



Lansing Lodge No. 33

January 2017

Free & Accepted Masons

35th BGP/DDI Masonic District
Grand Lodge of Michigan

Chartered 01/10/1850



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Lodge Officers 2017

Worshipful Master: Chris Potts, PM

Senior Warden: Ian Clemente

Junior Warden: Lief Findsen

Treasurer: Ron Smedley, PM

Secretary: Tom Crooks, PM

Senior Deacon: Tayo Moss

Junior Deacon: Brian Simon

Chaplain: Jack Dunn, PM

Lodge Education Officer: Josh Green

Tyler: Alex Zakirov

Marshal: Rick Leeper

Senior Stewards: Jeff Hank
Brad Lilly

Junior Stewards: Keison Arnold
James Stevens

Temple Board Members

Chris Potts

Joe Duffield

Curtis Sonnenberg

Lodge Committees

Entertainment: Lief Findsen (Chair),
Keison Arnold, Josh Green

Finance/Audit: Ian Clemente (Chair),
Tayo Moss

Fundraising/Charity: Brad Lilly (Chair),
Keison Arnold,
Brandon Fontaine,
Joe Duffield

Jurisprudence: Jeff Hank (Chair)

NPD: Lief Findsen (Chair),
Brian Simon, Rick Leeper

Visitation: Loid Vern Hawkins (Chair),
James Stevens

Communication: Tom Crooks (Chair),
Ian Clemente, Josh Green

Masonic Home: Brian Simon (Chair),
Tayo Moss

Ritual/Education: Josh Green (Chair),
Lief Findsen, Ian Clemente,
Brandon Fontaine

Mentoring: Tayo Moss (Chair),
Brian Simon, James Stevens

**Reminders from the
Desk of the Secretary:**

**2017 Dues are due!
Please send them in
ASAP if you have not
already done so!**

Lansing Lodge Upcoming Events

Thru 2017: MSU Concessions Fundraising

1/14: Ride Along to Grand Rapids Masonic Museum and Library (sign-up required)

1/14: #480 Dinner for Lansing Police Officers

1/16: Lansing #33 Regular Lodge Meeting

2/20: Lansing #33 Regular Lodge Meeting

2/21: School of Instruction at Mulliken #412

- **7 PM, Summons for Lodge Officers**
- **Work in M.M. Degree, bring Ritual**

2/25: Mason of the Year Dinner

March: Culver's Fundraising Event

3/20: Lansing #33 Regular Lodge Meeting

3/24: Lansing #33 Table Lodge Meeting

- **Social Hour: 6 PM, Dinner: 7 PM**

4/17: Lansing #33 Regular Lodge Meeting

4/28: Spring Dinner w/ Okemos #267 O.E.S.

- **Begins at 6:30 PM, details to come**

January 2017

Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

January/February Birthdays

Michael R. Green, Huey D. Johnson,
Joseph M. Duffield – January 6

Charles B. Allen - January 7

Amjad W. Khoury – January 9

Edward A. Wheeler – January 13

Roger L. Steen – January 16

Jacob P. McDonald – January 22

Richard L. Moray – January 23

Hubert B. Katz – January 25

Sava Vosovic, Barry K. Duncan – January 27

Lyle A. Owen – January 29

Ronald E. Doss – January 31

Ben Marion – February 1

Robert S. Sterling – February 2

Jack M. Dunn, Lief L. Findsen,
Ronald L. Smedley, Jr. – February 4

David K. Smith – February 7

Alvin O. Brotheron – February 8

Kevin W. Matthews – February 15

Martin H. Onstad, John C. Moore – February 16

Ronald B. Blaisdell, Albert A. Vidovic – February 18

Daniel N. Harris – February 20

Jack W. Gibson – February 23

Franz W. Stevens – February 23

James C. Costello – February 24

Ian M. Clemente – February 25

Message of the Master

My Brothers,

Everyone works better when you have a goal in mind. Goals need to be obtainable, timely, and clearly defined. These are the reasons the Master places his designs on the Trestle board. Not to create erroneous labor or busybodies, but to give clear instruction on the path the workmen need to take to accomplish their part of the labor. The designs on the trestle board are essential to the development of both the individual workman as well as the project as a whole.

Development is in our future Brothers. Not only are we going to continue with all the momentum and energy from last year, but we are going to develop and refine that drive to improve us as a whole. Last year we had a presentation about the Grand Lodge's North Star Program. For those who have not heard of it yet, the North Star program is a way for a Lodge to write their own goals for improvement and work with the support of Grand Lodge to accomplish them. I am very happy to announce that we have been accepted into the program. This is our opportunity to clearly define what Lansing 33 needs to grow and excel, communicate it to our Brethren, and set the craft at labor with proper instruction.

Our acceptance in the North Star program means that we have the full support of our Brothers from all over the state to help us reach what goals we set for ourselves. Over the next few weeks, we will work as a team to develop this plan and put it into place. I am confident that we will reach the goals that we set for ourselves, and in turn become exemplars in Masonry so that we may help our Brother Masons in reaching the same.

As I write this, I can't help but be excited for the bright future that we have. The designs have been laid out, now it is our duty to follow them so that we may accomplish all that we have set out to do. Our continued time and effort is what gives Masonry its endurance to continue its labors long after we are gone.

Sincerely and Fraternally,

Chris Potts, Worshipful Master