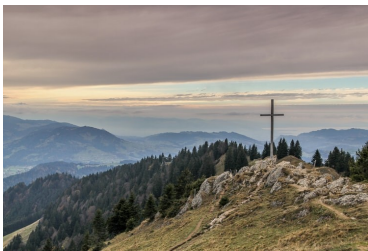




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TRINITY CHAT SPRING 2025



This might be the last time I write to you here – at least in this capacity. We're on the edge of another change as you will well aware of. By the time you read this you be welcoming and getting to know your new Interim

Minister. You may not know this, but I know Hanneke and regard her very highly. We met as I was a supervisor to her husband, Aaron (who has now completed his training to be a Minister in the Church of Scotland). Aaron and I had a great time working together and I have no doubt that you will enjoy working with Hanneke just as much. I'm delighted that she has taken on this role and believe wholeheartedly that she will guide you well over the next couple of years.

As you know I have been able to serve as Interim Moderator, first at St David's and then more recently for Knightswood Anniesland Trinity. Taken together, I have been alongside you for just over a year and have enjoyed all of this time very much. It has not always been an easy task – for any of us involved in leadership and in making decisions and in carrying the load of expectations. But I recognise the journey that you've all been on and that has helped me and I hope in turn, you. I know the pain and loss that Unions and Adjustments bring to us. And yet for all of that, I am so encouraged by all that I have seen. From far away, I wondered what I might find in meeting all of you. I came to listen, to get alongside you as individuals and to hear your story. And what I've found is a story of great resilience, purpose and honest hard work. I hear very clearly from you that there is a strong desire to be moving forward – and

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this perspective I believe is essential and commendable as you chart to the next part of the adventure to which God has called you to.

I'm hopeful that I can be a good friend to you still and that our time together will not end. It is possible that I may be able to serve Presbytery further as a part of the new set of relationships that are involved in Interim Ministry. But that is not my gift to give. We'll need to wait and see. Either way, I'm sure that we can all learn for the encouragements that Paul shared in his letters – like this one – to the church in Corinth ...

'So then, my dear friends, stand firm and steady. Keep busy always in your work for the Lord, since you know that nothing you do in the Lord's service is ever useless.'
(1 Corinthians 15: 58)



Let me share with you two formal matters that won't be new to you, but I think it is good to see in black and white. Both come from our most recent Presbytery meeting and are pertinent to you as a congregation ...

Presbytery Business Committee report:

"Note that by determination dated 19 November 2024 the General Trustees authorised the sale of Knightswood St Margaret's Church, 2000 Great Western Road, Glasgow, G13 2HA, at such price and on such other terms and conditions as may be decided by them in consultation with the Kirk Session and determined that the free proceeds of sale shall, subject to the operation of the Levy under Sections 10-17 of Schedule 3 of the General Trustees (Properties, Funds & Endowments) Act 2024, be credited to the benefit of the congregation in the Consolidated Fabric Fund."

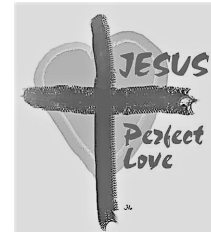
"Noting that at a congregational meeting of Knightswood Anniesland Trinity held on 11 December there voted 47 in favour and one against appointing an Interim Ministry, instruct the Clerk to intimate the vote to the Ministries Development Manager to facilitate the appointment of such a ministry."

With these two items noted, I want to wish you all of God's blessing on your ministry to the people that God has given you to serve, to walk alongside and to encourage in faith and hope.

Rev. Stuart Matthews

Hello everyone at KAT Church!

I have been asked to introduce myself a little bit through your magazine ahead of my appointment as your interim minister. My service of introduction (organised by Glasgow Presbytery) will be on the 13th of March, but I will join the interim and transition ministry team from the 3rd of March so will then begin getting to know key people in your congregation and so on.



At the time of writing (beginning of February), I am still the minister of St Machar's Ranfurly Church in Bridge of Weir, Renfrewshire. I have been here for nearly 8 years – I was ordained and inducted here in March 2017. I have loved my time here, and ministry in general. It was a long journey to get here, as I was born and grew up in the Netherlands, studied theology and trained for ministry there (now some 25 years ago!) but met my husband Aaron in Durham and left for the UK after finishing my studies in 2002. I then worked as a secondary RE teacher for a few years, we moved from England to Northern Ireland and had our family, Lukas, Lois and Tabitha. We had a business, and I also was the main carer for our young children. The call to ministry however raised its head as I was actively involved in our local Presbyterian Church of Ireland congregation. After a number of testing experiences, we decided to explore the Church of Scotland and I was admitted and placed on probation in Duns and District Parishes, in the Scottish Borders. We moved across in October 2015. And, as I have already said, I was eventually ordained into my present charge in March 2017. I have never looked back, finding great fulfilment in ministry – never mind the often challenging circumstances and wider context of the Church in a ever more secular society.

