



# VICTORY LODGE #649 F.&A.M.

Glenn S, Hartong, Worshipful Master

Joshua J. Grove, Secretary

Greetings Brethren,

2019 is moving right along. The Super Bowl is over, the Groundhog has seen his shadow and Inspection season is underway. Victory's inspection is in the Master Mason Degree this year and is on March 5th. If you would like to help your Lodge contact WB Grove or myself. We have big speaking parts and little speaking parts open. If you want to help but don't want to be in the ceremony, come out anyways. We'll find something for you to do. In any event, come join your Brothers and support the Lodge.

February stated will be a busy night. Our LEO and Master Craftsmen have been working hard with our candidates and it sounds like we'll have three returns. One in each degree! We'll also be discussing some ideas for new programs to attempt to boost attendance to our stated meetings.

Tuesday the 19th we will be hosting the Typewritten Ritual for the Master Mason degree at Victory. Ever wonder what that one word is, or what is the official way to do a particular part of the ceremony? RW Zabor will have the answers!

Looking ahead, don't forget the Summer Picnic at Craftsman Park July 27th and our Widow's Tea (dates TBD). Remember Brothers, this is YOUR lodge. If you have any ideas for events that you'd like to see, let us know. Let's not forget that being a Mason is also fun. It's not all business meetings.

Fraternally,  
Glenn Hartong  
WM Victory 649

## FROM THE SECRETARY

If you are having problems, do not hesitate to call so we can help. Remember the tenants of Freemasonry are Brotherly Love, Relief, and Truth.

Please make sure that you notify the lodge when you move or if you change phone numbers or email addresses. If we cannot reach you, we cannot keep you informed. If you have any questions, call or email me: (330) 701-2193 or [joshua\\_grove@hotmail.com](mailto:joshua_grove@hotmail.com).

Fraternally,  
Joshua J. Grove, PM

## Victory Lodge Events & Dates to Know

### February 2019

- Sat. 2<sup>nd</sup> - Pancake Breakfast 8:00 AM to 11:00 AM
- Sat. 2<sup>nd</sup> - Temple Board Meeting, 11:00 AM
- Tue. 12<sup>th</sup> - Stated Meeting 7:30 PM
- Tue. 19<sup>th</sup> - Typewritten Ritual in MM, 7:00 PM
- Tue. 26<sup>th</sup> - MM Practice, 7:00 PM

### March 2019

- Sat. 2<sup>nd</sup> - Pancake Breakfast 8:00 AM to 11:00 AM
- Sat. 2<sup>nd</sup> - Craft Show, 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM
- Sat. 2<sup>nd</sup> - Temple Board Meeting, 11:00 AM
- Tue. 5<sup>th</sup> - Annual Inspection, MM Degree, 7:00 PM
- Tue. 12<sup>th</sup> - Stated Meeting 7:30 PM
- Tue. 19<sup>th</sup> - Tentative Degree Practice, 7:00 PM
- Tue. 26<sup>th</sup> - Tentative Degree, 7:00 PM

## New Lodge Programs

### Victory Traveler Award

- Attend any inspection other than Victory's in any given month
- Attend Victory's stated meeting the following month and earn 1 point for each inspection attended
- After inspection season is over, the Brother with the most points wins the award

\* Award TBD

\*\* Must attend Victory stated to claim points

\*\*\* Only inspections from the previous calendar month will earn points

Example:

A Brother attends an inspection in January. He then attends two inspections in February. This Brother comes to the Victory stated meeting in March and earns two (2) points. One for each inspection he attended in February. He does **NOT** receive a point for the inspection he attended in January.

## THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS

Harvey Adkins, 1234 Derbydale Rd, Akron, OH 44306

Stanley Fisher, 901 Sovereign Rd, Akron, OH 44303

Russell France, 12200 Strausser St NW #118,

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James Kay Jr, 6782 N Calle Sin Nombre, Tucson, AZ 85718

Thomas Lawson, 3022 ST RT 59, Lot B50, Ravenna, OH 44266

Thomas McLain, 994 Tweed Rd, Akron, OH44319

David Oddo, 445 Magnolia Ave, Cuyahoga Falls, OH 44221

Patrick Smith, 1886 Buckeye St SW, Mogadore, OH 44260

Raymond Stevenor, 5105 Aurora Dr, Leesburg, FL 34748

Don Thompson Jr, 533 Newton St, Tallmadge, OH 44278

Larry Widder, 1895 16th St SW, Akron, OH 44314

A card to the brethren above would be appreciated. Let us know if there is a brother in need out there, so that we may help them.

