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APPOINTED OFFICERS

Chaplain	John N. Stange, III.
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LIVING PAST MASTERS

2022	Lance J. Stange, Sr.	2013	John "Jack" E. Ware	2002	Charles J. Parry	1987	William R. Quinn
2021	Gregory E. Gagorik	2012	James R. Stewart, Sr.	1999	Darwin L. Shoener, Jr.	1985	W. Meredith Golden, III
2020	Robert C. Moore	2011	Rafael B. Acosta-Miranda	1998	Darwin L. Shoener, Jr.	1984	James E. James
2019	Clyde E. Brown III	2010	Stephen M. Armstrong	1997	Richard J. Belardi	1983	James R. Stewart, Sr.
2018	Isaac H. Newman	2008	Christopher M. James	1996	Louis M. Priorielli	1977	Evan "Jim" Jones
2017	John A. Skumanich	2007	David M. Rozell	1995	Patrick J. Connor	1973	Carl R. Sherman
2016	Joseph D. Ziemba	2005	Russell L. Fenton, Jr.	1994	LeRoy C. Cook	1969	Robert S. Price #261
2015	Kevin J. Kuna	2004	Lance J. Stange, Jr.	1991	William G. Beattie	1966	Michael J. Pacyna
2014	William C. Kalinich, Jr.	2003	Jon M. Stewart	1991	Paris D. Alunni, #584		



Constituted November 29th 1854

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

Constituted November 29th 1854 ~ 2023 169 Years ago, in the Borough of Providence, Luzerne County, Pennsylvania

A Stated Meeting of UNION LODGE No. 291 Free and Accepted Masons will be

held in Sherrill G. Snyder Hall, Masonic Temple Scottish-Rite Cathedral 420 N. Washington Avenue Scranton, Pennsylvania 18503 on **Thursday, November 2nd, 2023 at Seven-Thirty (7:30) O'clock, p.m.**

Turkey Dinner

Will be served by the Junior Warden and Stewards BEFORE the meeting at 6:30 p.m.

Program for the Evening

Veterans and Past Masters Night

MC for the evening will be Brother Robert C. Moore, P.M.

EXTRA MEETING for CONFERRING DEGREES

2nd Thursday Evening, November 9th, 2023 at 7:00 o'clock, P.M.

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

Mister Louis Anthony Moriano

Followed by: The Master Mason's Degree to be conferred upon: Brother Douglas Ray Stevens

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The Grand Lodge of Free & Accepted Masons of Pennsylvania Philadelphia, PA, September 7, A.D. 2023, A.L. 6023

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE GRAND LODGE:

You are hereby requested to attend the closed Annual Business Communication of the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania to be held at 8:00 o'clock, a.m. on Wednesday, December 27, 2023, at the Lancaster Marriott and Convention Center at Penn Square, 25 South Queen Street, Lancaster, PA 17603, at which time the business of the Grand Lodge will be conducted.

You are also hereby requested to attend the Open Annual Grand Communication of the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania at the Lancaster Marriott and Convention Center at Penn Square, 25 South Queen Street, Lancaster PA 17603, on Wednesday, December 27, 2023, at 10:00 o'clock, a.m. at which time the Grand Lodge Officers will be installed.

By Order of the R.W. Grand Master.

By Order of the Worshipful Master: Robert W. Dommes

Attest: Joseph D. Ziemba, P.M., Secretary

FRIEND TO FRIEND PROGRAM

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NOVEMBER MASONIC ANNIVERSARIES

Clyde E. Brown Jr Mark J. Cannon John Cardoni
Patrick J. Connor P.M David A. DiChiara Russell L. Fenton III
Charles E. Friese Larry J. Hickernell Sr Scott C. Hoffner
Kenneth R. Jenkins David H. Jenkins Robert L. Kagler
Robert J. KerecmanDaryl J. Kuna
Anthony J. Maszeroski Kevin G. Mitchell Jr William R. Quinn P.M.
Raul SalcedoJerome B. Shalkowski
Carl R. Sherman P.M Howard M. Spizer James R. Stewart Sr. P.M.
Todd P. Sykes Core P. Vergnetti
Jonathan G. WeaverDavid P. Zadzura Jr.

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The Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania Masonic Charities Appeal

Do you know your Masonic Charities encompass various charities, each one with its own unique mission? Scan the QR code below or visit MasonicCharitiesPA.org to learn more about each of these Pennsylvania Masonic Charities: The Masonic Library and Museum; The Pennsylvania Masonic Youth Foundation; The Masonic Children's Home; and The Masonic Villages.

More than 150 years ago, the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania had the ambitious vision to build a Masonic Temple for the ages. Fueled by the confidence that future generations of Pennsylvania Masons would enjoy and care for the Masonic Temple, our predecessors overcame daunting construction and funding challenges to bring the vision to life.

Celebrating its 150th anniversary, it is now our turn to step up and ensure the Masonic Temple and Library and Museum remains a beacon of Freemasonry's light for the next 150 years.

Please support the charity of your choice through the 2023 Annual Fall Appeal. Send a check (made payable to "Masonic Charities") to the Masonic Charities, Office of Mission Advancement and Development, One Masonic Drive, Elizabethtown, PA 17022 or donate online by visiting MasonicCharitiesPA.org and click "Our Charities" in the banner. Then, navigate to your charity of choice and click, "Give Now."

If you are age 70 $\frac{1}{2}$ or older, consider making a Qualified Charitable Distribution (QCD) this year to your favorite Masonic charity – tax free! For the charitable distribution to be tax-free qualified, please have the check payable directly to the charity and not to you, the owner.

Thank you for your continued support!

13TH MASONIC DISTRICT SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION

The 13th District School of Instruction is held on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the Month at 7:00 PM, in Snyder Hall at the Masonic Temple in Scranton, PA. All Master Masons are welcome to attend to learn Ritualistic work and proper mechanics. *For more info contact: Rafael B. Acosta-Miranda, P.M. Principal at (570) 290-0613.*