



The Regular and Special Communications of

Harmony Lodge #9 F & A. M.
are held in the
Doric Masonic Center
1237 Reservoir Avenue
Cranston, RI 02920
401-942-9883

Regular Communication
First Tuesday of each month with the
exception of July and August

Annual Communication
Third Tuesday of November

Dispensation Granted

May 6, 1805

Charter Granted

September 20, 1808

Constitution

September 20, 1808

Incorporated February, 1809

Doric Lodge #38

Merged - 2003

Nathanael Greene Lodge #45

Merged - 2005

Rhodes Lodge #44 Merged - 1988 with
Nathanael Greene Lodge #45

Officers 2017 - 2018

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Harmony Trestleboard

Harmony Lodge Number 9, F. & A.M.
September, 2019

Master's Message

Dear Harmony Lodge Family,

I hope that you all have had an enjoyable break and have had opportunities to spend time with family and friends during what has been a very good summer. While the Lodge had a more modest schedule during the "dark" months of July and August, there were several activities offered to foster continued fellowship among Harmony's extended family. The Lodge picnic was held in July and a great day was had by 120 brothers and their families and friends. Thank you to Brother Sentinel James Lafitte and the efforts of the Class of 2019. These Brothers, in keeping with strong Harmony tradition volunteer their time and worked incredibly hard in preparation the day before and the day of the picnic to make sure the event was a success and everyone enjoyed a day of great food, great weather and great fellowship. Be sure to make your way to Lodge for our Regular September communication for a special video taken that day, you will only be able to see this special production in closed Lodge, you don't want to miss it. Prior to the Lodge going dark, members of the Class of 2019 were raised to the sublime degree of Master Mason on June 22. I would like to sincerely thank the brethren of Harmony Lodge for their support of this degree – 45 Brothers were present on the sideline to witness and participate in this degree, and the dining room was full during the family dinner that followed. Thank you to Lisa Dupre and her team in serving 70 plus people a phenomenal lunch that day. I am looking forward to overseeing the class of 2019 prove their proficiency and sign the bylaws in September to formally become members of Harmony Lodge. The Past Masters' meeting was also held in June. While it was unfortunate that W. Mike Dixon was unable to attend, I very much enjoyed vacating my chair and watching W. James Ogilvie as he conducted Lodge business from the Oriental East that evening. Thank you to the other Past masters as well who reprised their previous officer roles for the evening. Scholarship award recipients (listed herein) were also identified in June. Congratulations to all recipients; the Lodge offers them best wishes as they pursue their college education.

Please plan to attend the September monthly communication not only to support our newest class of brothers but to also admire the impressive results at the completion of the latest phase of the building remodeling project, new entryway floor as well as the remodel of all four bathrooms.

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Appointed to Harmony Lodge #9 F. & A. M. 2018 -2019

Ike Dayacap	Chaplain	Frank Castellone	Musical Director
Joshua Edwards	Senior Deacon	W.: Donald Aquilante	Tyler
Jeremy Newton	Junior Deacon	James LaFitte	Sentinel
.....	Senior Steward	W.: Merrill I. Torgan, Jr.	Marshal
Thomas Drumm	Junior Steward	W.: Kenneth Angilly ...	Master of Ceremonies

(Master's Message continued)

There really are not enough words to express the thankfulness and appreciation I have for Bob Kempf and son Wyatt, James Rapson, Mickey Torgan, George Donahue and Armen Avagyan for their commitment to this project and doing the hands on jobs that help reduce costs. Although I have previously mentioned Bob Kempf and James Rapson unless you sit in a Doric Board meeting you cannot understand the breadth of the work these two Brothers have taken on in leadership roles and James himself will agree with this statement, Bobby you have gone above and beyond once again for your Mother Lodge and I count myself and this entire Lodge proud of your work ethic, attention to detail and tight management in bringing the projects to fruition and completion in a timely and fiscally responsible manner. On behalf of your officers, I am looking forward to seeing everyone back in Lodge in September after our summer break, and I hope everyone is rejuvenated to resume labor "in the quarries". Please plan to be active in Lodge activities as your schedule permits.

