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Worshipful Master
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November Meeting Call

Wednesday November 4, 2026

6:00 - Dinner

- Turkey Dinner - $12 donation

7:00 - Lodge Open

- Application to VOTE: Joshua Waldman
- Reinstatement to VOTE: Ross Galvin
- Lafayette History presented by W:. Ken Long

Important Dates

11/4 - Lafayette Stated Communication

11/14 - DDGM visit to Roger Williams

11/21 - Lafayette Breakfast

11/21 - Grand Lodge Semi-Annual

11/21 - Grand Lodge Fall Festival

November Birthdays

Mekawy Elmekawy
Edward Shapira
Benjamin Sholes
Joshua Kaufman
Steven Sholes
Samuel Braunstein
Richard Brown
David Port
Richard Fascia
Steven Blazer
Mark Karnes
Clark Mason
Joseph Hall

From the East

Brothers,

Thanksgiving is a time that many people reflect on the things for which we are grateful. In spite of all of the challenges, disappointments, hardships and disasters that we are all susceptible to, we can usually find many things to be grateful for.

Masonically, I am grateful for the lodge electing me WM for this year and the wonderful line of officers and the membership that Lafayette has. I am particularly grateful for all of the newly minted Master Masons who were willing and able to join the officers line and who have been contributing so much to the lodge thus far. Additional thanks goes to the Trustees for caring for the lodge building. In particular President Worshipful Jesse Thom for receiving, organizing, presenting the bids for the new air conditioning system and the tree removal.

Thanks to all who were involved in the charity breakfast held on October 17th for the benefit of the Family Literacy Center which earned more than $1,000 plus additional funds being contributed by the Grand Lodge through its matching program. The breakfast was attended by around 100 persons and included attendees from The Family Literacy Center and its members, the Lafayette Lodge family, and the Grand Lodge.

This month's program will be presented by Worshipful Ken Long a long time member of Lafayette lodge and a Past Master of Lafayette several times over. He will continue his discussion on the early days of Lafayette lodge.

Other events occurring this month include our ritual practices on Monday nights with the exception of November 9th, as Grotto will have the lodge room. We will be having our next monthly breakfast on Saturday, November 21. In the spirit of "charity begins at home", this month's benefactor will be Lafayette Lodge. I understand that the special breakfast dish will be an Oreo French Bake Toast prepared by Brother Steven Ray Lane. The next Northern District DDGM visitation is at Roger Williams Lodge #32 on November 14, Wardens and Master, or their proxies are required to attend. Lastly, the Grand Lodge Semi-Annual is on November 21st at the Grand Lodge. The WM and the Wardens or their proxies are required to attend.

A very happy Thanksgiving to all of the Lafayette family.

W:. Mike Sprague

Appointed Officers

Curt Abbott, Senior Deacon

Jim Vose, Junior Deacon

Ryan Oldmixon, Senior Steward

Paul MacGregor, Junior Steward

Jason Lanctot, Tyler

W.·. Jesse Thom, Marshal

R.·.W.·. Larry Thienel, Music Dir.

Joe Volpicelli, Chaplain

W.·. David Becker, Ritual Advisor

R.·.W.·. Andy Sholes, Asst. Treasurer

R.·.W.·. Samuel Miller, Asst. Secretary

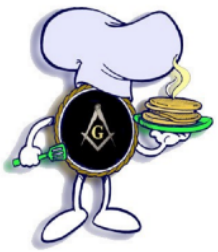
Monthly Breakfast!

The Bacon Meister declares that there will be breakfast!

November 21

7:00 - 10:00

Lafayette Temple



From the Secretary

REMINDER: The Grand Lodge Fall Festival is Saturday, November 21, 2026. Tickets are on sale until November 10, 2026 through https://rigrandlodge.square.site/ or at Grand Lodge.

I hope you all have a wonderful Thanksgiving!



2026 - 2027 Officer Line + photo bomber



Family Literacy Center Breakfast







Air conditioning!!!



