

# ST. ALBAN LODGE N<sup>o</sup> 529

FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS OF PENNSYLVANIA

Philadelphia, PA, January 1, 2023

149 YEARS OF SERVICE

## STATED MEETING

A Stated Meeting of St. Alban Lodge No. 529, Free and Accepted Masons, will be held in  
RENAISSANCE HALL, Masonic Temple, One North Broad Street, Philadelphia, PA 19107-2598,  
**Wednesday evening, January 11, 2023, at 7:30 P.M.**

Dinner will be served at 5:30PM at Maggiano's, 1201 Filbert St, Philadelphia, PA in the *Palumbo Room*.

## PROGRAM:

**"FREEMASONRY DURING TIMES OF WAR, FOCUSING ON VIETNAM"**

BY DAMIAN M. SAMMONS, P.M.

**INSTALLATION OF APPOINTED OFFICERS, REVIEW OF W.M. PROGRAMS FOR 2023**

## ACTION WILL BE HAD ON THE FOLLOWING FOR INITIATION AND MEMBERSHIP

KEIDRON DETARON ALEXANDER	39	OPERATING ENGINEER	807 WHARTON RD. MT. LAUREL, NJ 08054
MATTHEW IMAD ALHAIR	33	DENTIST	100 N. 22 <sup>nd</sup> ST, UNIT 120 PHILADELPHIA, PA 19103
ANDREW JOSEF ARZBERGER	36	SALES & MARKETING	14 SNAPPER AVE. SOUTH RIVER, NJ 08882
JOSEPH ROBERT BULLOCK	45	DEPT OF DEFENSE ACQUISITIONS	421 WOOD LANE HADDONFIELD, NJ 08033
PETER JEFFREY ALSTON	52	SCHOOL PRINCIPAL	7941 MONTGOMERY AVE ELKINS PARK, PA 19027
DARRYL (NMN) WALTERS	51	CONTRACTOR/ REAL ESTATE	102 LINCOLN AVE. LANSOWNE, PA 19050
BURHAN (NMN) YOUSSEF	72	OWNER-FLOWER SHOP	7 E. TAMPA AVE. CHERRY HILL, NJ 08034

## EXTRA MEETINGS

*AN EXTRA MEETING OF ST. ALBAN LODGE NO. 529 FOR THE CONFERRAL OF DEGREES WILL BE HELD ON MONDAY, JANUARY 16, 2023, AT 7:30PM, THE MASONIC TEMPLE, 1 N. BROAD ST, PHILADELPHIA, PA*

THE **FELLOWCRAFT MASONS DEGREE** WILL BE CONFERRED UPON  
SAMIR A. KHAN, BRIAN E. GORTON & KENNETH J. JONES

*AN EXTRA MEETING OF ST. ALBAN LODGE NO. 529 FOR THE CONFERRAL OF DEGREES WILL BE HELD ON SATURDAY, JANUARY 21, 2023, AT 10:00 A.M. AT THE JENKINTOWN MASONIC TEMPLE, 443 N. YORK RD.*

THE **ENTERED APPRENTICE MASONS DEGREE** WILL BE CONFERRED UPON  
NEIL D. LAROCQUE, WENZ FENGE, JAMES MUALEM & KHAIR WASHINGTON

THE **FELLOWCRAFT MASONS DEGREE** WILL BE CONFERRED UPON  
EMMANUEL HERNANDEZ & DANIEL M. FATELL

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Membership	New	Initiated / Elected / Restored	Losses By:	Membership
12-28-22	Petitions	Suspension	Resignation	Today
627	(YTD)		Xfer	627
			Death	

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★ ★ ★ **ATTENTION, PLEASE** ★ ★ ★

Parking is available in the multi-level Convention Center Lot at 1324 Arch Street for no cost. Be sure you do not enter before 3:00 P.M. Obtain your exit coupon from the Secretary.

Secretary





# MASONIC EDUCATION INSTRUCTION MEETING

OFFICERS - MEMBERS - CANDIDATES

The Committee on Instruction and the Elected Officers will meet for rehearsal and instruction Monday evening

January 9<sup>th</sup>, 2023

at 7:00 P.M. in Renaissance Hall

Masonic Temple, One North Broad St., Philadelphia

All candidates for advancement must and all appointed

Officers are expected to attend these meetings.

No candidate may be advanced until he has demonstrated satisfactory proficiency in the preceding degree.

Recommenders are expected to remind their candidates of their responsibility to attend and to accompany them.



*All interested members of the Lodge are also invited to attend.*



## SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION MASONIC DISTRICT "C"

Meets on the first and third Tuesday and 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of each month at 7:30 pm.

