



SOLOMON 20



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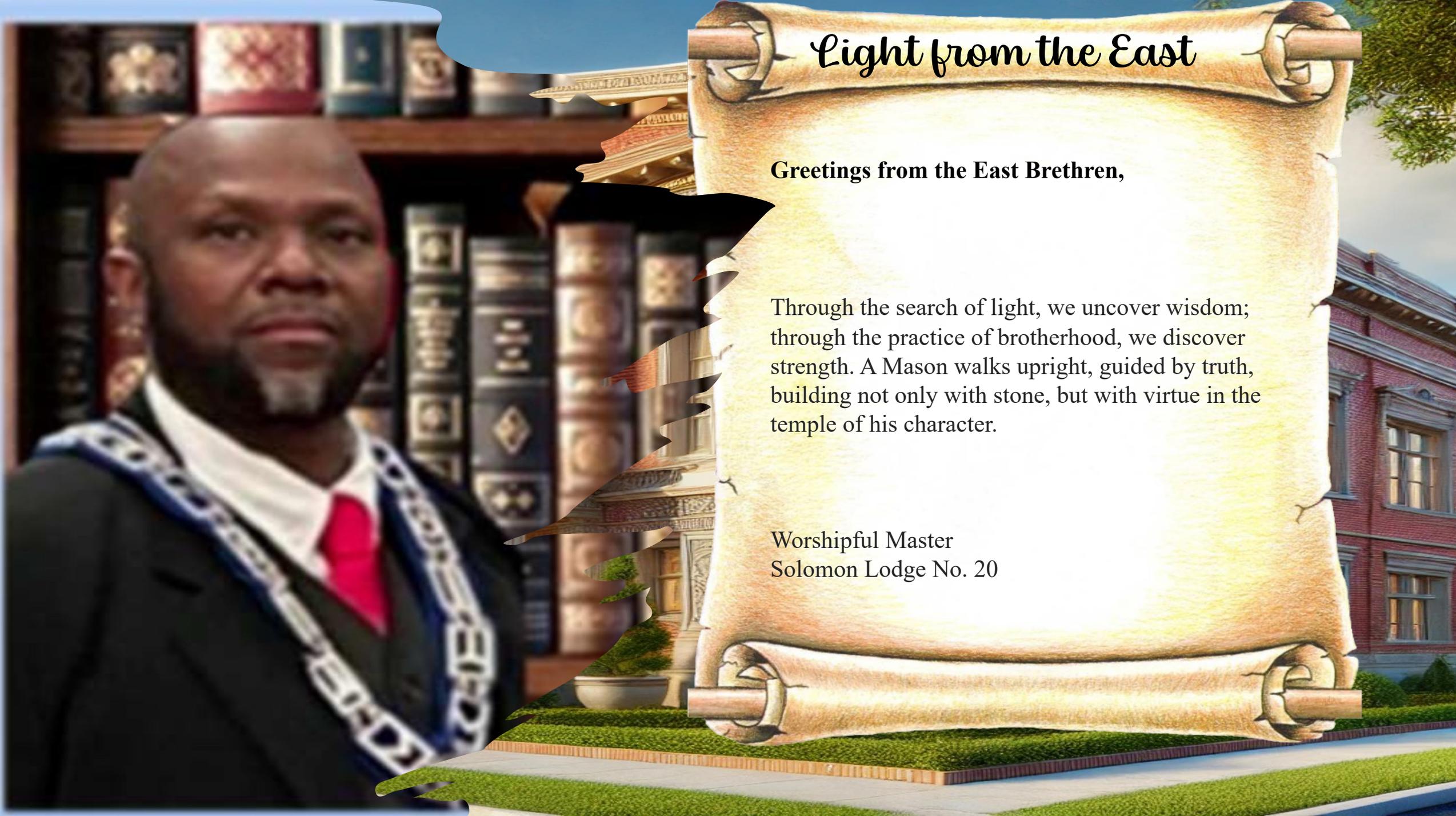