Preaching, teaching and leadership are my particular interests, as well as a creative approach to mission and outreach. I was drawn to interim ministry as I like to think people, problems and processes through and try to figure out how we can move from A to B. After I leave my current charge, the congregation will be voting on a basis of union with the other congregation in the village and so for the past 8 years I have in a sense been an 'interim minister' already. I have played an active part in helping my congregation to trust and work more closely together with the other church, build relationships and reach out together to our village in mission and outreach. It has not always been easy, for me or for them, especially as my own congregation are set to see their minister go and their building close, and I knew my tenure would come to an end, but this has given me great insight and empathy for what feelings and problems can be involved in unions between churches. However, I have also seen how congregations can grow towards each other and discover new energy and friendship together, through obedience to Jesus' call and the work of the Holy Spirit.

I very much look forward to getting to know you and hear your stories, and help you discover God's story with you and call to you for the future.

Yours in Christ,

Hanneke Marshall

(See Hanneke's picture on the back page)



Joint Session Clerk

I hope this finds you all well and surviving the wet and windy weather we have been having. How scary was the wind on Friday 24th January! Hopefully we will not experience that again for a long time and you didn't have much damage at home. My garden fence decided it had had enough of the wind and had a wee lie down!



Since the last magazine we have had our Service of Union on 21st November to complete the Trinity. This service was led by Presbytery and after the service, we all enjoyed a lovely tea together. We have had a new Interim Moderator, Stuart Matthews, who has been guiding the Kirk Session in all matters related to the Union and in discussing the way forward. We are very thankful for Stuart's wisdom, guidance and prayers during this time.

We have continued to benefit from the Reverend Martin Forrest leading us in worship each week. Someone said to me today that they always felt uplifted after one of Martin's services. We are extremely thankful for Martin's ministry. His last service with us will be on Sunday 9th March. I am sure you will agree with me that both he and his wife Janice will be missed.

Our new Interim Minister, Hanneke Marshall, will be welcomed to Knightswood Anniesland Trinity Church at a service of Introduction on Thursday 13th March and she will be leading worship from Sunday 16th March. We look forward to meeting Hanneke and getting to know her in the weeks and months to come. Exciting times ahead!

See you all soon!

Gail Grieve

Joint Session Clerk

A simple guide to Praying out loud

There are several reasons why people don't pray out loud in a group.

Some have no experience with it and this is especially true of new Christians. Some find it scary: to hear their own voices talking to the God of the universe may feel presumptuous.

Some feel intimidated: they're certain that they aren't eloquent enough to pray with those who are more experienced. This is especially true if they've been in a group where someone prayed in perfect King James English or if there are wide educational, or cultural differences in the group. Some people are just naturally shy. They not only don't pray aloud; they do everything they can to avoid speaking in a group.

Would it surprise you to hear that 10 years ago, I was in that very position; hesitant to pray out loud, or even speak out in a group, because I was worried I wouldn't use the right words and appear stupid.

But, with God's help, I have learnt that God does not care about the specific words you use when praying, but rather focuses on the sincerity and attitude of your heart; the content of your thoughts and feelings are more important than the eloquence of your words when communicating with Him.

God always hears our prayers, and he always responds to them in love – regardless of the quality or quantity of the one speaking them. He is our loving Father in Heaven, and He wants to hear from you. When you speak to God, you can speak to him just as you would to any other person. You are having a conversation with God. You do not need to use fancy words. It is more important to open your heart and not hold back. Believe He is there and listening because He is. Believe He will help you because He will.

For those not familiar with prayer meetings, while these may seem daunting if you have not participated before, they are spiritually uplifting as the prayers of the group are brought to our heavenly Father. These meetings are usually led by one of the group, and leaders have different ways of doing this, but the main purpose is to break the prayer time into short sections and guide our prayer by topics, for example: adoration,

confession and thanksgiving, our own church congregation and office bearers, our community, the wider world. These are just some of the topics that are used and the group leader will guide according to what is happening in our world and in our own congregation.

You may feel unable to pray aloud the first couple of times you attend, but just by being there you are adding your prayers to those of the group. You could even write down a short prayer beforehand to pray during the prayer time. With time you may feel more comfortable with praying out loud more frequently, but there is never any pressure to do so.

The main things to remember in a prayer meeting are:

Don't feel intimidated. Others may have been attending these meetings for a long time, and may be more eloquent, but everyone's prayers are important to God

Don't feel you have to pray in lengthy paragraphs. A simple sentence or two will tell God what is on your heart.

Once you've said all that you want to say, you can end your prayer by saying, "These things I pray in the name of Jesus Christ, Amen" Add your "Amen" to other people's prayers too to show you agree with them.

Silent prayer is just as valid as praying out loud, meaning you can participate in a prayer meeting by praying silently in your heart and mind if you choose to do so.

