

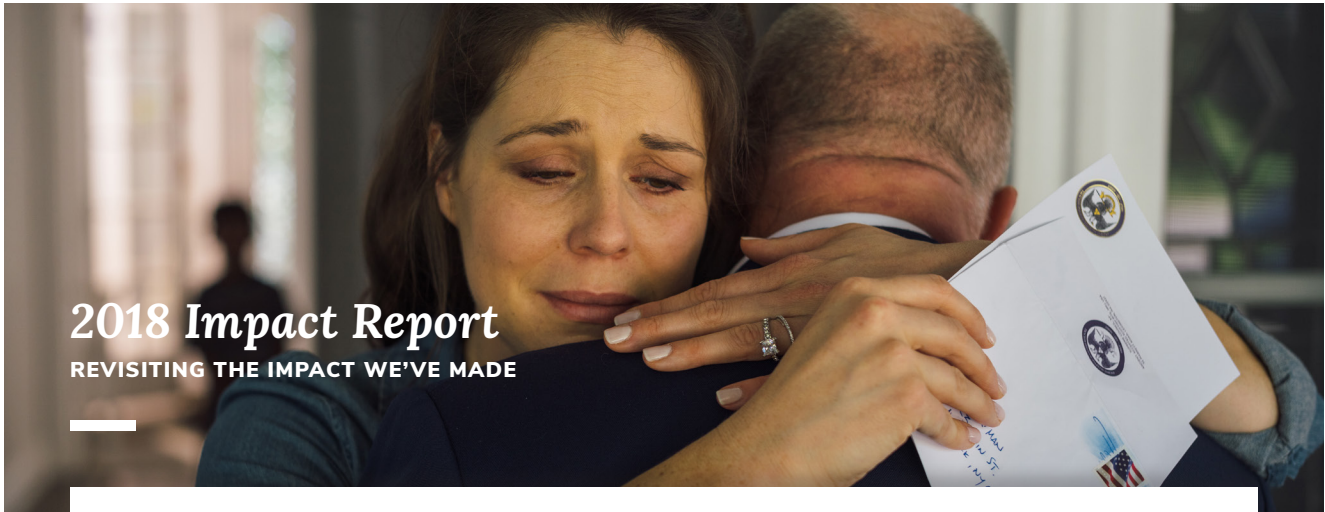
Northern Masonic Jurisdiction

SCOTTISH RITE



2018 Impact Report

A look back at the good work we've done.



2018 Impact Report

REVISITING THE IMPACT WE'VE MADE

The journey to self-improvement starts with impacting others' lives. This mantra rings truer with our Scottish Rite Charities than in nearly anything else we do in the craft. My first year as the Vice President of Charities here at the Scottish Rite, NMJ has been full of amazement, success, learning, and maybe a little imagination. We have new anthem videos, new excitement in helping Masons and their families in need, updates to our key donor programs, and more.

Last November, I was walking around the Children's Dyslexia Center in Lancaster, PA, when I came across an oak tree. This tree wasn't made of leaves and wood, but with construction paper, glue sticks, and a little creativity. Growing from the ends of the branches were faces - faces of youth that we have helped with our centers, faces of youth that are actively learning to better themselves, faces of young people YOU have impacted through your time, your talent, and your treasure.

Earlier this year, Commander Glattly and I were with some of our Brethren at a membership appreciation luncheon in Florida.

At that lunch, the Grand Master of Masons of the State of Florida got up to speak. His theme was simple - impact. With tears in his eyes, he shared how the NMJ helped impact the lives of thousands of Masons after the hurricanes.

Throughout this publication, you will see numbers, facts, and figures from our Scottish Rite Charities. Don't think of them as simply numbers on a page. Think of them as people - lives you have impacted, families you have saved, and worlds you have changed.

This is one of the first impact reports we've produced in this format. I hope that as you look through it, you feel a sense of pride at our accomplishments as Masons in the Scottish Rite, NMJ. But I also hope that it will leave you ready to roll up your sleeves and get to work impacting even more in 2019. Without your help, our journey to self-improvement gets a bit longer.



