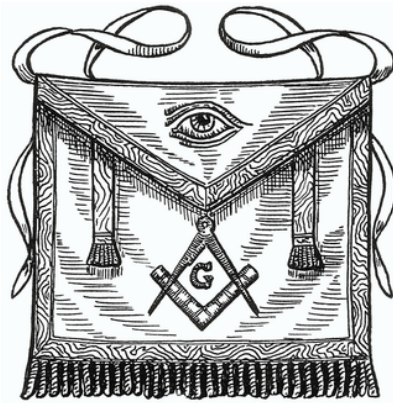

St. Cloud Masonic Lodge No. 221

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W.:M.: Harry Mapes | April 2023



Chartered January 21, 1914

District 16, Zone 5

Meetings at 7:30 p.m. and Supper at 6:30 p.m.

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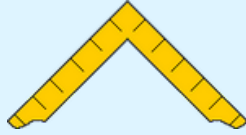
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Worshipful Master:	Harry Mapes (WM Elect)	(407) 496-3737
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Junior Warden:	William Kelly (JW Elect)	(407) 973-7578
Treasurer:	Donald Soolsby (PDDGM)	(407) 721-0147
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Historian:	Bill McIntosh	
Musician:		

Monthly Messages



From the East



Hello,

As March comes to an end we are going into April having accomplished a lot within our Lodge. We have conducted new member degrees, visiting other places and having people from different Lodges and Grand Lodge visit. We have an exciting month coming up, we plan on visiting the Masonic Home on April 15th. I hope to see more Brothers at our meetings and remember the second meeting of the month we will not be wearing shirt and tie. It is great this year so far, enjoying everybody.

Fraternally,
Harry Mapes



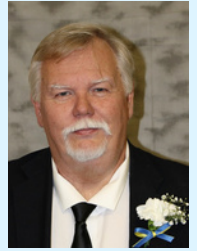
40 Year award presented to John McAllister.



25 Year award presented to Donald Gaskin II.



From the West



Brothers,

From the West:

We still have our Lodge list as a usable venue. Nothing so far, but, hopeful on rentals.

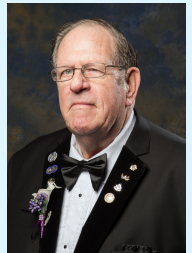
I am looking forward to the degrees and new members.

I hope to see Brothers at the Battle of Narcoossee Mill. It will be good fellowship.

Fraternally,
John Reger



From the South



Brothers,

My body sometimes feels sore, but it works.

I don't sleep well most nights, but I do wake up to fight another day. My wallet is not full but my stomach is. I don't have all the things I ever wanted but I do have everything I will ever need. I'm thankful because although my life is by no means perfect, it's my LIFE and I'm happy.

Thank You GOD!!!!

Fraternally,
William Kelly



Monthly Messages



From the Treasurer



Greetings,

Have you ever considered becoming a Perpetual Member?

The Perpetual Membership Fund is an endowment program for your Lodge. Perpetual Membership affords a Brother an opportunity to remain an active supporter of his Lodge long after being called to the Celestial Lodge Above. The funds provided by your Perpetual Membership will help to keep your Lodge on solid financial ground in the future. This, we hope, is the aim of all Master Masons.

The Standard Perpetual Membership is 20 times your Lodge dues plus per capita.

A Brother can purchase the Standard Perpetual Membership using the Installment Plan with \$200.00 down and paid over 60 months. Your Lodge Secretary can provide the paperwork to start you on the road to a Perpetual Membership.

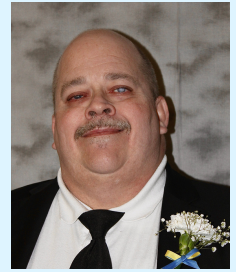
Fraternally,

Donald R. Goolsby, PDDGM
Treasurer

YOUR 2023 OFFICERS



From the Secretary



Brothers,

It has certainly been an eye-opening experience taking on the role of Secretary for the Lodge! I've had a lot of help from my predecessor Brother Ernie Paton passing down what he's learned in his term as Secretary.

I will do my very best to do the job that I was elected to by the Brothers of this Lodge. It will take me some time to learn the position entrusted to me, I have confidence in myself that I will excel at it as time goes on.

Fraternally,
Kenny Stichter



We held an Entered Apprentice Degree on March 23rd, 2023. We would like to welcome Brothers David Bautista and Travis Armstrong into our Lodge.



