

Brethren,

It is with great pleasure and honor to serve as Worshipful Master of Shekinah Lodge for the 2007 Masonic year. I hope we have another great year of fellowship and brotherhood for the good of Masonry. I look forward to see you on your Masonic birthdays and throughout the year, as well as, fund raisers and trips.

I know that time is important to us all, in the fast paced times we live in, but think of this Brethren, if we take the acronym of the word TEAM, which a friend in the ministry uses, it stands for: Together, Everyone, Achieves, More. Brethren and Officers this could be our motto for this year, so that, God may see our best works through the synergy of our fraternity.

Remember to put your trust in the landmarks, traditions and symbolism of Freemasonry with particular reference to the square, which symbolizes things of the earth, but also symbolizes honor, integrity and truthfulness, so that we may choose the best path in our endeavors through the challenges of life.

Fraternally,  
**Forrest A. Andrews**  
*Worshipful Master*

### MASONIC BIRTHDAYS JANUARY

*Brethren, please note: The following dates are for your date of raising not your date of birth.*

John D. Abdill	1/22/1971	William A. Loteck	1/25/1991
Frederick J. Bailey	1/21/1972	E. Lee Myers	1/19/1973
Edwin W. Baker	1/23/1959	Norman K. Myers	1/22/1960
Jerry W. Benfer	1/24/1975	Ernest C. Neubert	1/19/1988
Reve H. Bryant	1/23/1959	A. Pete Noon	1/21/1972
Richard W. Cossaboon	1/30/1970	I. Roy Oliver	1/5/1974
Edward A. Doyle	1/25/1991	James R. Scoble	1/25/1991
Joseph P. Franzwa, II	1/26/1982	John D. Shea	1/25/1991
William W. Hayes	1/25/1974	William S. Stagg	1/27/1956
Parren Knarr	1/21/1972	Byron J. White	1/22/1993
John E. Laws	1/22/1978		

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 District Web Site: [www.22nddistrictnjmasons.org](http://www.22nddistrictnjmasons.org)

My Brother, you are cordially invited to attend the following communications:

#### REGULAR COMMUNICATION

Friday, January 5, 2007 – 7:30 PM – Business meeting. Masonic Birthdays. Annual reports of the Trustees, Treasurer and Secretary. Balloting on the following petitions for membership: Mr. Carlos Nieves, 4 Emily Drive, Millville, age 31, Corrections Officer and Mr. Willis Wareham, 910 Hill Lane, Millville, age 28, Recruiter, Army National Guard. Refreshments.

#### EMERGENT COMMUNICATION

Friday, January 19, 2007 – 7:30 PM – The Fellowcraft Degree will be conferred upon Brothers Entered Apprentice James Burlow, William C. Dare and William M. Musey. Refreshments.

#### OFFICERS REHEARSAL – 7:00 PM

*Officers are required to attend and members are always welcome.*

January 2, 4, 16 & 18, 2007

#### DATES TO REMEMBER

Wednesday, January 10, 2007 – 7:30 PM

District Lodge of Instruction at Elmer Lodge #160, Elmer. Officers required to attend, brethren welcome.

#### Saturday, January 13, 2007

Grand Lodge of New Jersey's bus trip to the George Washington Masonic Memorial, Alexandria, VA. Buses will leave from the Fellowship Center in Burlington, NJ at 9:00 AM and Paulsboro-Swedeseboro Lodge at 9:30 AM. Cost is \$50.00 p/p includes transportation, bag lunch enroute and turkey dinner at the memorial. Depart memorial at 5:30PM. Tickets send the name(s) and a check for the appropriate amount to the Grand Lodge of New Jersey, 1114 Oxmead Road, Burlington, NJ 08016.

#### Saturday, February 24, 2007

A One Day Class will be held in the 22nd Masonic District at Vineland Lodge #69, for the three degrees of Freemasonry, limited to individuals who have petitioned one of the five Lodges in the District. Registration 8:00 AM – Meeting 9:00 AM.

Attest: Ronald N. Spiels, PGC, Sec'y

#### 2007 SPRING SCHOLARSHIPS

Brethren, there are eight (8) Masonic College Scholarships available statewide for the children, step-children, grandchildren or step-grandchildren of NJ Master Masons living or deceased:

Five - 4 year scholarships @ \$3,000.00 per year based on merit and need.

Two - 4 year scholarships @ \$1,000.00 per year based on merit and need.

One - 4 year scholarships @ \$1,000.00 per year based on merit and need.

For applications contact:

Ms. Dorothy J. Mitchell

Masonic Charity Foundation of New Jersey

902 Jacksonville Road, Burlington, NJ 08016 - 609-589-4032.

Deadline: January 19, 2007

#### THE MASONIC SERVICE ASSOCIATION EVENTS

New Jersey Veterans Memorial Home, Vineland, NJ

Please contact Richard Reynolds if you could assist

at any of these events – 696-5038

CHAPEL ESCORT – EVERY SUNDAY AT 9:30AM

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#### BINGO

(All times 6:30 to 8:30 PM)

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Tuesday, January 30, 2007 / Main Auditorium

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## OFFICERS FOR 2007

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