

# GOLDEN TROWEL NORWALK LODGE # 273



**Stated Meeting 2nd Thursday of each month**

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

**Golden Trowel Norwalk Lodge No.273**

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# GOLD TROWEL NORWALK OFFICERS



Mark F. Patton, PM - **Worshipful Master**

- **Senior Deacon**

Joseph Patronas, PM - **Senior Warden**

- **Junior Deacon**

- **Junior Warden**

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Ben Carr - **Treasurer**

James Dawson - **Senior Steward**

William Booth, PM - **Secretary**

Arturo Marin - **Junior Steward**

Jason Tucker - **Assistant Secretary**

- **Tiler**

Ryan Reyna - **Chaplain**



# Lodge Calendar

## March

- 4 Monday** - 7pm Temple Board meeting
- 7 Thursday** - 7pm Executive meeting, followed by first-degree practice
- 10 Sunday** - Daylight Savings Time - 1hr forward
- 11 Monday** - Ramadan
- 14 Thursday** - Stated Dinner 6:30pm / Meeting 7:30pm
- 17 Sunday** - St. Patrick's Day
- 21 Thursday** - 7pm First Degree practice
- 28 Thursday** - 7pm First Degree
- 29 Friday** - Lodge First Annual Fish Fry
- 31 Sunday** - Easter

## April

- 1 Monday** - April Fools Day
- 4 Thursday** - 7pm Executive meeting, followed by first degree practice
- 11 Thursday** - Stated dinner 6:30pm / Meeting 7:30pm
- 15 Mon** - Tax Day
- 18 Thursday** - First Degree practice
- 22 Mon** - Passover & Earth Day
- 25 Thurs** - 7pm First Degree
- 27 Sat** - Ramona Pageant

**\*April subject to change**

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## Past Event Photos



### Message from our Worshipful Master - Mark F Patton

Happy March,

Just like that, we are into the third month of the year, the year seems to be moving quickly.

Congratulations to all the guys who stepped in to be officers, We are looking forward to a very busy year. This month we get to say happy St. Patrick's Day, and happy Easter as they both fall in the same month as well as Ramadan on the eyes of March.

Let us not also forget that we also have daylight savings time on March 10, We will be springing forward one hour so remember to set your clocks so that we won't be late. We will be practicing the first degree a lot and need as many brothers as possible not just the officers to help fill in so we can get these degrees going. We are hoping to have our first first degree by the last Thursday of March. Another hot topic for stated will be the raising of the dues, This will be mandatory as grand Lodge per capita has forces to raise dues.

On April 27 we will be going to the Ramona pageant which is a great outdoor play based on the natives that settle San Bernardino we will be collecting money at the March stated so please make your reservations and pay by stated as the limited seats will be filling up quickly.

The stated dinners will be cooked by brother Thomas Ocampo and myself, The money saved from the dinners will be put towards two charities, Information about them will be announced at stated. we will also be adding a collection box for anybody who wants to donate at stated, but remember, it is a donation not mandatory, dinners are still free.

I am looking forward to a fun year fill with degrees, events and fun at our stated dinners as well as other events and fundraisers.

Fraternally yours,  
Mark Patton  
Worshipful Master





## March Stated Meeting Dinner Menu

As we enter the month of March, we find ourselves blessed with the opportunity to celebrate not one, but two joyous occasions: St. Patrick's Day and Easter. In the spirit of these festive events, we have planned a series of delightful activities for you to enjoy.

First, prepare to be mesmerized by our enchanting Easter-themed centerpiece, which will surely set the mood for the season. And of course, we couldn't let St. Patrick's Day pass without a proper feast! On the menu for this special occasion, we have a mouthwatering Corn Beef and Cabbage dish with a unique twist – the irresistible Cheesy Potato Balls. Trust us, your taste buds will thank you!

Our Worshipful Patton and all the officers are eagerly awaiting your presence, as we come together to celebrate these cherished traditions in a warm and welcoming atmosphere. So mark your calendars and join us for an unforgettable evening filled with laughter, camaraderie, and delicious food!

Stay tuned for more updates and announcements, and remember to spread the word about these exciting events to your fellow brethren. We look forward to seeing you all there!

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### Golden Trowel Norwalk's First Annual Good Friday Fish Fry

Prepare yourselves for a grand evening of fun, fellowship, and fantastic food! On March 29th at 6:30 PM, we cordially invite you to attend the Golden Trowel Norwalk's First Annual Good Friday Fish Fry. This is the perfect opportunity for us to come together as brethren and families, to unwind and enjoy each other's company over a delicious fish fry.

So, mark your calendars and don't miss out on this spectacular event! Bring your loved ones and join us for an unforgettable evening filled with laughter, camaraderie, and of course, scrumptious food. Let's make this inaugural fish fry a smashing success that will be talked about for years to come!



# Living Past Masters of Golden Trowel Norwalk

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|----------------------|--|
| Alexander, David     | 1986                                     |
| Arend, James         | 2014, 2021                               |
| Bohn, Hans           | 1974                                     |
| Booth, William       | 2009                                     |
| Dawson, James        | 2021                                     |
| Easley, Ronald       | 1975                                     |
| Evans, Rick          | 1991, 2005                               |
| Gerken, Gary         | 1995                                     |
| Gillespie, H. Frank  | 2000, 1987                               |
| Grubb, Joseph Jr.    | 2015, 2016                               |
| Kirklin, Robert      | 2004, 2008                               |
| Mac Donald, Brett    | 1989, 1997                               |
| Mc Adam, Robert      | 2002, 2003                               |
| Mc Adams, Richard    | 1986                                     |
| Mc Elroy, Glenn      | 1972                                     |
| Miller, Everett      | 2006, 1999, 1991, 2003                   |
| Miller, George       | 1982                                     |
| Mitchell, Robert     | 2015, 1983                               |
| Ogden, Charles       | 2001, 2002                               |
| Patronas, Joseph     | 2016, 2019, 2018                         |
| Patton, Mark         | 2020                                     |
| Patton, Mark         | 2015, 2021, 2024, 2017                   |
| Pool, Roy            | 1973, 1999                               |
| Ricarte, Romeo       | 2001, 1989                               |
| Rodriguez, George    | 1989                                     |
| Rose, Charles        | 1990                                     |
| Sanderson, Wallace   | 1975, 1980                               |
| Sickles, Robert Jr.  | 1985                                     |
| Swanston, David III  | 1987, 1988, 2013, 2014, 2002, 2001, 1976 |
| Thompson, James      | 1984                                     |
| Tripler, William     | 1991, 1984                               |
| Watson, Carl         | 1971                                     |
| Weathers, Daryl      | 1986                                     |
| Williams, Gordon Sr. | 1985, 1969, 1987                         |
| Winford, Michael     | 2011, 1988, 2011                         |



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