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**APPOINTED OFFICERS**

Chaplain ..... James R. Messina  
Senior Deacon ..... M. Vincent Cruciani  
Junior Deacon ..... D. Trent Colan  
Senior Master of Ceremonies ..... Raul Salcedo  
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Assistant Secretary ..... Robert E. Bogaski, Jr.  
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Substitute Appointed Officers: Kevin Kuna ~ William P. Hodson ~ Joseph D. Ziemba  
Kyle J. Ferguson ~ Mark Wadika

**COMMITTEES**

Rep. to Pennsylvania Youth Foundation and DeMolay Advisor ..... Lance J. Stange, Jr. P.M.  
Committee on Grievances, Chairman ..... Kevin C. Hayes  
Committee on Charity, Chairman ..... Frank S. Mellert, P.M.  
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Committee on Masonic Education, Chairman ..... Raul Salcedo

**STEWARDS**

William C. Kalinich, Jr., JW, (Chair) ~ Frank S. Mellert, PM (Chef) ~ Paris D. Alunni, PM (Assistant Chef)  
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**LIVING PAST MASTERS**

2011 Rafael B. Acosta-Miranda 1989 Darwin L. Shoener, DDGM 1984 James E. James 1988 \* Robert S. Price  
2010 Stephen M. Armstrong 1988 Darwin L. Shoener, DDGM 1983 James R. Stewart 1984 \* William F. Schneider  
2009 Eric S. Smith 1987 Richard J. Bellardi 1979 Warren W. Maxson 1957 \* Edger H. Edwards, Jr.  
2008 Christopher M. James 1986 Louis M. Prionielli 1977 Evan "Jim" Jones 1954 \* William F. Schneider  
2007 David M. Rozell 1985 Patrick J. Connor 1978 Algird A. Aukscunas \* Hiram Lodge No. 281  
2006 Russell L. Fenton, Jr. 1984 LeRoy C. Cook 1975 Robert C. Jones 1988 Gordon M. Conliff #339  
2005 Lance J. Stange, Jr. 1983 Fred T. James 1973 Carl R. Sherman 1980 Clinton E. Shirve, DDGM #654  
2003 Jon M. Stewart 1982 Frank S. Mellert 1968 Harry W. Sexton II 1981 Paris D. Alunni, #584  
2002 Charles J. Parry 1981 William G. Beattie 1967 William W. Jones 2001 Michael E. Cucura, #468  
2000 Frank S. Mellert 1987 William R. Quinn 1968 Michael J. Pacyna 2002 John A. DePrimo #468  
1985 Warren S. Lewis



*Constituted November 29th, 1854*



# Union Lodge No. 291 F. & A. M.

A Stated Meeting of UNION LODGE No. 291 Free and Accepted Masons will be held in Sherrill G. Snyder Hall, Masonic Temple and Scottish-Rite Cathedral 420 N. Washington Avenue Scranton, Pennsylvania 18503

Constituted November 29<sup>th</sup> 1854 ~ 2012 158 Years

**First Thursday, October 4<sup>th</sup> 2012**

**Thirty (7:30) O'clock, pm**

## Dinner ~ Pigs in the Blanket

Prepared by Brother: Fred J. Lance III and wife Isabelle  
Will be served *BEFORE* the meeting at 6:30 pm

## Program for the Evening

By: Brother M. Vincent Cruciani

George Washington's Masonic Apron Gift from

Marquis de Lafayette; made by Adrienne Lafayette

## 25 year Grand Lodge Service Lapel pins

WILL BE AWARDED TO THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS:

- Howard E. Decker ~ 1/5/1987
- Fred J. Lance, III ~ 4/6/1987
- Robert M. Morgan ~ 4/6/1987
- Robert A. Buraczewski ~ 6/8/1987
- Edward J. Drouse ~ 11/9/1987

