journey through Masonry is a continuous education. From the time we knocked on the door of the Preparation Room, to our raising as Master

Masons, we were lectured on various Masonic doctrines and principles.

We were also required to demonstrate and prove our proficiency in the preceding degrees. However, beyond our proficiency in the rituals, it is necessary that we understand what the rituals mean, and accept them as our newly found values.

We will therefore undertake and embark upon three major initiatives: focused Masonic education,

cooperative Community service, and effective Lodge management.

We will enhance our knowledge in Freemasonry through a well-crafted Masonic education program. We will re-strengthen and reinvigorate our proficiency in the rituals through active involvement and constant practice. We will proactively participate in the Community through wellorganized and well-supported outreach programs.

We will collaborate and support well-organized fundraising projects that will improve our capacity to alleviate the needs of the Community and those of our worthy Brothers in need of relief. Above all, we will ensure that harmony will prevail over the Lodge through brotherly love and

understanding. Peace and Harmony being the support of all Institutions especially this of Ours.

On top of all this work in the Craft, let us not lose sight of our working tools in Freemasonry, where we are taught to make use of for more noble and glorious purposes. What is distinctly significant is the 24-inch gauge, which teaches us balance, prioritization and time management. Being divided into 24 equal parts, it teaches us to divide our day into 3 equal parts, whereby we find time for service to God and a distressed worthy brother or the community, time for our usual vocation or our work in the office, and time for refreshment and repose for our family.

As assured to us by the Worshipful Master before we recite our obligation to the Craft—it will not interfere with our duties to God, our country, our neighbor or ourselves. Ourselves in this case includes

our family.

As your newly installed Worshipful Master, let me again thank you all for this opportunity to preside and serve, an opportunity that is rarely given in our Masonic career, an opportunity that is sought after but rarely entrusted. With God Almighty as my witness, with your support and cooperation, I am ready. Ready to keep the Masonic Light Shining. Thank you, and God bless us all.

Brotherly,

Phil Caliolio

Worshipful Master

LODGE EVENTS-JANUARY, 2009

Happy New Year! No District Lodge of Instruction. (Re-scheduled to January 9th at #93).

5-Officers Rehearsal.

9-District Lodge of Instruction at Madison Lodge #93. Host for refreshments: Prospect #24.

12-Regular Communication-Fellow Craft Degree. Officers Dress Formal.

Joint Entered Apprentice Degree with Madison Lodge #93 in Madison. Officers Dress Formal. 14-Masters and Wardens Dinner Meeting at the Heritage Grill in Denville, 7 PM. Meeting at 8 PM. 15-

19-Holiday. No Rehearsal.

26-Regular Communication- Annual Business Meeting. Officers Dress- Business Suits.

COMING EVENTS-FEBRUARY

Officers Rehearsal.

5-District Lodge of Instruction. Host for refreshments: Colonial-Kane #55.

Lyons Hospital Visitation, 8:30 AM, Building #143. 8-

Open Reception honoring Grand Lodge Officers of the 5th and 11th Districts at Zeris Inn. 10-

Annual Valentines Dance- Hot & Cold Buffet, DJ, \$20 per person. 14-

19-Masters and Wardens Dinner Meeting at the Heritage Grill in Denville, 7 PM. Meeting at 8 PM.

DISTRICT EVENTS—JANUARY

Happy New Year! No District Lodge of Instruction. (Re-scheduled to January 9th at #93). 1-

Prospect #24- Regular Communication. 5-St. John's #1- Annual Business Meeting.

7-Acacia #20- Regular Communication.

Colonial-Kane #55- Annual Business Meeting, Speaker, WB Franklin Melnick on "Geometry." 9-District Lodge of Instruction at Madison Lodge #93. Host for refreshments: Prospect #24.

10-Congdon-Overlook #163- Lodge Improvement Day.

Jephthah #233- Lyons Hospital Visitation, 8:30 AM, Building #143. 11-Congdon-Overlook #163- Lodge Improvement Day.

13-Congdon-Overlook #163- Regular Communication.

Jephthah #233- Regular Communication.

Madison #93- Joint Entered Apprentice Degree with Cincinnati #3 in Madison. 14-

15-Masters and Wardens Dinner Meeting at the Heritage Grill in Denville, 7 PM. Meeting at 8 PM.

17-Blood Drive at Madison Lodge #93, 10 AM-3 PM.

18-Congdon-Overlook #163- Lyons Hospital Visitation, 8:30 AM, Building #143.

20-St. John's #1- Fellow Craft Degree. 21-

Acacia #20- Entered Apprentice Degree. Madison #93- Emergent MM Degree. 140th Anniversary of the Lodge. Dinner at 6 PM, \$15. DeMolay Fifth Annual Charity Dinner at the Valley for the 32' Masonic Learning Centers.

