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**REPRESENTATIVES**

Representative in the Grand Lodge ~ Rafael B. Acosta-Miranda, P.M.  
Substitute Representative in the Grand Lodge ~ Stephen M. Armstrong, P.M.  
Representative in the Masonic Temple and Scottish Rite Cathedral Association ~ M. Vincent Cruciani

**APPOINTED OFFICERS**

Chaplain ..... James R. Messina  
Senior Deacon ..... M. Vincent Cruciani  
Junior Deacon ..... D. Trent Colan  
Senior Master of Ceremonies ..... Raul Salcedo  
Junior Master of Ceremonies ..... Eric S. Rishko  
Pursuivant ..... John A. Skumanich  
Tyler ..... Robert E. Bogaski, Jr.  
Assistant Secretary ..... Christopher M. James, P.M.  
Substitute Appointed Officers: William P. Hodson ~ Joseph D. Ziemba ~ Mark Wadikka ~ Kyle J. Ferguson  
**Darwin L. Shoener, D.D.E.M. 13<sup>th</sup> Dist. ~ 710 E. Mountain Rd. Scranton, PA 18505 - ph (570) 344-0561**

**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.  
Committee on Furniture, Chairman ..... Carl R. Sherman, P.M.  
Committee on Masonic History, Chairman ..... Raul Salcedo

**STEWARDS**

William C. Kalinich, Jr., JW, (Chair) ~ Frank S. Mellert, PM (Chef) ~ Paris D. Alumni, PM (Assistant Chef)  
James R. Messina ~ D. Trent Colan ~ Fred J. Lance, III ~ Eric S. Rishko ~ Joseph D. Ziemba ~ Ira Eenton  
Ronald E. Evans ~ Patrick F. Gerrity ~ John A. Skumanich ~ Javier E. Acosta-Gomez ~ Kristopher C. Lance

**LIVING PAST MASTERS**

2011 Rafael B. Acosta-Miranda 1999 Darwin L. Shoener, DDGM 1984 James E. James 1969 \* Robert S. Price  
2010 Stephen M. Armstrong 1998 Darwin L. Shoener, DDGM 1983 James R. Stewart 1964 \* William F. Schneider  
2009 Eric S. Smith 1997 Richard J. Bellardi 1981 Richard B. Rozell 1957 \* Edger H. Edwards, Jr.  
2008 Christopher M. James 1996 Louis M. Pionelli 1978 Warren W. Maxson 1954 \* William F. Schneider  
2007 David M. Rozell 1995 Patrick J. Connor 1977 Evan "Jim" Jones \* Hiram Lodge No. 261  
2006 Richard B. Rozell 1994 LeRoy C. Cook 1976 Algrid A. Aukscunas 1988 Gordon M. Coniff #339  
2005 Russell L. Fenton, Jr. 1993 Fred T. James 1975 Robert C. Jones 1980 Clinton E. Shirve, PDDGM #664  
2004 Lance J. Stange, Jr. 1992 Frank S. Mellert 1973 Carl R. Sherman 1991 Paris D. Alumni, #584  
2003 Jon M. Stewart 1991 William G. Beattie 1968 Harry W. Sexton II  
2002 Charles J. Parry 1987 William W. Jones 1967 William W. Jones 2001 Michael E. Cucura, #466  
2000 Frank S. Mellert 1985 Warren S. Lewis 1966 Michael J. Pacyna 2002 John A. DePrimo #466



*Constituted November 29th 1874*

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

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

First Thursday, April 5, 2012 at Seven-Thirty (7:30) O'clock, pm,

## Roast Beef Dinner

Prepared by Brother: Frank S. Mellert, P.M. and wife Ann Mellert  
 Will be served BEFORE the meeting at 6:30 pm

## VISITATION NIGHT

**Bro: Darwin L. Shoener, Jr, DDGM**  
**13<sup>th</sup> Masonic District**

Will Honor our Lodge and Present, 50 Year Masonic  
 Service Emblems to the following Members.