### ACTION WILL BE HAD UPON THE FOLLOWING:

#### PETITION for INITIATION and MEMBERSHIP

Name	Age	Occupation	Residence
Paul Henry Miller	38	Police Officer	807 Main Street, Moosic, PA 18507
Committee of Inquiry: Joseph D. Ziemba (chair) ~ Carl R. Sherman, PM ~ Tim Rudy			
William James Fuller	31	Corrections Officer	283 Laurel St., Archbald, PA 18403
Committee of Inquiry Clyde E. Brown III (Chair) ~ Patrick Gerrity ~ Daniel R. Jones			

### EXTRA MEETING FOR CONFERRING DEGREES:

Thursday Evening, October 11<sup>th</sup>, 2011 at 7:00 O'clock pm

The Entered Apprentice Mason's Degree will be conferred upon:

Mr. Philip Carmen Cantelmo

The Master Mason's Degree will be conferred upon:

Bro. Lawrence James Diguglielmo

## ONE DAY CLASS ~ Saturday October 20, 2012

The 1<sup>st</sup> - 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Degrees will be conferred upon the Following:

- Mark Cruciani ..... Justin John Nemic
  - Russell Richard Stavig ..... Richard Glenn Stavig
  - Thomas John Watts ..... Thomas Joseph Gallagher III
- By: Order of the Worshipful Master: James R. Stewart, P.M. Attest: Warren W. Maxson, P.M./Secretary

### FRIEND TO FRIEND PROGRAM

Membership 12/31/2011	Petitions 14	Entered 6	Died 5	Resigned/Transferred/Suspended 1	Membership 10/1/2012 266
268	1	1	1	1	266

## OCTOBER MASONIC ANNIVERSARIES

- • • DOUGLAS L. ORRE ~ 59 Yr. Member • • •
- HARRY W. SEXTON, II ~ P.M. 1968, 53 Yr. Member
- WILLIAM T. GONDELA ~ 50 Yr. Member
- ALBERT R. SMITH ~ 46 Yr. Member
- WALTER A. WOOD, Jr. ~ 43 Yr. Member
- ROBERT C. JONES ~ P.M. 1975
- FRANK S. MELLERT ~ P.M. 1992-2000
- RICHARD H. MacGREGOR
- RATMOND E. BULGER
- WILLIE O. LAMBERT
- CHARLES J. MATHEWS
- EDWARD J. GALLAGHER
- GERALD P. HELLER
- ROBERT J. GOLDEN, Jr.
- THOMAS M. RUANE
- ROBERT A. MARIOTTI
- DAVID M. LUKAS
- JEFFREY M. KIMMEL
- KRISTOPHER C. LANCE
- WILLIAM P. HODSON
- SAMUEL L. PINKUS
- CHARLES G. FISHER
- FRANCIS C. McMULLEN
- EUGENE B. McKITISH
- BRIAN A. CLARK
- ROBERT A. LUCIANI
- PAUL F.P. McNAMARA
- PHILLIP A. BARTOCCI

## A Moment in History

September 17, 1862 ~ September 17, 2012  
Battle of Antietam, Maryland ~ 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

The single most bloodiest day in American history ~ 23,000 men wounded or killed.



Bro. Richard A. Oakford  
Colonel 132<sup>nd</sup> Regiment, P.V.

Our 1<sup>st</sup> Worshipful Master, 1854

Killed at the Battle of Antietam, Sept 17, 1862

## UNION LODGE ~ SPAGHETTI DINNER VILLA MARIE II

Sat. November 10<sup>th</sup>, 2012 ... 4:00 pm till 7:30 pm  
\$9.00 per person ~ children under 12 yrs. \$5.00

Take-Outs 4:00 pm till 5:30 pm

Tickets are available from: Edwin G. Harris ph 466-3331; James R. Stewart, PM/WM ph 335-2957; Carl R. Sherman ph 343-7407; Jack E. Ware, SW ph 690-1031; William Kalinich, JW ph 342-8270; Kevin Kuna ph 575-3374; Joseph D. Ziemba ph 457-0419