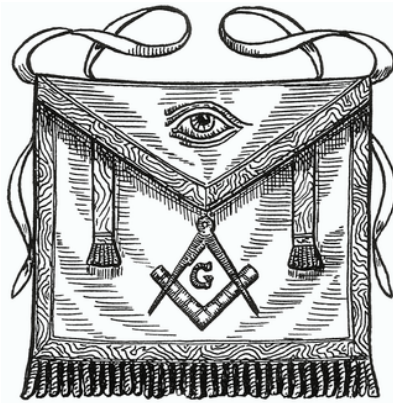

St. Cloud Masonic Lodge No. 221

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W.:M.: John Reger | December 2024



Chartered January 21, 1914

District 16, Zone 5

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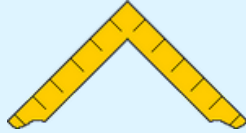
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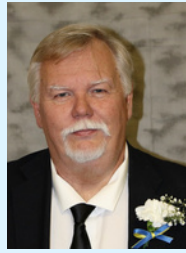
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Junior Steward:		
Tyler:	David Smith	
Historian:	Bill McIntosh	
Musician:		

Monthly Messages



From the East



Hello Brothers,

O man I'm ready for a break!!!!

It's been a great year, we have a few new Masons and they are moving up.

I am looking forward to the Christmas parade on the 7th. But, most of all I am looking forward to the changing of the Officers. I have confidence in their abilities to lead this Lodge into the future.

I will be here to help whenever I can.

Remember, we will be DARK for the second meeting of the month for Christmas. I hope everyone has a blessed holiday season.

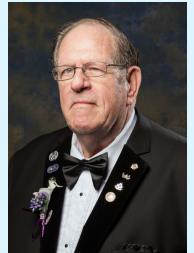
Fraternally, John Reger (PM)



YOUR 2024 OFFICERS



From the West



Brothers,

After a year almost gone I am glad to see people going through their degrees. I am also glad they are willing to help the Lodge.

I hope everyone's family and friends have a great holiday season.

God Bless you all.

William



From the South



Hello Brothers and Sisters,

The holiday season is here. We have our Christmas float being decorated, Thank-You to Wes Harley and his family for all their work. The parade is on Saturday Dec 7th at 1000. It goes up Pennsylvania, across 12th and back down Massachusetts, come and and enjoy.

We also have our Christmas party at the Lodge on Dec 8th from 1 to 3ish. We will be doing a White Elephant exchange for anyone who wishes to participate (\$25 max/no alcohol). Also, Santa will be there, so if you are bringing kids, please let me know the ages and gender. See the flyer.

I'd also like to welcome our newest EA Brothers to the Lodge; Jorge Del Pino, Joshua Halstead and Hector Maldonado. Looking forward to them moving up.

Come out to the Lodge and participate.



A beautiful system of Morality, veiled in Allegory, illustrated by Symbols

Fraternally,
Ernie

Monthly Messages



From the Treasurer



Greetings,

Have you ever considered becoming a Perpetual Member?

The Perpetual Membership Fund is an endowment program for your Lodge. Perpetual Membership affords a Brother an opportunity to remain an active supporter of his Lodge long after being called to the Celestial Lodge Above. The funds provided by your Perpetual Membership will help to keep your Lodge on solid financial ground in the future. This, we hope, is the aim of all Master Masons.

The Standard Perpetual Membership is 20 times your Lodge dues plus per capita.

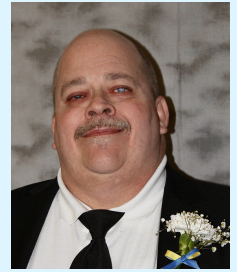
A Brother can purchase the Standard Perpetual Membership using the Installment Plan with \$200.00 down and paid over 60 months. Your Lodge Secretary can provide the paperwork to start you on the road to a Perpetual Membership.

Fraternally,

Donald R. Goolsby, PDDGM
Treasurer



From the Secretary



Brothers,

From the Secretary's desk,

I hope everybody has received their 2025 dues assessments in the mail. If you have not received them, please contact me as soon as possible. I've already received 20 payments so far for the 2025 year and I thank you.

