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### **HONORARY MEMBERS**

John S. Ryan, PGM Joseph Maddalena, DB Rich Petermann, PDDGM Jack Darakjy, PDDGM Gil Chernack, PGC Fred Waldron, PDDGM

### **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**

Edward Honchen, Will Sikora

### **SOCIAL MEDIA**

Kyle Wadleigh, Julio Anguita

### HALL USE

Will Sikora - (201) 205-5609

## Nutley Lodge #25 is welcomed into the Nutley Chamber of Commerce.



### 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\* r Ir. - 2006 Langdon A. Wa Anthony Santiago - 2007 Wayne A. Petermann - 2008 Franklin M. Suco - 2009 Dalton Mejia, PDRI 2010 Jose E. Villalta, PDDGM - 2011/14 **Javier Florez - 2014** Bagrat Lalayan - 2014\* Girard Lukowiak - 2 Erick Andersen - 20 Joel Finnerty - 2016 Javier Osorio - 2017 Michael R. Diaz - 201 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



## **NOVEMBER 2021**



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

> 175 Chestnut Street Nutley, New Jersey 07110 (973) 235-9629

> > https://www.Nutley25.org/

## MASTER MESSAGE The Hourglass

Behold how swiftly the sands run and how rapidly our lives are drawing to a close...

It amazes me how quickly the time passes. I am only 33 years old and already each week feels as if it left me more quickly than the last. This year has been the fastest, most trying and yet most rewarding of my life.

Watching the hourglass reminds me of how slow time may seem to move during duress, and yet when we choose to view to our many treasures of life, then it is almost imperceptible how fast its sands actually run.

I believe the trick is to not take time for granted. Any of it. Do not try to wish it away or plead with it to move faster to get to some goal. Instead embrace each fleeting moment.

There is only one true finite resource in our existence, and that is our own time. I cannot think of any better reason than to live your life fully right now. Enjoy the moment. Grow with your loved ones. Seek enjoyment in your hobbies, bathe in the delight of music, bond with your Brothers and do whatever else your heart feels gives you true value with your time.

Make it not a chore, but a goal to fully live each moment.

Thus, I close on the wonderful thought of time, its value, beauty and knack of escaping from us so quickly. Make the most of it. Remind the people around you that you love them and never, never, never forget to live.

...As the sands of life, whether slowly or rapidly, will surely ebb away.

G. Daniel Lukowiak Worshipful Master



## MASTER'S NOTES

### November 1st - Master Mason Degree

Our Brothers will be raised in candlelight—The Second Section will be performed by our esteemed Past Masters.

Be a part of our first MM degree since 2019!

Dinner: 6:00

Gavel Sounds at 7:00

### November 8-9 - Grand Lodge Communication

Brothers—Grand Lodge is open to all. Get a room and come enjoy fellowship with Brothers from the entire state! Contact the WM with questions or for the room information.

#### November 15th - Nominations, Birthday Night & Rainbow Girl Presentation

An action packed night highlighted with a short presentation from the Rainbow Girls.

*Dinner: 6:00* 

Gavel Sounds at 7:00

November 22nd - DLI - Copestone Lodge Dinner 6:30 Masters/Wardens 7:15 D.L.I. 8:00

## <u>December 6th - Elections, Birthday Night & Qualification</u>

Please be present for the election of 2022's officers and the qualification of the Incoming Master. Also the final Birthday night of 2021!

Dinner: 6:00

Gavel Sounds at 7:00

Table Lodge 2021 was an excellent evening of Brotherhood. A superior Nutley #25 tradition continues.



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### NOVEMBER'S BIRTHDAYS

Br. Norman Lykes - 62	Br. Guillermo Roman - 11
r. Stewart MacFarlane -59	Br. Jose Auciello - 11
W. E <mark>dward Honchen - 58</mark>	Br. Ivan Perdomo - 10
VB. R <mark>icha</mark> rd Kond <mark>ak - 5</mark> 8	Br. Marco Ruiz-Perez - 10
Br. Robert Cooper - 56	Br. Michael Flaherty - 10
r. Frederic Eisenhauer -46	WB. Erick Andersen - 10
Br. Dennis Bernat - 42	Br. Taseen Peterson - 9
Br. Douglas Oliver - 35	Br. Luis David - 7
WB. Neil Henning - 27	Br. Michael Maldonado - 7
r. G <mark>erard</mark> Tamburino - 26	Br. Altemir Barbosa - 7
Br. William Lobay - 22	Br. David Wilson - 7
Br. Lee Gilbert - 20	Br. Michael Walsifer - 6
Br. George Chalet - 16	Br. William Sikora - 5
Br. Michael Damico - 13	Br. Richard Tom - 5
Br. Jose Pereira - 12	Br. Travon Brown - 5
Br. Emilio Novoa - 12	Br. Gregory Switzer - 4
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Life is not a spectator sport. If you're going to spend your whole life in the grandstand just watching what goes on, in my opinion you're wasting your life."

**JACKIE ROBINSON** 

### CANDIDATES IN WAITING

**Dual Petition Pending** Br. Julio Colmenares

**Petitions Pending** Mr. Carlton Grant Entrepreneur Maplewood, NJ

Mr. Luis Garcia Rivas Store Manager Belleville, NJ