

Meet our newest members

Gary Voitush

Gary became a member of Harding Concordia 345 and a Master Mason during the one day class on March 20th. Gary is married to his lovely wife Amber and has newly born twins (a boy and a girl). Gary is a full-time firefighter/paramedic for the City of Parma. He has been there for 15 years. He is also the Fire Chief for the Northfield Village Fire Department. We welcome Gary on-board.

Joseph D. Zemek

Joe is the son of our Senior Stewart Brother Joe Zemek. Joe also attended the one day class on March 20th. His Dad is very proud (to say the least), not only has Joe become a Master Mason, like his father, but he is also following in his father's footsteps in his career choice. At his age of 21 Joe is a firefighter/paramedic and is currently working part-time for Northfield Village and North Randall Fire Departments while he takes civil service exams for a full-time position. Welcome little Joe.

Steve Traina

Another attendee of the one day class on March 20th, Steve has wanted to become a Mason "for quite a while". Steve was a fulltime NCAA and professional baseball umpire for over 25 years. A tragic accident (during a game) almost took Steve's life, literally when he was struck by a foul ball, in the throat, while umpiring behind home plate. He works as a replacement umpire for both minor league and major league games. He presently is "semi-retired" but still works as an evaluator and assigner for the NCAA. We also welcome Steve to our great fraternity.

Bro. Chris Condit

Resides in Old Brooklyn, Account Executive at ESPN Radio in Cleveland, is a triplet with brothers living in Ashland, OH and Raleigh NC, with an older brother in Medina OH. Enjoys spending time with friends, reading, watching and going to sporting events, and hanging out with his three year old niece and two year old nephew. Really looking forward to getting very involved in Freemasonry.

Bro. Edward W. Gaitens

Is a Chicago native who graduated from Oak Park High, Illinois School in 1961. Afterward, he joined the Navy and was assigned as a crew chief on C-119 transport aircraft. He also served as a C-130 crew chief during the Vietnam era. He enlisted in the Air Force Reserves in 1967 then cross-trained as a medic in 1970 and was eventually promoted to the rank of Master Sergeant. He served in that position until his retirement from the military in 1987. During the 70's and 80's, he worked as a computer operator, then supervisor for the Defense Contract Administrative Service Region offices in Chicago and Cleveland. He began driving a school bus in 1990. He currently works for Orange School District as a bus driver and umpires for youth and adult baseball/ softball leagues during the summer. He's a private pilot and adores the Cessna 172 series aircraft and has played the bass guitar professionally. He currently lives in Fairview Park with his wife, Kathryn, and two Siamese cats.

Bro. Eric Clink

Eric Clink was born and raised in Cleveland, Ohio. He worked in the construction industry. He worked for Republic Steel Corp. Had a serious auto accident in '81 and was disabled, went back to work at maintaining 48 townhouses and returned to disability for failing health reasons. Married 9 years to Corrine. Now retired and passionate about fishing (especially salt water) enjoys the shooting sports and currently involved as a member of Grace Church in Middleburg Ht's., working with deaf children on two mission trips.

Welcome our newest and most recent Master Mason. Brother Dave Urminski did his MM degree on Monday, May 17, 2010.

Brother Urminski is a 1982 graduate of Valley Forge High School and a 1984 graduate of Hickok Technical Institute. He has worked in the electrical field for more than twenty-five years and is currently employed as an electrician with the Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland (he has worked there for the past eight years).

Welcome to Harding – Concordia Lodge #345 Brother Urminski, we are heppy to have you as a member of our fraternity.