Fraternally Yours,
W. Rob Izzi

Notice

**The regular communication of Harmony Lodge #9 will be held on
Tuesday, September 3rd , 2019 at 7:30 PM
Proper Dress Required: Jacket & Tie or Military Uniform**

**September Meeting Dinner ~ Tuesday, September 3rd
6:30 PM**

**Reservations at Harmony website or
Call Dave Desplaines @ (401) 575-6121 or email drd6970@gmail.com**

**Dinner reservations are to be made no later than
Friday, August 30th
\$10.00 with reservation ~ \$12.00 unreserved
Brothers without reservations are not guaranteed a dinner.**

In Memoriam

Brother Albert MacArthur De Lory

Initiated as an Entered apprentice - February 18th, 1970
Passed to the degree of Fellowcraft - April 8th, 1970
Raised to the Sublime Degree of a Master Mason –
May 9th, 1970
Admitted to membership in Doric Lodge #38 -
June 17th, 1970
Died - May 26th, 2019
Aged 77 years

Brother H. Jon Madden

Initiated as an Entered apprentice - December 2nd, 1993
Passed to the degree of Fellowcraft – January 6th, 1994
Raised to the Sublime Degree of a Master Mason –
February 3rd, 1994
Admitted to membership in Nathanael Greene Lodge #45 -
1994
Died - May 18th, 2019
Aged 80 years

Brother Wor. Josef Anthony Polichetti

Initiated as an Entered apprentice - May 22nd, 1993
Passed to the degree of Fellowcraft – September 25th, 1973
Raised to the Sublime Degree of a Master Mason –
October 23rd, 1973
Admitted to membership in Harmony Lodge #9 -
1973
Died – July 24th, 2019
Aged 77 years

In Memoriam

Brother Ralph C. Sherman

Initiated as an Entered apprentice - November 12th, 1970
Passed to the degree of Fellowcraft – March 30th, 1971
Raised to the Sublime Degree of a Master Mason –
April 29th, 1971
Admitted to membership in Harmony #9-
1971
Died – July 1st, 2019
Aged 91 years

Brother David Barker Lea, Jr.

Initiated as an Entered apprentice - January 21st, 1964
Passed to the degree of Fellowcraft – March 10th, 1964
Raised to the Sublime Degree of a Master Mason –
March 31st, 1964
Admitted to membership in Harmony Lodge #9 -
1964
Died – July 1st, 2019
Aged 82 years

Visit Harmony Lodge #9 F.& A.M. at www.Harmony9.org

We are also on Facebook as Harmony Lodge #9

Upcoming Events

- September 3rd (Tuesday) – Regular Communication 7:30 PM / Dinner 6:30 PM
September 7th (Saturday) – Woodridge Rainbow 8:00 AM
September 8th (Sunday) – Past Masters’ Dinner 4:30 PM
September 10th (Tuesday) – Meeting on the Level 7:00 PM
September 10th (Tuesday) – Doric Board 7:30 PM
September 11th (Wednesday) – Officers’ Rehearsal
September 13th (Friday) – GM Kenneth Poyton Visitation @ Mt. Moriah #8 @7:00 PM
September 13th (Friday) – Fidelity DeMolay 7:30 PM
September 14th (Saturday) – Walk to End Alzheimer’s 8:30 AM, Patriot Place, Foxborough
September 18th (Wednesday) – Fellow Craft Club 7:30 PM
September 20th (Friday) – Woodridge Rainbow 6:30 PM
September 24th (Tuesday) – Ionic #28 Annual 7:00 PM
September 27th (Friday) – Fidelity DeMolay 7:30 PM
October 1st (Tuesday) – Regular Communication 7:30 PM / Dinner 6:30 PM
October 5th (Saturday) – Woodridge Rainbow 8:00 AM
October 6th (Sunday) – JDRF – One Walk, 9:30 AM, Citizens Bank Johnston Campus
October 8th (Tuesday) – Meeting on the Level 7:00 PM
October 8th (Tuesday) – Doric Board Van Liew Capital Briefing 6:30 PM
October 8th (Tuesday) – Finance Committee 7:00 PM
October 8th (Tuesday) – Doric Board to follow.
October 11th (Friday) – Fidelity DeMolay 7:30 PM
October 16th (Wednesday) – Fellow Craft Club 7:30 PM
October 18th (Friday) – Woodridge Rainbow 6:30 PM
October 21st (Monday) – Manchester #12 Annual 7:00 PM
October 25th (Friday) – Fidelity DeMolay 7:30 PM
October 29th (Tuesday) – Officers’ Rehearsal
November 2nd (Saturday) – Woodridge Rainbow 8:00 AM
November 5th (Tuesday) – Regular Communication 7:30 PM / Dinner 6:30 PM
November 8th (Friday) – Fidelity DeMolay 7:30 PM
November 9th (Saturday) – Daylight #48 Annual 8:00 AM
November 12th (Tuesday) – Officer’s Meeting 7:00 PM
November 12th (Tuesday) – Doric Board 7:30 PM
November 15th (Friday) – Woodridge Rainbow 6:30 PM
November 15th (Friday) – GM Kenneth Poyton Visitation @ Manchester #12 @7:00 PM
November 20th (Wednesday) – Fellow Craft Club 7:30 PM
November 22nd (Friday) – Fidelity DeMolay 7:30 PM
November 23rd (Saturday) – Harmony Annual Officers’ Semi-Public Installation 1:00 PM
November 23rd (Saturday) – Harmony Annual Banquet 6:00 PM, Imperial Room,
Shriners
November 30th (Saturday) – Sick & Infirm Visitations 8:00 AM