Past Masters - Lafayette Lodge No. 47

*Simpson, Robert V., 1961	#Long, Kenneth M., 1989	Kennedy, Leo F., 2018
*Carpenter, Leon G., 1961	#Long, Kenneth M., 1990	Becker, David C., 2019
*M:.W:. Jenks, Kenneth W., 1962	#Long, Kenneth M., 1991	Pellerin, Kevin A., 2020
*Chmura, Francis J., 1963	*R:.W:. Poirier, Neil F., 1992	Switzer, Leo, 2021
*Sorrentino, Stanley L., 1964	Young Jr., George L., 1993	Demirs, John T., 2022
*R:.W:. Damon, Neil F., 1965	Ludwig, James L., 1994	Emery, Derek J., 2023
#Conklin, Harley J., 1966	Ludwig, James L., 1995	Thom, Jesse, 2024
*>Anderson, Wendall B., 1967	#R:.W:. Gregoire, Andre L., 1996	Ludwig, Matthew, 2025
*#Wagner, Frederick W., 1968	#R:.W:. Gregoire, Andre L., 1997	Sprague, Michael, 2026
*Shackerlford, Andrew M., 1969	M:.W:. Smith, Steven E., 1998	
*Dennis, James C., 1970	R:.W:. Wright, David G., 1999	
*Collins Jr., Albert J., 1971	*R:.W:. Jannarelli, David A., 2000	
>Langille, Emery A., 1972	*Dolphin, Donald H., 2001	
*Johnson, William K., 1973	*Aquiline, Norman E., 2002	
*Large, Donald, 1974	>Dolphin, Craig M., 2003	
#Mercer, Frank J., 1975	>Dolphin, Craig M., 2004	
*Whatmough, John A., 1976	#R:.W:. Gregoire, Andre L., 2005	
*Fitzpatrick, James E., 1977	R:.W:. Wright, David G., 2006	
#Long, Kenneth M., 1978	Maddix, Robert R., 2007	
*R:.W:. Poirier, Neal F., 1979	Wheeler, Ronald E., 2008	
*Krueger, William E., 1980	#Bundeff, William P., 2009	
Turner, Robert J., 1981	R:.W:. Drisko, Robert A., 2010	
*Sawyer, Douglas M., 1982	R:.W:. Lyle, Robert D., 2011	
#DeBlois, Norman R., 1983	#Eddleston, Mark F., 2012	
Howles, David E., 1984	Cayer, Brian R., 2013	
Ledoux, Dennis M., 1985	R:.W:. Drisko, Robert A., 2014	* Deeased
Babcock, George W., 1986	Hague, Edmund T., 2015	# Demitted
>Stokoe, Philip T., 1987	Acello, Stephen J., 2016	>Dropped
#Long, Kenneth M., 1988	Frampton, John P., 2017	

