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DECEMBER, 2018  
**CORNERSTONE LODGE NO. 157**



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Gresham Lodge No. 152

Christina Court No. 8

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**FROM THE WEST**

**SEASON'S GREETINGS TO ALL!** 'Tis the time of year when the seasons change again. The weather grows colder and all manner of plants and creatures head to sleep or go to ground for the winter. As to, we head inside to escape the winter's cold wrath. We cuddle up with our friends and loved ones to share warm hearts, warm wishes, and even a hot beverage around a crackling fire. Yet be ever mindful of those less fortunate, those without a warm place and no one to warm their hearts, who have only a wish of a hot meal and the companionship to accompany. I was once told that charity is the one and only thing we can take to the grave. That being true, give what you can. If all you can give is a smile and a friendly word – then please give all you can.

As the season changes so does the guard at the Lodge. The wise and experienced, tried and true, pass the gavel to the new and inexperienced, those of us who wish to try and be tested. In this season of good wishes and giving, please wish us luck and give us strength to complete our task at hand during the coming year. Thank you so much.  
Happy Holidays from ours to yours,

**Steven Smith**  
Worshipful Master Elect

**FROM THE SOUTH**

**FROM THE STATION IN THE SOUTH,** I have observed the passing of another masonic year. It has been a pleasure traveling with our brothers on their journey, whether joining our ranks as an Entered Apprentice, or being raised as a Master Mason. It has been a year filled with struggles and hopes, remembrances and celebrations. Early in the year we held services for our departed brother Nels "Swede" Edlund. In the summer, our annual picnic at Oaks Park was well attended. Our Halloween open house was expanded to include a Haunted House, which was put together by our youth groups. With the closing of the year approaching, the Past Masters and Widows dinner was celebrated on Veterans Day, followed by elections the following night.

I feel blessed to have been elected to serve this lodge as Senior Warden for the coming year. From the west, I hope to assist the Master in seeing that everyone gets the recognition they deserve. Wishing everyone a happy holiday season and all the best in the new year!


**Scott Kennedy**  
Senior Warden Elect

**UPCOMING EVENTS  
OF NOTE:**

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS  
December 15

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST DAY  
December 27

**DECEMBER**

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						<b>01</b> 9:00am Occasional Grand Lodge
<b>02</b>	<b>03</b> 7:00pm Officer's Meeting	<b>04</b>	<b>05</b>	<b>06</b>	<b>07</b>	<b>08</b>
<b>09</b>	<b>10</b> 6:30pm Dinner 7:30pm Stated Comm. 	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b> 1:00pm Installation of Officers
<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b> 12:00pm Memento Mori
<b>23</b> <b>30</b>	<b>24</b> <b>31</b> New Year's Eve	<b>25</b> Christmas	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>