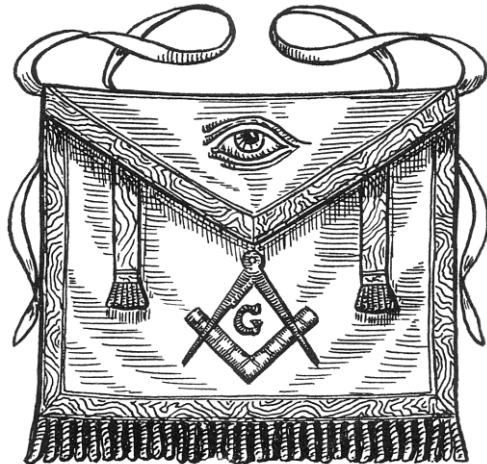




# WELCOME LODGE AO.255



## F. & A. M. Trestleboard September 2014

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## *From the East* *Worshipful Joselito Sanchez*



AS THE SUN RISES IN THE EAST.....

Brethren,

I hope everyone had great and safe Labor Day weekend. I welcome you all back to the second half of this Masonic year in Welcome Lodge #255!

I am pleased to report that the first half was a huge success and will ensure that the second will be just as great, if not better. I certainly hoped that each of you my brethren had a great summer either out of town on vacation or have stayed in the valley.

For the month of July Brother Jack, our Junior Warden, organized many projects to fix up our Lodge. I would like to give a HUGE thank you to Brother Jack and the Brethren who came out to help fix our Lodge.

This second half of the year will be a fun and exciting because the weather will start to cool off and more brothers will hopefully be attending lodge more often. For those brethren who have not had a chance to come to lodge lately, the officers and your brothers in the sidelines would like to see you and catch up during dinner. The newly raised master masons and the kitchen help would also love to meet you and get to know you. The personal connection to one another, especially between Masonic brothers is something special. Please attend if you can and give some wisdom to our new members by making them feel welcome.

Our School of Instruction will be meeting at Welcome Lodge on Thursday, September 18th, with dinner starting at 6:30 p.m. and at 7:30 p.m. the Hanford Lodge will exemplify 3rd Degree 1st section; full form closing and open discussion of the docket for the 2015 Annual Communication.

REMEMBER The Inspector is the only person who can excuse you from the Officers School of Instruction. The Inspector is required to keep track of who is signing in and who is not.

Fraternally Yours,  
Joselito Sanchez, PM  
Master of the Lodge

## *Officers for the year 2014*

Worshipful Master	Joey Sanchez, PM
Senior Warden	Daniel Bautista
Junior Warden	Jack Cloud
Treasurer	Steven Roberts, PM
Secretary	Mark Jeffries
Asst. Secretary	Nick Lawson
Chaplain	Liviem Espiritu
Senior Deacon	Joel Castillo
Junior Deacon	Danny Britton
Marshall	James Withycombe
Senior Steward	Daniel Guevara
Junior Steward	Roskin Metra
Tiler	Stephen Healy
Officer's Coach	Gemino Barrera, PM
Candidate's Coach	Patrocinio Cerdenola, PM
	Jack Cloud
	Norm Stewart
	James Withycombe
616 <sup>th</sup> Masonic Dist. Insp.	Peter Cunningham, PM



## *AUGUST BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS!!!*

The Lodge celebrates these Brethren and we hope you had a very special day, Happy Birthday!



August 01 – Alfredo Delacruz  
August 01 – Jeffrey Van Allen  
August 09 – Larry James Gilio  
August 15 – Brian Neer  
August 15 – Renz Uy  
August 16 – Gabriel Santillan  
August 17 – Gerald Dokter  
August 19 – Odom Rallos  
August 22 – Reynaldo Gonzalvo  
August 27 – Eddie Delapena  
August 27 – Nicholas Lawson  
August 30 – Giecar Reyes

# ***SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS!!!***

The Lodge celebrates these Brethren and we wish you a very special day, Happy Birthday!

September 02 – Leo Ceniceros  
September 03 – Ryan Deguzman  
September 03 – John Dunlap  
September 04 – Jack Mann  
September 04 – Donal Ziemer  
September 09 – Renaldo Cruz  
September 09 – Jason Griffiths  
September 10 – Wendell Cadiente  
September 12 – James Chrisman  
September 13 – Kevin Mettlen  
September 14 – Ray Reyes  
September 15 – Marc Jeffries  
September 17 – James Nguyen  
September 18 – Norman Dalisay  
September 18 – Stephen Dias  
September 18 – William Garske  
September 18 – Willard Nissen  
September 18 – Norman Stewart  
September 19 – Tom Elder  
September 19 – Michael Encina  
September 20 – Audie Musngi  
September 22 – Guy Brown  
September 26 – David Kleinberg  
September 26 – Joseph Maffi  
September 28 – Delbert Cochran  
September 29 – Romeo Gonzales Sr.



