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Stated Communications are on the 1st Tuesday of the Month

Dinner is served at 6:30 PM Meeting Opens at 7:30 PM (Sept-Jun)

Dinner Reservations can be made online at: http://www.gideonlodge.com/Reservations.html or by calling the Jr. Warden. Reservations are encouraged. Families are always welcome to join us for the meal.

Gideon Lodge #84 Officers Directory - 2022

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Special Events / Upcoming Dates / Notices

Dues Reminder

Dues cards are ready brothers! Have you got your new dues card for 2022? If not, there may be an issue with your dues due. Please contact the Secretary if you have not received your 2022 dues card yet. We will be making some changes soon to the online payment system as the rates they charge continue to rise. Watch for upcoming notices on changes for the online payment option through our website.

Noted Calendar Events:

March 1st - Stated Meeting 6:30 Dinner, 7:30PM Meeting

March 13th - Daylight Saving Time





March 17th - St. Patrick's Day



March 26th - Ham & Bean Supper (4pm - 6pm)

- Ritual practice is held at the Lodge at 6:30pm every Tuesday
- Ritual Lessons are held at the Lodge at 5:30pm every Sunday (Recommended to Check first to Confirm)



Masonic Humor





Annual Veteran's Program:

Our Annual Veteran's Program was a great success this year and we had a tremendous turnout. We had a total of 26 Brethren who showed up of which 11 were Visiting Brethren.

Special guests who joined us for the day were the MWGM David S. Collins, DDGM Steven Welch, DGT John Gordon, DGM Daniel Hotchkiss, SGW Scott Borthwick, JGW Larry Sprague, SGD Troy Patoine, GM Jerome Becker, DDGEO Joseph Rella and GT Donald Crete.

After being received with public ceremonial honors, the MWGM addressed all those in attendance.

Brother John Paiva presented Paul Butler of Kingston Recreation with a donation which was further matched by Grand Lodge and then matched again by Partners Bank!

The Worshipful Master presented the following brethren with the service pins.



MWGM presents Wor Brother Clovis Leach 65 yr award



MWGM presents Brother Lessard with 75 yr award)

- ℘ Bro. Donald Ross (45 Yr Pin)
- Bro. Norman Freeman, Jr. (30 Yr Pin)
- ℘ Bro. Gerry Parziale (30 Yr Pin)
- Bro. Glen Miller (20 Yr Pin)

The Most Worshipful Grand Master presented the **50** year and above awards to:

Was Not in Lodge at time of presentation

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Stanley Lapham (60 Yr Pin)

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- © Clovis Leach (65 Yr Pin & Certificate)
- Lloyd Lessard (75 Yr Certificate)

HAM & BEAN NEWS:

Our Ham & Bean suppers continue to be a huge success each month. More and more people from surrounding towns are coming out to see what all the talk is about. It is a wonderful event and fun to see all the smiles we bring to our friends and neighbors in the community. Please come out and lend and hand, offer to bring a pie or a dessert of some type or just come for an evening of socializing and fun. All are welcome.



Messages from the East

Warm Fraternal Greetings Brethren!

I hope everyone is staying warm and well this winter season.

I am sorry for the Trestle Board going out late again this month. Work has been rather demanding of my time. (a good complaint to have)

Our Veteran's Degree went well with Brother Lessard receiving his 75' Year pin, and many other brothers receiving their pins as well. See our section in the Trestle Board on the day's program and all who received awards.

As to upcoming events, there is not much on the District 1 Calendar other than the normal Stated Meetings. It is nice when we can travel to the other lodges, if you haven't done so yet, I encourage everyone to go around and spend time with other brothers in the district and enjoy their lodges and see how others do things maybe a bit differently than we do at Gideon. St. Andrews Lodge has the traveling Gavel. Their Stated Meeting in February was canceled, but we should try and get a group together for March 14th and go over and try to bring the Gavel back home to Gideon.

We have resumed Practices on Tuesday evenings at 6:30pm. We need to have both a Master Mason and Entered Apprentice Degree shortly and we also have several EA's progressing quite well.

I hope to see you all out at the Ham & Bean this month, it has become quite popular in the area and seems to be growing larger each month. Please come out and join in the fun and help wherever you can.

Fraternally,



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Remember Brethren: We Meet on The Level