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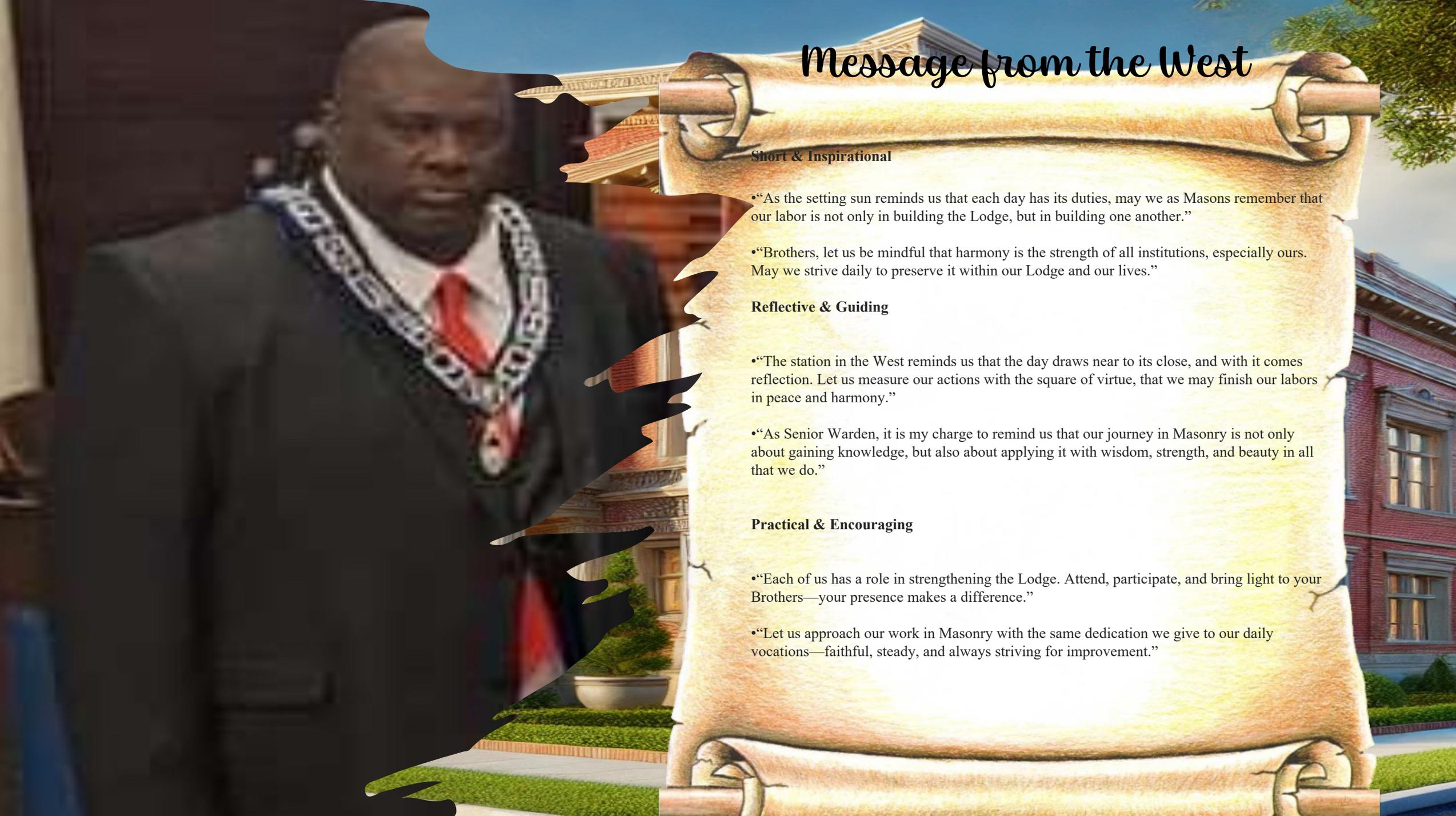


Light from the East

Greetings from the East Brethren,

Through the search of light, we uncover wisdom; through the practice of brotherhood, we discover strength. A Mason walks upright, guided by truth, building not only with stone, but with virtue in the temple of his character.

Worshipful Master
Solomon Lodge No. 20

The image features a man in Masonic regalia on the left side, wearing a dark suit, a red tie, and a white and blue chain with a pendant. On the right side, there is a large, unrolled scroll with a parchment-like texture, containing several paragraphs of text. The background shows a brick building and greenery.

Message from the West

Short & Inspirational

•“As the setting sun reminds us that each day has its duties, may we as Masons remember that our labor is not only in building the Lodge, but in building one another.”

•“Brothers, let us be mindful that harmony is the strength of all institutions, especially ours. May we strive daily to preserve it within our Lodge and our lives.”

Reflective & Guiding

•“The station in the West reminds us that the day draws near to its close, and with it comes reflection. Let us measure our actions with the square of virtue, that we may finish our labors in peace and harmony.”