MICHAEL C. RUSSELL, CAE, MBA

Vice President of Charities
Director of Development



OUR MISSION

*WE WILL STRIVE TO
BE A FRATERNITY THAT
FULFILLS OUR MASONIC
OBLIGATION TO CARE
FOR OUR MEMBERS.*

Picture: Benny L. Grisham, Valley of Springfield receives his Commander's Circle pin from Sovereign Grand Commander David A. Glattly, Valley of Northern New Jersey in March 2018.



Lifetime Giving

“NO ONE IS USELESS IN THIS WORLD WHO LIGHTENS THE BURDENS OF ANOTHER.”

- CHARLES DICKENS

The following is a list of some of our most impactful donors who have given more than \$50,000 in total to our Charities. Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of this list. If we have made an error, please let us know.

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The Grand Almoner's Fund

LIVING OUT OUR MISSION

The Grand Almoner's Fund is a critical charity for the Scottish Rite. Its work aiding poor and distressed Masons and their families is one way the Scottish Rite is carrying out its mission statement: "We will strive to be a fraternity that fulfills our Masonic obligation to care for our members."

While Masonic charity is often global in nature with emphasis on secular world assistance, the Grand Almoner's program has a much narrower focus. It encompasses:

- All Freemasons, particularly Scottish Rite Masons within the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction.
- Immediate family members when a significant burden is placed on the Masonic Brother.
- Immediate family members of a deceased Masonic Brother.

All requests for assistance are reviewed by the state Deputy, and upon his approval, forwarded to the Grand Almoner for action. In most cases the request is handled on an expedited basis, within 24 hours of receipt.

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Brothers and Families Assisted

TOTAL GIVEN TO INDIVIDUAL ASSISTANCE:

Total disbursement (By check)	\$1,174,155.99
Total disbursement (By debit card)	\$29,000.00

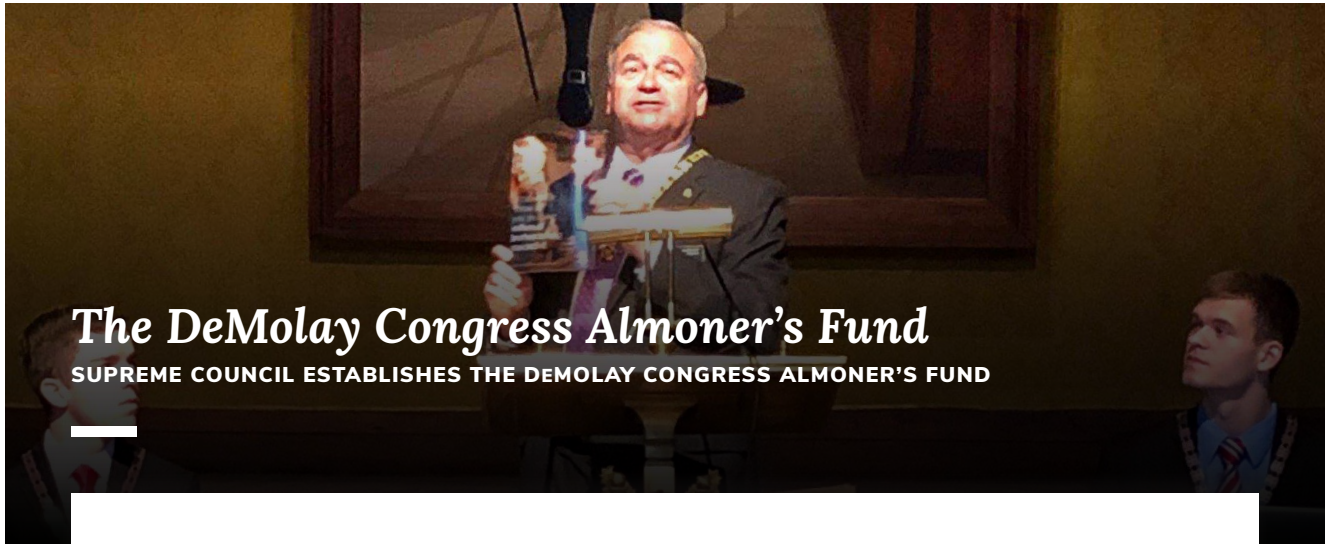
FY 2018 DISASTER RELIEF ASSISTANCE BY REGION

