# GOLDEN TROWEL NORWALK LODGE # 273



## Stated Meeting 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month

Dinner: 6:30 p.m. – Meeting: 7:30 p.m.

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# From the East

### Joseph Patronas Worshipful Master

Brethren and our Masonic Family,

First of all I would like to wish to all of you a good health during those difficult times.

Since our Lodge it has been closed to all Masonic activities I would like to keep you informed as much as possible.

I would also like to remind you that following local and state laws as well as recommendations and instructions from our Grand Lodge, since March 17<sup>th</sup>, **ALL** Masonic and non-Masonic activities in our Lodge are suspended until further notice.

Since we still have to pay bills, on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup>, the Officers of our Lodge have had a video conference which during that time we were able to discuss and approved to pay all our outstanding bills.

A donation of \$2000 was also approved to be given to the "Distressed Worthy Brother Relief Fund" created to help Masons who've been affected by the COVID-19.

The minutes of this and any subsequent video conference meeting will be read at our first regular Stated meeting, when everything will be back to normal.

Again, following Government and Masonic guidelines the same restrictions, applies also to the Hall Association meetings until instructed otherwise.

By the way, maintains of the Lodge continuing as needed and all bills have been paid as well.

I would like to mention and thank all the Lodge's Officers and Hall Association Members for maintaining and keeping our Lodge in top shape during these difficult times.

Our Lodge it maybe temporary's closed but our Secretary would like to remind you to taking care those outstanding member dues. Any question, suggestion or concern you may have please contact me the Wardens, Secretary, Board President and Building Manager. All contact information you can find in previous Trestleboards as well as at our website: <a href="mailto:gtn273.com">gtn273.com</a>

Even though our Lodge it's closed, I highly encourage those Brethren who are working on their proficiency to contact us and each other over video conference. Zoom and other free applications are working great.

Our Sr. Warden, Worshipful Patton, Brother Bulanek, and I are available. Please contact us so we can make arrangement to have a video conference to practice for your proficiency.

A reminder to all of our Officers. A video conference via "Zoom" has been scheduled for Thursday, May 7<sup>th</sup>, at 7pm, sharp to contact our monthly Stated meeting.

Meeting ID: 748 876 6741

Pass: 135679

You can be connected using a computer, laptop, pad or a smart phone.

Just download and install the free application on your device. Any Mason, please feel free to connect. Due to limited time, please be connected at 7pm, sharp.

Thank you.

Sincerely and Fraternally

Joseph Patronas, PM Worshipful Master