



M.W. Bro. Ramsay McGhee, Grand Master Mason announced the fantastic news that, since the start of the Pandemic Scottish Freemasons, home and abroad have contributed £1.5 million into our local communities to help those who are struggling at this difficult time. He thanked Bros.

Douglas Fergie and Jim Ellis and those who assist them in promoting the SCFS Facebook which highlights the work being done. A truly fantastic effort. **Lodge St. Bryde No. 579** received further good news at the Provincial Installation when Bro. Andrew Millar, P.G.M. announced that Bro. William Craig, Past Provincial Secretary and an Honorary Member of 579 had been recognised for his 25 years service to Provincial Grand Lodge by being appointed Honorary Depute Provincial Grand Master. He was also presented with a full set of Honorary Depute Provincial Grand Masters regalia.



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October Masonic Diary

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Fri. 1st. Provincial Grand Lodge of Lanarkshire Middle Ward. Regular Communication at New Stevenson 919 at 7.30 p.m.

Wed. 9th. Lodge St. Bryde No. 579. Annual General Meeting and Election of Office-bearers at 7.30 p.m.

Wed. 27th. Lodge St. Bryde No. 579. Regular Meeting at 7.30 p.m. Exemplification of F.C. Degree.

Thurs. 28th. The Grand Lodge of Scotland. Regular Communication. Freemasons Hall, Edinburgh, 2 p.m.

Note. Grand Office-bearers, Grand Stewards, Provincial Grand Masters and Lodge Masters are invited to attend.

Provincial Grand Lodge. At the October Communication, Provincial Grand Lodge agreed to co-opt ten Brethren who had applied to fill vacancies in Provincial Committee. Bro. Duncan Mulholland was co-opted as a Provincial Steward. The RWM and Brethren of Lodge St. Bryde would like to wish Duncan well in his new position.

Important Notice.

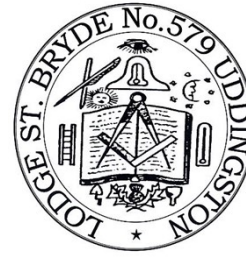
At the Grand Lodge Communication on Thursday 6th. February, 2020. The Grand Master Mason proposed that Grand Lodge Law 126 be suspended from 6th. February for one year.

This means that a Brother wishing to clear his Test Fee arrears with his Lodge (usually two years + the current year) from the 6th. February will only require to pay one year to clear his arrears.

In our Lodge this means a Fee of £35.

If a Brother of Lodge St. Bryde wishes to take up this offer and clear his arrears contact the Lodge Secretary.

Note, Due to the present circumstances this period has been extended to February 2022



Lodge St. Bryde No. 579
Installation of Office-bearers
Saturday 27th. November 2021

Lodge St. Bryde Installation of
Office-bearers will take place on the above
date at 4 p.m.

An Installation Sheet has been attached to
the Notice Board. It is important that if you wish to attend
the Installation that you append your name and also
indicate if you wish to attend the Dinner to follow.

The price of the Installation Dinner is £15.

Because of current Covid Regulations Names for
attendance will be required in advance and will not be
accepted after the cut off date.



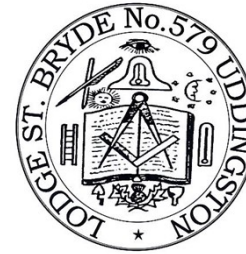
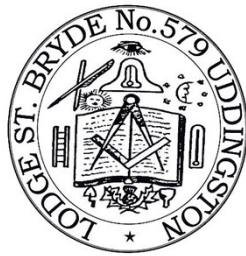
Grand Lodge of Scotland
Installation of Office-bearers
Thursday 25th. November 2021
at 2 p.m.

Unfortunately, because of Covid
Regulations the Installation will be
restricted in numbers.

Only Grand Office-bearers, Past Grand
Office-bearers, Provincial Grand Masters,
Grand Stewards and Lodge Right Worshipful Masters will
be able to attend.

Also, there will be no Festival of St. Andrew Dinner
following the Installation.