•“As Senior Warden, it is my charge to remind us that our journey in Masonry is not only about gaining knowledge, but also about applying it with wisdom, strength, and beauty in all that we do.”

Practical & Encouraging

•“Each of us has a role in strengthening the Lodge. Attend, participate, and bring light to your Brothers—your presence makes a difference.”

•“Let us approach our work in Masonry with the same dedication we give to our daily vocations—faithful, steady, and always striving for improvement.”

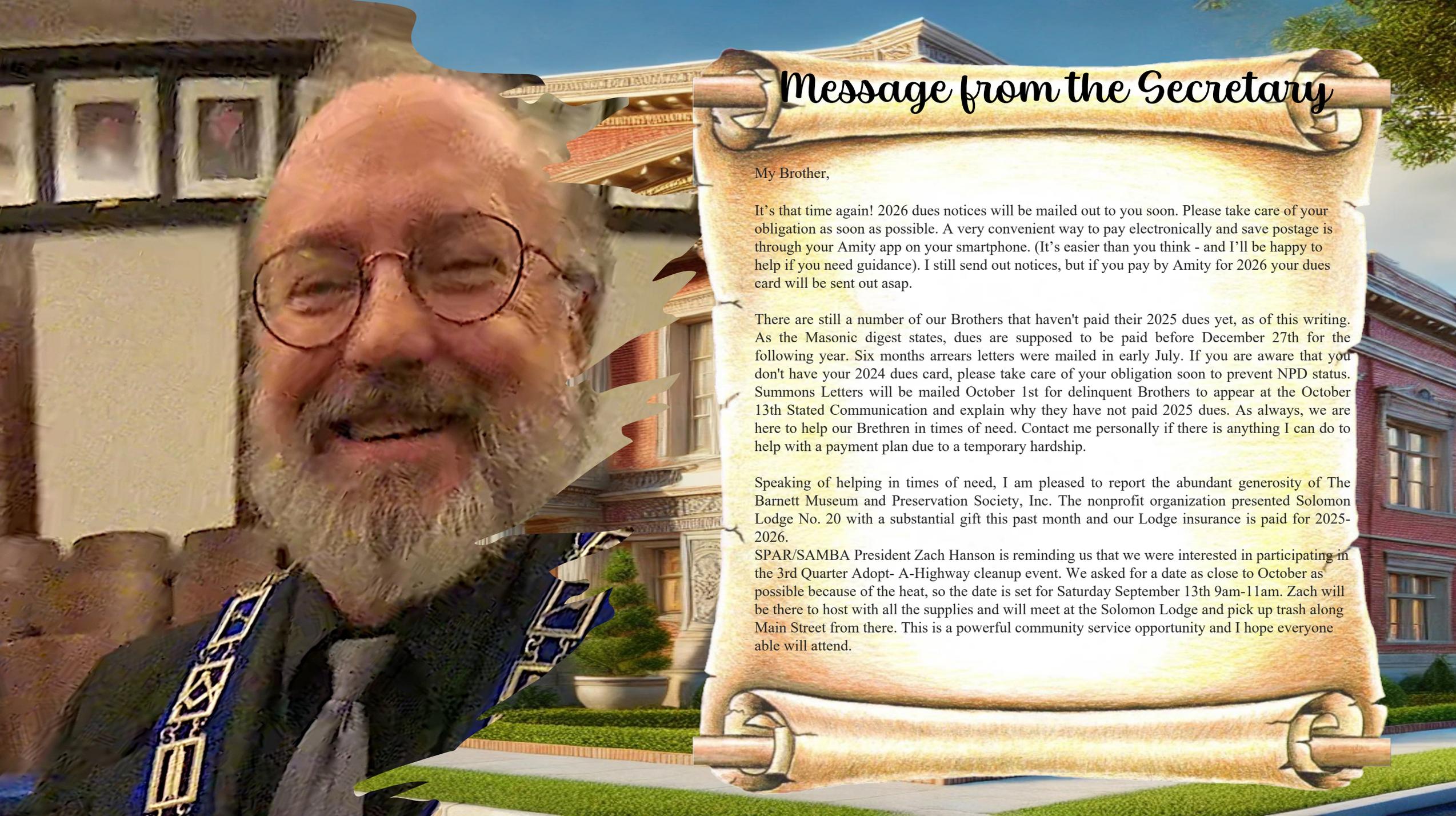
A man with glasses and a goatee, wearing a dark suit, a red tie, and a blue Masonic sash with a silver pendant, stands in front of a building with a grey curtain. The background is a composite image of a brick building and a green lawn.

