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\*David M. Isiminger, P.M.....1971  
\*Frank H. Fricker, Jr., P.M.....1972  
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\*Francis C. Sargeant, P.M.....1974  
\*Charles E. Pelot, Sr., P.M.....1975  
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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  
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Ronald J. Hudson, P.M.....1986  
James N. Hutchinson, Jr., P.M., PSGD.....1987, 2002  
\*Charles H. McDonald, P.M.....1989  
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Toland S. Van Stan, Jr., P.M.....1991  
\*Charles B. Euston, Jr., P.M.....1992  
\*Murray W. Taylor, P.M.....1993

James S. Russell, Jr. P.M., PGM.....1994, 2005  
\*John F. Gleasner, P.M, PAGM.....1995, 2007, 2008  
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\*Scott A. Dalton, P.M, PSGD.....1997, 1998  
Patrick M. Brown, P.M, PGT.....2000, 2001  
David J. Rice, P.M.....2003  
Stephen M. Tucker, P.M, PJGS.....2004, 2018  
Michael J. Gangort, P.M.....2010  
Daniel M. Brandt, PM.....2011, 2013, 2014, 2015  
Matt A. Nelson, PM.....2012  
Stephen R. Hoops, PM.....2016  
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\*Paul J. Spencer, PM.....1990  
(*McCulloch #737, Marion, IN*)  
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**SOLOMON LODGE NO. 36  
A.F. & A.M.**

Constituted October 28, 1967

The Masonic Trestleboard  
September, 2019



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At 7:30 P.M. except July and August

Each Brother Bring a Brother

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# SOLOMON LODGE #36 AF & AM

September, 2019 Trestleboard

You are cordially invited to attend the 519<sup>th</sup> Stated Communication of Solomon Lodge #36 at the Newark Masonic Temple, 207 East Delaware Avenue, Newark, Delaware, on Wednesday, September 11th, 2019, 6019 AL at 7:30pm.

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

**Daniel M Brandt, PM, Worshipful Master**  
Attest: Toland S. Van Stan, Jr., PM, Secretary

## FROM THE EAST

Greetings Brothers, and welcome back! I hope everyone had a wonderful Summer, and all are looking forward to another great Masonic year. We had a record year for candidates joining last year, and the lodge was very active – I would like to continue that trend. As we progress thru this year I'd like to hear ideas on how we can better serve the community, and become more active in group events, charities, fund raisers, and other volunteer organizations. We have our Newark Community Day hot dog stand charity fundraiser coming up, as well as Adopt-a-Highway – mark them on your calendars to attend. I'd also like to see us more active in helping our own, reaching out to any brothers or families in need. We are a family! So let's reach out to each other, and if anyone needs help contact us! Hope to see all of you in lodge! Let's get moving, let's get active!

Sincerely and Fraternaly,  
WM Daniel M Brandt, PM

## Solomon Lodge 36 Calendar

- Sept 10<sup>th</sup>: Officer Practice.....6:30pm
- Sept 11<sup>th</sup>: Stated Communication.....7:30pm**
- Sept 15<sup>th</sup>: Newark Community Day
- Sept 17<sup>th</sup>: Officer Practice.....6:30pm
- Sept 24<sup>th</sup>: Officer Practice.....6:30pm
- Sept 25<sup>th</sup>: (possible FC degree).....7:00pm
- Oct 1<sup>st</sup>: Officer Practice.....6:30pm
- Oct 5<sup>th</sup>: Adopt-a-Highway
- Oct 8<sup>th</sup>: Officer Practice.....6:30pm
- Oct 9<sup>th</sup>: Stated Communication.....7:30pm**

## Upcoming Degree Work

This past year was a fantastic for degrees, and this coming Fall we will be very busy with Fellowcraft and Master Mason degrees – come to our meetings to stay updated. September 25<sup>th</sup> will be a tentative day for our first Fellowcraft degree, depending upon proficiencies – so stay tuned. Come out and support your new Brothers. Watch both our Solomon Lodge website, and also the Grand Lodge Calendar. This Lodge is very active and you should join the enthusiasm!

Also remember to watch the Delaware Grand Lodge website, which posts upcoming degrees and events at all Delaware lodges. Let's go out and visit our other Brothers!  
<http://www.masonsindelaware.org/>

## Want to be more active in the lodge?

We currently have an opening for the Junior Steward chair. Come join us at a practice, and see what it's all about. Our officer practices are scheduled for every Tuesday evening at 7:00pm. Being a line officer can be a very rewarding and educational experience. It can be a lot of fun, and you learn a lot about the history of Masonry. Contact me or any of the other officers if interested.