Lafayette Lodge Tyler Emeritus

*W:. Peter Kindeforski

Past Masters - Redwood Lodge No. 35

#Noot, Meyer, 1878-79	*Hoffman, Felix V., 1911	*MacKay, Alexander M., 1942	*>Bomes, Robert A., 1972
*Hartman, Leopold, 1880	*Pierce, Benjamin F., 1912	*Rosen, Albert L., 1943	*Gordon, Stephen A., 1973
#Parker, Melvin, 1881	#Moir, George, 1913	*Entwistle, James H., 1944	*Maldavir, Melvyn S., 1974
*Spitz, John H., 1882	*Butler, Charles L. Jr., 1914	*Ress, Joseph W., 1945	*Silverman, Edward, 1975
*Green, Henry, 1883	*Taylor, Arthur, 1915	*Perrin, Howard S., 1946	Beranbaum, Stephen R., 1976
#Dawson, Thomas B., 1884	*Lincoln, Samuel E., 1916	*R.W. Novogrosski, Arthur, 1947	Kortick, Lawrence D., 1977
#Mullen, William H., 1885	*Baldwin, Henry f., 1917	*Cook, Walter R., 1948	*Jenkin, James, 1978
*Green, William H., 1886	*Harley, William F., 1918	*Strauss, Walter R., 1949	*Aron, Donald, 1979
*Mosely, William H., 1887	*Locke, Edward J, 1919	*Licht, Frank, 1950	R.W. Bromberg, Howard M., 1980
*Burlingame, Alvertus S., 1888	*Kelley, J. William, 1920	*Hendel, Maurice W., 1951	R.W. Sholes, Andrew G., 1981
*Clark, James W., 1889	*Misch, Walter P., 1921	*Hill, Henry M., 1952	*M.W. Wasserman, Arnold, 1982
*Boas, Herman, 1890	*Mason, Earl H., 1922	*Goodman, Max W., 1953	*Keating, Joseph, 1985
*Boulester, James E., 1891	*Brand, William C.H., 1923	*R.W. Cohen, Gerald P., 1954	R.W. Freedman, Mark H., 1986
*Lincoln, Eugene B., 1892	*Taylor, Burton RRR, 1924	*Michaelson, Julius, 1955	Krasner, Edward S., 1987
*Southey, Charles R., 1893	*R.W. Edwards, Ralph H, 1925	*Kumins, Albert, 1956	Chaika, Eric A., 1988
*Hahn, Jerome J., 1894	*Coppen, Charles b., 1926	*Robenstein, Louis Barach, 1957	*Myrow, Allan J., 1989
*Lincoln, Edwin B, 1895	*Mason, Williams H., 1927	*Bromberg, Morris H., 1958	*Goodman, Joseph, 1990
*Butler, Charles L., 1896	*Mowry, Walter H., 1928	*Arnold, Siegfried, 1958	#Charleson, James A., 1991
*Pierce, Charles E., 1897	*Wyman, Frederick W., 1929	*Mushnick, Frederick, 1959	Gaffin, Michael M., 1992
*Morton, Marcus W., 1898-99	*Beachman, Harold, 1930	*Millman, Benjamin, 1960	M.W. Sokoll, Richard, 1993
*Stanton, James W., 1900	*Brier, Charles, 1931	*Mandell, Leonard C., 1961	>Fishbein, Richard, 1994
*Perkins, Herbert R., 1901	*Whittaker, William B., 1932	*Haft, LeRoy, 1962	R.W. Lewis, Donovan J., 1995
*Bowen, Thomas A., 1902	*Taylor, Earl W., 1933	*>R.W. Brill, Marvin A., 1963	Chaika, Eric A., 1996
*Saunders, Harry L., 1903	*Lee, Howard S., 1934	*Rothman, Robert H., 1964	*Crisafullli, Frederick, 1997
*Albro, Seth M., 1904	*Garst, Arthur H., 1935	*M.W. Brombert, Malcolm, 1965	R.W. Elmekawy, Mekawy, 1998
*Lasell, Clarence K., 1905	*Baacke, Henry, 1936	*Schwartz, Abraham, 1966	R.W. Freedman, Mark H., 1999
*Smith, Alfred, 1906	*Rosen, Harry R., 1937	*Rottenberg, Louis, 1967	R.W. Miller, Samuel A, 2000
*Cutler, Harry, 1907	*Hartley, Richard H., 1938	*Miller, Meyer S., 1968	Hodges, James, 2001
*Boas, Bernard, 1908	*Gardner, Joseph J., 1939	*Malinou, Martin S., 1969	*>Richardson, Simon J., 2002
*Payson, Stephen R., 1909	*Davis, Harrie S, 1940	*Dressler, Abbott W., 1970	R.W. Miller, Samuel A., 2003
*Hawes, James A., 1910	*M.W. Abedon, Bernard, 1941	Gessman, Norman C., 1971	M.W. Kaufman, Gary S., 2004

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Ross, Micha T, 2005	Ponte, Michael, 2010	Cipriano, Dennis, 2015	Gessman, Roy, 2020
Kaplan, Andrew, 2006	Catanzaro, Kevin J., 2011	Goff, Robert, 2016	Geesman, Roy, 2021
R.W. Freedman, Mark H., 2007	Catanzaro, Kevin J., 2012	Alfonzo, Javier, 2017	>Meyette, Cory P., 2022
R.W. Miller, Samuel A., 2008	Ponte, Michael, 2013	>Rogovin, Michael, 2018	Brown, Andrew A., 2023
R.W. Bartlett, Harley W., 2009	Saunders, Jeffrey, 2014	Yaffe, Matthew, 2019	Sholes, Benjamin M., 2024

Redwood Lodge Chaplain Emeritus	Redwood Lodge Honorary Past Master	Redwood Lodge Affiliate Past Master
*R.W. Rosen, Judah, 2012	**R.W. Rosen, Judah, 2004	*W. Reis, Avraham A.

