



Frank P. Moncure Lodge No. 279, A.F. & A.M.

2001 Courthouse Road, Stafford, Virginia 22554

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Stated Communication

January – October, 4th Thursday 7:30pm

November & December, 2nd Thursday 7:30pm

Fellowship and Dinner 6:30pm

Lodge School

every Thursday except stated nights, 5:30pm

Secretary: David W. Weaver, PDDGM

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Trestle Board – January 2018

Brethren: It was an honor, and a very humbling experience, to be installed as the Master of your Lodge for 2018 on December 16. It was great to see a full house and your Officers and I appreciate your attendance and support. I wish to thank RW Dave Weaver for doing an outstanding job as the Installing Officer and for assembling such a fine group of Past Masters as the Installation Team. A big thanks also goes to my wife, Jan, for handling the refreshments and decorations.

My focus for this year is increasing our visibility in the community. We are off to a great start as the Lodge participated in the Stafford County Christmas Parade on Dec. 16. There were 89 groups represented and I am pleased to announce that our float took third place in our category. Thank you to all who took part and helped make this a fun and successful event. Additionally, the parade is being broadcast on the Central Virginia Public Broadcasting cable channel through Dec. 30 if you want to see the Lodge float. Some other ideas that have been discussed that would increase our visibility are participating in the VDOT Adopt a Highway Program, presenting the Community Builders Award and petitioning the County to let us begin and maintain a beautification project along Rt. 1. If you have any other ideas, please let myself or one of the other officers know.

Our events for January begin with a Fellowcraft Degree on January 4 followed by our first fraternal visit for 2018 on January 12 to Fredericksburg #4. I hope you will consider coming out and supporting both events. If you've been away from Lodge for a while either of these is a great way to ease your way back in.

This year we are trying to improve our social media presence so keep an eye on the Lodge website calendar and Facebook page as we will be regularly posting events and pictures.

I am looking forward to a fun and exciting year and to seeing you at the "Best Little Lodge in Stafford County".

As always, if you need a ride to a Stated or any other event please let one of the officers know.

Your friend and brother,

Rich, WM

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UPCOMING EVENTS

2 Jan, Tues. 1730	Fellowcraft Practice	Frank P. Moncure 279
4 Jan, Thurs. 1900	Fellowcraft Degree	Frank P. Moncure 279
12 Jan, Fri. 1830	Fraternal Visit to Fredericksburg Lodge #4	
22 Jan, Mon. 1900	District School	Fredericksburg #4
25 Jan, Thurs. 1930	Stated Communication	Frank P. Moncure 279
	Program: "The Hunt for Masonry Outside the Lodge Room"	

SOCIAL EVENTS

14 Jan, Sun. 1430	Job's Daughters Open Officer Installation	Fredericksburg #4
27 Jan, Sat. 1800	Grand Master's Official Visit – District 8	County Line Baptist Church

Organization – 2018

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Lodge Education Officer: William P. Delaney, PM

Lodge Trustees: Joel R. Gibson; Carl S. Weeks, PDDGM; David W. Weaver, PDDGM

Lodge Committees

Education
William P. Delaney, PM

Ways and Means
TBD

Blood
Matthew Schad

Budget
Charles Schafer

Building and Grounds
David W. Winkler

Widows, Sick and Distressed
TBD

Masonic Home
Danaus R. Ford, PM



PAST MASTERS

1974 – George D. Stevens *#
1975 – George D. Stevens *#
1976 – Ernest C. Stone, Jr. *#
1977 – C. Mason Preston*
1978 – Albert E. Frantum, Jr. *#
1979 – Floyd E. Lennox, Sr. *
1980 – Albert E. Frantum, Jr. *#
1981 – Charles F. Sanders
1982 – James A. Lewis, Sr.
1983 – Charlies D. Simms *
1984 – Dennis L. English #
1985 – Robert H. Stone, Jr. *
1986 – John H. Yeatts
1987 – Ernest C. Stone, Jr. *#
1988 – William A. Vincent*

1989 – Charles E. Kendall* #
1990 – Carl S. Weeks #
1991 – Edward W. Smith*
1992 – James T. Daymude *
1993 – Michael R. Ferrell
1994 – William W. Gordon, Sr.*
1995 – Richard M. Lewis, Jr.
1996 – Mark D. Garraway
1997 – Dennis L. English #
1998 – George D. Stevens *#
1999 – David B. Conner
2000 – Freeman L. Shupe, Jr. #
2001 – Louis E. Hoffman
2002 – Bruce O. Freeburn
2003 – David T. Blackman #

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2005 – David W. Weaver #
2006 – David W. Weaver #
2007 – Omar Quillen #
2008 – David W. Weaver #
2009 – Rocky D. Pulley
2010 – David W. Weaver #
2011 – David W. Weaver #
2012 – Thomas Spellman
2013 – James R. Varden
2014 – Alan E. Morgan
2015 – Scott L. Sievers
2016 – Danaus R. Ford
2017 – William P. Delaney

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