Texas	\$150,000	Mother Nature once again ravaged the southern regions of our country. Texas, Florida and Puerto Rico faced substantial damage, and we were instrumental in providing comfort and relief to our Masonic Brethren in those regions. Since a major disaster creates a diversity of need, assistance provided through debit card distribution is most timely and efficient.
Florida	\$150,000	
Puerto Rico	\$40,000	
U.S. Virgin Islands	\$5,000	
Total disbursement (By debit card)	\$345,000	

\$1,548,155.99

Total Grand Almoner's Fund Distribution

Fiscal Year 2018



The DeMolay Congress Almoner's Fund

SUPREME COUNCIL ESTABLISHES THE DEMOLAY CONGRESS ALMONER'S FUND

This summer at the 51st Annual DeMolay Congress in Alexandria, VA, Sovereign Grand Commander David A. Glattly announced an expansion of the Grand Almoner's Fund with the establishment of the DeMolay Congress Almoner's Fund. An initial gift of \$20,000 from Scottish Rite, NMJ kicked off the program, which is designed to provide young men in DeMolay and their families relief and assistance when they are facing hardships or times of crisis.

Said Sovereign Grand Commander Glattly, "The vision of the Scottish Rite compels us to fulfill our Masonic obligation to care for our members, and since its founding in 1919, the young men of DeMolay have been part of our fraternal family. The Grand Almoner's Fund will now assist our youngest fraternal Brothers in need – young men who commit themselves to the work of character and reverence, as they embrace a values-filled life.

"One of the themes of our Path Forward initiative," continued Commander Glattly, "is 'Whatever life throws at you, you have

millions of Brothers to help you catch it.' To us in the NMJ, that's more than just a headline. To catch a young Brother at a time when he needs it most reflects the best of who we are as Freemasons."

The DeMolay Congress Almoner's Fund will be administered by two International

**WHATEVER LIFE
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Congress officers and the DeMolay Grand Master. The International Congress Officers are young men, under age 21, who have served as representatives from their jurisdictions and now lead DeMolay International. The Grand Master, always a Master Mason, serves as the head advisor.

The Commander's Circle

SUPPORTING OUR GRAND ALMONER'S FUND

On the occasion of the 200th anniversary of Scottish Rite Freemasonry, a special honor was commissioned to recognize the most generous donors to the Grand Almoner's Fund. This Giving Society has seen impressive growth this year thanks to several new members joining its ranks.

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New Members

Of the Commander's Circle

173

Total Members

Of the Commander's Circle

COMMANDER'S COUNCIL MEMBERS BY STATE

Although the Commander's Circle is our fraternity's newest Giving Society, Brothers have heeded the challenge to care for each other. Members of our Commander's Circle hail from every state in our Jurisdiction.

Connecticut

15 Members

Delaware

6 Members

Illinois

12 Members

Indiana

13 Members

Maine

6 Members

Massachusetts

18 Members

Michigan

10 Members

New Hampshire

5 Members

New Jersey

23 Members

New York

10 Members

Ohio

21 Members

Pennsylvania

21 Members

Rhode Island

2 Members

Vermont

4 Members

Wisconsin

7 Members



Commander's Circle Donors

HEEDING THE CALL

The Commander's Circle is a special group of donors who have chosen to honor their commitment to the principles of our fraternity through their generous support of the Grand Almoner's Fund. Their passion and their giving are a true and lasting expression of "Masons Caring for Masons."