Jenkintown Masonic Temple, 443 York Rd, Jenkintown, PA 19046-2736



## MASONIC BIRTHDAYS – JANUARY 2023



If this month is the anniversary of your being brought from darkness to "True Masonic Light", make an effort to attend. The Master and Brethren want to greet you.



NAME	Years	NAME	Years
Harvey Rosenbluth	81	George Bitar	24
Aaron Baer	78	Awni Alyousef	23
William Jaffee	72	Craig Bernstein	23
Earl Kendall	71	Clifford Sipes	23
Eugene Glaser	70	Howard Melman	22
Paul M. Green	66	Leonidas N. Koletas	20
Nicholas J. Mallis	63	Stuart Greene	20
William R. Harris	60	James W. Major, Jr.	19
Paul Zelenkofske	58	William B. Hale	19
Lawrence L. Willis, Sr.	56	James C. Driesbach	15
Sheldon Jelin	56	Richard Mampe	15
Jack Cohen	50	Timothy Meade	14
Joel Rothstein	47	Lawrence J. Schwartz	13
William Bommann	46	Mark A. Stetina	12
James Suny	43	Akram Rihan	12
Peter P. Tsaprazis	41	Christopher Berger	11
Everett Collier	38	James J. Sliman	9
Jonathan Blank	34	Herman C. Wilson, Jr.	9
John H. Kelly	32	Luke M. DeMarino	9
William Snipes	30	Adel Attar	4
Lawrence Roantree	30	Alexander Garaschenko	4
David R. Davies	30	Khlaïd Abdul Wahed	4
Barry W. Van Rensler	28		
Charles Kloepfer	28		
Wayne Bowie	26		
Peter Van der Spek	24		

# A Few Words From The East



Fraternal Greetings, Brethren-

As a new year begins, I look forward to the new memories we will form together as a Lodge. Welcome to our Brethren from Equity Lodge! I am certain the new friendships and bonds formed this year will stand the test of time. Thank you for placing trust in me as your Worshipful Master; it is a responsibility I hold with sincere honor and gratitude. I am thankful for the guidance and brotherhood each of you have shared to help me grow as a man and to help us grow together as a Lodge. There is a section from the Opening Charge I find helps us understand what we learn from one another and how to apply it in our daily lives: "Knowledge is attained by degrees and cannot everywhere be found. Wisdom seeks the secret shade and the lonely cell, designed for contemplation. There enthroned she sits, delivering her sacred oracles. There we are to seek her and to pursue the real bliss."

Having said farewell this past year to a treasured Brother and mentor, I think back on the time Brother Roosevelt, PM raised me to the sublime degree. Among his many talents, top-notch story telling included, his mastery of ritual ensured the knowledge of Freemasonry was thoughtfully delivered to hundreds of Brethren. When I think about the difference between 'knowledge' and 'wisdom' discussed in the Opening Charge, I think about how Brother Roosevelt, PM brought a smile to so many faces outside of the Lodge and within it through his humor and warm personality. While he taught Brethren the knowledge of Freemasonry through degree work, he showed true wisdom in how he applied it in his relationships with those around him. I still smile when I think about a story that he told at dinner which had me uncontrollably laughing for minutes on end.

For this month, I challenge you to think back on the lessons you were taught in each of the degrees. Contemplate on how you can continue to apply them in your everyday lives. In doing so, I have no doubt, you will continue to share the light of Freemasonry with the world and pursue the real bliss.

Fraternally Yours,



Kyle A. Schwirian  
Worshipful Master

**ST. ALBAN LODGE NO. 529, F. & A. M.**

**DUES THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2022 ..... \$125.00**  
**Life and 50-Year Members are exempt from paying dues.**

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We thank you for a prompt payment, as it is a benefit to the Lodge and to you.

Please help us keep our records up-to-date. Notify the Secretary of any address change. Also, please give us your current E-MAIL address and phone contact numbers.

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Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

**All dues are required in full and in advance by December 31, 2021, or member may face suspension after having been given due notice.**

**IF THERE IS HARDSHIP OR OTHER REASON FOR NOT REMITTING ON TIME, PLEASE NOTIFY THE SECRETARY BEFORE DECEMBER 31.**

**Send payment to:**

**St. Alban Lodge No. 529  
James T. Clancy, PM, Secretary  
10 Union Ave, PH-09  
Bala Cynwyd, PA 19004**

**You can also pay your dues online through the Grand Lodge.  
Contact the Secretary for details at [secty529jtc@gmail.com](mailto:secty529jtc@gmail.com) or  
(856) 693-4284.**