

ST. ALBAN LODGE N^o 529

FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS OF PENNSYLVANIA

Philadelphia, PA, February 1, 2026

152 YEARS OF SERVICE

STATED MEETING

A Stated Meeting of St. Alban Lodge No. 529, Free and Accepted Masons, will be held in NORMAN HALL, Masonic Temple, One North Broad Street, Philadelphia, PA 19107-2598

Wednesday, February 11th, 2026, at 7:30 P.M.

Dinner will be served in the Masonic Temple Lower Banquet Room at 5:30 PM - *\$15 copay.*

PROGRAM:

A PRESENTATION ON THE HISTORY OF THE MOST WORSHIPFUL PRINCE HALL GRAND LODGE OF PA PRESENTED BY BROTHER SHAWN CROOM

EXTRA MEETING:

AN EXTRA MEETING WILL BE HELD ON FEBRUARY 18TH

TO CONFER TWO MASTER MASON DEGREES FOR BROTHERS KORNELL D. COMBS & JONAH R. OBERMAN. WE WILL BE HAVING DINNER AT MAGGIANO'S AT 5:30 PM. THE EXTRA MEETING WILL START AT 7:30 PM.

Membership as of today stands at 471

★ ★ ★ ATTENTION, PLEASE ★ ★ ★

Parking is available in the multi-level Convention Center Lot at 1324 Arch Street for \$5.00. Be sure you do not enter before 3:00 P.M. Obtain your exit coupon from the Secretary.



MASONIC EDUCATION INSTRUCTION MEETING OFFICERS - MEMBERS - CANDIDATES

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

February 9th, 2026

at 7:00 P.M. in Norman 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"

Jenkintown School

Meets on the first Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m.
Jenkintown Masonic Temple, 443 York Rd, Jenkintown, PA 19046-2736

Temple School

Meets on the 4th Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m.
Masonic Temple, One North Broad Street, Philadelphia, PA 19107-2598

Tacony School

Meets on the 4th Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m.
4400 Magee Ave., Philadelphia, PA 19135

ALL MEALS START AT 6:30 p.m.

A Few Words from the East



Dear Brethren,

We had a great start to the new Masonic year last month with an impressive attendance that I hope continues on for our upcoming meetings. It's still anyone's game for the St. Alban Lodge Mason of the Year Award so be sure to take advantage of every opportunity you have to earn attendance points. Speaking of which, it's important to note that lodge stated and extra meeting attendance points are contingent upon signing in before the meetings start, that way we have an easy record to refer back to if we need to recount so make sure to sign in at every meeting. There are a few more items of business that were not covered last month due to the large number of new changes needed to be presented so they will become our first items of business for the upcoming meeting. I'm also excited to be introducing our Lodge program for that evening: the history of the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania, presented by Br. Shawn Croom, Grand District Lecturer of the Jurisdiction. Brother Croom is an honorary member of our Lodge and it will be great having him back once again for a night of fellowship. Last meeting I had introduced a new mini trestle board which members and potential new candidates can RSVP for events, help answer questions for the Lodge, and leave notes or requests for what you want to see from the Lodge going forward and so far we have a fair number of responses on the forum. Again I want to stress how important it is for every member to make an effort to use the QR code or provided link every month as it will not only release some stress from our hard working Secretary, but also make sure we are keeping ourselves accountable and not being a burden to our hosts for dinners. It only takes a minute to complete and I will be going over exactly how to use the new QR code for anyone who may not be familiar with the technology. I'm looking forward to seeing you all at our stated and extra meetings for this month, and hope you are all staying warm and safe from the snow.

Fraternally,
Paul Joseph Mogianesi, WM

MASONIC BIRTHDAYS – February 2026



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
Leonard D. Clarfeld	80	Christian A. Aguirre	19
Joseph H. Ball	74	Neal M. Daikawa	19
Harold Miterman	73	Richard A. Karpf	19
Herman Zatt	68	Frank E. Olivieri	19
Richard F. McCleary	67	Michael L. Portnoy	19
Charles Peltzman	66	Ravi S. Kudesia	17
Hillard H. Mann	63	Benjamin B. Olshin	17
Neil P. Hecht	60	Gregory A. Burek	16
Bennett Levin	60	Arthur J. Burn	16
Ronald S. Riebman	59	Joseph H. Cain, Jr.	16
George P. Bennett, Jr.	58	Robert M. NicholSEN	16
William G. Savage	57	Max L. Weiner	16
Euripides Tsaprazis	57	James B. Black	15
Edward J. Campanella	50	Robert G. Wexler	15
Nikolaos Tsirakoglou	50	Martin A. Dickerson,, IV	14
Joseph Carp	49	Brett R. Roe	14
John S. Badagliacco	47	Anthony J. Lebo	13
Joseph G. Caruso	47	Thomas M. Kaye	12
Bruce C. Ressler	46	Peter J. Scharf	12
Louis A. D'Orazio, Jr.	45	Philip Lacy, III	11
John T. Kilroy	31	Mark W. Wusinich	8
Robert R. Roosevelt, Sr.	31	Brian M. Everett	4
Howard Farkas	30	Lorenzo N. Mazzamuto	4
Neal A. Hayes, Jr.	29	Joseph A. Sparco	4
Kevin J. Sundra	26	Herman C. Wilson, Sr.	4
Tobias D. Schwartz	22	Wenze Feng	3
Gregory R. Brown	21	James Mualem	2



February Dinner Reservations



You must inform Brother Andrew B. Schure, Secretary by sending an email to sec529abs@gmail.com or call him at (610) 505-9331.

Only Brethren and guests who are LISTED will be served at the stated prices which reflect our cost as billed by the caterer.

MASONIC BUFFET DINNER

Caesar Salad

Broccoli

Red-Bliss Potatoes

Roast Pork

Chicken Parmesan

Penne Alfredo

Dessert of the Day

\$15.00

Please respond so we have an accurate count for the caterer and be sure to include any guests you intend to bring to dinner.

We thank you in advance for your cooperation and assistance in helping the Lodge to control expenditures.

Worshipful Master's Guidelines for Dinner Reservations

Brethren, we contract with the caterer to provide for a certain number of dinners based on the figure provided by our Stewards. This figure comes from the number of members who sign up by phone or e-mail each month. We owe and must pay the caterer for the contracted figure regardless of whether you show up to eat or not. Please support our Lodge effort to control costs by understanding rules concerning dinner reservations.

- **Reservations must be made no later than ten days before the Stated Meeting date. No exceptions.**
- **If you reserve and do not show up without cancelling in advance, you are liable for the cost of the meal, and will be billed accordingly.**

Call Brother Schure to make or cancel reservations. If you are a no-show and do not pay, then we will not accept your reservations for future months until the cost is recovered. Remember, when you reserve, we will be charged whether you attend or not.