

## Saint James Lodge No. 102 F&AM

77 Tide Mill Road, Hampton NH

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Meets on 3rd Thursdays Jan-Jun and Sep-Dec,

March 2024 TrestleBoard

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# From the East

### Greetings Brethren:

As Winter subsidies and March inches closer, try to attend a Lodge Meeting before it gets hectic with warm weather family gatherings.

February flew by and was a "light" month at the Lodge. Our casual "flannel shirt night" was well received and considered a relaxed evening.

A huge Thank You to Brother Treasurer Dick Cooper for his presentation on the proper use of the AED Defibrillator Device. This could save a life someday!

Brethren are you interested in a "Life Membership "? This is available and there is a calculation to determine what your exact cost would be. If interested contact our Secretary W. Bro. Jeff Brown for details.

Please pay your dues asap. If a brother needs assistance contact me directly.

Thank you all for your support. Fraternally, W. Tim Simpson

# Secretary's Desk

#### Brethren,

As we begin another Masonic year at Saint James let's make an effort to come out and support your Lodge. We have plans this year to try and get everyone involved. Let's see if we can end this year with every Brother having attended a meeting or event at least once. If you have any special needs or any ideas, please let us know.

Thank You, Br. Jeffrey Brown Secretary, St. James Lodge

email:102secretary@nhgrandlodge.org

## **From the West**

Hello Brethren.

The next Masonic Masters and Wardens Meeting will be held at Saint James Lodge on March 28, 2024. A meal of subs, chips, and drinks will be at 6:00 pm and the meeting to start at 7:00 pm. All current Masons can attend any Masters and Wardens meetings and is a great way to hear about all the events happening within District 1 Lodges. The dress is casual and we hope to have a great showing from our Lodge.

Gideon Lodge No. 84, 8 Church St. Kingston, NH. is hosting a Table Lodge on Sat. March 30, 2024, from 5:30 to 8:30 pm. Please RSVP to Nick Lang at 603-329-2309 or email nick.lang21@gmail.com

Right Worshipful Nathan Page and I attended the first Masters Class at Star in the East Lodge in Exeter, NH. We had an excellent discussion on preparing to become the Master of a Lodge. Star in the East will be holding monthly Master Classes from 6:30-8:30 pm on the fourth Thursday of the month. The topics will be educational for anyone who'd like to be in line for a chair in the lodge or see what's involved in becoming Master of a Lodge.

The March stated meeting menu will be Fried Chicken with mashed potatoes, Mac n' Cheese, corn, and coleslaw. Can you guess from where? Please join us and support the Fraternity.

Have a great month and we hope to see you at the Lodge.

Ray Gamble Sr. Warden

"Not just a man a Mason"

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#### **BE AN ACTIVE MEMBER**

Be an active member, the kind that would be missed; Don't be just contented That your name is on the list. Do attend the meetings And mingle with the crowd; Don't stay at home And crab both long and loud. Don't leave the work for just a few And gripe about the clique. And take time out to visit A member who is sick. There is quite a program scheduled That means success, if done, And it can be accomplished With the help of everyone. So attend the meetings regularly And help with hand and heart, Be an active member And take an active part. Think this over, Member Are we right or are we wrong? Be an active member. Please don't just belong

Brethren,

The Roll of the workmen has been called, and one Master Mason has not answered to his name. He has laid down the working tools of the Craft and with them he has left that mortal part for which he no longer has use. His labors here below have taught him to divest his heart and conscience of the vices and superfluities of life, thereby fitting his mind as a living stone for that spiritual building – that house not make with hands, eternal in the heavens. Strengthened in his labors here by faith in God, and confident of expectations of immortality, he has sought admission to the Celestial Lodge Above.

Kenneth "Ken" William Zahrndt, 88, of Hampton, passed away unexpectedly at home on Monday, February 26, 2024. He was the loving husband of 71 years of Elizabeth (Shumacher) Zahrndt.

Born in South Bend, Indiana on December 5, 1935, Kenneth was the son of the late Carl and Bessie Mae (High) Zahrndt. After High School, Ken married his sweetheart, Elizabeth (Shumacher) Zahrndt on December 5, 1953. Ken and Betty loved to travel around the country in the car and the motor coach. He was a past master at the St. James Lodge no.102 F. & A.M. in Hampton.

In addition to his wife, Ken is survived by his children, Kathryn Napoleone and her husband Joseph of Portland, ME, and Pamela Chatfield of Lowell, MA. He is also survived by his grandchildren, Matthew Gillis, Andrew Gillis, Sid Chatfield, Matthew Chatfield, and Cynthia Colson, as well as 4 great grandchildren. In addition to his parents, Ken is predeceased by his siblings, Dora Hendricks, Maryanne Miller, Henrietta Waleswicz, Karl Zahrndt, Betty Cowgill, and Dolores Troutmiller.