***From the West***  
***Brother Daniel Bautista***

Brethren,

I hope each of us had a great summer! The Fall season is fast approaching, so if you haven't had fun and enjoyed the warm weather I suggest you do it soon.

As we look forward to the second half of the year, our schedules for September are full. I would like to invite you brothers to warmly welcome our fine young candidates in their First Degree of Masonry this upcoming September 11th and 25th. We look forward to seeing you all. For more details, please check your Tresleboard.

On the Level,  
Brother Daniel Bautista



# *From the South*

*Brother Jack Cloud*

Brethren,

I hope everyone was able to rest up and enjoy the summer during our dark months. We've done a lot of work this year and everyone deserves a little time off.

We made some progress in July on a few projects around the building. I would like to thank all of the brethren that took the time to come in and assist on our cleanup day. We accomplished a lot of painting on the restrooms and finally finished the trim work in the ladies restroom. Your time and effort are greatly appreciated. There is still painting needing to be accomplished, so if you have some time, please give me a call, I could use the help.

We've also started planning our Backpack drive, Food drive, Christmas Party and Toys for Tots drive. Our new Brethren and knocking candidates have agreed to step up to the plate and plan these events. I would like to publicly thank them for the work that they have and will put into them. I ask, during the fundraising events, that all the brethren contribute their time, money or both if possible. We will once again make these events a Masonic Family effort, so all groups are invited to participate. Our goals this year: 1) to raise funds for 100 backpacks, approximately \$2000.00, 2) to deliver one or more truckloads of food to the Lemoore Christian Aid, and 3) during the Christmas Party, to double last year's toys that we provided to the Marines. These events kicked off in August with our first carwash/breakfast in which we raised \$183.00. I invite you all to get involved and let's make this a great year for our philanthropic efforts. Finally, as we roll back into the lodge, we have many degrees to accomplish. These young men have worked hard for this privilege, so please, let's give them a good show of support. I look forward to seeing you all in Lodge.

By the Plumb,  
Brother Jack Cloud

## **NOTICE:** **Paper Trestle Boards**

Soon, Welcome Lodge will begin to move away from the use of the mailed, paper trestle board. Because the trestle board can be found on the website and emailed directly to the Brother, the paper versions are not needed in many cases. Welcome Lodge does recognize; however, that there are brethren who do not have internet or email capabilities. If you know one of those Brothers, please have them call us at the Lodge and leave a message (along with an updated mailing address) that they would like to continue receiving the paper trestle board in the mail.

Beginning in the August/September time frame, a card will go out with the Dues Notices, in which we will ask each brother to annotate their preferred method of receiving the trestle board and we'll also ask them to update their contact information. Please make an effort to get this information back to the lodge in a timely fashion. Thank you.

# *Welcome Lodge Calendar of Events*

## *September 2014*

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	<b>1</b> Labor Day Jobs Daughters Meeting 7 PM	<b>2</b> LMTA Meeting 6:30 PM Lucerne Lake CH.13 6:30 PM	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b> WL 255 Stated Meeting Dinner 6:30 PM Meeting 7:30 PM	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b> DeMolay International Installation of Officers 8AM – 6PM
<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> Kings County Board Of Realtors 9 – 10 AM Lucerne Lake, Ch. 13 Installation of Officers 7 PM	<b>10</b> DeMolay International Meeting 7 PM	<b>11</b> WL 255, Special Meeting, Double 1 <sup>st</sup> Degree Dinner 6:15 PM Meeting 7:15 PM	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>
<b>14</b>	<b>15</b> Jobs Daughters Meeting 7 PM	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b> School Of Instruction WL 255 Host Dinner 6:30 PM Meeting 7:30 PM	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b> Rental
<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> Lucerne Lake CH. 13 7 PM	<b>24</b> DeMolay International Meeting 7 PM	<b>25</b> WL 255, Special Meeting, Double 1 <sup>st</sup> Degree Dinner 6:15 PM Meeting 7:15 PM	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b> Jobs Daughters Breakfast Fundraiser
<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b> LMTA Meeting 6:30 PM				

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**A REQUEST TO THE FAMILY OF THE ADDRESSEE**

Please notify the Lodge if our Brother is hospitalized, in a nursing home, incapacitated in any way or if he passed away. Thank you in advance.