

★ **Living Past Masters of
Friendship Lodge No. 33** ★

Omar Pichette	2025
Michael Leser	2024
Allyan L. Lopes	2022 & 2023
Matthew J. Mangiacopra	2021
Ronald J. Mattson	2019
Kenneth A. Crooker	2018
Donald H. Hastie	2017
David R. Stribling	2016
Rudolph L. Cabata	2015
Jason Haberski	2014
Kyle R. Charette	2013
Gerry D. Blanchette	2011
Eric J. Charette	2009 & 2010
James Sinclair	2008
Thomas D. Accousti	2006
David R. Edman	2004
Richard W. Fetner	2003
Dennis C. Zuffalato	2002
Jullian H. Shull, Jr.	2001
Carl P. Larson	1999
Peter J. Boychuck Jr.	1997
Gary W. Arseneau	1996
Richard Arnold	1994
William Welch	1993
Robert R. Buntin	1991
Kevin J. Heckt, Esq.	1990
Mark W. Albanese	1989
James L. Bernadt	1987
Richard Burrell	1986
Conti Savatore	1985
Richard E. Frazier	1975



Masonic District 5 Information

Lodges in the 5th District & Meeting Nights

Frederick-Franklin No.14
(2nd & 4th Tuesday)
70 East Main St., Plainville

Village No. 29
(2nd & 4th Tuesday)
123 River Road, Collinsville

Valley No. 36
(1st & 3rd Monday)
991 Hopmeadow St., Simsbury

Evening Star No. 101
(2nd & 4th Monday)
22 Main St., Unionville

Hospitality No. 128
(2nd Wednesday)
Solomon Wells House, 220 Hartford Ave., Wethersfield

Sequin-Level No. 140
(1st & 3rd Thursday)
80 Walsh Ave., Newington

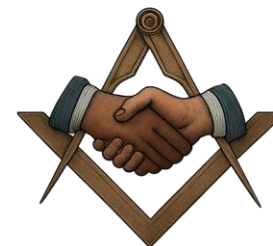
Wolcott No. 146
(2nd Thursday)
141 East St., Wolcott

Unity No. 148
(1st & 3rd Tuesday)
10 Mason Dr., New Britain

District 5 Grand Lodge Officers

RWB Matthew F. Griffin (860) 257-0705	Grand Junior Deacon m.griffin@ctfreemasons.net
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RWB Rudolph Cabata (860) 302-1161	District Deputy 5B rcabata@gmail.com
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Southington, CT A. F. & A. M

Chartered 1795, our 231st Year

2026 Trestle Board



"Celebrating 250 Years of America"

**Worshipful Master
Jacob M. Manke**

Stated Communications
First & Third Mondays
6:30 PM Dinner / 7:30 PM Lodge

76 Main Street
Southington, CT 06489

Stated Communications

Dinner 6:30 PM, Lodge 7:30 PM

Jan 5	Stated Communication Set the Craft to Work
Jan 19	DeMolay Update Brotherhood Night
Feb 2	Stated Communication
Feb 16	American Red Cross CEO Talk Brotherhood Night
Mar 2	Stated Communication MG Fran Evon, National Guard
Mar 16	Fellow Craft Degree

Special Events

Jan 29	Blue Lodge Council Friendship Lodge – Homeland Security – CISA Presentation 6:30 PM Dinner, 7:00 PM Meeting
Feb 26	Guest Night – Bring a friend to learn about Masonry & DeMolay. Dinner 6:30 PM
Mar 15	Cabata Family St. Patrick's Dinner – 4:00 PM – 7:00 PM
Mar 28	Brunch with the Bunny 11:00 AM – 3:00 PM.

Candidate Instruction Nights

Open to all Brothers

Fourth Monday of the Month 7:00 PM

Trowel Club and Temple Corp Meetings

Second Monday of the Month

6:30 PM Dinner, First Meeting at 7:30 PM

Message from the East

My Brothers,
I want to thank you all for your faith in me to elect me as the Worshipful Master for this year. Each person's Masonic journey is unique to themselves and is one that cannot be planned. Many of you know that I was raised in Somerset-St. James Lodge, Number 34 in Preston, CT.
I never expected my journey would take me to Southington and Friendship Lodge. I am thankful for this journey and the ability to lead such a great lodge filled with my Brothers and friends.
One constant is what Freemasonry teaches us, and how we apply it to our daily lives and when leading others. This year, with the Officers, I hope to bring some new ideas, and return some long-standing tradition, while respecting those who have come before us. I look forward to a great year with each of my brothers with the blessings of the Grand Architect of the Universe.
Fraternally,
WB Jake Manke

Trivia Question

In the Lodge the Worshipful Master wears a hat, why?

Answer at next meeting and next trestle board

2026 Officers

Worshipful Master	WB Jacob M. Manke Cell: (860) 908-1500
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