

MINNEAPOLIS VALLEY SUN

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July August 2021

BRETHREN LOST AS OF MAY 2021

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FROM THE DESK OF
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We hope you are enjoying your summer and preparing for the upcoming **in person** fall session!

Since the last issue of the SUN came out, there have been some slight changes to the start of the fall class. This is signified by **red** and **blue** text under the August column. The red is a date change, but the blue will be a Zoom event (more details to become available soon).

Would you like to work on or contribute to the newsletter?
Feel free to reach out to sun@scottish-rite-mpls.org

WE'RE BACK!

Brethren of the Minneapolis Valley- **WE ARE BACK!** After 18 months of suspended and virtual operations, we are primed for the **GRAND REOPENING** of the Minneapolis Valley! Traditionally, the August Membership Night has been used to introduce Master Masons to our wonderful building and our incredible slate of higher degrees and educational opportunities; however, this year we are also using it as an opportunity to get together and renew our Brotherhood in order to move forward with the hefty task of restarting operations.

My team is putting together another marquee event to include **Past-SGIG Jerry Oliver's famous BBQ**, a special performance by our very own **David Graham**, service from **The Lowry**, and **much more to be announced!**

We are putting out a personal call and request to all our members to come down to the Rite on Thursday, August 26th to see our various renovations, meet Brothers you haven't seen in over a year, **meet all of our newest Brothers who came into the Valley during our March and May conferrals**, and to share in the community that is Minneapolis Scottish Rite Masonry!

It's an August event, so remember to dress comfortably for the weather and *come down again for the first time* because you, the *Brother*, are the very life-blood of the Fraternity! We look forward to seeing all of you again! SALVE FRATER!

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CALENDAR

JULY

Tuesday 06 6:00 KSA Meeting
6:30 Heads of Bodies
7:30 Stated Meeting

AUGUST

Tuesday 03 6:00 KSA Meeting
6:30 Heads of Bodies
7:30 Stated Meeting

Thursday 26 5:00 BBQ Social

Tuesday 31 6:30 Orientation

SEPTEMBER

Thursday 02 6:00 4°, 5°, 6°
Tuesday 07 6:00 KSA Meeting
6:30 Heads of Bodies
7:30 Stated Meeting
Thursday 09 6:00 7°, 8°, 9°
Thursday 16 6:30 10°, 11°
Thursday 23 6:30 12°, 13°
Saturday 25 3:00 14°, Feast
Thursday 30 6:00 15°, 16°

OCTOBER

Tuesday 05 6:00 KSA Meeting
6:30 Heads of Bodies
7:30 Stated Meeting

Thursday 07 6:00 17°, 18°

Thursday 14 6:30 19°, 20°

Thursday 21 6:30 21°, 22°

Saturday 23 TBD KCCH

Thursday 28 6:30 23°, 24°

Saturday 30 6:00 Council Feast

NOVEMBER

Tuesday 02 6:00 KSA Meeting
6:30 Heads of Bodies
7:30 Stated Meeting

Thursday 04 6:30 25°, 26°

Thursday 11 6:30 27°

Thursday 18 6:30 28°, 29°

Thursday 25 Dark

DECEMBER

Thursday 02 6:30 30°
Tuesday 07 6:00 KSA Meeting
6:30 Heads of Bodies
7:30 Stated Meeting

Thursday 09 6:30 31°

Saturday 11 2:00 32°

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SCOTTISH RITE


GRAND
REOPENING

REUNITE WITH OLD FRIENDS
SEE THE LATEST RENOVATIONS - MEET YOUR NEWEST BROTHERS!

5 - 9 PM 08.26.2021

FAMOUS BBQ BY PAST-SGIG JERRY OLIVER
SPECIAL PERFORMANCE BY DAVID GRAHAM
REFRESHMENTS FROM THE LOWRY

ONLY \$15

RSVP BY 08.22.2021
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Returning to in-person degrees means seeing familiar scenes like pictured above!

TWENTY-NINE MORE FOR YOU

Greetings Scottish Rite Brethren. After a year of isolation for many of us, we had an amazing Spring with the first ever Minnesota Orient Virtual Reunion for the Lodge of Perfection Degrees, and live performance 18th, 30th, and 32nd degrees. What a great opportunity it was to help bring our new Scottish Rite Brothers to more light in Masonry, and to see them become Masters of the Royal Secret!

I want to extend a big Thank You to all the Degree Directors and their casts, as well as to all the other Committees who make the degrees possible. The Lighting, Sound, Wardrobe, Education, Dining, and Properties committees really work hard to help the Directors and Actors put on the best degrees we can for each class. Great job Brothers!

For those of you in attendance, you got to see our stage back in action. The rigging has been replaced and some drops have been hung on the stage. It was great to use the entire stage and drops to help make the

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degrees even better. I hope you join us for the Fall Degree class to enjoy the full degree experience.

Speaking of the Fall Degree class, mark your calendars for September 2nd when we start the class with the 4th, 5th, and 6th degrees. And especially mark your calendars for Sept. 9th when we are honored to be visited by our Sovereign Grand Commander! Be sure to tell your Brothers about the Scottish Rite

and encourage them to join the Fall Class. Come and watch the degrees yourself, and better yet, join one of the Committees to help bring Masonic Light to our new Scottish Rite Brothers.

Fraternally,

Lee E. Kielblock, 33° I.:G.:H.:

Ritual Director, Minneapolis Valley

