

# THE BULLETIN BOARD

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*The Staff and Board of the Masonic Service Bureau of Los Angeles wish you and yours a joyous season.*

## OUR NEXT BUREAU MEETING

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**Sunday, January 10, 2016**

**Pasadena Scottish Rite**

150 North Madison Ave.  
Continental Breakfast at 9:15 AM  
Meeting Starts at 10:00 AM

**ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**  
including Year End Reports,  
Officer Election/Installation  
and  
Introduction of New Masters

### *Please Note:*

Three Bureau Representatives should be selected by the 2016 Masters/Masters-Elect as soon as possible. They and our Bureau Past Presidents will be the voting members for the new Bureau Executive Committee at our January Meeting. We invite all the new Masters to attend and learn more about our Bureau. Also, group photos will be taken of the new Masters and posted on our website.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Plan to attend the two following special Masonic events in our area this month - - December 10<sup>th</sup>, witness a Grand Lodge Opening and Cornerstone Ceremony in Oxnard (see info in last month's Bulletin). Congratulate our new Junior Grand Warden, RW Stu Wright, at a Reception for him at Wisdom Lodge No. 202 on December 16<sup>th</sup>. Contact (818) 458-8888.

## Grand Master Goals for 2016

We Masons have always been "builders"! Today, our fraternity builds primarily in more intangible ways. Our Grand Master, *Most Worshipful David Perry*, has emphasized in his Theme this year, "Rise and Build", a renewal of the symbolic rising (to the occasion) and building valuable and meaningful ways of living with and helping others, along with improving your own life. In these ways, we truly become "Builders of Men".

He combines these goals of personal improvement with the idea of forging strong relationships with each other to expand the ability to make a difference and improve the world. As he says, "Alone, we can do a little, but together we can accomplish so much."

His special project this year is to re-focus on our existing charities and to expand this important area.

## Decorators Needed!



Following the theme of this year's event, "Find Your Adventure", our Shriners Hospitals for Children will again participate in the Tournament of Roses Parade January 1<sup>st</sup>, with a Float entitled, "Fezzy Races to Adventure". To help decorate, starting December 26<sup>th</sup>, contact by e-mail the Shrine Public Relations Office at [shclavolunteers@shrinenet.org](mailto:shclavolunteers@shrinenet.org) for further details. Signup deadline is **Dec. 20<sup>th</sup>**.

## Service Bureau Meeting Dates for 2016

**January 10**

*Annual Meeting/Elections*

**February 7**

*DGM John Heisner- Speaker Breakfast by Midnight Mission*

**March 6**

*GM Breakfast*

**May 15**

*Masonic Youth*

**September 25**

*Grand Lodge Resolutions*

**November 6**

*Clothing Drive*



## XIV WORLD CONFERENCE OF REGULAR MASONIC LODGES

*"The Chain of Union: Strengthening Fraternal Bonds in a Changing World"*

Congratulations to all those Masons of California who organized and produced an extremely successful Masonic event just concluded in San Francisco, showing the Masonic world the vitality and progressive spirit of our fraternity in California! So say Ken, Linda and Bill !



**AL MALAIKAH KIDS HOLIDAY PARTY**  
at the Shrine Auditorium

Family Event; Free and Open To All  
Saturday, Dec. 12, Noon until 3 P.M.



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