Mark Your Calendar for December

(Selected Dates)

December 3rd (Tuesday) - GM Kenneth Poyton Visitation @ Adelphoi #33 7:00 PM

December 5th (Thursday) - Wrapping & Decoration Party

December 7th (Saturday) - Harmony's Annual Children's Party 12 Noon

December 15th (Sunday) - Christmas Candlelight Church Service 6 :00 PM

*December 21st (Saturday) - Preparing & Delivering Holiday Food Baskets 6:00 - 10:00 AM
@ St. John's Lodge*

December 28th (Saturday) - Harmony's Ladies Luncheon Noon - 3:30 PM @ Lancellotta's

Our brothers who are sick or shut-in.....

A card or call would be much appreciated.

Wor. Steve Charron 203 Van Buren Drive, Dalton, GA 30721 (401) 919-8459

Ken Athaide 1405 Main St., West Warwick, RI 02893 (401)-632-5056 (Linda)

Wor. Herchell Talan 195 Lewis Farm Road, East Greenwich, RI 02818 (401) 884-3328

Ken Scanlan 109 Burnside Street, Cranston, RI 02910 (401) 226-7773

Wor. Edwin E. Fielder 85 Lakehurst Drive, Coventry, RI 02816 (401) 397-5637

Wor. Richard Harris 51 Grant Avenue, North Kingston RI 02852 (401) 295-1412

No one likes not being home, please visit or send a card.

Tony Oliver South Kingstown Nursing & Rehab 2115 S County Trail West Kingstown, RI 02892
(401) 783-8568

Walter Connery RI Veterans Home, 480 Metacom Ave., Bristol, RI 02809
(401) 253-8000

William Harrison, Sr. Greenwich Farms, 75 Minnesota Ave., Apt. 112, Warwick, RI 02888

David H. Clark South County Nursing & Rehab, 740 Oak Hill Rd., North Kingstown, RI
02852 (401) 792-8462

Carl Brakenwagen Brentwood Nursing Home, 4000 Post Rd., Warwick, RI 02886
(401) 824-9393

Rhode Island DeMolay Legion of Honor Investiture

Sunday, September 8, 2019

Time: 8:30 AM

Crowne Plaza Hotel, 801 Greenwich Ave., Warwick, RI 02886

Both **James Rapson** (Active Legion of Honor) and **Mick Torgan** (Honorary Legion of Honor) will be among those receiving the Legion of Honor.

The Active Legion of Honor is the highest honor conferred by the International Supreme Council. It's conferred on a Senior DeMolay for outstanding leadership in some field of endeavor or for success in fraternal life, including adult service to DeMolay.

The Honorary Legion of Honor is conferred on a Mason (who does not have to be a Senior DeMolay) who has performed unusual and meritorious service on behalf of DeMolay, or who has evidenced a spirit of cooperation and appreciation for the Order of DeMolay.

Harmony Lodge NO. 9, F & A M

Veterans Honor Roll

All Brothers of Harmony Lodge who proudly served their country are asked to send the following information to the Lodge:

Full Name: _____

Branch of Service – USN / USMC / USA / USAF / USCG

Years of Service – 19__ to 19__ to 20__ to 20__

Highest Rank or Rate held _____ (not pay grade)

This information will be for Harmony Lodge use ONLY.