If you have not remitted; you're 2024 dues yet; you have until December 27th, 2024, to turn them in. If I have NOT received them by that date, YOU WILL BE SUSPENDED FOR NON-PAYMENT OF DUES - NPD. It will take two yearly payments of dues and a vote from the craft for you to be reinstated if you go NPD. Please contact me if you were having any issues paying your dues. YOU CAN REACH ME DIRECTLY AT (813)424-6637.

I want to wish everybody a Merry Christmas and a joyous New Year.

May God watch over you and your family and bring peace to a world that's so desperately needs it.

Fraternally,

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Lodge Committee Chairmen

Finance: W.: John Reger
Vigilance: Bro William Kelly
Petitions: W.: Kenny Stichter
Education: W.:M.: Harry Mapes
Board of Relief: W.M. and Wardens
Investigations: As Needed
Charity: All Masons
Lodge Property: Bro. William Kelly
Mentor's: Bro. Ernie Paton



Jack Lethenstrom (PRRGC)
Dale Boutin French
Clarence H. Franklin
Gary Eugene Stewart
John "Big John" Cuttitta (PM)
Lawrence Montesi (PM)
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Donald Hughes
Danny Cripe (PM)
Jim Wilder (PM)
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Bob Busson
Alvin Sharp
Michael Hemphill



Old Saint Cloud Masonic Lodge

What is a Masonic Lodge?

A Masonic lodge is more than a building; it is a living, breathing organization made up of and sustained by the members themselves. It is a tight-knit group of men who make solemn vows to one another and become comrades in Masonry and life.

Above all, a Masonic lodge represents open arms, a helping hand, and brotherly love to every Mason, anywhere, at any time.



Past Masters

Davis H. Gill 1912/13**
W.N. Garner 1914/15 **
E.E. Livermore 1916**
Sam Brammer 1917/18/53 **
W.M. Hall 1919**
Lovie C. Riddle 1920**
Ives E. Diefendorf 1921**
Otto R. Bleach 1922**
A. Earle Cowger 1923**
Sidney W. Porter 1924**
Calvin P. Parker 1925**
Dan E. Armstrong 1926**
Holmes E. Crawford 1927**
Lloyd C. Herringer 1928**
Ralph G. Reynolds 1929**
L.U. Zimmerman 1930**
Robert H. Johns 1931**
William H. Dodds 1932**
M. Percy Tindall 1933**
Frank Garside 1934**
James W. Sage 1935**
William J. Thurber 1936**
Henry L. Godwin 1937**
Groves M. Mosses Jr. 1938**
John B. Mills 1939**
Harvey L. Hersey 1940/43**
Floyd E. Davidson 1941**
John E. Hale 1942**
John R. Rotundo 1944**
Ross E. Jeffries 1945**
Albert Depew 1946**
O. Frank Kirby 1947**
Fred M. Loring 1948**
Horace Y. Smith 1949**
William E. Spencer 1950**
Jay B. Johnson 1951**
Curtis J. Bock 1952**
Norman Mallet 1954**
James H. Young 1955**
S. Robert Lackey 1956**
Robert H. Chamberlin 1957**
William R. Godwin II 1958**
Russell J. Depew 1959**
Lloyd Stalvey 1960**
William S. Byrd 1961**
Laurence Wheeler 1962**
Edward Cowley 1963
R.J. Bramhan 1964**
George S. Pankey 1965**
Harold R. James 1966**
Willis E. Leech 1967**
James E. Long 1968**
Arthur W. Campbell 1969**
Allan S. Goodman 1970**
Hubert Z. Fryman, Sr. 1971**
Hugh E. Wright III 1972

John B. Phelps 1973**
Harris Rumsey 1974**
Russell V. Zimmerman 1975**
James L. Swogger 1976**
Robert J. Breese 1977**
Robert Carlyon 1978**
Raymond R. Lackey 1979
Danny K. Cripe 1980/93**
Frank T. Hopkins 1981
Robert O. Bell 1982**
James E. Jones 1983**
Marshall H. Brown 1984**
Robert K. Bumgardner 1985**
Gerald L. Durbin, PDDGM 1986
Jay R. Young, Jr. 1987**
Eddie C. Williford 1988**
Frank S. Mazzei 1989**
Jack D. Lethenstrom, PRRGC **
1990/2001/2007 **
Barry L. Taylor 1991
Ernest N. Elliott 1992**
Ted R. Smith 1994
Michael E. Rigsby 1995
Allen R. Van Horn 1996/2000
Jerry W. Little 1997
*David W. Stanyon 1998**
Larry A. Montesi 1999 **
Joe Parham 2002
Alvin R. Sharp, Jr. 2003**
Jack V. Miller 2004
Michael Hemphill 2005**
*Allen Antoniac 2006**
Bob Shonyo 2008**
Joe Moore 2009/10 /13
John Cuttitta 2011 **
John Reger 2012/24
Donald Goolsby 2014
Wendel Tomimbang 2015
William Waggoner 2016
Sidney Mills 2017
John Whitehead 2018
Gerald W. Newland, Jr. 2019
Kenneth A. Stichter 2020
Jason Walters 2021
Nigel Mills 2022
Harry Mapes 2023

