

# Lakeville Lodge / Eastern Star Newsletter March 2020

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#### Message from the Worshipful Master

Greetings Brothers. These are scary times we are experiencing with the corona virus situation and I hope each and everyone is safe and taking precautions necessary to stay safe.

We are still having to deal with unpaid dues. Get them in or the next step is suspension. The Area Conference, Master Mason Degree and April Stated Meeting have been canceled. All Masonic, OES, social and fund raising events and practices have been canceled until further notice. We will keep you posted as to when things can start back up again.

Our March dinner of Ham loaf and hot potato salad was enjoyed by all and thank you to W.B. Fred and W.D. Ron for preparing and serving it. Brother Dean had coffee cake for refreshments. Thank you!

Blood is thicker than water. But nothing's thicker than Brotherhood

Yours in Masonary, W.B. Max Feitz

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All Lodge events have been cancelled until further notice.

## Message from the Worthy Matron

Sisters and Brothers.

While our temple is closed, it's important to remember that the Order of the Eastern Star is not closed. Our obligation is even more important now! Please keep check on each other and stay connected. Let Brother Fred or me know if there are any members who require assistance. As always, please pray for the health care workers, first responders, and our government leaders who are working hard.

If there is a blessing to this pandemic, I think it is in the fact that it has forced people to slow down. Maybe we can all take more time with our families and truly enjoy time together playing games and doing other things instead of watching too much news and social media. It's a good time to read a book, write a real letter, or just reach out and call an old friend. I think God wants us to get back to what is REAL and meaningful. This pandemic may just be our reminder that he wants us to stay focused on what is important.

Baskets of Blessings!

Barb

All meetings, Inspections and Visiting nights are canceled until further notice. We still have dues that are unpaid. Please try to get those in ASAP.

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All OES events have been cancelled until further notice.

### Message from the Building Committee

The polish meal scheduled for Thursday, April 16, has been postponed. When the situation changes, we will reschedule the event and put out a call for reservations.

We do not know what the situation will be like at the end of May regarding the Chicken Noodle Dinner. As of right now, we will keep that date in mind and make a decision when we get closer to the event.