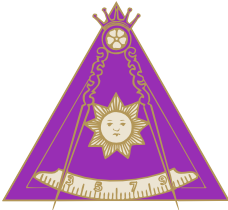


SCOTTISH RITE BODIES

in the Valley of Salem, Massachusetts
Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, U.S.A.



Sutton Lodge of
Perfection



Jubilee Council
Princes of Jerusalem



Emmanuel Chapter
of Rose Croix

NOTICE OF MEETINGS

These meetings will be held in the
Salem Masonic Temple
70 Washington Street, Salem, MA 01970

SUTTON LODGE OF PERFECTION

Friday, October 4, 2019

NOTE CHANGE IN DATE

JUBILEE COUNCIL PRINCES OF JERUSALEM

Friday, November 8, 2019

EMMANUEL CHAPTER OF ROSE CROIX

Friday, December 13, 2019

DINNER RESERVATIONS

Mark the box on the enclosed card for dinner reservations for the upcoming meetings.

You may also visit our website at www.valleyofsalem.org or send an email to rsvp@valleyofsalem.org.

If your card or email won't reach us by the Wednesday preceding the meeting, please call:

October	Timothy Reagan	978-210-6737
November	Timothy Loring	978-927-0184
December	John J. Maihos	978-804-7143

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**SUTTON LODGE OF
PERFECTION**

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2019

5:15 P.M.

SOCIAL PERIOD

Candidates are requested to be present at 5:00.

5:20 P.M.

**VIDEO PRESENTATION
OF THE FOURTH DEGREE,
MASTER TRAVELER**

5:45 P.M.

BUSINESS MEETING

6:00 P.M.

**PRESENTATION
OF THE FIFTH DEGREE
- PERFECT MASTER**

CAST

Prologue..... Bro. James Weiss, 32°
Moses..... Bro Stärk J. Peterson, 32°
Aaron..... Bro. Michael L. Giuffre, 32°
Bezaleel..... Bro. Dana Burke, 32°
Aholiab..... Bro. Wrbasy Ramirez, 32°
Nadab..... Bro. Paul Orr, 32°
Abihu..... Bro. Timothy J. Reagan, 32°
Ithemar..... Ill ∴ Mark C. LeBeau, 33°
Eleazar..... Bro. Steven Lipsky, 32°
Mishael..... Bro. Michael Perez, 32°
Elzaphan..... TBA

7:15 P.M.

DINNER

Stuffed Pork Loin
(Baked Stuffed Chicken alternative
with advance reservation)

Reservations to Bro. Timothy Reagan:
bro.timothyreagan@yahoo.com

**JUBILEE COUNCIL
PRINCES OF JERUSALEM**

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2019

5:15 P.M.

SOCIAL PERIOD

6:00 P.M.

BUSINESS MEETING

6:15 P.M.

DINNER

Cheese and Crackers,
Bread w/ Butter, Caesar Salad,
Stuffed Pork Chops with Gravy,
Mashed Potatoes, Vegetable Medley,
Brownie Sundae, Coffee

7:15 P.M.

**PRESENTATION
OF THE FIFTEENTH DEGREE -
KNIGHT OF THE EAST**

CAST

Cyrus - King of Persia TBD
Sysina - Master of Calvary
..... Bro. Timothy Doane, 32°
Nebuzaradan - Master of Infantry ...TBD
Daniel - Grand Master of the Palace
Bro. Timothy G. Loring, 32°, SP
Abazar - Grand Master of Ceremonies
..... TBD
Ratim - Grand Master of Dispatches
..... Bro. Charles Phipps, 32°
Zerubbabel - A Captive
..... Bro. Dana Lemieux, 32°
Zimira - Master of Enterances
..... Bro. David Kasahara, 32°
Prologue..... TBD
Guards .. Bro. George H. Haile, 32°, MSA
..... TBD
Lights.... Bro. John F. Belanger, 32°, MSA

Afterglow to follow.