Lodge Committee Chairmen

Finance: Bro. John Reger (PM)
 Vigilance: Bro William Kelly
 Petitions: Bro. Ernie Paton
 Education: W.: Harry Mapes
 Board of Relief: W.M. and Wardens
 Investigations: As Needed
 Charity: All Masons
 Lodge Property: Bro. William Kelly
 Mentor's: Bro. John Reger (PM)



ALAS MY BROTHERS

Jack Lethenstrom (PRRGC)
 Dale Boutin French
 Clarence H. Franklin
 Gary Eugene Stewart
 John "Big John" Cuttitta (PM)
 Lawrence Montesi (PM)
 David O'Quinn
 Donald Hughes



Old Saint Cloud Masonic Lodge



Past Masters

*Davis H. Gill 1912/13**
 *W.N. Garner 1914/15 **
 *E.E. Livermore 1916**
 *Sam Brammer 1917/18/53 **
 *W.M. Hall 1919**
 *Lovie C. Riddle 1920**
 *Ives E. Diefendorf 1921**
 *Otto R. Bleach 1922**
 *A. Earle Cowger 1923**
 *Sidney W. Porter 1924**
 *Calvin P. Parker 1925**
 *Dan E. Armstrong 1926**
 *Holmes E. Crawford 1927**
 *Lloyd C. Herringer 1928**
 *Ralph G. Reynolds 1929**
 *L.U. Zimmerman 1930**
 *Robert H. Johns 1931**
 *William H. Dodds 1932**
 *M. Percy Tindall 1933**
 *Frank Garside 1934**
 *James W. Sage 1935**
 *William J. Thurber 1936**
 *Henry L. Godwin 1937**
 (+)Groves M. Mosses Jr. 1938**
 *John B. Mills 1939**
 *Harvey L. Hersey 1940/43**
 *Floyd E. Davidson 1941**
 *John E. Hale 1942**
 (+)John R. Rotundo 1944**
 *Ross E. Jeffries 1945**
 *Albert Depew 1946**
 *O. Frank Kirby 1947**
 *Fred M. Loring 1948**
 *Horace Y. Smith 1949**
 *William E. Spencer 1950**
 *Jay B. Johnson 1951**
 (+)Curtis J. Bock 1952**
 *Norman Mallet 1954**
 *James H. Young 1955**
 S. Robert Lackey 1956**
 *Robert H. Chamberlin 1957**
 *William R. Godwin II 1958**
 *Russell J. Depew 1959**
 *Lloyd Stalvey 1960**
 *William S. Byrd 1961**
 *Laurence Wheeler 1962**
 Edward Cowley 1963
 *R.J. Bramhan 1964**
 *George S. Pankey 1965**
 *Harold R. James 1966**
 *Willis E. Leech 1967**
 *James E. Long 1968**
 *Arthur W. Campbell 1969**
 *Allan S. Goodman 1970**
 *Hubert Z. Fryman, Sr. 1971**
 Hugh E. Wright III 1972

*John B. Phelps 1973**
 *Harris Rumsey 1974**
 *Russell V. Zimmerman 1975**
 *James L. Swogger 1976**
 *Robert J. Breeze 1977**
 *Robert Carlyon 1978**
 Raymond R. Lackey 1979
 Danny K. Cripe 1980/93
 Frank T. Hopkins 1981
 *Robert O. Bell 1982**
 *James E. Jones 1983**
 (+)Marshall H. Brown 1984**
 *Robert K. Bumgardner 1985**
 Gerald L. Durbin, PDDGM 1986
 *Jay R. Young, Jr. 1987**
 *Eddie C. Williford 1988**
 *Frank S. Mazzei 1989**
 Jack D. Lethenstrom, PRRGC **
 1990/2001/2007 **
 Barry L. Taylor 1991
 *Ernest N. Elliott 1992**
 Ted R. Smith 1994
 Michael E. Rigsby 1995
 Allen R. Van Horn 1996/2000
 Jerry W. Little 1997
 *David W. Stanyon 1998**
 Larry A. Montesi 1999 **
 Joe Parham 2002
 Alvin R. Sharp, Jr. 2003
 Jack V. Miller 2004
 Michael Hemphill 2005
 *Allen Antoniac 2006**
 Bob Shonyo 2008
 Joe Moore 2009/10 /13
 John Cuttitta 2011 **
 John Reger 2012
 Donald Goolsby 2014
 Wendel Tomimbang 2015
 William Waggoner 2016
 Sidney Mills 2017
 John Whitehead 2018
 Gerald W. Newland, Jr. 2019
 Kenneth A. Stichter 2020
 Jason Walters 2021
 Nigel Mills 2022
 Legend: (**) DECEASED
 (++) UNAFFILIATED





RAISED IN APRIL

- 4th Jeffords Miller
- 15th Wendell Tomimbang
- 21st Jason Bass
- William Clark Jr.
- Jason MacArthur
- 26th Gerald Durbin
- 28th Carl Fsadni
- Dana King
- Ronald Kreger II
- Sidney Mills
- Phillip Powell
- Steven Watkins



APRIL

- 1st Angel Cardona
- 2nd Mark Rife
- 3rd Terrance Landry
- 5th John Brumer
- 9th Michael O'Dell
- 19th David O'Quinn
- 25th Kevin McLaughlin
- 30th Seth Rye



ALAS MY BROTHER !!!

