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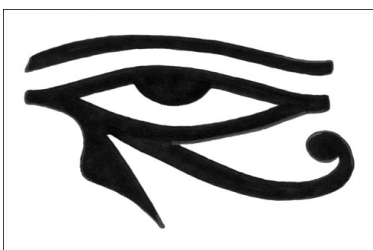
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March/April 2009

Lodge Thoughts

There have been several folks who have mentioned that they would prefer to receive an electronic copy of the Trestleboard. If you agree, and would prefer to receive an electronic copy of the Trestleboard, please let me know, with an email, so we gauge if there is enough interest to merit creating an email list for such a purpose.

Also, a reminder that all are welcome to join us for our meals prior to the lodge opening. Recently a petitioner dropped by during our meal, just to ask how to join!



*We look forward to seeing you the **Second Tuesday** of each month for our Stated Communication held at the*

Charlotte York Rite Temple

1229 N. Sharon Amity

Charlotte, N.C. 28211

Dinner 6:30 PM

Lodge opens 7: 30 PM

Message From The East

Greetings Brethren,
I hope all of you are ready for spring and some exciting degree work in our Lodge. We will have 2 Fellowcraft being raised to the sublime degree of a Master Mason on Sat April 25th. Breakfast at 0700 and the Lodge will open at 0800. We also have 4 candidates waiting to receive the first degree in the coming weeks and 1 transfer in to our Lodge. So, we have lots of degree work ahead of us. It is almost impossible to do all this work without YOU. Please join us at practices for the 3rd degree on the 25th of April . We have

practices scheduled on April the 19th, 21st and 23rd at 6:30 pm each night.

Our stated Meetings are on April the 14th and May the 12th, with dinner at 06:30pm and Lodge will open at 7:30pm

Please do not forget the Scottish Rite Reunion April 15th through the 18th. I believe it will be an Event which we all will remember for some time to come.

See YOU in Lodge

Fraternally,

J. Peter Schuetz WM

From the Editor

Spring greetings to all of our brothers in Phalanx Lodge!

I am proud to accept my new role as editor of our lodge newsletter and happy to be able to help communicate more light in Masonry with each of you. I too will be taking over the maintenance of our web site in the near future, so please bear with me while making the transition. I would also like to thank John Harder, PM for his previous service creating the web site and editing the Trestleboard.

Fraternally,

James Simons

From the Secretary's Desk

A plea goes out to those Brothers who have not paid their 2009 Dues. Please see that is given priority very soon so that we do not have to send them a past dues notice and eventually exclude them for NPD (non payment of dues). Dues are payable as of January 1,

2009 or before.

Also I would encourage all Brothers to support the efforts of the Degree Teams when conferring degrees. It is most important to the candidates that they are surrounded by Brothers when the lights come on, after the hoodwink

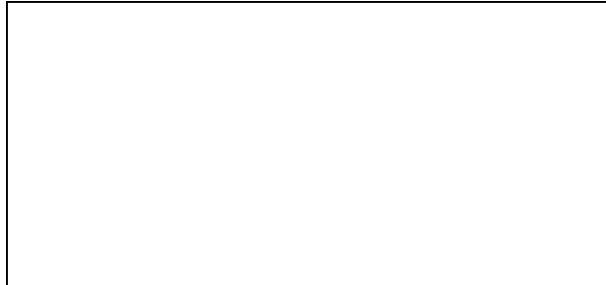
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Fraternally,

Ken McArthur, PM



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2009 LODGE OFFICERS			Upcoming Events
<u>Worshipful Master</u>	<u>Peter Schuetz</u>	<u>704-875-1950</u>	<u>April 14:</u> Stated Communication 6:30 PM Meal—7:30 Lodge Opens <u>April 15-19:</u> Scottish Rite Grande Cross Reunion of the Carolina's <i>www.charlottescottishrite.com</i> <u>April 19, 21, 23:</u> Degree Practice 6:30 PM <u>April 25:</u> Master Mason's Degree 7:00 AM Breakfast—8:00 AM Degree <u>May 12:</u> Stated Communication 6:30 Meal—7:30 Lodge Opens
<u>Senior Warden</u>	<u>Mike Hamrick</u>	<u>704-841-8454</u>	
<u>Junior Warden</u>	<u>Brad Hufeld</u>	<u>704-846-1491</u>	
<u>Treasurer</u>	<u>Ken Caudle, PM</u>	<u>704-502-8640</u>	
<u>Secretary</u>	<u>Ken McArthur, PM</u>	<u>704-540-1620</u>	
<u>Senior Deacon</u>	<u>Ralph Harkey, Jr</u>	<u>704-614-6715</u>	
<u>Junior Deacon</u>	<u>Kai Ferell</u>	<u>704-995-4676</u>	
<u>Senior Steward</u>	<u>George Ginn</u>	<u>704-291-9445</u>	
<u>Junior Steward</u>	<u>James Lofton</u>	<u>704-488-1020</u>	
<u>Chaplain</u>	<u>David Morgan, PM</u>	<u>704-882-6179</u>	
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