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\$10,000 Level

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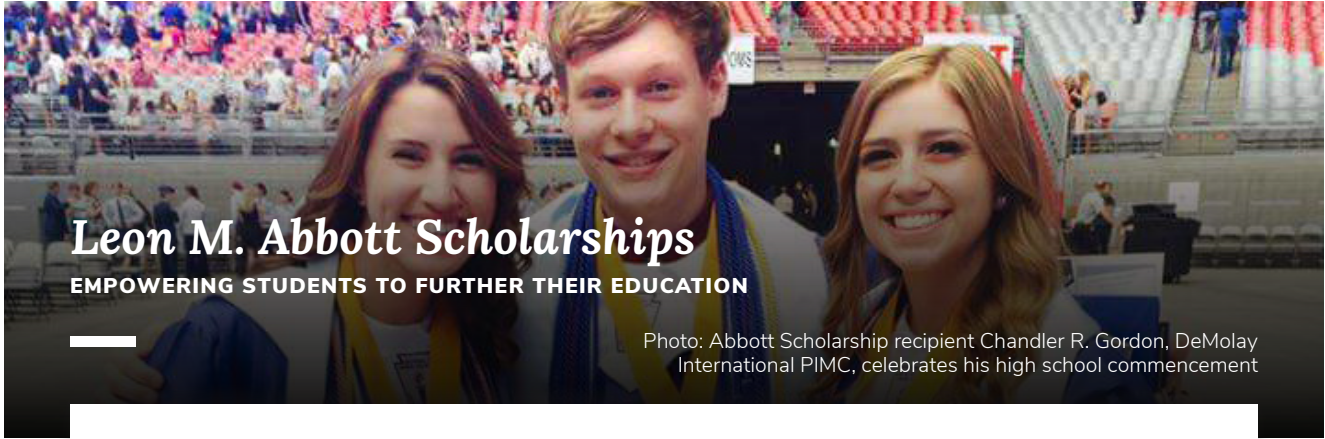
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Leon M. Abbott Scholarships

EMPOWERING STUDENTS TO FURTHER THEIR EDUCATION

Photo: Abbott Scholarship recipient Chandler R. Gordon, DeMolay International PIMC, celebrates his high school commencement

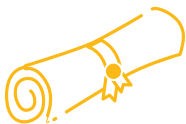
Named for Leon M. Abbott, 33rd Sovereign Grand Commander from 1921 to 1932, the Abbott Scholarship Program provides financial support for the continuing undergraduate and graduate education of Scottish Rite Masons, young men and women from Scottish Rite families, and Masonic-related youth groups.

This year, the Supreme Council expanded the eligibility criteria for Abbott Scholarship awards. Those meeting any of the following criteria are eligible to apply for the Abbott Scholarship Program:

- A Scottish Rite Mason of the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction
- A student directly related (by bloodline or by legal means) to a Scottish Rite Mason in the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction
- A Scottish Rite Mason, or a member of a youth organization sponsored by the Masonic fraternity in the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, who is:

A high school senior, currently accepted at an accredited trade school who has attained a minimum grade point average of 2.75 on a 4.0 scale.

A high school senior, or undergraduate, or graduate student currently enrolled at an accredited college or university.



To apply, applicants should print the form, available for download at ScottishRiteNMJ.org/Abbott, complete it, and mail it to the appropriate Valley secretary. Applicants should submit their applications to the Valley of the sponsor of the applicant.

