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The Master's Words

Greetings All,

Winter is certainly upon us. A word of caution to all when navigating our streets and roads, where ever you are traveling. Please give special attention to those school buses and their passengers.

We have lost two of our fold this month. Bro. Dave Parkinson and W. Bro. Jim Glover have passed on to the Celestial Lodge above. Please keep their families in your prayers.

By the time you read this, the Installation is finished, and the pictures should be published soon. Our Ladies sure know how to make an event extra special. Also, our Breakfast with Santa will have its pictures published soon as-well. We thank all those for jumping in and helping out. Bro. Jim Gename, we thank you for putting the program together.

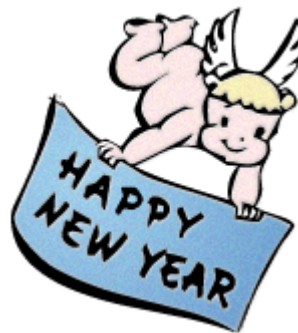
We have made the Wisconsin Masonic Journal again. Our Bro. Patel's MM Degree was something to behold. The work was one of the best ever.

The Officers are working hard to get a Lodge program together for the coming year. We have traveled to several Lodge to assist them with their degree work, and will continue to do so in the coming year.

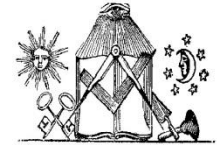
Having heard what we are doing at the Lodge, send us your latest news. Please keep us up-to-date.

I wish all of you the Best of Holiday Wishes. A Very Merry Christmas and a Joyous New Year. May your coming year be a safe and prosperous one.

In Brotherhood, Bro. Bill Shelley



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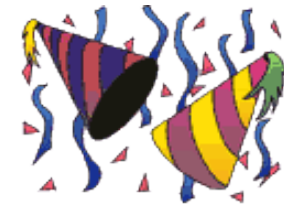
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The new slate of Officers was installed Monday, December 9 during an open installation ceremony. Special thanks to Brothers Wayne Budwick, Vince Shuler and Jim Gename for their installation service. Special thanks to my dear wife, Lee for making the party really great. And, thank you to those brothers, sisters and friends who attended. It was a good turn-out.

We are looking forward to a great year and hope we can provide a Lodge to those who prefer to attend Lodge in the morning. Breakfast at Gateway Café at 8:00am and Lodge at 9:30am. If you need a ride, call me at [262-455-5564](tel:262-455-5564). We'll be happy to pick you up.

S&F, Randy Holton, Worshipful Master

Happy New Year!



Have your lights lost their sparkle?

Did you know the city will not take them in your regular pickup?

Bethel 77 is collecting any and all lights for recycling.

You can drop your tangled mess off at our regular meetings any time between now and January 25th.

Our meetings are the 2nd and 4th Saturdays - and we would love to see you here.

Thank you - Jobie Love

Bethel 77

Rita L. Moorhouse

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Bethel 77



KENOSHA LODGE # 47

Greetings From The East,

Okay, last month I misspoke, this is my last letter from the east. Once again I must thank my officers and a special thank you to W. Bro. Ted Perroni for all his work on the new building.

Again, I would also like to take this opportunity to thank the brothers of Unity Lodge for allowing us to meet in their lodge, it has been greatly appreciated and will be remembered as a true Masonic act of brotherly love. I can't thank you enough.

I just had a very pleasant conversation with the general manager of Ashlings. Obviously we have a lot to discuss but I believe this will be very lucrative for all parties involved. He expressed the desire that this would be a long term relationship and that their corporate office is very excited about the possibilities. To let everyone understand who we are talking to they own 5 properties, Ashlings is the only one that does not have a high end hotel. They did \$1.8 million dollars last year, a very professional operation. Please visit their websites to get an idea, www.saintbrendansinn.com or www.chateaudepere.com there are links to all their properties on the left.

We will be doing our installation of officers on 1/14/14 our normal meeting night at Unity lodge at 7pm and of course there will be food afterwards. Please attend if you can and wish Bro. Tom well as he starts his term as Master.

Thank you all for the honor of allowing me to be the master of a great lodge, I wish you all the very best. On a personal note my wife is still doing well and I have started a new job that looks to be a fantastic opportunity.

Sincerely &Fraternally,

Jim Matson W.M.



January Birthdays

- 01/01 Randy M. Spivey
- 01/07 Bruce M. Goehing
- 01/08 Peter Gochis
- 01/09 Bruce J. Hannah
- 01/11 James M. Suksi
- 01/11 Wayne A. Budwick
- 01/11 Randall F. Upright
- 01/13 Jimmie R. Thomas
- 01/13 Louis J. Zagame
- 01/16 Jack E. Vernezze
- 01/17 Kenneth E. Hagen
- 01/17 Robert G. Schnaare
- 01/17 George H. Easton
- 01/18 James L. Shaffer
- 01/18 Michael S. Vastano
- 01/19 James M. Hoover
- 01/19 Peter J. West
- 01/20 Jon P. Strecker
- 01/24 William C. Yenawine
- 01/25 Donald L. Hall
- 01/27 Gerald S. Hansen
- 01/27 Billy S. Owens
- 01/28 James G. Kruse
- 01/31 Woodrow Hanzalik



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KEITH R. MATUS
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The Editor/Secretary

Our Bro. David Parkinson passed on to the Celestial Lodge above on November 27 after a long battle with cancer. Unity conducted a Masonic Memorial Service for him on December 5th.

Our Bro. James Glover passed on the Celestial Lodge above on December 5th. Several of us attended the visitation for him on December 11th.

Rest in Peace, Brothers.

The 2014 Unity Officers are installed. The evening was wonderful! Thanks to all the ladies and Brothers who helped.

Santa came to Unity and had breakfast with us.

Thanks to all the elves who helped!

We are signing up blood donors for our drive on January 25th. If you can spare a pint, give me a call or send a note.

Happy New Year to all of you. I hope 2014 is the best ever!

See you in Lodge!

Fraternally,
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December 2013-January 2014



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If you would like to join Eastern Star, learn more about the projects we have been doing or have questions please don't hesitate to reach out to us through leaving a message in our mail box at the lodge or calling the Worthy Matron at 262-455-5025.

With God, All Things Are Possible
Elisa Marshall, Worthy Matron
Doug Moorhouse, Worthy Patron



- December 23– Sunrise Lodge (Cancelled)
- December 24 – Kenosha #47 7 PM
- December 25 – Christmas Day
- January 1 – New Years Day
- January 2 – Unity Stated (Postponed to 1/9)
- January 6 – Unity Trustees 6:00 PM
- January 9 – Unity Stated 7 PM
- January 13– Sunrise Lodge 9:30 AM
- January 14 – Kenosha #47 (Installation) 7 PM
- January 16 – Unity Stated 7 PM
- January 25 – Blood Drive 9 AM-1 PM
- January 27– Sunrise Lodge 9:30 AM
- January 28 – Kenosha #47 7 PM

Every Wednesday – Lodge Clean Up with coffee and rolls 8 AM, and Degree Practice 10 AM.

January Masonic Anniversaries

- Charles D. Estill
- Jerry E. Davis
- W. Louis J. Zagame
- Eddie R. Lofton
- Vincent Desantis
- W. Dennis A. Johnson Sr
- W. Robert T. Stoebe
- James E. Kreuser
- Richard A. Carey
- Terry A. Griffiths
- James C. Pittman
- Ethan J. Walters
- Stephen C. Wesner



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Blood Drive



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