IT IS WITH A SADDENED HEART THAT WE INFORM YOU OF THE PASSING OF OUR BROTHER DONALD HUGHES ON FEBRUARY 27TH, 2023.

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- *Grand Master's Charity*
- *First Lady's Charity*
- *Masonic Youth*
- *Rainbow for Girls*
- *Boy Scouts of America*

Charity Account

Due to taking care of each other, we have significantly depleted our Charity Account. The Pro-tem Worshipful Master requested everyone contribute \$20.00 to help build it back up. If you feel so compelled you can mail in a check or use the PayPal QR code and annotate that it is for Charity.



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**WE ARE PLANNING A PILGRIMAGE TO THE MASONIC HOME
ON APRIL 15TH, 2023.
MORE DETAILS TO FOLLOW.....**



Order of the Eastern Star
Chapter No. 46
Meets on the First and Third
Thursdays

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Future Ballots / Votes

- None

Upcoming Meetings

- MLT Classes held at Saint Cloud Lodge, April 12th at 6:30 p.m. (pizza and snacks)
- Stated Communication on April 13th, 2023 (Supper 6:30 / Meeting 7:30 p.m.)
- April 15th, Masonic Home Pilgrimage
- Stated Communication on April 27th, 2023 (Supper 6:30 / Meeting 7:30 p.m.)
- PLEASE check centralfloridamasons.com/calendar for more events.



Junior Warden's Menu

First Meeting:

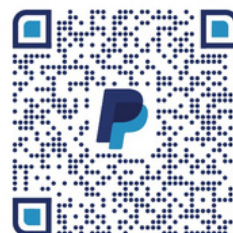
BEEF TACOS
SPANISH RICE
REFRIED BEANS
DESSERT

Second Meeting:

HOMEMADE BAKED ZITI
GARLIC BREAD
SALAD
DESSERT

2023 Dues

Dues notices have been mailed out. Dues are being collected via the old fashioned way of "pay by check" or via PayPal. If you wish to pay by check they will be \$185.00. If you wish to use PayPal, dues will be \$190.00 because of the fees we get charged by PayPal. Please use the QR code below.....



Calendars

Keep up to date by clicking the links below, check frequently

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SPREAD THE WORD

Saint Cloud Masonic Lodge No. 221 will be hosting a

Concealed Weapons Permit Class on May 27th, 2023
from 9 a.m. til 1 p.m.

Snacks and Drinks provided Cost is \$50.00 (per person)(Class only)

Please register by sending an email to

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Famous Mason of the Month

Henry Ford

In the philosophy of Freemasonry, it is taught that service to others is the highest ideal of life. This does not always have to take the shape of physical charity; innovation, invention, and genius contribute greatly to the condition of humanity and these qualities are cultivated by the Freemason within his Lodge. Brother Henry Ford was one of the 20th century's greatest innovators. Revolutionizing production by applying the principle of the assembly line to car manufacturing, Henry Ford could have simply pocketed the lion's share of the profits from his revolution. Instead, he doubled wages for his workers, cut the cost of his car, and instituted a five-day work week. His reshaping of the auto industry not only improved the conditions for his workers but revolutionized the practice of capitalism globally.

Ford was initiated into Palestine Lodge No. 357 and was raised to the Sublime Degree of Master Mason in 1894. He kept up a Masonic career throughout his lifetime, no easy feat when his many accomplishments and innovations are considered. He eventually received the 33rd and last degree of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite in 1940 - the capstone of many decades of Masonic service.

Ford had a lifelong distrust of bankers, accountants, and financiers and was adamantly opposed to the creation of the Federal Reserve. He tried many social experiments, including creating a department of sociology within his company to investigate the effects of psychology and tradition on his workforce. He constantly investigated, adapted, and innovated in all areas of his work and life, trying to find the cutting edge of everything he was involved in. This spirit of entrepreneurial exploration is an essential quality promoted in the teachings of Freemasonry. Arguably no one has left a greater imprint on the American consciousness than Henry Ford. His spirit of enterprise, self-determination, and his overriding concern for the society around him mark him as a paragon of American culture and a true believer of the Masonic ideals to which he subscribed.