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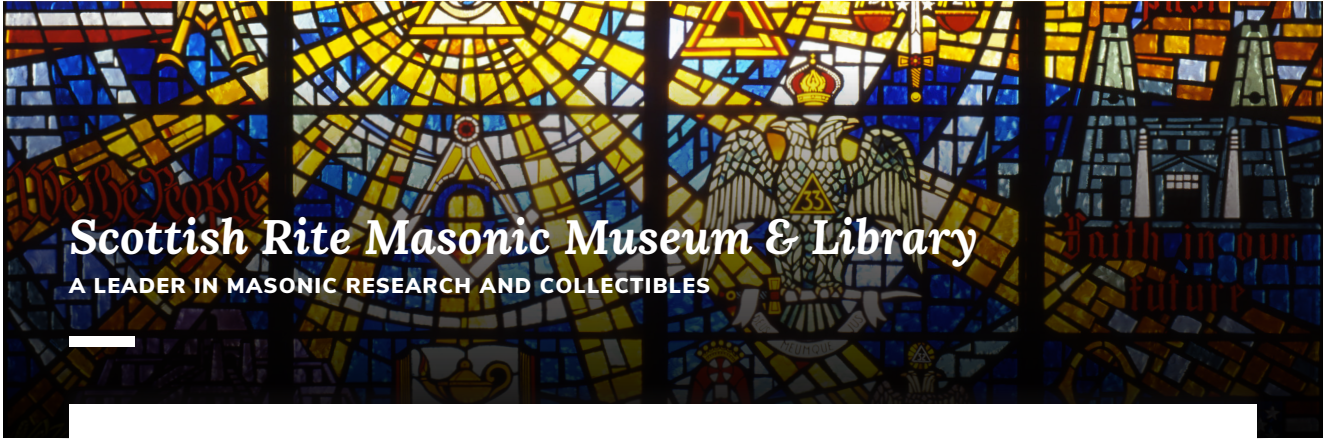
Total Scholarships

Awarded in Abbott Scholarships

\$357,990

Total Amount Distributed

in Abbott Scholarships



The Museum & Library continues to launch new exhibits to show the world our rich history. Additionally, staff members are working hard to serve our members unable to visit the museum in person by making a growing portion of our collection accessible online. Check out the searchable database at SRMML.org/collections/online-collections.

The Van Gorden-Williams Library & Archives uses the site digitalvgw.omeka.net to share a selection of its digitized collections online. Items are searchable by title, number and keyword.

FISCAL YEAR 2018 SAW PLENTY OF VIRTUAL VISITORS TO THE LIBRARY & ARCHIVES:

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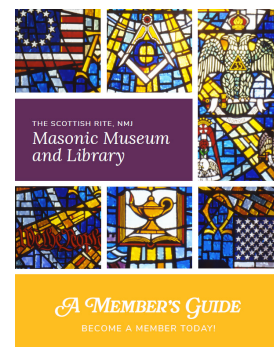
Over 900 Records
 Added to the Online Catalog
 in 2018

This year a Member’s Guide was sent to all Scottish Rite, NMJ Brothers highlighting the benefits of becoming a Scottish Rite Masonic Museum & Library member.

MEMBERS RECEIVE THE FOLLOWING BENEFITS:

- Newsletter
- Discount for Special Programs*
- Notice of Events and Programs
- NARM Membership*

**for you and one member of your household*



With a North American Reciprocal Museum (NARM) membership, you and one member of your household receive free admission to over 900 North American museums. Over 300 of these fall within the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction.

to Peter,
How lovely to receive
your special card with greetings
from the Supreme Council, 33. Your
Lodge has always been so
thoughtful and caring as members
become older.
I read your card &



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Mrs. Grand Almoner,
I want to thank
so much for helping me
my husband. Robert Odenfute
put it in the bank to
and more will take it
Robert. My husband said
we were all good people
helped everyone. God Bless
Mrs. Grand

