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A.D. 2005

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**Appointed Officers**

Senior Deacon – Richard Nieman  
Junior Deacon – Oscar Murillo  
Chaplain – Rick Reichert, PM  
Senior Steward – Robert Casto  
Junior Steward – Eric Anderson  
Tyler – Herb Merrick PM

**Committees**

**Masonic Education**

Herb Merrick\*  
Eric Anderson  
Robert Casto  
Bob Johnston\*\*  
Frank Glover\*\*  
Mike Tavares\*\*

**Finance Committee**

Mike Tavares\*  
Joe Madenjian  
Fred Hope

**Charity**

Trey Brown\*  
Ernie Liverman  
Jim Howard

**Membership**

Oscar Murillo\*  
Jim Howard  
Tom Dials  
Trey Brown

**Masonic Foundation**

Bobby Brice\*  
Larry Costa  
Ron Pfeifer

**Masonic Home**

Ernie Liverman\*  
Mark Hovatter

**Calling Committee**

Trey Brown\*  
Gene Middleton  
Mike Tavares  
Herb Merrick  
Joe Madenjian  
Bobby Brice

**Fund Raising**

Ernie Liverman\*  
Rick Reichert  
Herb Merrick  
Richard Nieman  
Trey Brown

**Public Schools and Youth**

Richard Nieman\*  
Bobby Brice  
Eric Anderson

**Living Past Masters**

Robert Jones 1954  
Steve Phillips 1962  
Alphus Clark 1963  
Frank Vellella 1966  
Kenneth Law 1967  
Klemens Nelson 1970  
Eugene Fluke 1973  
Royal Brown 1976  
Julian McWherter 1977

Benjamin Clark 1977  
Robert Chula 1979  
Joseph Goldman 1979  
Fred Hope 1983-1984  
Frank Glover 1985  
Robert Johnston 1986  
Frank Glover 1988  
Robert Johnston 1990  
Matt Vlademar 1991

Bill McAfee 1992  
Robert Johnston 1993  
John Crary 1996  
Kyle Steuven 1997  
Arvid Bergman 1998-99  
Tom Dials 2000  
Mike Patterson 2001  
Mike Tavares 2002  
Rick Reichert 2003  
Herbert Merrick 2004



Maj. Gen. Winfield Scott Hancock

**Hancock Lodge  
No. 311  
Grand Lodge of  
Ancient Free & Accepted  
Masons of Kansas**

P.O. Box 3408  
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Boughton Memorial Hall

*Meets the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays  
Except July and August  
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**December 2005**





\* Indicates chairman of committee  
\*\* Proficiency card committee


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311 Kearny Ave.  
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program for directions  
Or use our web site:  
[signaleer.com/Hancock](http://signaleer.com/Hancock)


**Fraternal Greetings to You Brethren**

 **From the East** I want to thank every member of Hancock Lodge for allowing me to serve as Worshipful Master this year. I may not always done the ritual exactly right or had a clue as to what to do next, I don't think I ever got all the way through the opening and closing without forgetting something, but you were always there for me. I will get to look back at my time as the Master and know that the fraternity has 14 new entered apprentices, 10 more fellow crafts and 10 new Master Masons. I want to thank all who stepped up and did the degree work, especially the past masters. This year we also participated in the American Heart Walk and the Cancer Relay for Life raising over a thousand dollars for these organizations. The high point of the year for me as well as many of you was the visit of the Grand Master of Masons. Reflecting on my year as master I think of all the hard work put in by so many and I wan to thank all. I hope every one will support our new master with the enthusiasm you did for me. Note: Please submit meeting agenda items to the Worshipful Master at least 48 hours prior to the meeting. This will ensure lodge business goes as quick as possible. Thanks.