Email your information to : jrrapson@cox.net or call: (401) 374-1813

SEPTEMBER 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3 Dinner 6:30 PM Lodge Meeting 7:30 PM	4	5	6	7 Woodridge Rainbow 8:00 AM
8 Past Masters' Dinner 4:30 PM	9	10 Meeting On the Level 7:00 PM Doric Board 7:30 PM	11 Officers' Rehearsal – Step- up Night	12	13 GM Visitation @ Mt. Moriah #8 7:00 PM DeMolay 7:30PM	14 Alzheimer's Walk 8:30 AM, Foxboro
15	16	17	18 Fellowcraft Club 7:30 PM	19	20 Woodridge Rainbow 6:30 PM	21
22	23 Ionic Annual 7:00 PM	24	25	26	27 Fidelity DeMolay 7:30 PM	28
29	30	1	2	3	4	5

LIVING WORSHIPFUL PAST MASTERS HARMONY LODGE #9, F. & A.M. and Recently Deceased Past Masters of Harmony Lodge

* R. W. Clarence S. Cleasby, Jr.....1951	* Richard E. Archer.....1968	* Ronald S. Page1984	* Albert N. Phaneuf2001
* Harold E. Jenson.....1952	† M.W. C.A. Calverley, Jr., PGM.....1969	* Daniel A. Falvey, Jr.....1985	^ Scott W. Shippee2002
* Raymond R. Culin.....1953	* R.W. James A. Malcom1970	† Richard R. Galipeau1986	John H. Cirelli.....2003
* Louis Cashen1954	R.W. Earl E. Goodby.....1971	* Robert P. Gorman.....1987	Philip N. Crawford2004
* George F. Patterson1955	* Alfred G. Evans, Jr.1972	R.W. R. David Armstrong1988	Arthur J. Kurtz, Jr.....2005
* George M. Kilner1956	* L. Kimball Simmons, Jr.....1973	Reginald Gotjen1989	* Alan French2006
* R.W. Luther C. Homan1957	* Carl W. Johnson, Jr.....1974	Antonio Pereira1990	Stephen A. Charron2007
* Lester N. Elwell1958	* Harry Liese.....1975	* Robert F. Aguiar1991	James I. Ogilvie.....2008
* James Daley1959	* Larry J. Farnham1976	Edwin T. Carlson1992	* Jesse H. Edwards's III.....2009
* George E. Lord, Jr.....1960	Elmer H. Palmer.....1977	* Edwin M. Keenan1993	Robert J. Kempf2010
* Ray C. Arnold.....1961	Donald J. Parker.....1978	M.W. Richard L. Ault, Jr., PGM1994	Todd P. Derksen2011
* Harrie N. Arnold.....1962	* R.W. Raymond A. Hargraves.....1979	Carl H. Liese.....1995	Michael O. Dixon2012
* Russell M. Birtwistle1963	* Robert E. Harrop1980	Paul C. Liese.....1996	Edward J. Diggle.....2013
* Arthur G. Irish1964	Richard E. Harris1981	R.W. Kenneth F. Poyton1997	Steven Waxman2014
* Arthur J. Dennis1965	Josef A. Polichetti1982	Carmine DePetrillo.....1998	Alfred Anton2015
* R.W. Robert F. Poyton1966	* Phillip G. Rollins1983	Kenneth A. Angilly1999	Michael A. Cunningham2016
* M.W. Charles M. Menge, PGM.....1967		* R.W. Joseph B. McGrath.....2000	Merrill I. Torgan, Jr.2017

* Deceased † Demitted ^ Non Member

LIVING WORSHIPFUL PAST MASTERS DORIC LODGE #38, F. & A.M. and Recently Deceased Past Masters of Doric Lodge

* Clifford C. Kent.....1951	* Robert M. Smith1964	William G. Strozier1977	† Alan L. Vogel.....1990
* Harold J. Christiansen.....1952	* David W. Blood.....1965	* Arthur Soder, Jr.1978	† Alan L. Vogel.....1991
* J. Stanley Hall.....1953	* John R. Curtin.....1966	* Melbourne R. Barden.....1979	* James M. Thatcher.....1992
* Harold W. Mosier1954	* Donald A. Bostrom.....1967	† Robert A. Fife.....1980	* Steven R. Hayes, Sr.....1993
* Alfred E. Grant.....1955	* John W. Boardman.....1968	† Frederick F. Fairfield, III.....1981	* Steven R. Hayes, Sr.....1994
* Robert D. Stone1956	* William H. Hurry.....1969	* William Savasta.....1982	Donald M. Aquilante.....1995
* Alf Gabriele1957	* Robert A. Wicklund.....1970	* Leland H. Wilson.....1983	Thomas P. Piscopio.....1996
* R.W. David L. Hildebrand.....1958	* Oscar M. David1971	Stephen C. Markham.....1984	Thomas P. Piscopio.....1997
* George H. Goff.....1959	* M.W. Julio A. Paniccia, PGM1972	Donald M. Aquilante.....1985	Edward A. Eklof.....1998
* P. Richard Swajian.....1960	* Leland H. Wilson.....1973	* Alexander Peligan1986	^ Ronald J. Bowser.....1999
* Irvin D. Follett1961	George H. Marshall.....1974	* Robert A. Wicklund1987	† John K. Chin.....2000
* Kenneth F. Reed1962	† Melvin L. Ayers1975	M. Paul Rego.....1988	^ Alan A. Abbott.....2001
* Erle D. Forrest.....1963	* Michael H. Margolis1976	M. Paul Rego.....1989	