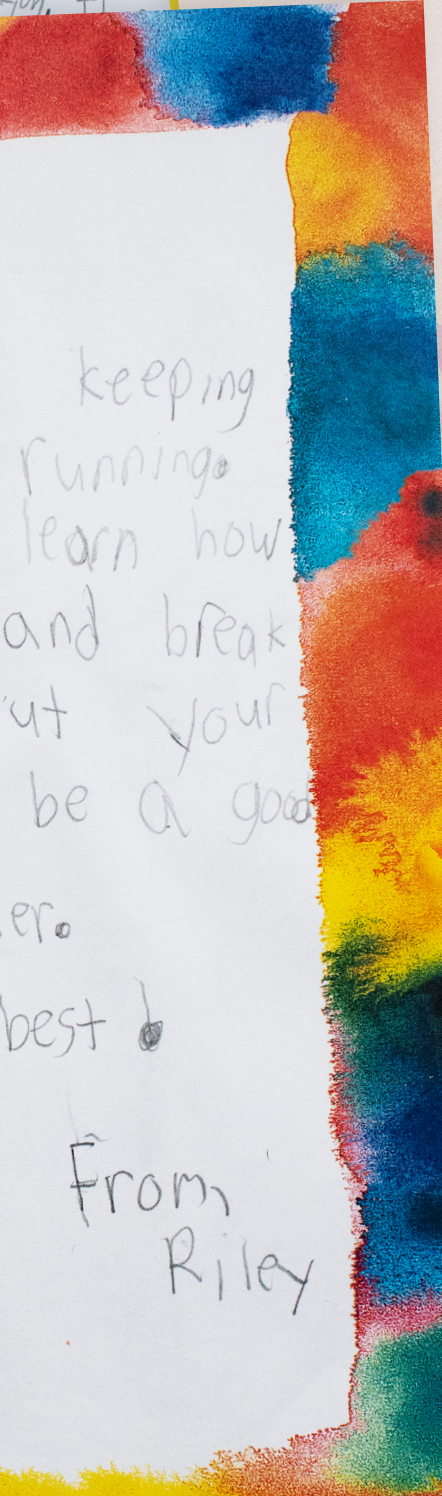
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Thank you for providing
a free way to get an education
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Thank you for
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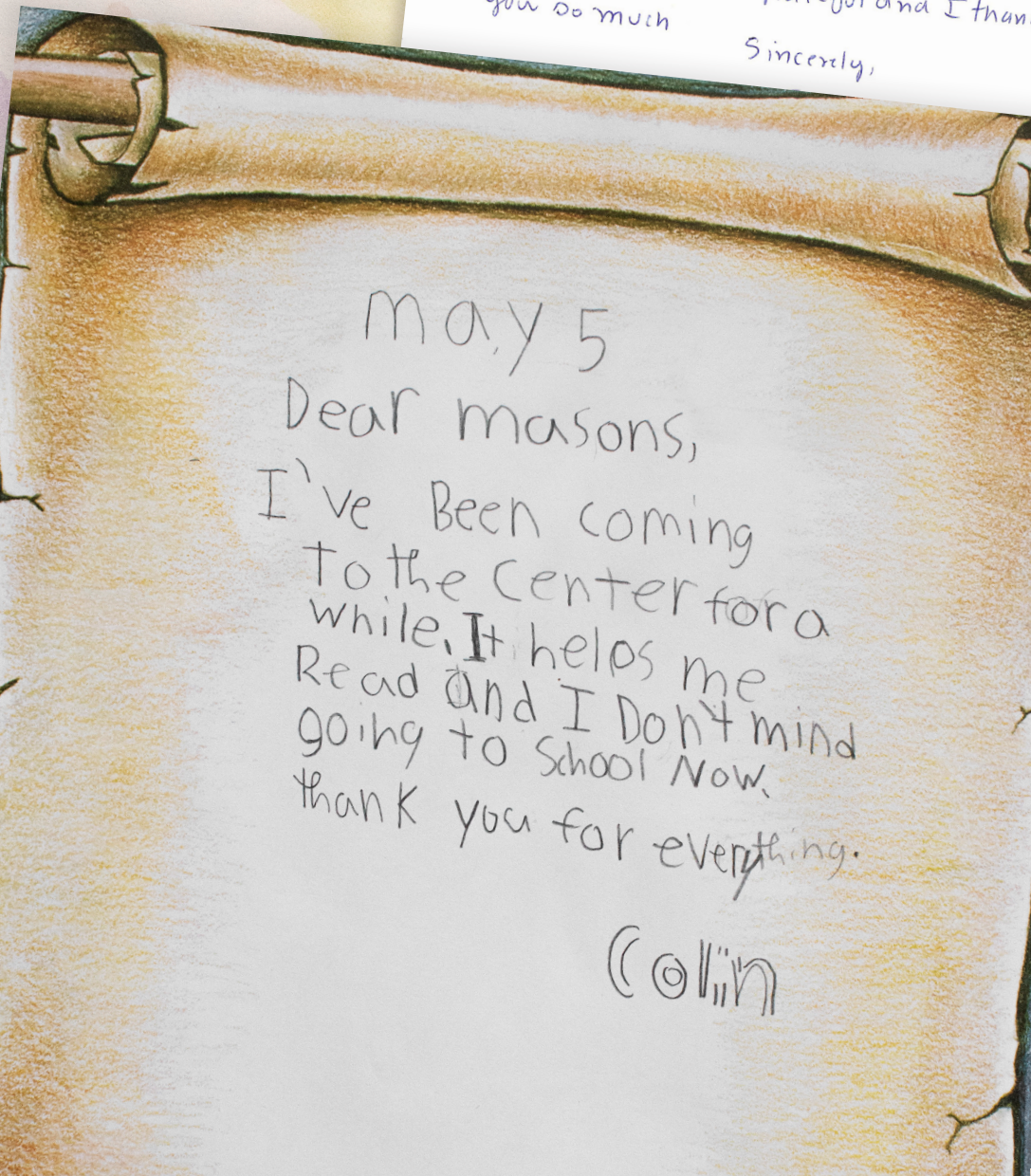
Dear Mr. Glatty,
I am just overwhelmed by your
thoughtfulness and the generosity of the S
Rite Almoner's Fund.