 **Tidings form the West** I ask that each of you seriously consider taking a place on a committee, or an office (especially the appointed offices) for the upcoming year. Remember about he who best works and agrees. Also if you have ideas for the upcoming year now is the time to share them. As we start to plan for next year we need ideas of what everyone would like do. Either call me at home (913) 682-7858, or my Cell (913) 240-3891. You can also email me at ELIVERMAN@kc.rr.com

 **Greeting from the South:** It has been a enjoyable year with all the new Brothers being raised. Thanks to the Brothers that have sat in the Stewarts positions, it is always a pleasure to have them get involved. The Lodge is built on growth and stability and the only we can achieve this is by applying ourselves in participating in the ceremonies. Thanks again for the ones that brought snacks, however I need more people to sign-up for the rest of the year. Thanks Jim H

 **From the Secretary's Desk** 2006 dues are due by our annual communications on 6 December 2005. If you have not paid your 2006 dues by 31 December 2005, you are delinquent IAW the Kansas Laws of Masonry. Our annual dues are still only \$55 for our regular members, \$17 for our per capita life members, and \$0 for our life members. Our lawyers make us say this. Whenever, you have an EMAIL or mailing address change, it is imperative that you notify your Secretary at HYPERLINK "<mailto:hancocklodge311@yahoo.com>" [hancocklodge311@yahoo.com](mailto:hancocklodge311@yahoo.com) or Hancock Lodge No. 311, PO Box 3408, Fort Leavenworth, KS 66027-3408, because I have no easy way of tracking you down. Our Lodge address is on your dues card so you always know where to reach us. Please visit our website at [www.signaleer.com/hancock](http://www.signaleer.com/hancock) often to stay abreast of what is happening in your Lodge.

 St. John Apostle and Evangelist is called the Apostle of Charity, a virtue he had learned from his Divine Master, and which he constantly inculcated by word and example. The "beloved disciple" died at Ephesus, where a stately church was erected over his tomb. It was afterwards converted into a Mohammedan mosque. His feast day is the 27<sup>th</sup> of December.

**CHECK THE ONLINE TRESTLE BOARD FOR MESSAGES FROM TRAVELING BROTHER.**

**Work in Waiting** ►

This information is updated weekly on our web site!

Petition Read – Investigation Committee Appointed

Awaiting Entered Apprentice Degree

Mr. Kyle Harris Mr. Daniel Adams Mr. McManus Courtesy Work (GLMs)

Awaiting Fellow Craft Degree

Bro. Benny Markos Bro. Joshua Haynes Bro. Stephen Hansen  
 Bro. Jose Hernandez Bro. Adam Pearson Bro. D Thomasson Bro. John Garnsey  
 Bro. Colton Chapman Bro. Rodney Miles ACGL Courtesy Work Bro. Luther Clark  
 Bro. Hernandez Bro. Britt Cogan Bro. Daniel Davis Br.. Russel Faulk  
 Bro. Bill Cunningham Bro. Scott Carlton Bro. Ridenour (D) Bro. Josha Hoppes (C)

Awaiting Master Mason Degree

Newly Raised Master Masons:

Bro. Max Simpson Bro. Guy A. Claudy

\* Indicates proficiency proved (or imminent) and now ready for degree work.

\*\* Indicate courtesy work for another lodge.

(D) Deployed

(C) College

**Calendar of Events**

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| Stated<br>Communication<br>Annual<br>Communication | 12/1/2005  | 7:30 PM | Boughton Memorial<br>Hall |
| Stated<br>Communication                            | 12/15/2005 | 7: 30PM | Boughton Memorial<br>Hall |
| Stated<br>Communication                            | 1/5/2006   | 7: 30PM | Boughton Memorial<br>Hall |
| Stated<br>Communication                            | 1/19/2006  | 7: 30PM | Boughton Memorial<br>Hall |
| Stated<br>Communication                            | 2/2/2006   | 7: 30PM | Boughton Memorial<br>Hall |
| Stated<br>Communication                            | 2/16/2006  | 7: 30PM | Boughton Memorial<br>Hall |

Check web site for updates!

**Other Masonic Events**

St John's Day Church Service 4 December Pilgrim UCC 5<sup>th</sup> & Arch Lvnworth  
 National Sojourners 7 December  
 National Sojourners 4 January  
 Byington OES 9 December  
 Byington OES 23 December  
 Byington OES 13 January  
 Byington OES 27 January  
 Armed Forces Scottish Rite Reunion December 8,9 and 10  
 Armed Forces Scottish Rite 12 January  
 Armed Forces Scottish Rite 9 February  
 Grand Masters All the Way Class 11 February  
 Masonic Sweet Heart Dinner @ LMS February TBA  
 Next Annual Grand Communication: Salina, Kansas  
 March 17 to 18, 2006