Family and friends will gather to honor and remember Ken for a period of visitation on Friday, March 1, 2024, from 4:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. in the Remick & Gendron Funeral Home, 811 Lafayette Road, Hampton.

# **Upcoming Events: For Your Calendar**

Mar 5	Gideon Lodge Stated 7:30pm		
Mar 6	St. Johns Stated 6pm		
Mar 7	MajGen John Sullivan Stated 6pm		
Mar 11	St Andrews Stated 7pm		
Mar 12	Rockingham Lodge Stated 730pm		
Mar 14	Star in the East Stated 7pm		
Mar 21	Saint James 102, Dinner 6pm		
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Mar 23	Gideon Ham & Bean Supper 4-6pm		
Mar 26	Tucker Lodge Stated 730pm		
Mar 28	Masters and Wardens, Saint James		
#102 6:30	PM		
Mar 30	Table Lodge Gideon 5:30PM		

**Sickness and Distress:** If you know of a member of Saint James Lodge who is in sickness or distress, please contact the Worshipful Master.

**Transportation:** If you need a ride to attend lodge, please call the Worshipful Master. He will be happy to make the arrangements.

If you attend our Lodge regularly, thank you. If you can't climb the steps to our Lodge Room, we have an elevator for you No steps Needed

We're On The Internet: Please Like and Follow us at facebook.com/stjameslodge. For District 1 web calendar and news, visit NHGrandLodge.org. (FYI, potential candidates anywhere in the USA should check out NotJustAMan.org and BeAFreemason.org.)

# **March 2024 Masonic Birthdays**

Jason E Bowley Sr	12 years
Arthur M Brown	50
Bruce G Brown	59
Thomas S Brown	18
Norman H Brown	16
Kaleb R Brown	16
William N Chaloge	63
Robert K Clark	24
Arthur F Eaton	18
Homer A Johnson Jr	71
Eric E Kulburg	12
David A Lent	33
Richard W Sawyer	59
Kenneth W Sheffert	12

Total 463 Years

Anyone living far away can stay in touch with Brethren – just send the Secretary a note to share. Or let him know if you want to contact a brother

# Saint James Lodge 2024 Officers

Wor. Master	Br. Timothy Simpson	603-918-7327
Sr. Warden	Br. Raymond A Gamble	603-686-2317
Jr. Warden		
Treasurer	Br. Richard W. Cooper	603-474-2373
Secretary	Br. Jeffrey M. Brown	603-944-0123
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Sr. Deacon		
Jr. Deacon	Br. Benjamin DeLorge	
Sr. Steward	Br. William Edwards	
Herald	Br. Jason E. Bowley	603-474-7374
Tyler	Br. Richard Douillette	603-395-7765



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## **Past Masters of Saint James Lodge**

*1960-61 Robert H. Danelson	1978 Jeremy J. Sawyer	1996 Harvey B.S. Webber	*2015 Thomas S. Tuttle
*1962 Clifford H. Eastman	1979 Arthur M. Brown	1997 John A. Ring	2016 Brent A. Maxwell
*1963 Perley R. George	*1980 Glyn P. Eastman	1998 Richard W. Ingram	2017, 2018 Alan E. Jones
*1964 Robert N. Penney	1981 Vernon K. Hale	1999 Manfred P. Muscara	2019 Brad K. Bick
*1965 Nulland E. Mahar	1982 Gordon E. Heal	*2000 Paul S. Cuetara	2020,2021 Jonathan A. Austin
*1966 Warren K. Sawyer	*1983 Roger P. Garland	2001-02 Robert M. Schreier	1995, 2022 Nathan G. Page
*1967 Lester B. Tobey	1984 Robert H. Woodes	2003 Robert M. Marzinzik	2023, Jeffrey M. Brown
*1968 A. Roland Bragg	1985 Richard W. Elliot	*2004 Edward J. Hess, Jr.	2024 Timothy D. Simpson
*1969 Richard B. Chevalier	*1986 Roger M. Clark	2005 Paul M.P. Kelley	
*1970 Malcolm Graves, Sr	*1987 Roy R. Crossland	2006 Lawrence A. Poliquin, Sr	
*1971 Oliver L. Carter, Sr.	*1988 David J. Lamprey, Sr.	2007 Robert W. Drinwater	
*1972 Byron F. Marshall, Jr	*1989 Ervin M. Pickering	*2008 James B. Motley	
*1973 Alexander R. Cacciola	1990 Leo E. Provencher	*2009 Thomas S. Tuttle	
*1974 William I. Elliot	*1991 Andrew F. Hirst	*2010 John K. Martin	
*1975 Harold E. Fernald	1992 Timothy D. Simpson	2011 Kenneth W. Zahrndt	
*1976 John W. Donaldson	*1993 Theodore F. Clark, Sr.	2012 & 2014 Alan E. Jones	
*1977 David R. Jefferson	*1994 David H. Williams	2013 Kaleb R. Brown	

Secretary P.O. Box 1202 Hampton, NH 03842

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