### St. Cloud Masonic Lodge No. 221



#### W:.M:. John Reger | January 2024







Chartered January 21, 1914 District 16, Zone 5 Meetings at 7:30 p.m. and Supper at 6:30 p.m. Second and Fourth Thursdays 901 Oregon Ave. P.O. Box 700542 Saint Cloud, FL. 34769. Saint Cloud, FL. 34770 407-892-3437

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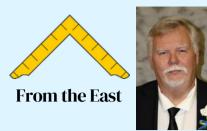
### Lodge Officers

John Reger (PM). William Kelly Ernie Paton Donald Goolsby (PDDGM) Kenny Stichter (PM). Harry Mapes (PM) Philip Powell Brian Wright Wesley Harley

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# **Monthly Messages**



Hello Brothers,

I am really looking forward to the coming year. I know that we will make great things happen. All I ask is that the Brothers of this Lodge come out and support us in all our endeavors.

Fraternally, John Reger (PM)

### Congratulations to the New Line

- W:.M:. John Reger (PM)
- S.W. William Kelly
- J.W. Ernie Paton
- Sec. Kenneth Stichter (PM)
- Tres. Donald Goolsby (PDDGM)
- 'S.D. Brian Wright
- J.D. Wesley Harley
- Chap. Philip Powel
- Mar. Harry Mapes (PM)I

### YOUR 2024 OFFICERS







#### Brothers,

I am still in Tennessee taking care of my Daddy. I will return soon and am looking forward to it.

See you in Lodge.

Fraternally, William Kelly





From the South

Hello Brothers and Sisters,

I hope Santa was good to everyone and y'all had a Happy New Year.

I am honored to be your Junior Warden for this coming year. My goal is to provide a well balanced meal for every meeting. If there is anyone with allergies or specific food issues, please let me know.

Also, if there are any issues with the building, feel free to call. Specifically if there is a safety issue.

My number is listed on the first page and I am always available.

Fraternally, Ernie

# **Monthly Messages**



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





Brothers,

From the Secretary's desk,

I hope everyone had a Merry Christmas and is off to a joyous New Year. I would like to announce and congratulate the winner of the Christmas raffle, RW Donald Goolsby. I would also like to thank everybody that participated in the raffle. Any tickets that were not turned in can be disposed of.

All dues' and LYPMGC notices should have been received by the members. If you have not received your notice please come visit us at the lodge or contact me on my cell phone at 813-424-6637.

I look forward to seeing y'all this year in Lodge. May God bless you and your family.

Fraternally, Kenny Stichter, P.M., Secretary Saint Cloud Lodge No. 221 (813) 424-6637 <u>kastichter@outlook.com</u>





#### Lodge Committee Chairmen

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



Jack Lethenstrom (PRRGC) Dale Boutin French Clarence H. Franklin Gary Eugene Stewart John "Big John" Cuttitta (PM) Lawerence Montesi (PM) David O'Quinn Donald Hughes Danny Cripe (PM) Jim Wilder (PM) Bob Shonyo (PM)



Old Saint Cloud Masonic Lodge

What is a Masonic Lodge? A Masonic lodge is more than a building; it is a living, breathing organization made up of and sustained by the members themselves. It is a tight-knit group of men who make solemn vows to one another and become comrades in Masonry and life. Above all, a Masonic lodge represents open arms, a helping hand, and brotherly love to every Mason, anywhere, at any time.



