



**150th. Anniversary Jewels**  
 Brethren will be aware that Lodge St. Bryde No. 579 will celebrate the 150th. Anniversary of a Charter being granted to the Lodge on 7th. February 1876.  
 A rededication ceremonial will be conducted by The Grand Lodge of Scotland on Saturday 21st. February 2026 at 1p.m.  
 A limited number of 150th. Anniversary Jewels have been struck to mark the occasion, these are priced at £20.  
**ON SALE NOW**  
**FROM THE TREASURER.**

#### Deputations 2026

**Sat. 21st. March** 579 visit Loyal Travellers Lodge 2733 Birmingham FC.  
**Tues. 24th.** March 579 visit Lodge Major Ness 948 F.C.  
**Thurs. 9th.** April 579 visit Lodge Robert Burns 440 M.M.  
**Fri. 15th.** May 579 Visit Lodge Clyde No. 408 M.M.  
**Thurs. 24th.** Sept. 579 visit Lodge Tollcross No. 1194 M.M.  
**Wed. 18th.** Nov. 579 visit Lodge Cambuslang Royal Arch No. 114 E.A.

#### Hall Lets and Social Functions **2026**

**Fri. 9th. Jan.** P.G.L. A.G.M. at 579 7.30 p.m.  
**Sat. 10th.** Lodge Bothwell Brig No. 1229 Installation at 4.15 p.m.  
**Sat. 31st.** Lodge Burns Immortal No. 1730 Installation at 3 p.m.  
**Sat. 7th. Feb.** UMBC Burns Supper.  
**Fri. 13th. Feb.** Tannochside RSC Sportsmans Dinner  
**Sat. 21st. Feb.** Lodge St. Bryde No. 579 150th. Rededication by Grand Lodge at 1 p.m.  
**Sat. 14th. Mar.** Lanarkshire Supreme Royal Arch Installation, 1 p.m.  
**Fri. 8th. May** 579 Sportsmans Dinner.  
**Sat. 16th. May.** Uddingston B.B. Centenary Dinner.  
**2027 Sat. 6th. Feb.** Lodge Livingstone No. 599 150th. Rededication by Grand Lodge at 1 p.m.

# THE RIGHT ANGLE



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**Bro. James Vasey, R.W.M.**

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# January Masonic Diary

## January 2026.

**Fri. 9th.** Provincial Grand Lodge of Lanarkshire Middle Ward A.G.M. at 579. 7.30 p.m.

**Sat. 10th.** Lodge Bothwell Brig No. 1229 Installation 4.15 p.m.

**Wed. 14th.** Lodge St. Bryde No. 579 Regular Meeting at 7.30 p.m. E.A. Degree by T. Lynch, WJW.

**Wed. 28th.** Lodge St. Bryde No. 579 Regular Meeting at 7.30 p.m. F.C. Degree by R. Parsons, WSW.

**Sat. 31st.** Lodge Burns Immortal No. 1730 Installation 3 p.m.

## February.

**Thurs. 5th.** Grand Lodge of Scotland Communication at 2 p.m.

**Fri. 6th.** Emblem Lodge, Blackpool Installation at 3 p.m.

**Mon. 9th.** Provincial Grand Lodge Annual Inspection of Books 7 p.m. Baillieston.



## Visit to Loyal Travellers Lodge No. 2733, Birmingham.

Lodge St. Bryde have been invited to visit the above Lodge on Saturday 21st. March 2026 to confer an exemplification of a F.C. Degree. If you would like to attend please put your name on the Notice Board List as soon as possible as Dispensation must be agreed prior to our visit.

As our previous visit, transport will be by car and Saturday night accommodation will be arranged.

**To allow application to be made to Provincial and Grand Lodge the list will close on 10th. December**



## Lodge St. Bryde No. 579.

### 150th. Anniversary Rededication.

The Rededication of the Lodge will be conducted by the Grand Lodge of Scotland on Saturday 21st. February 2026 at 1 p.m. We are delighted to announce that Bro. W. Ramsay McGhee will conduct the Ceremony assisted by a Deputation from Grand Lodge. This will be a tremendous occasion as Ramsay's Father and Grandfather were both

Members of Lodge St. Bryde.