Redwood Honorary Members		
*M.W. Curti, Alton T.,	*W. Haidenmenos, John	*W. DeHann, Lawrence
*W. DeHann, Jacob	*W. Yeah, Elmer	
*W. Lavine, Albert	*M.W. Cardoza, Paul	
*W. DeHann, Stanley	M.W Lopez, John	
*W. Rachins, Gary	*W. Warner, James	

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Demitted

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Past Masters - Roosevelt Lodge No. 42

*M.W. Scott, Wilber A.,1921 - 23	*Rouslin, Benjamin, 1943	R.W. Sciaraffa, Charles C., 1963
*Green, William, 1923	*Blackman, Edward, 1944	*Davis, Phillip, 1964
*Docherty, Edgar M., 1924	*Emers, Lester D., 1945	*Ostarch, Henry, 1965
*Gregory, Ralph, 1925	*Docherty, Bruce M., 1946	Finkelman, Gerald C., 1966
*Vicario, Raphael, 1926	*Bloomberg, Harry A., 1947	*Cleinman, Samuel, 1967
*Friedlander, Israel, 1927	*Malzner, William I., 1948	*Macdonald, David A. Jr., 1968
*Pusateri, Augustus, 1928	*Goldman, Harry Il, 1949	*Chaika William Y., 1969
*Brown, Charles, 1929	*Jagolinzer, Harry D., 1950	*Limer, Harry, 1970
*Workman, Samuel H., 1930	*Duetch, Edward, 1951	*Ludovici, Peter, 1971
*Berberian, Arthur S., 1931	*Bloomberg, Sheldon O, 1952	*Tomasso, George, 1972
*Garr, Samuel, 1932	*Weiner, Benjamin, 1953	*Lamorte, Donato, 1973
*Blackman, Abraham, 1933	*R.W. Wolf, Jacob G., 1954	#Pulner, Edward R., 1974
*Marsella, Augustus, 1934	*Klein, Robert A., 1955	*Soren, Robert, 1975
*Silverman, Charles L., 1935	*Pagano, Nicholas, 1956	Tomas's, Steven, 1976
*Greenstein, Jacob, 1937	*Fellner, William, 1957	Pettrarca, Carmine, 1977
*Roitman, Aaron, 1938	*Ostrach, Morris L.,1958	*Miller, Howard, 1978
*Selonek, Leslie M., 1939	*Goldberg, Bernard S., 1959	*Sugerman, Everett, 1979
*D'Antuono, Francis, 1940	*Silverstein, Al, 1960	*Iarocci, Michael, 1980
*Savasta, Stellerio, 1941	*Pagano, David, 1961	#DeBlois, Donald R., 1981
*Bolotow, Charles, 1942	#Dickens, Joseph, 1962	Davis, Alvin Jr., 1982

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Lafayette Temple Association 2026 - 2027

W.: Jesse Thom, President (2028)

WM.: Michael Sprague, Vice President (ex officio)

W.: Ted Hague, Treasurer (2028)

W.: David Becker (2029)

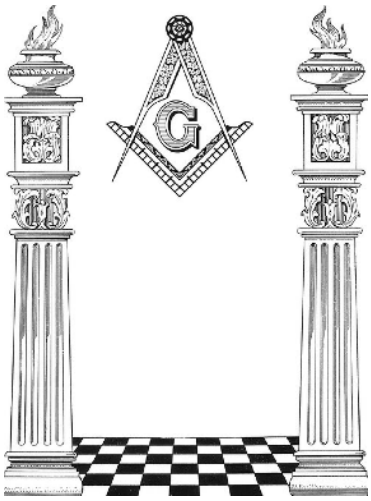
W.: Brian Cayer (2029)

W.: Matthew Ludwig, Secretary (2027)

R.:W.: Andy Sholes (2027)

SW.: W.: Derek Emery (ex officio)

JW .: Shawn Pierce (ex officio)



Past Masters Assoc.

W.: Matt Ludwig, President

W.: Michael Sprague, Vice President

W.: Ted Hague, Treasurer

R.: W.: Robert Lyle, Secretary

Sick and Distressed

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