Donald R. May ~ 3/9/1962 Arthur L. Lord ~ 6/21/1962  
 Philip B. MacDonald ~ 6/21/1962 William T. Gondola ~ 10/8/1962

### ACTION WILL BE HAD UPON THE FOLLOWING: PETITION for INITIATION and MEMBERSHIP

Name	Age	Occupation	Residence
Joseph Vincent Kuna	72	Retired	412 13 <sup>th</sup> Ave., Scranton, PA 18504
Committee of Inquiry: James R. Messina (chair) ~ Edwin G. Harris ~ John Skumanich			

### PETITION for INITIATION and MEMBERSHIP

Name	Age	Occupation	Residence
Steven Paul Croker	42	Metalsmith	2202 Cedar Ave. Scranton, PA 18504
Committee of Inquiry: Rafael B. Acosta-Miranda, P.M. (chair) ~ Javier e. Acosta-Gomez ~ Raul Salcedo			

### PETITION for MEMBERSHIP

Name	Age	Occupation	Residence
Milton B. May	81	Retired	539 Quincey Ave. Scranton, PA 18510-2114
Committee of Inquiry: Not Required			

## Program for the Evening

WHAT DOES THE LACKAWANNA COUNTY COURT HOUSE  
 and the Statues on the square of

## Christopher Columbus

## President George Washington

have in common with Freemasonry, and with Union Lodge in particular ?

By: Bro: Warren W. Maxson, P.M./Secy.

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 5	Entered 2	Died 2	Resigned/Suspended 0	Membership 4/5/2012 268
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## APRIL MASONIC ANNIVERSARIES

DELBERT JAMES, 59 yr. Member	HERBERT A. FISHER, Trea.
ART PARRY, 55 yr. Member	JOSEPH R. YARON
ROBERT K. FELLOW 58 yr. Member	KEYVIN J. WASHO
WILLIAM D. THOMAS, 57 yr. Member	JOHN J. PACYNA, Jr.
EDGAR H. EDWARDS, 55 yr. Member, P.M.~1957	FRED J. LANCE II
EDWIN G. HARRIS, 53 yr. Member	EDWARD MRACKO, Sr.
WALTER L. SCHAUTZ, Jr., 51 yr. Member	ROBERT M. MORGAN
WARREN S. LEWIS, P.M.~1985	GARY H. SHOENER
WILLIAM G. BEATTIE, P.M.~1991	GREG T. ARMSTRONG
LeROY C. COOK, P.M.~1994	CLYDE E. BROWN III
CHARLES J. PARRY, P.M.~2002	JEFFREY S. DAVIS
MICHAEL E. CUCURA, P.M.~2001	RONALD E. EVANS
GUY C. FINUCAN, Jr.	MARK J. WADKA

## A Message from the Secretary's Desk.

Item #1 Any Member having knowledge of a Brother being ill, please notify our Master,  
 James R. Stewart, P.M., *Worshipful Master*; at (570) 587-9037

Item #2 At the close of Lodge, the Worshipful Master has invited every-one to join him in the  
 "Raymond Hood Room"

located on the Lower Level, for the remaining evening of fellowship.

### School of Ritualistic Instruction

Held the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the Month, starting at 7:00 PM, at the Masonic Temple, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor.  
 This is the Official Arena where you can learn all the Ritualistic work,  
 and the Proper Mechanics that go along with them.

ALL MASTERS MASONS are welcome attend. *James R. Hunt, P.M. Principal* (Schiller Lodge No.345)

## DUES ~ Last Call for 2012 ~ DUES

At the time of this mailing, there are ( 30 ) members, who have not paid their 2012 Dues  
 As a Friendly reminder, if your name appears below, it will indicate that you  
 still owe your 2012 Dues. *Thank You*

Brother \_\_\_\_\_

Dues, Must be Paid by our January Stated Meeting ~ By-Laws: Article 6; Section 6.01 The dues of each member shall be \$55.00 dollars per annum. Section 6.02, Dues are payable at the beginning of each year. Those owing dues will be suspended at the January Stated Meeting after having been given due notice. The Lodge may, at its discretion, postpone suspension to the April Stated Meeting but no longer.

Thank You

James R. Stewart, P.M./W.M.