

Living Past Masters

Malcolm B. Wernik, PGM	1961
Carl F. Wheeler PGMAR	1970*
Howard S. Schneiweis	1971*
Mitchell J. Flaster	1972*
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
R. Windisch	2020

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Joseph Valenzuela – 2020
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George Matthes - 2022

TEMPLE BOARD

Isidoro Garcia PM – 2020
Howard Stevenson PGC – 2021
Jim Iacone PM - 2022

STANDING COMMITTEES:

Finance

Senior Warden*
Junior Warden
Senior Deacon

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Senior Warden
Junior Warden

Auditing

R. Ortiz II PM
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Lodge Ritual Instruction

Howard J. Stevenson, PGC

AD HOC COMITTEES:

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G. Matthes*

Level Club

C. Gibardi*
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JR Almerino
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R. Windisch*

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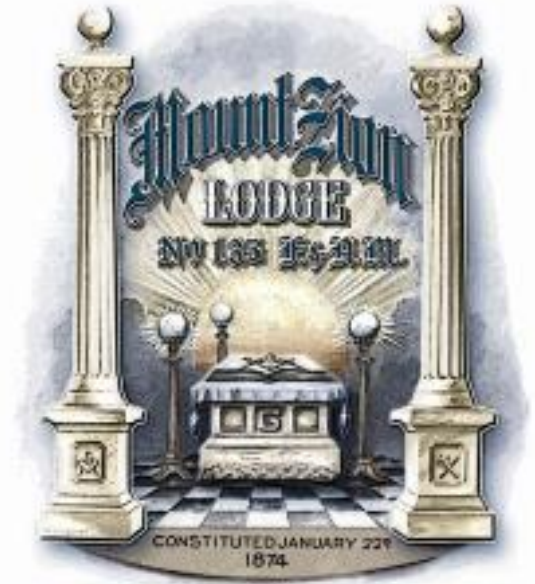
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MAY 2020

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,

It is a pleasure to see and interact with everyone on our weekly or biweekly zoom calls. We are fortunate that we have this

format, imagine if we had no electricity? Running water? Or had to hunt or fish or forage for food. We would be forced to fend for ourselves. It is a blessing we have our fraternity for fellowship and friendship, there is strength in numbers. I was thinking and contemplating on this situation we find ourselves in, and how life can so quickly change, for both the good and bad. This Covid19 came on suddenly, no warning, and quickly our lives were completely changed. And I thought of death. How often it comes on quickly, or out of nowhere. I thought of the families that will forever remember the pandemic of 2020 and the pain it caused. But then I thought of life. Life everlasting. I thought of regrowth, renewal. After the winter, comes the Spring, and the glorious feeling its gives our spirit. And how after a forest fire, the forest regrows stronger then ever. And I thought of all those lost, who will now renew, greater the ever, like the forest, in the Spirit of the GAOTU. Brethren, we will overcome, we will persevere. We were asked upon our first entrance into the lodge, In whom do we put out trust???? In GOD

Fraternally,
Robert Windisch
Worshipful Master

Awaiting FC Degree

<i>Shawn Rapach</i>	<i>Matthew John Robins</i>
<i>Cristian E. Ossa</i>	<i>Juan Velez-Restrepo</i>
<i>Leon I. Haller</i>	<i>David Awad</i>
<i>Jeremiah Hans-Jorie</i>	

Awaiting EA Degree

Shiv Patel

MT. ZION LODGE #135 F&AM:

MAY: All IN-PERSON meetings and get togethers are cancelled.

Brethren are encouraged to be on nightly call M-F at 9pm. See email or call George Matthes (JD) for information.

Lodge Related meetings (i.e. IR-Regular Communication) will also be on Zoom, at 7:30 on Thursday 4/2 and 4/16. See email or call George Matthes (JD) for information.

OTHER GROUPS:

Blue Lodge night – 1st & 3rd Tuesdays
Blue Lodge night – 2nd & 4th Tuesdays
Rainbow – 1st & 3rd Fridays
Edison Square Club – 2nd Monday
Sciots – 4th Monday



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IMPORTANT DATES

- **INSTRUCTION Still happening** on the phone and video chat. PLEASE CALL Senior Deacon, Charles Gibardi for additional information.
- **M-F at 9pm**, Video call with the Brethren. See email or call George Matthes (JD) for information.

10th DISTRICT INSTRUCTION

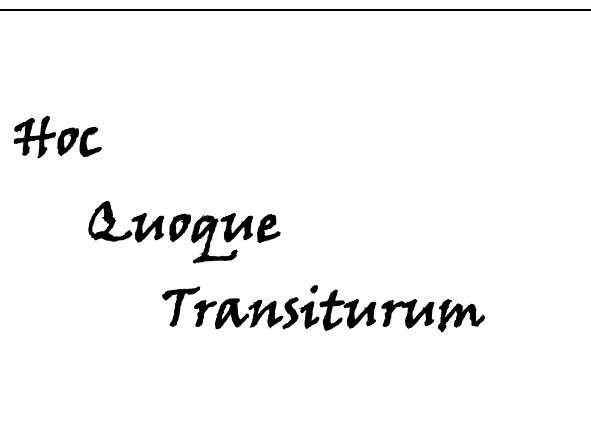
- DLI's are cancelled for time being.

10th DISTRICT DEGREES:

- Degree's are cancelled for time being.

GRAND LODGE

- **Annual Convention of the Grand Lodge of New Jersey will be held in NOVEMBER.**



The 10th Masonic District

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

Azure Masada #22
1550 Irving Street
Rahway, NJ 07065
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.
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1st & 3rd Thursdays @ 7:30

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2nd & 4th Mondays @ 7:30