

## THE GRAND MASTER

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## COMMITTEES

### STRATEGIC PLANNING

George Heflich, Daniel Lukowiak

### FINANCE

Delton Diaz, Raul Maldonado, Derek Price

### INVESTIGATIONS

Kyle Wadleigh, John Lawler, Damien De Fazio

### MEMBERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

Will Sikora, Delton Diaz

### RITUAL INSTRUCTION

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### SOCIAL MEDIA

Kyle Wadleigh, Julio Anguito

### HALL USE

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**TIME IS FREE,  
BUT IT'S PRICELESS.**

**YOU CAN'T OWN IT,  
BUT YOU CAN USE IT.**

**YOU CAN'T KEEP IT,  
BUT YOU CAN SPEND IT.**

**ONCE YOU'VE LOST IT  
YOU CAN NEVER GET IT BACK.**

-HARVEY MACKAY

## LIVING PAST MASTERS

Robert G. Handy - 1965  
Richard S. Kondak - 1967  
Edward H. Honchen, PGC - 1970  
Anthony Restivo - 1975/79  
Richard Kacvinski - 1977  
Donald J. Testa - 1981  
Rich C. Petermann, PDDGM - 1983/96  
Eugene D. Fucetola - 1984\*  
Carl E. Steinmetz, PGC - 1988  
Richard A. Goldrick Sr., PGC - 1999  
Neil S. Henning - 2001  
Nigel A. Duguid - 2002  
George H. Heflich Jr., PDDGM - 2003  
Dale D. Weingarten - 2004/05  
Rowland L. Francis, PJGD - 2005\*/08\*  
Langdon A. Wagner Jr. - 2006  
Anthony Santiago - 2007  
Wayne A. Petermann - 2008  
Franklin M. Suco - 2009  
Dalton Mejia, PDRI - 2010  
Jose E. Villalta, PDDGM - 2011/14  
Girard Lukowiak - 2012/13  
Erick Andersen - 2015  
Joel Finnerty - 2016  
Javier Osorio - 2017  
Michael R. Diaz - 2018/19  
Raul Maldonado - 2020  
G. Daniel Lukowiak - 2021 \*Affiliated

## LODGE TRUSTEES

W.B. Jerry Lukowiak.....2021  
R.W. Joel Finnerty.....2022  
R.W. George Heflich.....2023

Every 3rd Tuesday we open our  
doors to the Red Cross.  
Let's donate to save a life.



## NUTLEY LODGE NO. 25

FREE & ACCEPTED MASONS



## AUGUST 2021



*Stated Communications held on  
the First and Third Mondays  
The Gavel sounds at 7 PM*

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# THE JUNIOR WARDEN'S MESSAGE

My Brothers,

I hope this message finds you well. Summer is a time for us to recharge our batteries, spend time with family, and enjoy all of the activities it has to offer.

As we cast our eyes to the upcoming Masonic year, I'd like to offer thoughts for your contemplation. Specifically the significance of darkness and light. Like all Masonic symbolism, it's simple on the surface. But with deeper examination we can peel back the layers and extract their lessons. The play between darkness and light is represented in much of our ritual. But why is it so important?

On a large scale, this color combination describes the journey of Life itself. The good and bad, ups and downs, ebbs and flows of Life that we all experience. As Masons we strive to find the middle path of balance between dark and light. Staying even-keeled despite the eddies why may find ourself swirling in.

If we dig deeper we see that light represents knowledge. Darkness offsets this as the state of ignorance before illumination. The checkered floor can symbolize the two worlds— the material and the spiritual. As Masons we walk with one foot in each. Both are necessary for creation, which is why they also represent the joining of masculine and feminine.

The lessons are endless my Brothers. I ask you to ponder this symbolism during your leisure time. What does the play of dark and light mean to you?

Stay safe, and enjoy your Summer my Brothers! I'm looking forward to see you when we emerge from darkness to light!

Br. Kyle P. Wadleigh  
Junior Warden of the Lodge

## MASTER'S NOTES

My Brothers! I hope you are enjoying your summer and some much needed relaxation!

Please find below some of the events to look forward to in the second half of 2021 at Nutley Lodge #25!

### September 21st - The Third Eye Society

The Third Eye to resume with an impactful open discussion on the implications of being a mason in today's society, what it should mean, and what it meant when our forefathers were present...

**Lodge 7:00**



### October 18th - Table Lodge

Nutley's Annual Table Lodge will have two guests of Honor this year- **RW Jack Darakjy & RW Gil Chernack**—Two Legends of this, the Great 8th Masonic District!

Tickets available now -  
Limited to the first 50 Brothers.  
Call/Text W.B .Daniel for your ticket now!  
973-634-7769

**Lodge 7:00**

### November 1st - Master Mason Degree

Our Brothers will be raised in candlelight—our Past Masters will perform the Second Section.

**Dinner: 6:00**

**Gavel 7:00**

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## AUGUSTS BIRTHDAYS

**Br. Lawrence McCann - 8 Years**

**Br. Delton Diaz - 5 Years**



Congratulations to our  
Brothers recently passed  
to the Degree of  
Fellowcraft!



## CANDIDATES IN WAITING

**Dual Petition Pending**

**WB. Javier Florez**

**Awaiting The Master Mason Degree**

**Br. David Chasmer**

**Br. Joseph Cordasco**

**Br. Carlos Drouet**

**Br. David Susko**