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Editor's New Year Message

Sir Knights,

I hope that you all had a happy holiday season and that many of you were able to spend quality time with family and friends over the Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays.

For many of us, it is an important opportunity to reconnect with those whom we do not spend as much time with as we might like during the rest of the year as we get caught up in our busy schedules of day to day life.

It is also a chance for many of us to slow down and recharge before returning to work and our other obligations. I found last year that simplifying my gift buying activities took a lot of stress out of the Christmas holiday and I could focus more on the real spirit of the season.

Past Master & Most Excellent Master in Fargo

On November 19th, Keystone Chapter No. 5 conferred the degrees of Past Master (Virtual) and Most Excellent Master upon Bro. Tom Jones at the Fargo Masonic Center. Seven Companions were in attendance to perform the degree work.

The Past Master degree was held in the smaller Blue Room, and the Most Excellent Master degree started in the Blue Room and then moved to the larger Gold Room for the final section. With everyone pitching in to help with setup, we were able to create a very nice

representation of the arch and Sanctum Sanctorum up on the stage.

We also had two visiting Companions from Grand Forks, Jesse Stephan and Mike Argenziano. It was really great to have them with us, and we would like to remind everyone that you are always welcome to join us in Fargo for our York Rite activities.



(Left to Right): Mark Gauslow, Jesse Stephan, Mike Argenziano, George Vettel, Tom Jones, Chris Christianson, Leo Rognlin, Travis Cuypers

Upcoming York Rite Dates

ND York Rite Grand Sessions (Fargo) – March 27-28, 2020

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