

# The Fuller Society Newsletter

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# Governor's Message

Greetings Fuller Society members! I hope that you are all enjoying your summer activities and that many of you are planning to attend this year's annual meeting in Pennsylvania. The details and registration form can be found in this newsletter.

I have a very special announcement! The Fuller Society will be placing a Fuller memorial gravestone in the historic Nemasket Hill Cemetery, Middleborough, MA in memory of our Fuller ancestors.

The stone will be in memory of the Fullers that came on the Mayflower as well as Edward's son, Matthew. There are no known existing gravestones for any of these Fullers. It is thought that Edward's sons, Samuel and Matthew, are buried in Barnstable, however the exact locations are unknown. A dedication ceremony for the memorial stone has been planned for 20 September 2020 at the cemetery. This ceremony will kick off our 2020 Annual Meeting which will be held in Scituate, MA.

Please consider making a donation to the John F. Hoffman Research Fund for the memorial gravestone. Be a part of the 2020 commemoration and this opportunity will honor and preserve the memory of our ancestors. You may donate on the Fuller Society website through PayPal with a credit card or include a donation with your annual dues check. Please note that your donation is for the gravestone.

The Fuller Society lapel pin commemorating the 400th anniversary of the Mayflower Voyage has arrived! There will soon be a Fuller Society member medal for sale also. If you are attending the Annual Meeting, you will receive special pricing at the meeting. Thank you to Assistant Bill Wenzel for lending his artistic talent for the design of both of these beautiful pieces!

We are still looking for additional Fuller cousins to join us on the Fuller Society 2020 UK tour next July.

Enjoy the rest of your summer!

Governor Debbie

# News from St. Mary's Redenhall

Hello Fullers,

As I compose this letter, President Trump is dining with the Queen; some people are demonstrating against his visit, while others welcome him as representing our long-term ally. No complications in the relations between Fuller descendants and Redenhall.

So what's been happening at St. Mary's? The process of making it redundant has scarcely moved at all because it is in the hands of the Bishop of Norwich and he has retired; there won't be a new Bishop until autumn. I think I told you that it would be a lengthy process, but it seems unlikely we'll get a result for at least a year. So we are going on as usual, in fact we've had a baptism and three weddings recently, one of which was a fairytale affair with the bride arriving in a horse drawn carriage, the church was full of flowers, the bells were ringing and the organ playing. Wonderful! In August we will have a service to bless the marriage of one of our young men to an American woman.

As usual Fuller descendants come from time to time; by chance Adrian met some last week but as we don't know when they are coming we rarely meet them, which we regret. Our congregations remain much the same; once a month folks from the local chapel join us for communion, which we all enjoy.

So that's where we are; we worry about the future of St. Mary's but it is out of our hands.

Very best wishes to you all,  
Adrian and Brenda

# 2019 Dues are now past due!

If you are not sure if you have paid your 2019 dues, please email Secretary Linda Hoffman at: [Lshqinter@aol.com](mailto:Lshqinter@aol.com).

Dues are still \$10.00 Send dues to:

**Linda Hoffman—42 Sugar Maple Lane  
Tinton Falls, NJ 07724**

Check payable to: The Fuller Society or pay via PayPal on our website at [www.TheFullerSociety.org](http://www.TheFullerSociety.org)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Dues: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Fuller Gravestone Donation \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Scholarship Fund Donation: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

General Donation: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

# www.TheFullerSociety.org

Have you visited the Fuller Society website yet?

The Fuller Society now accepts dues and donations online.

No checks to write or stamps to buy!

A Members Only page features Members Only information.

The sign on is the same for all members.

The password is 'Scituate'.

If you encounter any problems with the website,  
please email Debbie at: FullerSociety@aol.com

## Fuller Society Newsletter

Do you have an article you would like to submit  
for our newsletter? How are you planning to celebrate  
the 400th Anniversary of the arrival of your ancestor  
on the Mayflower?

Would you like to share a story about one of your  
Fuller ancestors or your Pilgrim experience?

Send an email to our new Editor, Libby Needham, at  
LibbyNeedham@gmail.com

### Go Green!

Are you still receiving the newsletter via US mail?  
The newsletter is more interesting in color!  
Please consider receiving future newsletters via email.

Send an email to Debbie at:  
FullerSociety@aol.com

# Annual Meeting Hotel Information

The 2019 Fuller Society Annual Meeting will be held in the Philadelphia, Pennsylvania area.

We will be based at the newly renovated Hyatt Place hotel located at 440 American Ave, King of Prussia, PA 19406.

Meeting Dates: **September 16, 17, 18 & 19, 2019**

Hotel reservations must be made by **August 1, 2019.**

To make reservations, call **484-690-3000** or use this link:

**<https://www.hyatt.com/en-US/hotel/pennsylvania/hyatt-place-philadelphia-king-of-prussia/phlzk?corp id=G-TFSG>**

2 Queen beds: \$145.00 + 10% tax & fees

Please reference Fuller Society Group Block to receive the guaranteed room rate.

**\*\* One person in your room must have membership in 'World of Hyatt' for all persons in the room to be eligible for free breakfast.** Membership is free! Please sign up online.