Although at this time the date seems to be a distance away, there has been considerable interest in the Rededication. The Dinner is a complete sell out and the reserve ticket list has been closed.

**150th. Anniversary Jewels are now on sale from the Treasurer, priced £20.**

## Grand Lodge Carol Concert.

The Annual Carol Concert by The Glasgow Phoenix Choir on Sunday 7th. December 2025 was again very well attended. The Phoenix Choir conducted by Cameron Murdoch was in superb form. Highlight was a recital on the Grand Lodge organ by Matthew McIlree which used just about every key on the instrument !





**The  
Right Worshipful Master  
and Brethren of the Lodge  
would like to wish everyone  
a  
HAPPY NEW YEAR !**

#### **Provincial Grand Lodge Carol Service.**

The Annual Provincial Grand Lodge Carol Service was held in Trinity Parish Church, Strathaven on Sunday 14th. December. The Service was very well attended and included the heads of other Masonic Orders in Lanarkshire. Once again the Brethren responded to the Provincial Grand Masters call to bring a toy for a child and the Minister of the Church, Rev. Shaw Paterson was overwhelmed by the response. The Toy Parcels will be distributed to less fortunate children at Christmas time by the Loaves and Fishes organisation in East Kilbride.

Photo  
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Hundreds  
of  
Childrens  
Toys  
donated



## **U.M.B.C. NO. 237 Burns Supper**

**Saturday 7th. February at 6.30 p.m.  
Tickets from Tom Lynch**

## **Sportsmans Dinner**

**Tannochside R.S.C.  
Friday 13th. February 7.p.m.  
Speakers, Bill Copeland  
and Bobby Tait  
Tickets from  
Duncan Mulholland**

**Brethren who have booked a ticket for  
the 150th. Anniversary Dinner please  
pay their £20 to the Treasurer ASAP**



### Grand Lodge News.

On Thursday 18th. November 2025 MW Brother Alexander Moncrief, Grand Master Mason made the following donations to Non-Masonic Charities, Teapot Trust £2,000, Tourette Scotland £2,000, Reach £2,000, Personnel Recovery £3,000, Combat Stress £3,000, National Literacy Trust £5,000, Scottish Veterans Residences £10,000, Prostate Scotland £10,000. He thanked the Brethren of the Scottish

Craft for their generous donations which made the presentations possible.

### Provincial News.

On the same day, the Provincial Grand Secretary, Brother Bill Paton attended Robyn House and presented the Children's Hospice with a cheque for £10,000 on behalf of the Freemasons of Provincial Grand Lodge of Lanarkshire Middle Ward.



**GRAND  
LODGE  
OPEN  
DOORS  
DAY**

Grand Lodge will be holding an OPEN DOORS DAY on Saturday 28th. February 2026. If you have not had the opportunity to visit Freemasons Hall then here is a chance to do so ! All areas of Freemasons Hall will be open to the public.



### Lodge St. Bryde Christmas Draw.

The Annual Draw took place on Saturday 20th. December in the Lounge. Mrs. Liz Vasey, wife of our Right Worshipful Master made the draw, the first prize of a £200 Marks and Spencer Voucher being won by Alex Hamilton ! In all, Members donated a fantastic 37 prizes. The sum raised for Lodge Funds was £595, a great

effort. Our thanks to Duncan Mulholland who organised the draw, Norrie Telfer who worked the Bar and everyone who attended in the Lounge and made this years Draw a

**Provincial Grand Lodge of Lanarkshire Middle Ward**



## Burns Supper

Hosted in Lodge Cambuslang Royal Arch  
No.114 on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> February 2026  
at 6:30 for 7:00pm start  
Dress Lounge Suit, Collar & Tie Ticket £20



Tickets can be reserved at [gordon.mather@sky.com](mailto:gordon.mather@sky.com) or Telephone 07525 268107  
Payment preferably by bank transfer ensuring your name in the transaction please  
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