



ANCIENT YORK LODGE N° 89

From the East

Brethren,

The fall harvest is here. October brings a lot of work to get us ready for the long winter. We, as a Lodge, have some work that we need to attend to. This starts with our meeting on October 11th. Brethren, I know I sound like a broken record, but we want to hear from you.

Ancient York belongs to all of us, every Brother. Sometimes it feels like the Officers are the Brothers doing everything. In an ideal world, the Officers are simply handling the business of the Lodge and representing all of you in the eyes of Grand Lodge. The running of the actual Lodge is, and should be, in the hands of all Brothers.

What I ask of you on the 11th is to show up and tell us what you're looking for. Some questions to ponder are:

- What do I want to get out of Freemasonry?
- What gets me excited to be around the Brothers?
- What has caused me disappointment in the Lodge?
- What is keeping me away?
- How can the Lodge help me feel fulfilled?

These are just some questions to get the conversation going. Please, feel free to voice any other thoughts you might have.

We don't know what's missing or going wrong unless we hear from someone. We can't course correct if we don't know we're off course. Please, Brethren, let us know. Only together can we truly thrive as a Lodge.

Fraternally Yours,
Peter N. LaFauci
Worshipful Master

LODGE CALENDAR

Saturday, October 11 - “State of the Lodge” Meeting

Meeting Start: 10:00 AM

Where: 4th Floor, Nashua Masonic Temple

Who: All members of Ancient York Lodge

In a Town Hall format, this meeting will be open to all Brothers to discuss the current state of Ancient York, its future, and what we can do together to improve the Lodge.

Tuesday, October 14th - Ancient York Lodge Stated Communication

Time: Dinner: 6:00 PM Meeting Start: 7:00 PM, Opening Entered Apprentice

Who: All members of Ancient York Lodge

Dinner: Chili Cook-Off!

Dress: Dark Suit

Education: “The Symbolism of Ladders” Group Discussion (See attached)

Saturday, October 18 - AYL Movie Night

Movie: The Rocky Horror Picture Show

Time: 6:00 PM

Where: Nashua Masonic Temple, 4th floor, back room

Who: All members of our Masonic Family and guests

Wed, October 22nd- Ancient York & Rising Sun Official Visitation

Time: 6:30pm Dinner / 7:30pm open. **RVSPs for dinner are required.**

Where: Nashua Masonic Temple

Dress: Lodge Attire

**Please RSVP for all meals utilizing the QR Code below, or through
ancientyork89.org**

Use the QR code to RSVP
for our next Stated
Communication



If any Brothers have something to share with the Lodge, please reach out. We love to share our experiences with our Brothers!
Peter LaFauci, Master

From the South

"Of all the seasons, autumn offers the most to man and requires the least of him."

—Hal Borland

Masonically, Fall represents balance and spiritual reflection as the seasons are restored to their median point of the Saints John. Autumn is also associated with St. George and his battle with the dragon, propagating strength and goodness against ill intentions. With the harvest season comes drier air which causes stronger mortar bonds and longer lasting brick structure, just as we, as Masons, strive to build stronger bonds with each other.

We form bonds with each other through shared principles, obligations, and friendship. A Masonic Bonds is Brotherly in nature. Many Masons see these bonds as familial for we look at our Brothers as a second family. When our Brothers are hurt, we share their pain. When they celebrate, we rejoice with them.

Reach out to your Brothers. Ask them how they're doing. Invite them to lunch. Join them for a drink. Get together to watch a game, or a movie. More importantly, get together for the sake of being with each other. Brotherhood happens outside the lodge just as much as it does in it.

Fraternally,
Bro. Peter Daigle
Junior Warden

2025 LODGE OFFICERS

Worshipful Master - W. Peter LaFauci

Senior Warden - W. Oliver Frates

Junior Warden - Peter Daigle

Treasurer - W. Stephen Bahsler, PM

Secretary - R.W. Christopher Busby, PM

Chaplin - W. Gary Waters, PM

Senior Deacon - Andrew Lane

Junior Deacon - Chirstopher Fowler

Musician - Brian Murphy

Historian - W. Edmund Correa, PM

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DATES TO REMEMBER!

October 14

Stated Meeting
Chilli Cook-Off!

October 18

Trivia Night!

October 22

Ancient York/Rising Sun
DDGM Visitation

October 25

Movie Night:
Rocky Horror
Picture Show

October 29

Washington/Lafayette
DDGM Visitation

Happy Birthday to all our Brother Raised in October!

Bro. Howard Ehrlich , 24 Years