June 6

Demolay and masonry were a hug
of Jim's life but I never expected that his
expenses would be taken care of by his Bro

I am most grateful and I thank
you so much

Sincerely,



May 5

Dear masons,
I've been coming
to the center for a
while. It helps me
Read and I don't mind
going to school now.
Thank you for everything.

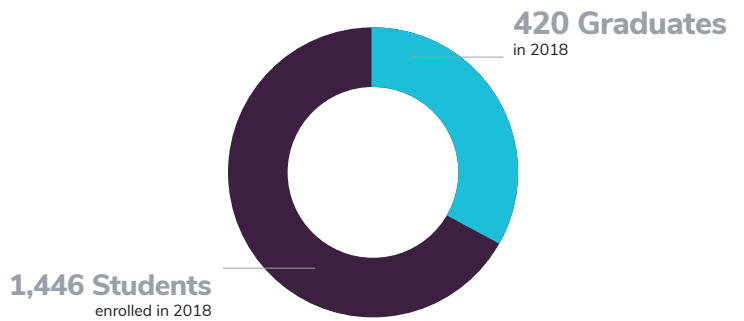
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A SCOTTISH RITE, NMJ CHARITY

Our 43 locations in 13 states have helped 1,446 children this year, with 420 students graduating from the program.



LIVES FOREVER CHANGED Since our Inception in 1994...

7,080 Graduates
since our Inception

13,353 Students
served since our Inception

In addition, our tutor training program, accredited by both the International Multisensory Structured Language Education Council and the International Dyslexia Association, provided the following certifications:



164

Initial (Teacher Level)
Certifications

60

Advanced (Advanced
Teacher Level)
Certifications

27

Therapy Level
Certifications

5

Instructor Certifications
(Initial Course)

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Instructor Certifications
(Advanced Course)