Legend:
(**) DECEASED
(++) UNAFFILIATED





RAISED IN DECEMBER

DEC 2ND
JAMES DANFORTH
MITCHELL LISS

DEC 5TH
KEVIN MCLAUGHLIN
TED SMITH

DEC 11TH
DONALD WETHERINGTON

DEC 17TH
WILLIAM MCINTOSH
CARLOS RODRIGUEZ

DEC 30TH
IRA MCKITRICK



DECEMBER

1ST
JASON WALTERS 2ND
HAROLD SHACKELFORD
JR.

3RD
DONALD GOOLSBY
6TH
IRA MCKITRICK

7TH
ALAN LACKEY

8TH
KENNETH RIFE
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MASONIC GROWTH
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Saint Cloud Lodge donates to the following:

- *Shriners Hospital for Children*
- *Scottish Rite Foundation*
- *Grand Master's Charity*
- *First Lady's Charity*
- *Masonic Youth*
- *Rainbow for Girl*
- *A Place for Grace*



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As a Lodge, we have taken on A Place for Grace as our charity. We have already donated water to them for the homeless. We plan on continuing the donations in many forms. They do accept clothing, non-perishable foods, volunteers and other services. Please visit their website and see if there is anything you have that they could use. Contact us at the Lodge if you need help and we can assist with getting the items to the facility.

THANK-YOU !!!

Masonic Links

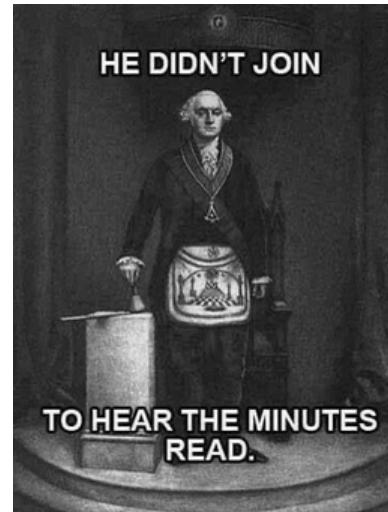
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Future Ballots / Votes None

Upcoming Meetings

- Christmas Parade on Dec 7th at 1000.
- Christmas Party at the Lodge
(Dec 8th from 1 to 3ish) See Flyer
- Stated Communication on Dec 12th, 2024
(Supper 6:30 / Meeting 7:30 p.m.)
- Stated Communication for Dec 26th, 2024.
We will be **DARK** for Christmas.
- PLEASE check
centralfloridamasons.com/calendar for more
events.



First Meeting:

Porkloin
Mashed Potatoes
Veggies
Salad
Dessert

Second Meeting:

DARK



2025 Dues

Dues notices have been mailed out. Dues are being collected via the old fashioned way of "pay by cash or check" or via PayPal.

If you wish to pay by check they will be \$190.00.

If you wish to use PayPal, dues will be \$195.00 be cause of the fees we get charged by PayPal.

Please use the QR code below.....



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Famous Mason of the Month

THOMAS CLAIBORNE

Thomas Claiborne (May 17, 1780 – January 7, 1856) was an American politician and a United States Representative for the state of Tennessee.

Thomas Claiborne served on the staff of Gen. Andrew Jackson in the Creek War, with the rank of Major. He studied law and was admitted to the bar and commenced practice in Nashville, Tennessee, in 1807.

As a member of Tennessee House of Representatives from 1811 to 1812, fellow delegates elected him as their Speaker, so he presided over the latter sessions. Claiborne also served as a United States Marshal. Elected as a Democratic-Republican to the Fifteenth Congress, Claiborne served from March 4, 1817 to March 3, 1819. He also served as Mayor of Nashville in 1818.

