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*George F. Dunn, P.M.....1977
*Raymond C. Welch, P.M.....1978
*Jack D. White, P.M.....1979
Milton L. Draper, Jr., P.M.....1980, 2006, 2017
*George B. McGlashan, P.M.....1981
*Richard Valdes, P.M.....1982
*William H. Hassall, Jr., P.M.....1983
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Ronald J. Hudson, P.M.....1986
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Patrick M. Brown, P.M, PGT.....2000, 2001
*David J. Rice, P.M.....2003
Stephen M. Tucker, P.M, PJGS, SGW.....2004, 2018
Michael J. Gamgort, P.M.....2010
Daniel M. Brandt, PM.....2011, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2019
Matt A. Nelson, PM.....2012
Stephen R. Hoops, PM.....2016
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AFFILIATED PAST MASTERS

*Paul J. Spencer, PM.....1990
(McCulloch #737, Marion, IN)
Richard J. Gendreau, PM.....2009
(Sunrise #288, Toms River, NJ)
Bernard J. Bialecki, Sr., PM.....2015
(Union #7, Dover, DE; PDDGM Oswego District, New York)
Wilfredo Gonzalez, PM.....2008
(Cosmos Lodge #62, Puerto Rico)

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A.F. & A.M.

Constituted October 28, 1967

The Masonic Trestleboard
November 2020



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NOTIFY ANY MEMBER OR OFFICER LISTED INSIDE. ALSO
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TRESTLEBOARD PLEASE CONTACT THE WORSHIPFUL MASTER

Solomon Lodge #36 AF & AM

November 2020 Trestleboard

You are cordially invited to attend the 531st Stated Communication of Solomon Lodge #36 at the Newark Masonic Temple, 207 East Delaware Avenue, Newark, Delaware on Wednesday November 11th 2020, 6020 AL at 7:30 p.m.

For Stated business meetings, Dress is business casual, and for Special Communications for conferring degrees will still be our standard tuxedos for officers, suit and tie for Brothers.

Dewey V. Miller Worshipful Master

Attest: Toland S. Van Stan, Jr., PM, Secretary

FROM THE EAST

Greetings, Brothers! The month of October seems to have passed quickly. October 3rd was Adopt-A-highway clean up. Also, on the same date, The Annual Grand Lodge Communication was held. On October 10th an outdoor Master Mason Degree was attended by some of the officers. During the month we held 5 practices. October 22nd, the officers conferred a fine Master Mason Degree on Felipe Yamaguchi. At our October Stated, three petitions were read. One for Affiliation and Two for Initiation and Membership. Starting the Saturday after Thanksgiving, we start Ringing the Bell for the Salvation Army Christmas Kettles. November is looking like another busy month.

Fraternally yours,
Dewey V. Miller WM

Solomon Lodge 36 Calendar

Nov. 4th: Officer Practice.....6:30 pm
Nov. 11th: Stated Communication.....7:30 pm
Nov. 12th: Officer Practice.....6:30 pm
Nov. 14th: Ritual/Education... ..9:00 am
Nov. 14th: Food Bank of Delaware.....10:00 am
Nov. 18th: Possible EA Degree.....7:00 pm
Nov. 19th: Officer Practice..... 6:30 pm
Nov. 22nd: Masonic Divine Service Day.....
Nov. 24th: Officer Practice..... 6:30 pm
Nov. 26th: HAPPY THANKSGIVING, BROTHERS..
Practices are subject to change due to work schedules. If you would like to attend, call an officer to verify practice is being held.

2021-2022 Grand Lodge Nominations

After the Stated Communication on November 11th, There will be a meeting of the Grand Lodge Members of Solomon Lodge #36 for the purpose of nominating the 2021-2022 Grand Lodge Officers and the 2020-2021 Grand Lodge Award of Honors nominees.

Stated Meetings and Degrees COVID-19 Precautions

Solomon Lodge will follow all state and local laws and those of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Delaware.

Face masks will be worn in the lodge and six feet apart will be maintained.

Upon entering the lodge your temperature will be taken and entered on the mandatory sign in sheet.

Disinfecting and cleaning check-list of the building will be made available for your inspection.

Solomon Lodge #36 will provide masks, gloves and hand sanitizer.

You can wear the aprons provided or wear a pocket apron.