* Deceased † Demitted ^ Non Member

LIVING WORSHIPFUL PAST MASTERS RHODES LODGE #44, F. & A.M. and Recently Deceased Past Masters of Rhodes Lodge

* Lester H. Smith1951	* George J. Leaver1961	† James G. Johnson1971	† Thomas G. Brown1981
* M.W. Charles R. Bonnemont, PGM..1952	* Michael Lezanic1962	† Robert C. Johnson1972	* Philip L. Kershaw1982
* Gilbert C. Machon1953	* Frank Allen1963	† Lewis F. Salk1973	* Richard J. Pollock1983
* George W. MacClean1954	* Walter M. Anderson1964	* Henry W. Fraser. Jr.1974	* Charles C. Cokely1984
* William H. Romer1955	* Russell Salisbury1965	* Carl F. Diaz1975	* Charles C. Cokely1985
* Abram M. Fraser1956	* Burton Salk1966	Richard L. Wood1976	Richard L. Wood1986
* Harold M. Cornell1957	* James H. Winch. Jr.1967	* Raymond H. Brown1977	Richard L. Wood1987
* George R. Handel1958	^ Herbert N. Clark1968	* Raymond H. Brown1978	* Charles R. Bonnemont, PGM1988
* Edward L. Gregson1959	* Victor H. Persson1969	^ Allyn L. Larson1979	
† Robert A. Cottrell1960	Herchell J. Talan1970	* Richard J. Pollock1980	

* Deceased † Demitted ^ Non Member

LIVING WORSHIPFUL PAST MASTERS NATHANIEL GREENE LODGE #45, F. & A.M. and Recently Deceased Past Masters of Nathaniel Greene Lodge

* Chester I. Maymon1950	* R.W. William A. Carlow, Jr.1964	* Harry J. G. Grattage, Jr.1978	† Paul H. Giard1992
* Clarence E. Degross1951	† George W. Gange, Jr.1965	* Hyman Lipet1979	William J. Kitson III1993
* Edwin A. Farrow1952	R.W. Edwin E. Fielder1966	* Robert A. Siple, Jr.1980	Ernest E. Widergren, Jr.1994
* Richard A. Barker1953	* M.W. Elmer F. Perkins. Jr., PGM1967	* Mark A. Rosenholm1981	Timothy P. Madden1995
* Russell G Anderson1954	* Arthur B. Worden1968	* R.W. Gilbert A. Howard, Sr.1982	^ Ronald L. Bernier, Jr.1996
* Max F. Gee1955	† Paul A. Kane1969	* Robert W. Bourne1983	Charles E. Goins II1997
* Allan E. Reynolds1956	* Walter M. Germond. Jr.1970	James W. Dowding1984	^ Alan A. Abbott1998
* George W. Cherry, Jr.1957	* R.W. Fred S. Jurmann1971	Christopher J. Dawley1985	* Joseph E. Thompson1999
* Archibald Burnside1958	* R.W. Earland W. Fielder1972	Donald G. Scott1986	Manuel J. Fox, Jr.2000
* Kenneth C. Steinmetz1959	* Anthony A. Pusateri1973	* Ernest E. Widergren, Sr.1987	* Arthur F. Chapman, Sr.2001
* Milton A. Phillips.....1960	R.W. Robert J. Steans1974	* Arthur F. Chapman, Sr.1988	Ernest E. Widergren, Jr.2002
M.W. A. Sheffield Reynolds, PGM.1961	* Charles E. Barker, Jr.1975	* John V. Grieve1989	* Raymond R. Hogarth2003
* Frank D. Whorf1962	* Paul B. Alexander1976	John H. Grover1990	
* Douglas C. Brush1963	* R.W. J. Elwin Wilcox1977	* Albert A. Abbott1991	

* Deceased † Demitted ^ Non Member