

Parkside Monitor

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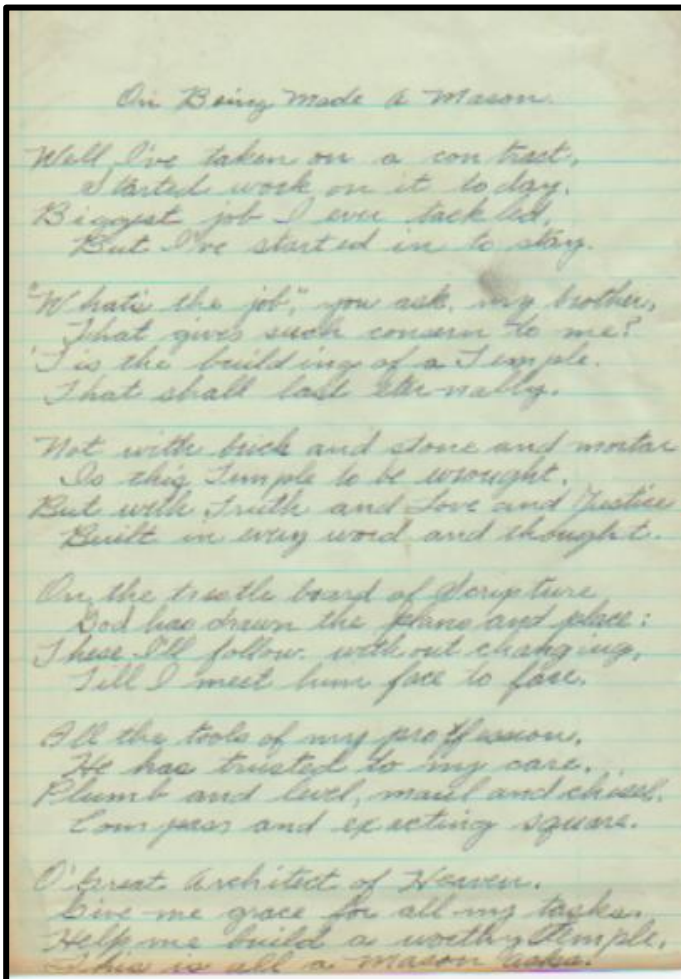
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FROM THE EAST

WM Craig Schoffstall

This Summer, the Brookside Temple Co. completed projects to update our facility. During this work, some hidden treasures were discovered. Among them is this letter by an unknown Brother titled: **On Being Made a Mason.**

I encourage you to read our Brother's poem and let its meaning echo in your heart.



On Being Made a Mason

Well, I've taken on a contract
Started work on it today.
Biggest job I ever tackled
But I've started in to stay.

"What's the job," you ask, my brother,
That gives such concern to me?
Tis the building of a temple
That shall last eternally

Not with brick and stone and mortar
Is this temple to be wrought,
But with truth and Love and Justice
Built in every word and thought.

On the Tressell board of Scripture
God has drawn the plans in place:
These I'll follow without changing,
Till I meet him face to face.

All the tools of my profession
He has trusted to my care
Plum and level, maul and chisel,
Compass and exacting square

O' Great Architect of Heaven,
Give me grace for all my tasks
Help me build a worthy temple
This is all a Mason asks.

Proverbs 19:20 - Listen to advice and accept instruction, that you may gain wisdom for the future.

Parkside Lodge Events and Announcements

Trestle Board

September 1

Stated Meeting, 7:30pm

Dinner, 6:30pm

September 15

Stated Meeting, 7:30pm

Jack Huber, II

From the Secretary

If you have a change of

- address
 - email
 - phone #

Call Secretary Jack Huber at
330-592-8879

Help keep our records current.

REMINDER

If you know where your
Lambskin Apron is kept...

...be sure your Family
knows too!



Bill Fletcher, PM

Chaplain: New Meaning

Lodge Education helps Masons learn to evaluate our thinking and improve our world perspective.

Lodge Education Programs help us fight enemies of Good Sense. Fight that enemy with this simple reading exercise.

