

## TRESTLEBOARD

July 2020



CORNERSTONE MASONIC  
LODGE #157

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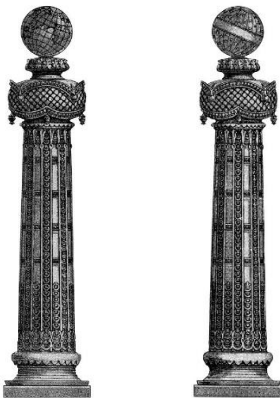
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### From the East:

"There Is Nothing More Constant Than Change" - Heraclitus 535 BC

This past month seems to have been determined to prove it. With a change in the popular view of multiple institutions, particularly with Police Departments, we have seen protests and civil unrest, in Portland, across the country and around the world. Some may argue that this is not much of change for Portland, as we have seen demonstrations and clashes with groups for at least the last four years.

The toppling of the statue of George Washington that stood in front of the former Friendship Masonic Lodge building is not the only changes this month for Oregon Masonry. On a positive note, the Grand Lodge of Oregon held its Annual Communication on June 4<sup>th</sup> in Salem. Due to the pandemic and re-opening status, the Annual Communication was limited to 25 brothers from throughout the state. Attendance was managed to ensure quorum was met to enable essential business to be conducted (election of the 2020-2021 officers). All other business has been postponed until next year. Still this marks a change in Masonic leadership, with our new Grand Master Michael McGuyer having been installed that afternoon, with the rest of the Grand Line Officers. Appointed Officers and District Deputies will be installed in similar small groups as availability and location dictate.

With the phase 1 re-opening of Multnomah County on June 19<sup>th</sup>, we are now in a position to start having meetings again. Cornerstone Lodge held the July officer's meeting virtually, with the Stated Meeting to be held on July 13th. There will be no Stated Meeting Dinners until it is deemed safe to start having them again. Stated Meetings will be limited to a maximum of 25 brothers. Once that number has been reached, the doors will be locked and no one else will be permitted to enter the building. Hand sanitizer, gloves and facemasks will be available, though since the entire state is under orders to wear facemasks in public indoor spaces, I encourage brothers to bring their own.

I understand that many of us are looking forward to seeing each other again. Keep in mind that the business of the lodge will be limited. We will not be able to have the picnic, since Oaks Park is closed. Quoting our Grand Master, "There is nothing we do in Freemasonry that is so important it is worth jeopardizing the health, safety, and welfare of our members."

Whether you see the current events and restrictions as a signal for the end of days, or the dawn of a bright new future, or just a nuisance until we get back to doing what we do, it can be described with the ancient understanding: "This too shall pass."

Sincerely,

Scott Kennedy

Worshipful Master, Cornerstone Lodge #157 AF&AM



**Mt. Hood Chapter DeMolay**

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