If any Brother of Lodge St. Bryde has any questions
regarding the above arrangements, please contact the
Lodge Secretary.



IMPORTANT
Lodge St. Bryde No. 579 Test Fees (£35)
and Provincial Grand Lodge Fees (£10)
Are now due for 2021
Please forward payment to the Lodge
Secretary.

Office-bearers 2021—2022

The Lodge Committee has made the following recommendations for Office-bearers for the new Session. These recommendations will come before the Lodge at the Annual General Meeting on 13th. October.

- RWM Ian Cowan
- WSW Alex Hamilton
- WJW Duncan Mulholland
- Secretary James L. Jack
- Treasurer David Shaw
- Almoner John McLean
- Director of Ceremonies Robert Abercrombie
- S.D. James Vasey
- J.D. Russell Parsons
- I.G. Andrew Jack
- Chaplain Stuart Jack
- Bible Bearer Andrew A.T. Lang
- Architect William Pollock
- Jeweller Graeme Wardrope
- Marshal Robert Edgar
- Director of Music Tom Lynch
- Organist Andrew McAlpine
- Sen. Steward Iain Charlton
- Tyler Robert Gibb
- Instruction Master Alex Hamilton

Lodge St. Bryde News.

Our Lodge received a fantastic boost prior to our start back after eighteen months of enforced inactivity. Bro. Norman Telfer, M.M. , DSM 579 received a phone call from Bro. William Perry, I.P.P.G.M. informing him that he had been awarded the Rank of Honorary Provincial Grand Architect. Bro. Norrie has worked tirelessly for his Mother Lodge for many years and has also been at the forefront of our annual Fund



Raising for cancer charities for many years. His award is the first time that a member of Lodge St. Bryde has been awarded Honorary Provincial Grand Rank. The presentation will take place on Saturday 9th. October at the home of Bro. Bill Perry.

Visit to Egerton Worsley Lodge No. 1213.

Bro. Dave Singh reported that he had attended the above Lodge in Manchester in the first week of September to support a friend who was being Initiated into the Lodge. Bro. Dave took the opportunity to pass on fraternal greetings from the Right Worshipful Master and Brethren of Lodge St. Bryde No. 579.





Grand Lodge News.

On Saturday 25th. September M.W. Bro. Ramsay McGhee, Grand Master Mason accompanied by Grand Secretary, Grand Director of Ceremonies and the Grand Wardens attended a Special Communication of Provincial Grand Lodge where R.W. Bro.

Andrew D. Millar was Installed as our new Provincial Grand Master. The

Commissioned Office-bearers were also Installed, Norman Carnegie, Depute Provincial Grand Master, Robert Ferguson, Laird MacDonald, Colin Campbell and Gordon Mather, Substitute Provincial Grand Masters, William Paton, Provincial Grand Secretary and James Vasey and Alex Hamilton Provincial Grand Chaplains. The R.W.M. and the Brethren of Lodge St. Bryde would like to extend our congratulations to the P.G.M. and his Team, especially our own two Past Masters who were Installed as Chaplains. **Grand Lodge of Kansas.** M.W. Bro. Mikel J. Stoops, Grand Master of The Grand Lodge of Kansas and a small party of Kansas Masons visited Scotland during late September. As well as taking in some of the scenery, they visited several Lodges including, St. Peters No. 331, Galston, Mother Kilwinning No. 0, Lodge St. Bryde No. 579 and Lodge Cannongate Kilwinning No. 2. They also visited The Grand Lodge of Scotland and were warmly greeted by the new Assistant Grand Secretary.



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Grand Lodge of Kansas Visit.



Bro. James Muircroft, RWM welcomes MW Bro. Mikel Stoops to



Visiting Grand Lodge



Visiting Lodge St. Peter No. 331, Galston

During his visit to Lodge St. Bryde, Bro. Mikel Stoops attended a Lodge Enquiry Committee meeting chaired by Bro. James Muircroft, RWM. It is hoped the Bro. Stoops will return to our Lodge in November when he will Affiliate to Lodge St. Bryde.