#### **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\*\* \*lames 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\*\* (+)lohn R. Rotundo 1944++ \*Ross E. leffries 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. Breese 1977\*\* \*Robert Carlyon 1978\*\* Raymond R. Lackey 1979 Danny K. Cripe 1980/93\*\* Frank T. Hopkins 1981 \*Robert O. Bell 1982\*\* \*lames E. lones 1983\*\* (+)Marshall H. Brown 1984++ \*Robert K. Bumgardner 1985\*\* Gerald L. Durbin, PDDGM 1986 \*lay 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 lack 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 JANUARY

IST LONNY GRIGGS ANGEL CARDONA-CORREA 9TH DAVID NICKLOW 18TH DONALD JOHNSON 23RD ROBERT OLSEN 3IST ANTHONY DARNELL JAMES MCKINLEY JAMES WARNEKE SCOTT DOVGLAS SHAWN GREEN



JANUARY 1ST WILLIAM KELLY **4**T₩ THOMAS BARTELS 6T# **ROBERT BUSSEN GERALD NEWLAND** 9TH LUIS CUTTITTA LONNY GRIGGS 12T# GEORGE ROSSO 13T# JEFFORDS MILLER 15T# CHARLES TUCKER 17T#

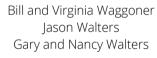
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### Boosters









Saint Cloud Lodge donates to the following:

- Shriners Hospital for Children
- Scottish Rite Foundation
- 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 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.



As a Lodge, we have taken on A Place for Grace as our charity. We have already donated water to them for the homeless. We plan on continuing the donations in many forms. They do accept clothing, non-perishable foods, volunteers and other services. Please visit their website and see if there is anything you have that they could use. Contact us at the Lodge if you need help and we can assist with getting the items to the facility. THANK-YOU !!!

### **Masonic Links**

St. Cloud Masonic Lodge No.221

<u>Central Florida Masons</u> <u>The Grand Lodge of Florida</u>

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There are two meanings to this symbol. Firstly, it represents the authority of the Freemason yielding it, who might use his gavel to punctuate his ideas and command order like a judge in court does.

Secondly, it's a tool used to break off the rough edges of a stone. Used in this way, the Masonic Gavel can be a reminder for Freemasons to chip off certain vices and maintain a pure, moral and spiritual heart.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

# **Future Ballots / Votes**

### Upcoming Meetings

- Stated Communication on January 11th, 2024 (Supper 6:30 / Meeting 7:30 p.m.)
- 2024 Officer Installation on January 13th, 2024 (5:00 p.m.)
- Stated Communication on January 25th, 2024 (Supper 6:30 / Meeting 7:30 p.m.)
- PLEASE check centralfloridamasons.com/calendar for more events.



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 be cause 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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centralfloridamasons calendar

Grand Lodge of Florida Calendar



Well Equipped



#### **Junior Warden's Menu**

#### **First Meeting:**

Roast Pork Mac and Cheese Collard Greens Salad Dessert

**Installation**: Unknown for now

#### Second Meeting:

Baked Ziti Garlic Bread Salad Dessert

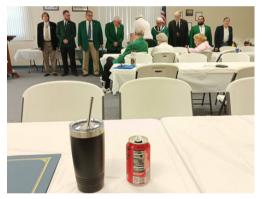
## MONTHLY HAPPENINGS

DONATIONS TO ST. THOMAS AQUINAS TEACHER AND SCHOOL



HIGH 12 INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE AND INSTALLATIONS







ENTERED APPRENTICE DEGREE







## Famous Mason of the Month John Elway

Years before he joined the fraternity, John revealed the depth of his character when in 1987, he established The Elway Foundation in Colorado. Over 25 years later, The Elway Foundation still raises funds for charitable organizations based in Colorado and nationally that are focused on treating and preventing child abuse.

John Elway began his time as a Freemason on February 22 and 23, 2002, when he was part of a Grand Lodge of Colorado, two-day class. He passed his proficiency on June 28, 2002, and is currently described as a "perpetual member" or "life member" of South Denver – Lodge No. 93.

After more than a decade after he retired, Elway returned to the Denver Broncos, ready to make them contenders once again. In 2011, the franchise named him Executive Vice-President of Football Operations. He notably oversaw the 2012 acquisition of quarterback Peyton Manning. Two years later, the Broncos returned to the Super Bowl for the first time since Elway was on the field. The team has put up promising efforts over the years but has yet to return to its former glory.

Today, Elway still works for the organization as the head of football operations, diligently working to bring a championship back to the city of Denver.