There are a lot of other things to do and join in on as well, you just need to step up! Right now I've a need for brothers to volunteer to memorize and give short charges: the EA Apron Charge, the MM Bible presentation, and the MM Canadian Charge. It's a good feeling to actively participate in the degrees. And if you'd like, I'm also looking for a second person to join in certifying for the EA and MM lectures as well as the FC Stair Lecture. These are packed with GREAT information, and are fun to learn and give.

## Newark Community Day

Brethren mark your calendars! This year's Community Day will be held on Sunday Sept 15<sup>th</sup>, with operating hours from 11:00AM to 4:00PM. Solomon Lodge runs a hot dog stand on Delaware Avenue, and it's one our larger fund raisers during the year. Not only does it help to raise money for our charities but it also builds friendships and gets our lodge's name out there in the surrounding campus as well as the general community – both

of which could be great resources for both new candidates as well as future opportunities to help and serve others. Three shifts are available: 8:30AM to 11:00AM, 11:00AM to 2:00PM, and 2:00PM to 4:30PM. Chairman James Baird could use all the help in running the event, so call him at 530-9400. Those helping to initially set up will start gathering at the lodge around 8:00-8:30AM. Please contact WM Dan Brandt via cell at (302) 540-0995 or our Secretary PM Toland at (302) 540-1539 to volunteer your services or questions. Please come out and have fun with Brothers, community, and family!

## Adopt a Highway

Our next roadside clean-up will be held on Saturday October 5th, the first Saturday of the month. We will meet at the Dunkin Donuts in Pike Creek Shopping Center at 7:30-7:45AM, and then begin the clean-up at 8:00AM. This is a very enjoyable event, and usually takes about 1½ to 2 hours at the most. It's a great way to start the weekend, that of having the feeling you've helped the community. Please contact our JW Andrew C. Greene at (302) 379-4425 if you are planning to show up, or for more information or questions. **Let's get a big group up this time! Hope to see you all there!**

## Job's Daughters Bethel #9 News

The Bethel normally meets on the First and Third Thursday of every month from September to June at 7:00pm. We are sure the Daughters would be happy to see you any time! The dress is business casual attire for these meetings. Please come out and show support for these young ladies! **They are part of our future.**

## 214th Annual Grand Lodge Communication

The Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of Delaware will be held at the Atlantic Sands Hotel, Rehoboth Beach, DE. All Master Mason members are invited to attend. All Symbolic Lodges are expected to be represented by their respective Worshipful Masters or Wardens. Spend the weekend and enjoy the last bit of summer before the cold winter weather sets in. The date is Monday, October 5th from 9:00am - 2:30pm (Registration opens at 8:00 AM), with a break for lunch. Check the Grand Lodge calendar for more information. <http://www.masonsindelaware.org/>

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

This month Solomon Lodge is proud to congratulate the **11 Brothers** who have a total of **295 combined years** of Masonic service!

- Anthony A. Ancarrow.....36 Years
- Goodwin K. Cobb, IV.....22 Years
- Bobby L. Cordell.....47 Years
- Timothy G. Dawson.....46 Years
- Christopher R. Gendreau.....1 Year
- Andrew C. Greene.....5 Years
- Stephen R. Hoops.....8 Years
- Quinton Klinck.....1 Year
- Bartley W. Nave.....29 Years
- James S. Russell, Jr., PGM.....49 Years
- Harold A. Webb.....51 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 WM Daniel M Brandt, PM.

## Need a Ride?

Brother – do you want to come join at lodge or some another function, but need a ride? Just contact one of our officers, and we can coordinate it for you! We would LOVE to see you! Brotherhood is what it is all about. Please give us a shout.

## Of Note

Masonry is the world's first and largest fraternal organization. It is a body of knowledge and a system of ethics based on the belief that each man has a responsibility to improve himself while being devoted to his family, faith, country, and fraternity. As Masons, we lead by example, give back to our communities, and support numerous Masonic philanthropies. We invest in children, our neighborhoods, and our future.

Our lives are based on honor and integrity, and we believe that honesty, compassion, trust, and knowledge are important. Our continuous pursuit of knowledge, ethics, spirituality, and leadership brings more meaning to our lives, while we strive to be better spouses, parents, and family members to all.