**EMMANUEL CHAPTER
OF ROSE CROIX**

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13, 2019

5:15 P.M.

SOCIAL PERIOD

6:00 P.M.

BUSINESS MEETING

6:15 P.M.

**PRESENTATION OF THE EIGHTEENTH DEGREE -
KNIGHT OF THE ROSE CROIX OF HEREDOM**

CAST

Most Wise Master Bro. John J. Maihos, 32°
Senior Warden..... Bro. Jonathan W. Palermo, 32°
Junior Warden..... Bro. Jonathan F. Morley, 32°
Orator..... Bro. George K. Haile, 32°, MSA
Master of Ceremonies Bro. William W. Cicci, 32°
Captain of the Guard Bro. Nicholas A. J. Collins, 32°
Pursuivant Bro. Charles D. Phipps, 32°
Prompter..... Ill ∴ George W. Smith, 33°
Off-Stage Voice Bro. Dana Lemieux, 32°
Organist..... Bro. Joel R. Davidson, 32°
Prologue..... Ill ∴ Mason W. Russell, 33°

DINNER

Baked Stuffed Shrimp, Rice Pilaf, Sautéed Snow Peas, Dessert and Coffee.
(Chicken alternative when ordered in advance.)

FROM THE HEADS OF THE BODIES



SUTTON LODGE OF PERFECTION

Stärk Peterson, 32°
Thrice Potent Master

My Brothers, greetings on all points of the delta. A new Masonic year is beginning here in the Valley of Salem. For now, the warm days of the Sun are still with us, but soon the darkness will prevail in our northern latitudes. As Entered Apprentices we took our first regular step towards the Light, and now, if our path was true, we stand in the full glory of that Light as Princes of Masonry, knowing that that Light for which we strove has taken its place in the Third Temple, that temple of Light, Life, Love and Liberty prepared by God in the heart of every man. We as Masons have taken solemn vows to radiate that Divine Light from ourselves and our lodge rooms into the world no matter how dark that world may seem at times.

At our Lodge of Perfection reunion this Fall we will present for your consideration and contemplation the Fifth degree which gives us preliminary instruction on tending that sacred fire which is in the heart of every man. This degree also warns us of the dangers of letting our vigilance fail.

The cycle of instruction in the Lodge of Perfection is designed to bring the initiate to the understanding of the self-discipline required for a Mason to do his work. Without this discipline, how can he hope to better his community (Council of Princes of Jerusalem), serve his church (Chapter of Rose Croix), serve mankind (Knights Qadosh), or direct the Great Work (Consistory of Sublime Princes of the Royal Secret)?

The exoteric teachings of the Perfect Master degree are obvious: an initiate who fails to keep watch on the Sacred Fire is doomed to perish and be consumed by the flames that he has carelessly handled. This echoes the first teaching of Zoroaster many thousands of years ago to contemplate the beams of fire with a most pious mind, for the flame burns saint and sinner alike.

This degree challenges us to review our priorities in life. What are those tasks and duties to which we have sworn ourselves that we are neglecting? What are those things that make us better men and the world a better place for our having visited it for a time? As a man and a Mason have you always striven to fulfill your part in God's plan, and kept burning this Sacred Flame?

Be ever mindful of those sacred charges that have been entrusted to you and don't be tempted to neglect them for money, power, fame, or any other worldly thing for they will consume you and your Work will be for naught as you are taken by the Abyss, Maya becomes your reality, and you walk with Nadab and Abihu. Stay true to your high profession as a Mason and your Brothers will always walk with you no matter how dark the path recalling: "Virtus Junxit Mors Non Seperabit."

But also this, at the risk of judging Aaron and Moses, as Princes of Masonry be cautious as to whom you entrust the Sacred Fire lest you find yourself in the same position as Aaron.