Message from the South

Greetings from the South Brethren,
Salutations,

A Mason's word is sacred, his actions the true mirror of his heart. By laboring with honor and integrity, he leaves behind a legacy not of wealth or power, but of service, brotherhood, and an enduring example for others to follow.

Ian Bozeman
Junior Warden
Solomon Lodge No. 20



Message from the Secretary

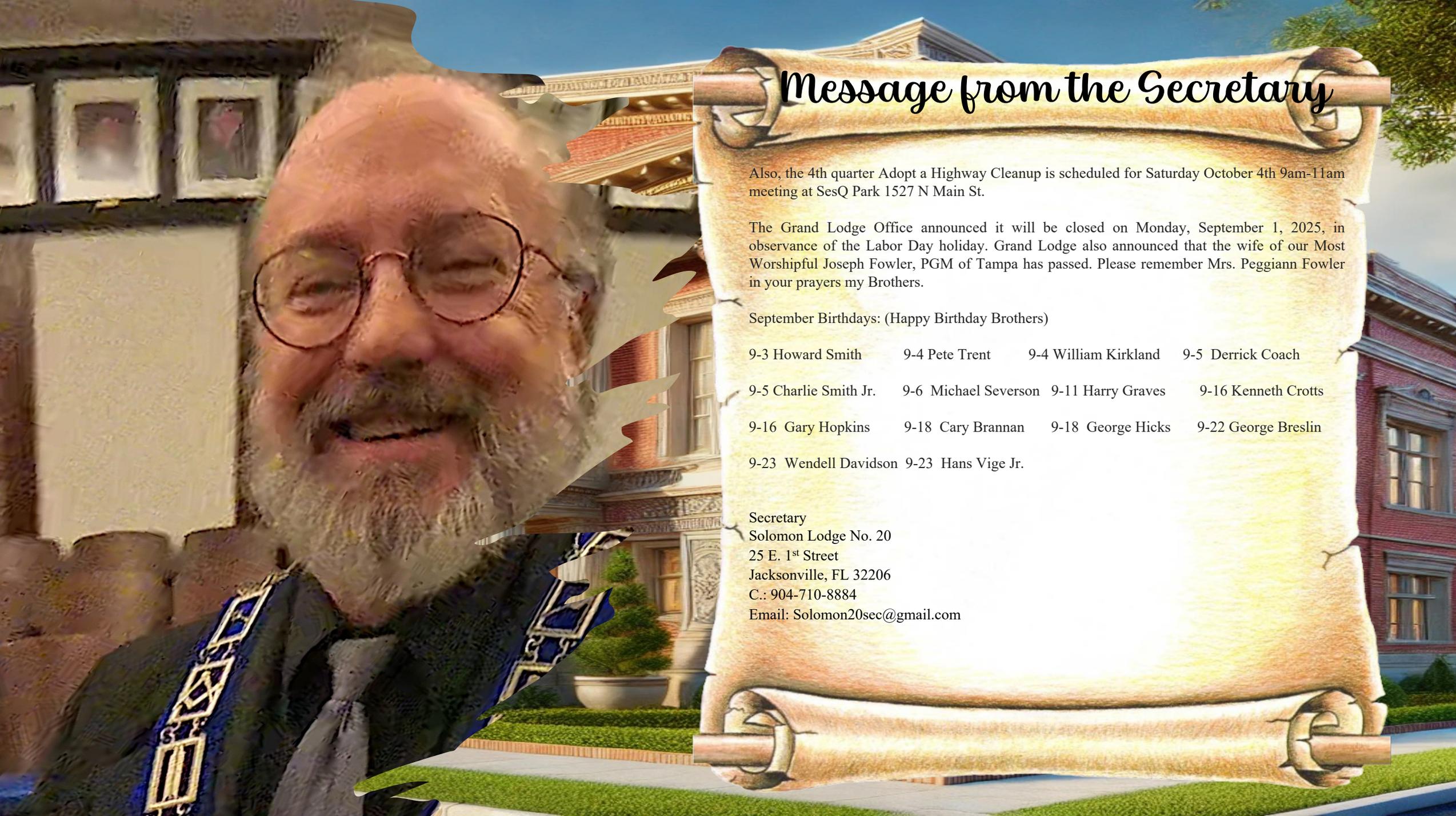
My Brother,

It's that time again! 2026 dues notices will be mailed out to you soon. Please take care of your obligation as soon as possible. A very convenient way to pay electronically and save postage is through your Amity app on your smartphone. (It's easier than you think - and I'll be happy to help if you need guidance). I still send out notices, but if you pay by Amity for 2026 your dues card will be sent out asap.