For more information go to the following website:
www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/advice-for-public

For the State of Delaware Covid 19 website along with latest information and local data, go to:
<https://coronavirus.delaware.gov/>

Statewide Ritual Workshop

Saturday, November 14th, 2020, A Statewide Ritual Workshop is being held at Dover Masonic Temple at 1478 Wyoming Mill Road, Dover, DE. Starting time is at 9:00 am sharp and lasts until 12:00 pm. Coffee and donuts are available around 8:00 am. The workshop is very informative for all new Masons or for those who wish to learn more about Masonry. We will be carpooling from the Lodge. If interested, call any officer or the Worshipful Master.

Food Bank of Delaware

Most Worshipful Jeffrey D. Haass, Sr. and Grand Lady Mrs. Lisa Haass are supporting the Food Bank of Delaware this year.

The Food Bank of Delaware is providing an important service to our friends and neighbors across the State of Delaware. There are currently 121,850 Delawareans struggling with food insecurity and in light of COVID-19 that number has dramatically increased. It is up to all of us to do our part. Ladies will be volunteering on November 14th, 2020 at 10:00 am until 12:00 p.m. Arrival time is 9:45 am. If you would like to bring a friend you may do so.

Plant Sale

Brothers, as you all know we had to cancel this year's Plant Sale due to COVID-19, hopefully we will not have to cancel in 2021. The plant sale is a big contributor to our charitable funds. The sale is usually held the weekend before Mother's Day. Solomon needs someone to head up the committee. If you would like to volunteer, it would be greatly appreciated.

Contact Dewey V. Miller WM

2020 Salvation Army Christmas Kettles

COVID-19, and reactions to it, is affecting our 32nd year at the Salvation Army Christmas Kettles.

You most likely know that we usually serve at 4 Stands every year, starting the Saturday after Thanksgiving through Christmas Eve. We stand every Saturday from 9 AM to 9 PM, Monday through Friday from 5 PM to 9 PM and from 9 AM to 6 PM on Christmas Eve.

For over 15 years, 3 of the 4 Stands have been at Acmes. This year, Acme Corporate (meaning nationwide) are NOT allowing Kettles. Worse, the requests to stand sent out to other businesses are very slow in coming back. They still do not have permission at almost half the normal Stands

And there is yet another problem. I sent an e-mail to our Volunteers asking if they will serve this year, and, so far, about 60% have responded. 9 of our usual Volunteers will not be serving this year; 6 due to COVID, 1 moved, and 3 longtime Volunteers just cannot serve any longer. These members accounted for 80 hours last year.

The Stands we will be fully manning this year are: **Penneys Price's Corner, Walgreen/Total**

Wines at Milltown Plaza at the intersection of Limestone Road, Milltown Road & McKennan's Church Road and **Super G's at Eden Square** where Routes 40, Old 7 and SR1 meet.

We would like to fill the huge Walmart in Middletown on 301. This could be our fourth Stand, but we are already down 80 Volunteer hours (1/2 the hours needed for ONE Stand) and may lose more when the remaining 40% answer.

The schedule will be e-mailed out by 11/6, a week later than normal, so you can see we are starting late to begin with. Call in advance. We don't mind. Please see when you can serve as soon as you can.

Thanks, as always for being there. Be well.

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Happy Birthday!

This month Solomon Lodge is proud to congratulate the **16** Brothers who have a total of **597** combined years of Masonic service!

Michael T. Alpaugh.....38 years
John J. Bialecki, Jr.....28 years
Herman G. Coough, III.....39 years
William Georgov.....72 years
Kenneth B. Harris.....46 years
John H. Jester, Jr. PM..... 53 years
Michael L. Jopson.....25 years
James P. Lewis.....57 years
Jeffrey R. Mariani.....13 years
Jacob D. Meehan.....13 years
Walter L. Parsons, Jr.....50 years
Mark A. Smith.....32 years
Jeffrey M. Snyder.....31 years
Michael P. Stradley.....14 years
William J. Viar.....38 years
R. Spencer Wood.....48 years
Any Brother who attends the Lodge to celebrate his Masonic Birthday will have a donation made in their name to the Grand Lodge of Delaware Permanent Fund by Dewey V. Miller WM.

Need a Ride?

Brother – do you want to come join is in a lodge meeting, but need a ride, contact one of our officers and we can coordinate if for you. Brotherhood is what it's all about