

The Lessons of the Degrees

4° Master Traveler Here is the introduction to Scottish Rite Masonry. This degree provides us with a preview of the moral truths we shall witness on our journey through the Scottish Rite.

6° Master of the Brazen Serpent we learn from this degree that we must have faith in ourselves, faith in each other, and faith in God.

16° Prince of Jerusalem The lesson of this degree emphasizes the importance of loyalty to our beliefs and fidelity to our obligations.

18° Knight of the Rose Croix The message of this degree reveals the new law of love. We should prepare a Temple in our heart, where God is worshiped.

23° Knight of Valor Based on the incident of "The Four Chaplains," this degree teaches us that faith in God will find expression in love for our fellow man, even to the ultimate personal sacrifice.

32° Sublime Prince of the Royal Secret As the culmination of Scottish Rite Masonry, this degree celebrates the triumph of individual integrity and our obligation to serve humanity.

Candidates at these meetings
will receive the degrees,
Fourth to the Thirty-Second inclusive.

The deadline for submitting petitions for
this Class is Friday, October 20, 2017.

The Illustrious Deputy for Massachusetts
has directed that all members be required
to show their membership cards
before entering these meetings.

ANNUAL MEETING

Wednesday, October 4, 2017
7:00 p.m.

in Doric Hall, Masonic Building, Boston

BOSTON LAFAYETTE LODGE OF PERFECTION
GILES F. YATES COUNCIL, PRINCES OF JERUSALEM
MOUNT OLIVET CHAPTER OF ROSE CROIX
MASSACHUSETTS CONSISTORY, S.:P.:R.:S.:

Business of the Annual Meeting

Reports of the
Treasurer, Secretary, Hospitaler,
Finance Committees, Boards of Trustees,
and Bylaws Committees
Election of Trustees

ALLEGIANCE

The Bodies of the Scottish Rite, sitting in the Valley of Boston, State of Massachusetts, acknowledge and yield allegiance to the Supreme Council, 33°, Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction of the United States of America, whose Grand East is in Lexington, Massachusetts, and whose Officers are:

Ill.: David A. Glatty, 33°
Sovereign Grand Commander

Ill.: Richard W. Elliot, 33°
Grand Treasurer General

Ill.: Thomas K. Sturgen, 33°
Grand Secretary General

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Ill.: Donald M. Moran, 33°, Deputy for Massachusetts

Ill.: Peter R. Smith, 33° MSA

Ill.: Robert C. Schremser, 33° MSA

ACTIVE EMERITI MEMBERS

Ill.: Winthrop L. Hall, 33°

Ill.: C. William Lakso, 33°

Ill.: Robert W. Clarke, 33°

Ill.: Ralph I. Sewall, 33°

Ill.: Robert E. Godbout, Jr., 33°

Ill.: Donald G. Hicks, Jr., 33°

DEPUTY'S REPRESENTATIVE

Ill.: George F. Hamilton, 33°

Calendar of Events

Wednesday, October 4, 2017
Valley of Boston Annual Meeting

Saturday, October 28, 2017
Fall Class, Part 1
Lodge of Perfection, Princes of Jerusalem

Saturday, November 18, 2017
Fall Class, Part 2
Rose Croix, Massachusetts Consistory

Saturday, December 2, 2017
Family Life Event
Children's Christmas Party, Boston

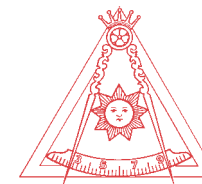
Saturday, December 16, 2017
Family Life Event
Strawberry Banke, Portsmouth N.H.