There are still a number of our Brothers that haven't paid their 2025 dues yet, as of this writing. As the Masonic digest states, dues are supposed to be paid before December 27th for the following year. Six months arrears letters were mailed in early July. If you are aware that you don't have your 2024 dues card, please take care of your obligation soon to prevent NPD status. Summons Letters will be mailed October 1st for delinquent Brothers to appear at the October 13th Stated Communication and explain why they have not paid 2025 dues. As always, we are here to help our Brethren in times of need. Contact me personally if there is anything I can do to help with a payment plan due to a temporary hardship.

Speaking of helping in times of need, I am pleased to report the abundant generosity of The Barnett Museum and Preservation Society, Inc. The nonprofit organization presented Solomon Lodge No. 20 with a substantial gift this past month and our Lodge insurance is paid for 2025-2026.

SPAR/SAMBA President Zach Hanson is reminding us that we were interested in participating in the 3rd Quarter Adopt- A-Highway cleanup event. We asked for a date as close to October as possible because of the heat, so the date is set for Saturday September 13th 9am-11am. Zach will be there to host with all the supplies and will meet at the Solomon Lodge and pick up trash along Main Street from there. This is a powerful community service opportunity and I hope everyone able will attend.



Message from the Secretary

Also, the 4th quarter Adopt a Highway Cleanup is scheduled for Saturday October 4th 9am-11am meeting at SesQ Park 1527 N Main St.

The Grand Lodge Office announced it will be closed on Monday, September 1, 2025, in observance of the Labor Day holiday. Grand Lodge also announced that the wife of our Most Worshipful Joseph Fowler, PGM of Tampa has passed. Please remember Mrs. Peggiann Fowler in your prayers my Brothers.

September Birthdays: (Happy Birthday Brothers)

9-3 Howard Smith	9-4 Pete Trent	9-4 William Kirkland	9-5 Derrick Coach
9-5 Charlie Smith Jr.	9-6 Michael Severson	9-11 Harry Graves	9-16 Kenneth Crotts
9-16 Gary Hopkins	9-18 Cary Brannan	9-18 George Hicks	9-22 George Breslin
9-23 Wendell Davidson	9-23 Hans Vige Jr.		

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September 2025 Calendar

Meetings

- ❖ Monday,
September 8,
2025, Stated
Meeting
- ❖ Monday,
September 22,
2025, Family
Night



Notice

Work days will begin every first Saturday of the month beginning in September with Saturday September 6, 2025



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Solomon Lodge's Committees

Building and Property	Isaac Williams, Derrick Coach, Ian Bozeman, Luis Vargas, Jim Boone, Rory St. John, Austin Waters
Board of Relief	Isaac Williams, Derrick Coach, Ian Bozeman
Budget & Finance	Derrick Coach, Ian Bozeman, Mike Davison, Jason Vymetal
Charity	Ian Bozeman, Demetri Perkins, Tony Stevens
Masonic Education	James Vick, Robby Stokes, Emanuelle Eric Santiago
Vigilance	Ian Bozeman, Luis Vargas, Austin Waters, Adam Esquilin
Building Trustees	Isaac Williams, Derrick Coach, Ian Bozeman, A. Clayton Vandiver Jr.
Hospitality	Luis Vargas, Austin Waters, Demetri Perkins, Calvin Oglesby
Catechism Instruction	James Vick, Rory St. Johns, Jim Boone
Lodge Mentors	James Vick, Bruce Oliver, Thomas Meadows, David Land
Visitation	David Land, Benjamin Flanagan, Demetri Perkins
Petitions	Luis Vargas, Austin Waters, Demetri Perkins, Adam Esquilin, Emanuelle Eric Santiago
Web- social media	Demetri Perkins, Thomas Meadows, A. Clayton Vandiver Jr., Emanuelle Eric Santiago
DeMolay	Benjamin Flanagan
Masonic Rites	James Vick, Robby Stokes, Jim Boone
Widow's Program	Ian Bozeman, Demetri Perkins, Tony Stevens, Thomas Meadows, Luis Vargas, Calvin Oglesby
e-Trestleboard	Emanuelle Eric Santiago