Claiborne died on January 7, 1856, at the age of 75 years, 235 days. He is interred at Nashville City Cemetery, Nashville, Tennessee.

Claiborne represented Hiram Lodge No. 7 and Cumberland Lodge No. 8, of the Free and Accepted Masons, at the formation of the Grand Lodge of Tennessee on December 27, 1813. He was chosen Most Worshipful Grand Master of Tennessee from 1813 to 1814.





WHERE WOULD YOU LOOK

If the Worshipful Master asked each of us, to go forth and find one good man, where would you go?

Would you look in a house of worship, where you work, at a social gathering, on the street, or in your own home?

Who would you be looking for? A relative, friend, neighbor, or a stranger?

How would you know that he is a good man? By what others think of him, by what his family thinks of him, by who he associates with, by his actions or all of the above?

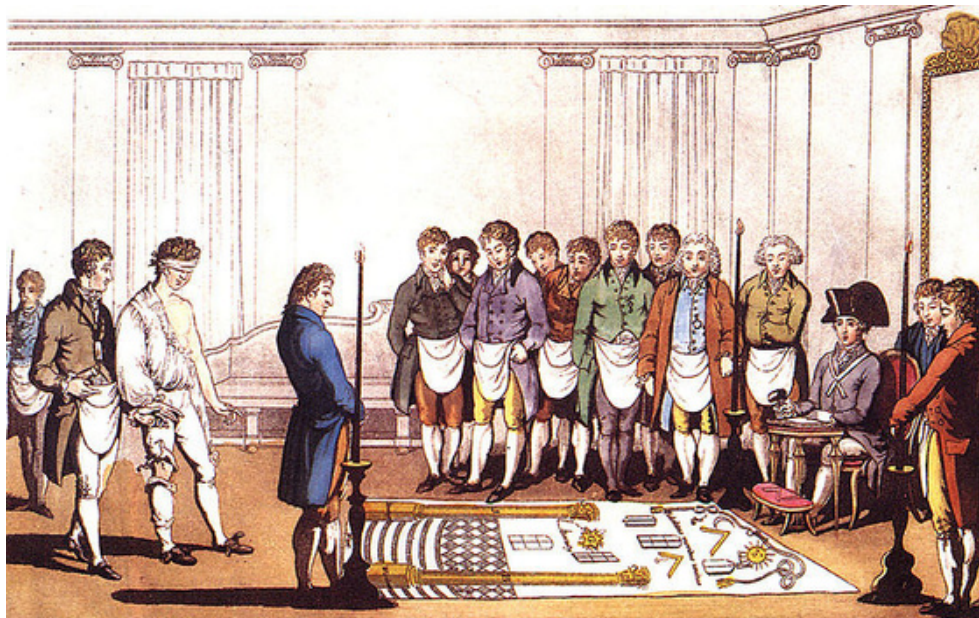
Where would you look?

In your heart.

You are a good person so you should look for the same qualities in others as you have in yourself. You have already been asked to do this, to find one good man.

We have hidden too long. We must open up and advertise our good will.

"You should strive to replace yourself" in doing so you will have found a good man and strengthened the Fraternity.



Past Master Photo Project

As stated in my previous cololum, I am working on updating and finding lost photographs of our distinguished Past Masters. Below is a list of Past Masters that I DO NOT have any photos of. Please take a minute to check the list over and if you know of, or have a photo of someone, please forward it to me.

If you now of a family member of one of our Past Masters that may have a photo or history of them, that would help out tremendously.

<u>Past Master</u>	<u>Years</u>
William N. Garner	1914
E. Edward Livermore	1916
Sam Brammer	1917/18/5
W.M. Hall	1919
Love C. Riddle	1921
Ives E. Diefendorf	1921
Otto R. Bleach (Bleech)	1922
Sidney W. Porter	1924
Lloyd C. Herring	1928
Ralph Garfield Reynolds	1929
William H. Dodds	1932
Marion Percy Tindall	1933
Frank Harold Garside	1934
Groves M. Mosses Jr.	1938
John B. Mills	1939
John R. Rotundo	1944
Ross E. Jefferies	1945
O. Frank Kirby	1947
Fred M. Loring	1948
Curtis John Bock	1952
Edward W. Cowley	1963
Hugh Edward Wright III	1972

Thank You in advance for your help.





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CHRISTMAS PARTY

SUN, DECEMBER 8, 2024

1 - 3 PM

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