Saturday, March 24, 2018
Spring Class, Part 1
Lodge of Perfection, Princes of Jerusalem

Saturday, April 28, 2018
Spring Class, Part 2
Rose Croix, Massachusetts Consistory

Saturday, May 5, 2018
Installation of Officers
Boston Lafayette Lodge of Perfection
Giles F. Yates Council, Princes of Jerusalem
Mt. Olivet Chapter of Rose Croix
Massachusetts Consistory

Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite Valley of Boston



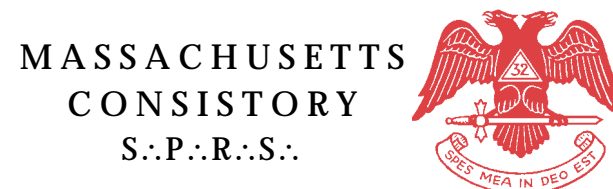
Boston Lafayette
Lodge of Perfection



Giles F. Yates Council
Princes of Jerusalem



MOUNT OLIVET
CHAPTER OF ROSE CROIX



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Notice of Meetings—Fall 2017

Ill.: Kenneth John Scott, 33°, Secretary
Masonic Building
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BOSTON LAFAYETTE
LODGE of PERFECTION



Austin R. Ryan, 32° MSA
Thrice Potent Master



Giles F. Yates Council
Princes of Jerusalem



Richard W. Esancy, 33° MSA
Sovereign Prince



Mount Olivet
Chapter
ROSE CROIX



Eugene B. Nichols, 32°
Most Wise Master



MASSACHUSETTS
CONSISTORY
S.:P.:R.:S.:, 32°



Roy J. Leone, 33°
Commander-in-Chief

REGULAR CONVOCATION
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2017
MASONIC BUILDING, BOSTON

6:30–7:45 a.m.

Registration of Candidates
First Floor Lobby

Breakfast

Grand Master's Banquet Hall, Sub-basement

7:45 a.m. Gothic Hall—7th Floor
Orientation of Candidates
and 4° video

8:30 a.m. Gothic Hall—7th Floor
Opening

Boston Lafayette Lodge of Perfection

Business of the Convocation
Presentation of 33° jewel to
Ill.: David S. Elsner, 33°

Communication of the 4° to the 14°

Work

Sixth Degree:
Master of the Brazen Serpent
exemplified under the direction of
Ill.: Jeffrey D. Christo, 33° MSA

REGULAR CONVENTION
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2017
MASONIC BUILDING, BOSTON

10:00 a.m. Gothic Hall, 7th Floor
Opening

Giles F. Yates Council,
Princes of Jerusalem

Business of the Convention
Presentation of 33° jewel to
Ill.: Richard W. Esancy, 33° MSA

Work

Sixteenth Degree:
Prince of Jerusalem
exemplified under the direction of
Bro. Sean P. Quinlan, 32°

11:30 a.m.

Buffet Luncheon

Grand Master's Banquet Hall, Sub-basement

(Breakfast and lunch
are open to all members at no charge.)

Check out the
Valley of Boston website
www.ScottishRiteBoston.org
for events, news, and photos.

REGULAR ASSEMBLY
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2017
MASONIC BUILDING, BOSTON

7:00–8:30 a.m.

Registration of Candidates
First Floor Lobby

Breakfast

Grand Master's Banquet Hall, Sub-basement

8:30 a.m. Gothic Hall, 7th Floor
Opening

Mount Olivet Chapter of Rose Croix

Business of the Assembly
Presentation of 33° jewel to
Ill.: George F. Hamilton, 33°

Work

Eighteenth Degree:
Knight of the Rose Croix
exemplified under the direction of
Ill.: Robert H. Hartley, 33°

10:00 a.m. Ionic Hall, 5th floor
Class Picture

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REGULAR RENDEZVOUS
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2017
MASONIC BUILDING, BOSTON

10:30 a.m. Gothic Hall, 7th floor
Opening

Massachusetts Consistory
Work

Thirty-Second Degree:
Sublime Prince of the Royal Secret
exemplified under the direction of
Ill.: Robert E. Godbout Jr., 33°

Reception of
Most Worshipful Paul F. Gleason
Grand Master of Masons in Massachusetts

Business of the Rendezvous
Presentation of Valley Passport Certificate to
Bro. Dennis W. Brassard, 32°
Presentation of 33° jewels to
Ill.: William R. Currier, 33° MSA
Ill.: Paul F. Gleason, 33°
Ill.: Ernest A. Pearlstein, 33° MSA
Ill.: Pacifico M. Tuason Jr., 33°

Work

Twenty-Third Degree:
Knight of Valor
exemplified under the direction of
Ill.: E. Joel Peterson, 33°

12:00 noon — **Buffet Luncheon**
Grand Master's Banquet Hall, Sub-basement