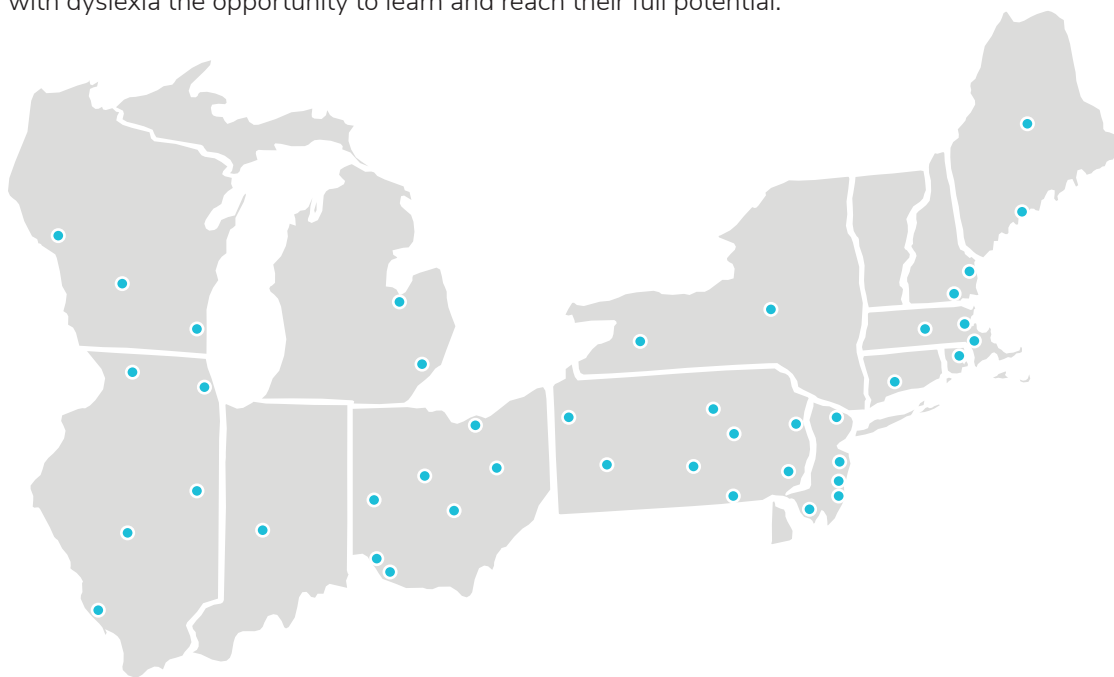
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Instructor of Therapy
Certification

We're Expanding

TO SERVE MORE CHILDREN ACROSS THE JURISDICTION

Centers in Connecticut, New Hampshire, Illinois, and Wisconsin are in the process of adding additional space or opening satellite locations to help give more children with dyslexia the opportunity to learn and reach their full potential.



Connecticut

Waterbury
Bridgeport*

Illinois

Chicago
Freeport
Danville
Springfield
Southern Illinois

Indiana

Indianapolis

Maine

Bangor
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Cambridge Cincinnati
Norwood

Pennsylvania

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Pittsburgh Harrisburg
Bloomsburg Lancaster
Reading Philadelphia

Rhode Island

Providence

Wisconsin

Eau Claire
Madison
Milwaukee

* Denotes satellite locations

By the Numbers

HELP, AID & ASSIST

The good work of our Scottish Rite Charities would not be possible without your participation and financial contributions. This year we raised more than \$7.5 million for our charities. These are numbers we can all be proud of.

\$7,583,741.99

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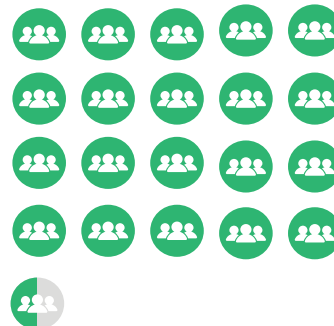
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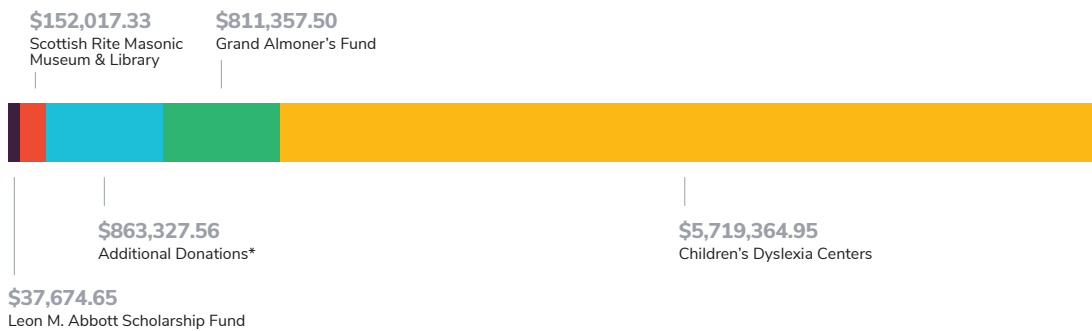
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