Fraternally,

Stärk Peterson, 32°
Thrice Potent Master

FROM THE HEADS OF THE BODIES



JUBILEE COUNCIL PRINCES OF JERUSALEM

Timothy G. Loring 32°
Sovereign Prince

Brethren of the Valley of Salem,

As the dog days of summer have come to an end and the fall and new Masonic Year is upon us, I hope to see each of you on Friday, November 8th for the Princes of Princes of Jerusalem. I am excited to greet each of you. I would be remised in not mentioning that we are at the point where membership is at the lowest point in the History of the Valley. This summer is not exception for our dearly departed brethren in jointing the Celestial Lodge above. This is the time we must rally together to bring new members to the valley. I challenge each of you to go to your Blue Lodge, seek out the new members that are interested in continuing the journey in Masonry. I would have never met such good friends and brother as I have in my travels in masonry and the Scottish Rite. Spread the Word –

Fraternally,

Brother Timothy G. Loring
Sovereign Prince



EMMANUEL CHAPTER OF ROSE CROIX

John Maihos, 32°
Most Wise Master

It is a great honor to have been elected to Most Wise Master. I have had the opportunity to work with a great team of people, including many past officers to learn how we should do what we do. I have the honor of sitting in the seat held by many men who have been mentors. I have learned something for each of these men, including Ill George W. Smith, Ill J. Gregory A. Hill, Ill John Elwell, Bro John Day, Ill Donald M. Moran, Bro. Todd Crane, Bro George Haile, Bro. Mason Russell, and Bro. Jonathan Morley.

Rose Croix in the Valley of Salem has always done great work, and I anticipate that our new group of officers will continue in that tradition. I am pleased that Bro. Jonathan Palermo and Bro. William Cicci will be returning this year, and I look forward to the day that Bro. Matthew Munafa will be able to join us again. You will enjoy the work of Bro. Nicholas Collins, who is relatively new to the line. He has great experience in the Craft and has really embraced the Rose Croix. As always, we have men who support the line.

I hope that each of you will enjoy the work of Rose Croix. Your attendance is a great support to us, and to all the bodies in the Valley of Salem. See you at our next meeting!

Fraternally,

John Maihos, 32°
Most Wise Master

FROM THE SECRETARY



Brethren

Another October, another Scottish Rite year begins. The cycle of Masonic life goes on.

Charles Austin, 33^o
Secretary

At our installation we bid thanks to two of our distinguished Brethren for their leadership over the past three years. Jonathan Morley served as Most Wise Master of Emmanuel Chapter of Rose Croix and led the Chapter through some very challenging situations. Job changes and illness among the Officers made things quite challenging but Jonathan pulled things off as best as was possible. Jonathan proved to be a great organizer and set up some very successful functions for the Valley, for which we thank him. Richard Wise had a most impressive three years as Thrice Potent Master of Sutton Lodge of Perfection. Under his leadership the Officer Corps was rebuilt and the Ineffable Degrees – a couple of which had not been seen in the Valley for several years – were well presented with great enthusiasm by our Brethren and always to the happy applause of the Brethren present. Bro. Richard reminded us that proper presentation of the lessons of our Degrees requires work, but that in the end it is all worth it. For what he did, we should thank him most heartily. Now Emmanuel Chapter is under the direction of Bro. John Maihos and Sutton Lodge is under the direction of Bro. Stärk Peterson. They have big shoes to fill, but we all stand behind them to continue the outstanding reputation that this Valley has within our Council of Deliberation.

About a month ago in Milwaukee Bro. Mason Russell became Ill. Mason Russell and I hope that you will offer him your congratulations.

He truly has earned it. At that time, it was announced that our good Brother George Haile was elected to receive the thirty-third Degree in Cleveland in 2021. Everybody knows George as a Past Most Wise Master of Emmanuel Chapter, a recipient of the Meritorious Service Award, a willing and able helper wherever help is needed, and a faithful laborer in the vineyards in many of the departments of Freemasonry. Your congratulations to him are certainly deserved.

