

Living Past Masters

Robert J. Flynn	1958
Malcolm B. Wernik, PGM	1961
Kenneth L. Larsen, PGM	1963
Robert R. Heath	1970
Carl F. Wheeler PGMAR	1970*
Howard S. Schneiweis	1971*
Mitchell J. Flaster	1972*
Philip C. Gibbs	1979
William C. Nann	1986
Paul J. Reed II	1988
Richard A. Egan	1990
Stephen J. Hornak Jr. PDRI	1991
Eugene C. Conner	1992
David W. Jones PGC	1994
Hugh Murphy Jr. PGC	1995
Rohinton F. Cama	1996
Andrew H. Zagoren	1998
John W. Friedline	1999
Ralph A. Nielsen PDRI	2000 & 2001
Kenneth A. Landau	2002
Glenn C. Eckert	2003 & 2006
Stephen R. Dovidas	2005
Robert J. Krumm PGC	2007
Michael F. Firkser PDDGM	2008 & 2009*
Douglas H. Mount	2008
William Billich PGC	2009
James Iacone	2010
Norman P. Thime	2011
Stephen J. Kedmenec	2012
C. John Lashley DRI	2013
Michael Emerson	2014*
Isidoro Garcia	2014 & 2015
Cristian A. Ossa PGC	2016
Raymond Ortiz II	2017
John Sigismondi	2018 & 2019*
Lou Gendron	2018*
Howard J. Stevenson PGC	1997, 2004 & 2018
Ernest Bagley	2019

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George Matthes – 2019
Joseph Valenzuela – 2020
Ray Ortiz II PM - 2021

TEMPLE BOARD

Jim Iacone PM – 2019
Isidoro Garcia PM – 2020
Howard Stevenson PGC - 2021

STANDING COMMITTEES:

Finance

Senior Warden*
Junior Warden
Senior Deacon

Visiting & Relief

W. Billich PGC*
Senior Warden
Junior Warden

Auditing

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Lodge Ritual Instruction

Howard J. Stevenson, PGC

AD HOC COMITTEES:

Blood Bank

G. Matthes*

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G. Mehra
JR Almerino
B. Nayyar
R. Ortiz II PM
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Outreach Committee

R. Windisch*

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R. Fortuna*

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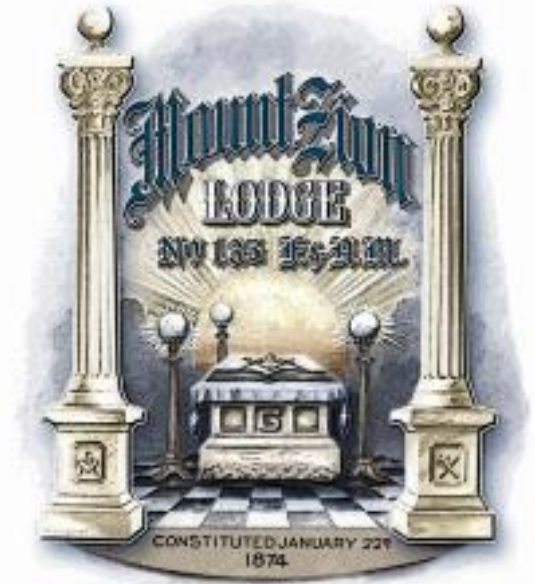
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SEPTEMBER

2019

FREEMASONRY promotes a way of life that binds like-minded men with the principles of Brotherly Love, Relief and Truth in order to serve God, Family, Country, Neighbor and Self. -The Grand Lodge of NJ



Brethren:

As our summer break comes to a close, and the second half of our masonic year ensues; I hope that everyone was able to spend as much quality time as possible with friends and loved ones.

Time after all is our most precious commodity. There are many currencies and stores of wealth in this world. But they pale in comparison to the value of time. It is by far our most valuable currency! And although the Grand Artificer has seen fit to bless even the poorest of men the same number of hours in a day as the richest. We know not how much of this currency we have in reserve. For it carries no balance from day to day. Each day we wake up and our account is renewed. We know not, what we will have left to spend tomorrow.

Brethren, let us spend it wisely. Make the most of every opportunity the FIRST time it is presented. (There may not be a second.) Let us not spend frivolously on the insignificants, such as worry, fear or animosity. We should invest this gift for the nobler and glorious purpose of spreading love, compassion, and understanding.

If we are to ask a brother to part with his most precious of commodities for the craft; we should return this with interest on that investment. Let us strive to make the most of every social and moral encounter. Forget not the lessons of the 24 inch gauge...

"You may delay, but time will not."
P.G.M Benjamin Franklin

Fraternally,
Ernest Bagley
Worshipful Master

Awaiting FC Degree
Giovanni Giornalista
Cesar P. Lopes
Daniel Hemhauser
Shawn Rapach
Cristian E. Ossa

Awaiting EA Degree
Leon I. Haller

MASONIC TEMPLE DATES:

MT. ZION LODGE #135 F&AM:

9/5 - Lodge – Dinner 6:30 PM & Meeting 7:30 PM.
Service Pin Awards

9/12 – Rehearsal @ 6:30 PM.

9/19 – Lodge – Dinner 6:30 PM & Meeting 7:30 PM.
Entered Apprentice Degree

9/26 - Rehearsal @ 6:30 PM.

OTHER GROUPS:

OES – 1st & 3rd Tuesdays
DeMolay – 2nd & 4th Tuesdays
Rainbow – 1st & 3rd Fridays
Edison Square Club – 2nd Monday
Sciots – 4th Monday

IMPORTANT DATES – 10th DISTRICT:

DLI – Atlas Pythagoras Lodge #10
Wednesday September 25th.

Master Mason Degree
Jerusalem Lodge #26
Saturday, September 28th @ 9 AM.



GRAND LODGE EVENTS:

GRAND MASTER'S GALA
Sunday – September 15th
Liberty House, Jersey City, NJ

JUNIOR GRAND WARDEN'S RECEPTION
Saturday – October 5th @ 4 PM. \$60 pp.
Fellowship Center Burlington, NJ



The 10th Masonic District

Atlas Pythagoras #10
1101 Central Avenue
Westfield, NJ 07090
1st & 3rd Fridays @ 7:30

Azure Masada #22
478 South Ave. East
Cranford, NJ 07016
1st & 3rd Mondays @ 7:30

Jerusalem #26
107 East 7th Street
Plainfield, NJ 07060
1st Tuesday @ 7:30

Lafayette #27
1550 Irving Street
Rahway, NJ 07065
2nd Friday @ 7:30

Loyalty #33
1912 Morris Ave.
Union, NJ 07083
1st & 3rd Tuesdays @ 7:30

Mt. Zion #135
483 Middlesex Ave.
Metuchen, NJ 08540
1st & 3rd Thursdays @ 7:30

Theodore Roosevelt #219
86 Elm Street
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2nd & 4th Mondays @ 7:30