**FULLER SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING REGISTRATION FORM**

\***REGISTRATION:** # \_\_\_\_\_ ATTENDING, **\$25 PER PERSON**

\*REQUIRED FOR EACH ATTENDEE

**16 SEPTEMBER:** PIZZA PARTY # \_\_\_\_\_ ATTENDING, **\$20 PP**

**17 SEPTEMBER:** TOUR # \_\_\_\_\_ ATTENDING, **\$74 PP**

**18 SEPTEMBER:** TOUR # \_\_\_\_\_ ATTENDING, **\$118 PP**

TODAY'S LUNCH WILL INCLUDE A SALAD, CHOICE OF ENTRÉE AND DESSERT, FRESHLY BAKED BREADS, COFFEE AND HOT TEA. **PLEASE MAKE MEAL CHOICE BELOW:**

# \_\_\_\_\_ SALLY LUNN CHICKEN BREAST, LIGHTLY BREADED;  
SAUCE BEARNAISE

# \_\_\_\_\_ PAN SEARED BROOK TROUT, BROWN BUTTER CAPER  
SAUCE

# \_\_\_\_\_ BEEF BOURGUIGNON, BRAISED; RED WINE SAUCE;  
EGG NOODLES

**19 SEPTEMBER:** BUSINESS MEETING & LUNCHEON

# \_\_\_\_\_ ATTENDING, NO CHARGE, LUNCH IS INCLUDED IN  
THE REGISTRATION FEE

**19 SEPTEMBER** — BANQUET

# \_\_\_\_\_ ATTENDING, **\$63 PER PERSON**

**TOTAL ENCLOSED: \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**FULLER SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING REGISTRATION FORM**

NAME:

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NAME:

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ADDRESS:

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CELL PHONE#: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL:

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**MAIL YOUR RESERVATIONS BY 2 AUGUST TO:**

**Deb Yingst at PO Box 531 Boiling Springs, PA 17007**

**EMAIL: FullerSociety@aol.com**

**\*\* PLEASE CONTACT DEB ASAP IF YOU DO NOT MEET THE DEADLINE FOR SENDING YOUR RESERVATION BUT PLAN TO ATTEND THE MEETING.**

**\*\* PLEASE NOTE ANY DIETARY RESTRICTIONS IN ADVANCE**

**\*\* PLEASE MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO 'THE FULLER SOCIETY'**



# Annual Meeting Information

**Monday, 16 September**—5:30 pm—Welcome meeting and pizza party at the Hyatt Place Hotel, King of Prussia.

**Tuesday, 17 September** —Beginning at 8:15 am – Shuttle to the Valley Forge National Park using the hotel shuttle for a guided bus tour.

9:00 – 11:30 am, lunch on your own around Fairmount Ave in Philadelphia near the Eastern State Penitentiary (lunch suggestions and maps will be provided).

2:30 – 3:30 pm, guided tour of the penitentiary. Cost includes all transportation and gratuities.

**Wednesday, 18 September** —8:15 am—Depart hotel for center city Philadelphia.

9:30 – 10:30 am, Historic Philadelphia walking tour and time on your own.

12:30 pm – 2:00 pm, group lunch at City Tavern

2:30 pm, Museum of the American Revolution self-guided tour. Cost includes all transportation, lunch and gratuities.

**Thursday, 19 September** —10:00 am—Business meeting followed by buffet lunch at the hotel. Lunch is included in your registration fee.

5:00 pm – Annual banquet at the General Warren Inn – 9 Old Lancaster Rd, Malvern, PA 19355. We will carpool to the General Warren which is 11 miles from the hotel.

Dinner includes 30 minutes of light hors d'oeuvres and choice of soup or salad.

Entrée choices: Seared Scottish Salmon, Vegan Asparagus and Mushroom Risotto, Steak Frites, and Grilled Chicken Breast. Includes a dessert selection from the Pastry Chef's Dessert Menu.

Choices will be made tableside. Cost includes soft drinks, iced tea, hot tea, coffee and gratuities.

Presentation by Governor Debbie Yingst and musical entertainment by Fred Swegles and John Yingst.



You will receive special pricing on the Fuller Society 400<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Mayflower Voyage Pin, the new Fuller Society Member Medal and Fuller Society T-shirt by attending the 2019 Annual Meeting!

Looking forward to seeing you there!

**The Fuller Society**  
**~ 400th Anniversary of the Mayflower Voyage ~**  
**Lapel Pin**

Size is 1" x 1.25" The pin cost is \$20.20 plus S&H.

One pin: Pay by check \$28.20, pay via PayPal on the website \$29.35

Two Pins: Pay by check \$48.40, pay via PayPal on the website \$50.50

Please make checks payable to "The Fuller Society" and send to:

Deb Yingst  
PO Box 531  
Boiling Springs, PA 17007

The proceeds from sales will be placed in the John F. Hoffman Fund for Society educational and historical projects.

For additional pins:

Contact Deb at [FullerSociety@aol.com](mailto:FullerSociety@aol.com) for cost.



# **Welcome, New Members!**

*Help us reach our membership goal of  
400 members by 2020!*

*We now have 358 Regular and Junior members!*

**Sheridan Lucas – OR**

**Samantha Seward – IN**

**Laurie Bates – England**

**Lisa Sylvester – NH**

**Natalie de Clare – Denmark**

**Caroline Scandura – CA**

**Mary Peck – NY**

**Sharon Dold – VA**

**Joan Warner – NY**

**Robin Eisenhower – OH**

**Brooke Bero – MA**

**Cynthia Morrison – FL**

**Vikki Setty - OH**

**William Huber - OH**

**Michael Milner—TX**