Brethren, as mentioned above, we have a terrific Valley here in Salem and the only people that don't seem to know how good it is are we ourselves. Visitors are always telling me how much they enjoy being with us and candidates are always applauding our work in the presentation of the lessons of the Scottish Rite and everyone loves our hospitality. Why it is that you are not inviting your Masonic friends to join us is beyond my ability to comprehend. The Valley of Boston will be holding a one-day class on November 9th and applications are available to those who just ask. Just be sure to check off that the candidate is joining the Valley of Salem. Of course, you could just invite your friends to join us at the meeting of Sutton Lodge of Perfection and they could start their journey towards more Light in Masonry that much sooner. What the heck are you waiting for?

And now the inevitable screed about paying dues. If you haven't already done so, please please get the lead out. If there is a reason that you haven't, please call me. I will work with you. You are, after all, my Brother.

I am truly looking forward to seeing you all down in the Valley.

Charles Austin
Secretary

HELP WANTED

We are always looking for help with the internal workings of the Valley. If you have any interest in becoming involved with our Commisary team, Wardrobe, stage hands, sound or lighting, acting – both speaking and non-speaking parts, singing in the Choir, or if you have aspirations to become an Officer in any of our 3 bodies – please contact any of the Presiding Officers, and let them know of your interest.

WEB SITE

Visit us at:
www.valleyofsalem.org

SUPREME COUNCIL NEWS

Get your Supreme Council information including Abbott Scholarship Applications at:
www.scottishrittenmj.org.

FACEBOOK HAS COME TO THE VALLEY OF SALEM

Come and be part of Facebook in the Valley of Salem. Search under “Scottish Rite Valley Of Salem” to find us.



Living Past Thrice Potent Masters

Ill.: Mark A. Ginsberg, 33^o Ill.: James M. McCulloch, II, 33^o
Ill.: Judson W. Greene, 33^o Ill.: Mark C. Lebeau, 33^o
Bro. Richard L. Wise, 32^o

Living Past Sovereign Princes

Ill.: Philip F. Reed, 33^o Bro. Ray F. Randall, 32^o
Ill.: James M. McCulloch, II 33^o Bro. Dana Lemieux, 32^o
Bro. John F. Belanger, 32^o, MSA

Living Past Most Wise Masters

Ill.: Clifton P. Elliott, 33^o Ill.: John R. Elwell, 33^o
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Ill.: George W. Smith, 33^o Bro. Jonathan F. Morley, 32^o

ALLEGIANCE

The Bodies of the Scottish Rite sitting in the Valley of Salem, Massachusetts, acknowledge and yield allegiance to the Supreme Council, 33^o, Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction of the United States of America, whose Grand East is in the Town of Lexington, Massachusetts and whose officers are:

Ill.: David A. Glatly, 33^o, Sovereign Grand Commander
Ill.: Donald M. Moran, 33^o, Deputy for Massachusetts
Ill.: Walter F. Wheeler, 33^o, Grand Treasurer General
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Deputy's Representative – Valley of Salem

Bro. Dana Lemieux, 32^o

IMPORTANT NOTICE

The Illustrious Deputy for Massachusetts has directed that all members be required to show their membership cards on entering the Lodge Room.

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Glover F. Broughton, 32°, MSA Commissary
David L. Cross, 32°, MSA Master of Wardrobe
Robert J. Marcaurelle, 32° ... Asst. Master of Wardrobe
Vacant Tyler

VALLEY OF SALEM AMBASSADORS TO LOCAL LODGES 2019

Amity-Mosaic, Danvers
Budleigh Lodge, Beverly
Essex Lodge, Salem
Golden Fleece Lodge, Lynn
John T. Heard Lodge, Ipswich
Jordan Lodge, Peabody
Liberty Lodge, Beverly
Manchester Lodge, Manchester
Mt. Carmel Lodge, Lynn
Philanthropic Lodge, Marblehead
Tyrian-Ashler-Acacia Lodge, Gloucester

AMBASSADORS WANTED

We are in the process of rejuvenating the Valley of Salem Ambassador Program.

If you would like to participate as an ambassador or as an assistant in our program, contact any of the 3 heads of the bodies listed in the column to the left.

