

**MANCHESTER CHAPTER NO. 53, O.E.S.
AUGUST 2019**

Dear Sisters and Brothers,

Family Fun Night BINGO was well attended by members of the area Chapters. I wish more of Manchester's members had been able to attend. You missed a great time.

District 37's Official Visit was held this past Saturday. We filled every seat in Midlothian's chapter room, plus a few extra chairs! It was a very nice meeting with lots of food and fellowship. A big THANK YOU to the Officers who attended and brought desserts. Thank you to Sister Judy Nunnally for printing the Official Visit programs and Sister Myra Conway who helped Sister Judy fold them. A special thank you to Sister Robin Stevens who worked in the kitchen and everyone who helped with the cleanup afterwards. Teamwork makes the burden much lighter.

Next on our calendar is PAINT NIGHT – August 20 @7:00 pm. This is not a Ways and Means project. The cost of \$35 covers the supplies needed for the evening. We will be painting a starfish. Please let me know by August 13th if you plan to attend so that we know how to prepare. This is open to everyone and several from area Chapters have already signed up. Please join us for a night of fun and fellowship.

Our next Stated Meeting will be Tuesday, August 27, 2019 @7:30 pm. We will be honoring our Founder, Brother Rob Morris. Please plan to attend.

Sincerely and fraternally,

Beverley C. Brooks, Worthy Matron

Ronald G. Brooks, Worthy Patron

AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

Beverley Brooks	08/01
Shirley Emerick	08/06
Dolores Headley	08/10
Ruth Covington	08/12
Lois Johnson	08/12
Wallace Hudgins	08/13
Martha Kump	08/13
Shirley Jennings	08/14
Debora Boitnott	08/15
Kathleen Jennette	08/15
Robert Bumgardner	08/18
Rebecca Parker	08/23
Anna Helms	08/28

Beginning of SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Frances Hudgins	09/03
Elizabeth Parrish	09/04
Richard Varn	09/04
Della Tabor	09/05

AUGUST CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Paint Night	8/20/19 @ 7:00 p.m.
Stated Meeting	8/27/19 @ 7:30 p.m.

Ladies, please wear the color of your choice.
Gentlemen, please wear business suits.

Refreshments will be provided by Sister Anna Helms.



SICKNESS & DISTRESS

Chair: Sister Janet Moe (804) 275-4282
Sister Beverley Brooks, WM, (804) 790-1428

- Sister Martha Kump had surgery on Wednesday, August 7th.
- Brother Mark Jones is in the Chippenham Hospital.
- Brother Wallace Hudgins has been suffering with his knee.
- Brother Rick Saunders of Midlothian Chapter is in Chippenham Hospital with congestive heart failure.
- Sister Jean Talley-Jernigan of Midlothian Chapter passed away on August 5, 2019.

Please contact Sister Janet or the Worthy Matron if you know of any illness or death.

PRAYER LIST

We have several members with ongoing health issues. Please keep them in your prayers.

Sister Karen Anthony
Brother Ron Brooks
Brother Jim Cress
Sister Carol Gray
Brother Mark Jones
Sister Martha Kump
Sister Beverly Sale
Brother Rick Saunders

If you have someone that you would like to have added to our Prayer List, please email or call the Worthy Matron: ronald.brooks2012@comcast.net or 804-790-1428.

JUST A THOUGHT

Remind yourself that you never know what someone has been through in their life, or what they're going through today. Just do your best to be kind, generous, and respectful, no matter what.

PAINT NIGHT

Tuesday, August 20, 2019

7:00 pm

Manwood Temple

Cost: \$35/person

Open to Everyone

This covers all supplies and refreshments.

Sisters Kim and Shay Wilson
will be our instructors for the evening.

We will be painting the starfish.
While he may not be as happy as the one
below, I'm sure it will be pretty.



Registration required by August 13th. Please contact the Worthy Matron if you plan to attend. We need a head count for the supplies. ronald.brooks2012@comcast.net or (804) 790-1428.