"Laziness kills ambition
Anger kills wisdom
Fear kills dreams
Ego kills growth
Jealousy kills peace
Doubt kills confidence

Now read that right to left."

— Unknown



Enjoy the life God's given you!

Temple Updates

East & West Wallpaper Removal
Dale Drazil
216-310-4033 ddrazil@roadrunner.com

Bob's Painting and Refinishing
1661 Eastwood Drive – Brunswick, OH 44212
(330) 220-8441
20 Years Experience – Fully Insured Robert J. Hanzel



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Dale Drazil



Tim Barton, PM, Trustee & Building Manager



Bob Hanzel, Brother Barton, & Bill Hanzel

Every year, more than 3,000 visitors pass through the doors of our Temple for meetings and special events. With all this activity our Masonic Home requires ongoing care and attention. Thanks to diligent management and consistent maintenance, our Temple remains a healthy, vibrant, and welcoming place.

The Board of Trustees of the Brookside Temple Company proudly extends its heartfelt appreciation to Brother Trustee & Temple Building Manager, WB Tim Barton! For more than a decade, Tim has shown steadfast dedication and selfless service in caring for our Temple. His commitment is on display in every detail of our building and grounds.

This summer, Tim oversaw major projects including wallpaper removal and fresh painting of the connecting hallways, the vestibule, restrooms, and more. While this project provides a visible example of his work, it represents a small part of Tim's behind-the-scenes effort that ensure our Temple remains safe, clean, and inviting.

Beyond maintenance, **Tim schedules all facility rentals** and the off-schedule use of the Temple by our Tenant partners and guests. The monthly schedule is posted on the bulletin boards.

The Board is deeply grateful to WB Barton for his tireless devotion and valued service. This allows us all to enjoy a Temple we are proud to call our Masonic Home. **Thank you, Tim!**

65-Years a Mason!



Ralph F. Kaiser, PM
Temple Board President Emeritus

At the May 2025 Awards Night, Ralph with his family, received Lodge recognition for 65-Years of Masonic Service!

This Summer when the Lodge was Dark, Ralph continues to serve.

"All work is honorable" – Colin Powell

Happy Birthday, Ralph!!

Parkside Lodge - Summer Picnic

Got A Fish!



Red Solo Cup!



Browns 19
Rams 17



**Celebrate the September & October Raising Dates
for these Parkside Lodge Master Masons**

NAME			RAISED	NAME			RAISED
Horace	Judson	Cosner	1953-09-22	Ronnie	Lee	Davis	1972-10-03
Paul	Carl	Scheutzw	1959-09-24	Alvin		Silbaugh	1972-10-13
Philipp		Lenz	1966-09-30	John	Nick	Vourliotis	1974-10-25
Vincent	Joseph	Di Franco	1972-09-20	Carl	Rollie	Kilby	1977-10-01
Timothy	James	Barton	1974-09-18	Lester	Nicholas	Adams	1980-10-10
Paul	Frank	Martanovic	1986-09-26	Lonnie	Hurston	Neace	1980-10-28
David	C	Kotnik	1987-09-23	Richard	Anthony	Vacca	1981-10-29
Alfred	Carl	Novak	1988-09-22	William	Charles	Stacey	1982-10-22
Frank	Joseph	Fuseck	1989-09-23	Peter	Mclean	Lowrie	1986-10-24
William	Edward	Pugh	1999-09-28	Herbert	Cooper	James	1988-10-20
Merlin	Eugene	Williamson	2000-09-21	Richard	Allan	Pivato	1988-10-25
Charles	Robert	Kashary	2019-09-14	Lon		Carty	1988-10-27
James	Lawrence	McManus	2019-09-17	James	Avery	Wyatt	1990-10-12
George	Kenneth	Hrabak	1957-10-14	Michael		Lamb	1992-10-30
Michael	Richard	Lienerth	1961-10-11	Charles	Edward	Eppolito	2001-10-05
George	Kallil	Haddad	1961-10-26	Nicolae		Manolache	2001-10-12
Charles	Ray	Petrey	1970-10-08	James		Ploskonka	2006-10-06
Rocco	Val	Buccieri	1971-10-19	Shawn	Robert	Gilronan	2006-10-27