**LIVING PAST MASTERS OF VICTORY LODGE**

1979 Donald W. Cullison	1999 R. David Hayes
1984 Robert J. Rodger	'00,01,'15 George E. Tilden*
1985, 2014 James G. Simpson*	2003 Gary B. Williams*
1986 William R. Brown	2004, 2016 Frank J. Politz
1988,2002 Donald D. Lawrence	2005 Harold W. Wright
1989 George C. Vaughn Jr	2007, 2009 John E. Hollin
1991 Kenneth L. Warner	'08,'10,'13 Terry L. Reegenos
1995 Robert E. Salisbury	2011 Joshua J. Grove
1996 Ronald M. Salisbury	2012 Patrick J. Smith
1997 Thomas M. O'Donnell	2017 John W. Young
	2018 Briand D. Vanner

\*Denotes Past District Deputy

**OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR 2018-2019**

Worshipful Master:	Glenn Hartong.....	330-338-1896
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Secretary:	Joshua Grove, PM.....	330-701-2193
Chaplin:	Donald Lawrence, PM.....	330-848-1462
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Junior Steward:	Ingram Myers, III.....	330-745-8091
Tyler:	Frank Politz, PM.....	330-802-7487
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**TRUSTEES (All Past Masters)**

Donald Lawrence    John Young    Brian Vanner

**TEMPLE BOARD REPRESENTATIVES**

Robert Rodger, PM	President
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Donald Lawrence, PM	John Hollin, PM
Richard Berg, Jr., SW	Irvin Flaitz, III, SS

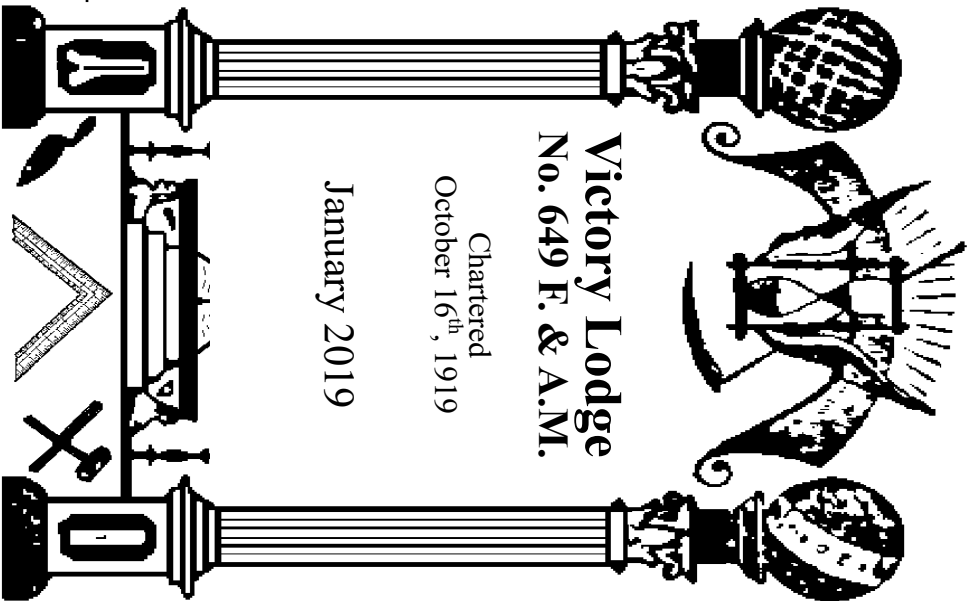
**District Inspections**

**February 2019**

Mon. 4, Star (EA), Sackett Ave, Cuyahoga Falls, 7pm  
 Tue. 12, Barberton (FC), Rex Lake Dr, Akron 7pm  
 Wed. 13, Canton (FC), Market St, Canton, 7pm  
 Sat. 16, Caldwell (EA), off 77, Bolivar, 7pm  
 Wed. 20, Cypress (FC), Strasburg, 7pm  
 Tue. 26, National (EA), 5th St SW, Barberton, 7pm  
 Thu. 28, Cov-Akron (EA), Tadmor Shrine, 7pm

**March 2019**

Sat. 2, Hudson (MM), Rt 303, Hudson, 9am  
 Thur. 7, Trinity (FC), Canton Temple, Canton, 7pm  
 Mon. 18, Mystic Tie (EA), Center St, Dennison, 7pm  
 Tue. 19, Hoover (MM), Orchard Ave, N Canton, 7pm  
 Sat. 23, Meridian Sun (FC), Grant St, Richfield, 7pm  
 Wed. 27, Tusc.(MM), N Wooster Ave, Dover, 7pm  
 Thur. 28, Summit (EA), Shepard Rd, Twinsburg, 7pm



**Victory Lodge  
No. 649 F. & A.M.**

Chartered  
October 16<sup>th</sup>, 1919

January 2019

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**STATED MEETINGS SECOND TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH EXCEPT JULY AND AUGUST**

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