24-Masonic Kilties Annual Burns Dinner Dance, 6:30 PM. Prospect #24- Ballroom Dancing, 7:30 PM, \$15.

St. John's #1- Pancake Breakfast, 8 AM-12 noon.

25-27-Congdon-Overlook #163- Entered Apprentice Degree. Jephthah #233- Regular Communication.

Madison #93- Annual Business Meeting 28-

Colonial-Kane #55- Emergent Entered Apprentice Degree.

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District Lodge of Instruction. Host for refreshments: Colonial-Kane Lodge #55. 5-

Open Reception honoring Grand Lodge Officers of the 5th and 11th Districts at Zeris Inn. 10-

11-Madison #93- Entered Apprentice Degree.

19-Masters and Wardens Dinner Meeting at the Heritage Grill in Denville, 7 PM. Meeting at 8 PM.

25-Madison #93- Fellow Craft Degree.

Grand Lodge Hockey Game, Devils vs. Florida, 1 PM. 28-

MARCH

District Lodge of Instruction. Host for refreshments: Madison #93.

8-Grand Master's Official Visit to Lyons Hospital.

Grand Lodge Open Table Lodge, Fellowship Hall, Burlington. \$35 per person—all inclusive. 13-

14-Acacia #20- Annual Corned Beef and Cabbage Dinner.

Masters and Wardens Dinner Meeting at the Heritage Grill in Denville, 7 PM. Meeting at 8 PM. 19-

North Jersey Past Masters Association Grand Lodge Candidates Night at the Brownstone. 31**Awaiting Report of Committee**

Mr. Francis C. Majorossy- WB Steve Johnson, Chairman Mr. Matthew A. Giordano- RW John McKeever, Chairman Mr. Moss J. Krupnick- RW John McKeever, Chairman

> Awaiting Entered Apprentice Degree Mr. Robert J. Borny, Mr. Ted Cerra

> > **Awaiting Fellow Craft Degree**

Bro. E.A. Michael A. Juskus, Bro. E.A. Frank P. Dotro, Bro. E.A. Daniel F. Magrino

MASONIC BIRTHDAYS-JANUARY

(Date of Master Mason Degree) Birthday Night is January 26th - Join us!

Wayne F. Dietz Laurence S. Frolow Thomas F. Pugsley (30) Robert S. Seibold Arthur W. Skillman Ralph J. Till (60)



Open Reception Honoring Grand Lodge Officers of the 5th and 11th Masonic Districts

Official Visit of Most Worshipful John M. Colligas Grand Master of Masons of the State of NJ and Open Reception honoring:

RW Anthony W. Montuori, District Deputy Grand Master RW Robert J. Giudice, Junior Grand Steward RW Henry J. Stein, Grand Sword Bearer RW Edgar M. Coster, Grand Pursuivant RW David R. Tweed, Sr., Grand Tyler RW Harold R. Buchanan, Grand Chaplain RW P.J. Ehmann, Grand Chaplain RW Bruce F. Kalogera, Grand Chaplain

RW Neal A. McCarthy, District Ritual Instructor
Tuesday, February 10, 2009

Social Hour at 5 PM, Reception at 6 PM, Dinner to follow at Zeris Inn, Route 46, Mountain Lakes—\$35 per person Choice of: Prime Rib, Chicken Francaise or Salmon For more information, contact the Worshipful Master

GRAND MASTER'S LYONS VISITATION

The Official Visit of MW John M. Colligas, GM, to Lyons Medical Center will be Sunday, March 8th at the 9 AM chapel service in Building 143 (same time and place as last year). The Multipurpose Room will be open between 8 AM and Noon for your coats and refreshments. The program will end at approximately 10 AM. It is requested that all lodges have a good representation in honor of the Grand Master's visit and to demonstrate support of a program that returns a little to those that have given so much. (Please be seated by 8:45 AM).

GRAND LODGE OPEN TABLE LODGE

The Grand Lodge of New Jersey is sponsoring an Open Table Lodge on Friday, March 13, 2009. This event is open to all ladies of our appendant organizations as well as the ladies of Master Masons. The event will be held at Fellowship Hall in Burlington. Social Hour from 6-7 PM, Table Lodge to follow. \$35 per person—all inclusive. Tickets must be purchased by February 27, 2009. Make check payable to Grand Lodge of NJ and send with a self-addressed, stamped envelope to: Grand Lodge of NJ, 1114 Oxmead Road, Burlington, NJ 08016.

IN MEMORIAM

Bro. Ralph W. Udall, Jr.
Raised – April 15, 1947
Raised by the Supreme Architect
of the Universe – December 14, 2008

Bro. C. Dennis Jefferds Raised – March 27, 1978 Raised by the Supreme Architect of the Universe – July 22, 2007

"May their souls bloom in eternal Spring"

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