

# ONE HUNDRED SEVENTIETH ANNUAL COMMUNICATION



of  
the Grand Lodge of  
Ancient Free and Accepted Masons  
of Minnesota

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Brethren:

By resolution, the Corporate Trustees of the Grand Lodge A. F. & A. M. of Minnesota have set

## **Friday and Saturday, April 14th and April 15th, 2023**

for the One Hundred Seventieth Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge A. F. & A. M. of Minnesota, at The Park Event Center, Waite Park, Minnesota. Grand Lodge will open at 9:00 AM on Friday, and 8:00 AM on Saturday.

Ancient Landmark No. 20 states: "That it is the duty as well as the right of every Chartered Lodge to be represented in the Grand Lodge at its Communication." Each Lodge should send its Master, Senior Warden and Junior Warden, who are members of this Grand Lodge. There is a provision for these officers to be represented by proxy, but the representative must have attained the rank of Past Master and carry with him a written proxy from the officer he represents. A proxy must be a member of the same Lodge as the officer he represents and a Past Master of a Lodge under the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge of Minnesota. A copy of the proxy form may be obtained from your lodge dashboard in Grand View.

Upon arrival at The Park Event Center on Friday morning, each attendee will secure his credentials at the registration desk in the lobby. Please be sure to bring your 2023 dues card (or virtual dues card in Grand View), as we will be scanning them for registration.

Meaningful activities are planned, including seminars for the Masters, Wardens, Secretaries and District Representatives and other brethren; Grand Lodge Banquet; and Installation of Grand Lodge Officers.

Lodge officers are encouraged to bring their spouse/partner, who are cordially invited to attend the Grand Lodge Banquet on Friday, as well as other activities being planned for guests. An open Installation of Officers will be held on Saturday afternoon. All Masons, their families and guests are welcome to attend.

We urge you to make your reservations as soon as possible. Full reservation and hotel details are available at <https://mnfreemasons.org/ancom23>. **The deadline for registrations and room reservations is March 29<sup>th</sup>.**



Fraternal regards,

Attest: Keith W. Reiersen  
Grand Secretary

Tony R. Krall  
Grand Master