And remember: *"Be joyful always; pray continually; give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus."*

1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

If you want to know more about the Prayer meeting, please come and speak to me. We would love to have more of the congregation join us on a Tuesday evening.

Jan Wildy
Joint session clerk



Joint session clerk

“What’s happening?” I hear you ask. Well, as soon as I find out, I’ll let you know. I have no doubt I’ve been told many times, but fact retention is a skill I’ve yet to master. One thing soon to happen is that we will be saying 'Farewell' to Rev Martin Forrest.

I have no doubt that Martin's previous experience as a Chaplain to HM Prisons has instilled in him an ability to cope with things thrown at him at the last minute. His rapport with the kids at worship is first class and nothing seems to surprise him, or, if it does, he hides it well.

I remember well the morning one of the Session Clerks heading back to his seat after announcing the intimations, stopping half-way there and shouting out to Martin, "I was supposed to announce the Introit, wasn't I?" Martin, relaxing in his chair nodded, and said quietly, "It's OK, I'll manage." And manage he did. I'll let you guess which Session Clerk I'm talking about.

Martin's last service with us will be on Sunday, 9th March. I hope you can be there to give him a good send-off and thanks for making Sunday mornings such joyful and worshipful occasions.

Martin will be replaced on Sunday, 16th March by our soon to be introduced Interim Minister, Rev Hanneke Marshall. Hanneke’s Service of Introduction has been set by Presbytery to take place here on Thursday, 13th March, 2025 at 7pm. Again, I hope you will be able to attend the service and stay for afters in the hall.

David Adams
Joint Session Clerk

We all like a gift – right? So does your church! If you pay tax then the church can recover the tax you have already paid on the money you give in your offering, increasing its value by 25%. That means that (for example) £20 becomes £25 and £100 becomes £125 at no extra cost to you. The total amount received in Gift Aid is sent to HMRC and KAT Church receives this money every 3 months.

Many people in KAT already give by Gift Aid either through a Standing Order or Bank Transfer paid from their bank, or through the weekly freewill offering envelopes, and this is much appreciated.

Some members generously give a substantial amount to the church, but as no Gift Aid form has been filled in, the 25% can not be claimed. If you are one of those people, *please* Gift Aid it!

If you have not given by Gift Aid before but pay sufficient tax to cover your offerings amount, please see me and I will happily give you a form to fill in and sign. All that is needed is your first name and surname, address, postcode, signature and date, as the church details are already filled in.

If, however, your circumstances change, you can cancel your Gift Aid at any time by notifying me in writing.

Please consider this prayerfully. Thanks!

Fiona Hay [Gift Aid Convener]



Family and Youth Worker

Christmas was a busy time in the church for our young people and families. There were many opportunities for them to join us in worship and church activities.

We had the Youth Development Christmas Fair. It is always encouraging to see our uniform groups, their leaders and families, and Sunday Club working together to raise money for the Church Youth Development Fund and for a local charity. This year we chose the DRC (Delivering Real Change) Project which works with young people in a variety of ways in Yoker, Scotstoun and Knightswood. £1440 was raised which was divided between the two funds. Events like these give an opportunity for the young people to work with other groups and do something not just for themselves but also for others. We are thankful to the groups, families, leaders, the church congregation and wider church family for their support making this event successful.

The Christmas Carol Service, allowed us to hear the Ranger Guides playing some lovely music, listen to our young people singing, and see them assist the choir with the drums and bells. Everyone came together to share worship with the wider church family.

The Nativity Service was also a real team effort involving Rainbows, Brownies, Guides, Boys Brigade, Sunday Club, our young leaders and the congregation to bring the familiar nativity story to life. They did a wonderful job. Our narrators did particularly well, and I think we will all remember our star leading the wise men off course and then finally to the manger.

In Sunday Club we are currently exploring the Lord's prayer and its relevance for us today. We are also forward planning for Lent and Easter. Our young people are keen to learn, creative and caring. Our young leaders are busy with school exam preparations so have less time for meeting together, but they keep in touch to offer support to each other.

You will find the dates of our next Messy Church sessions in the pull-out pages with the church diary. It is always such a fun way to share the love of Jesus with others. Each session has the same basic format but has its own

unique mix of people. All ages come together to create, play, learn, chat, eat, sing and share worship. Come and join us one Friday, you will find a warm welcome and something for everyone.

As we move into Lent and prepare for Easter there are some opportunities to work with the Chaplaincy Team in Knightswood Secondary School. I always find these experiences very rewarding. The young people we work with are keen to share their ideas and opinions and ask many thought-provoking questions.

I look forward to all our Holy Week and Easter activities, events, and services. I particularly enjoy the early morning worship on Easter Sunday in Knightswood Park followed by breakfast in the St David's building. It is a lovely coming together of all generations to celebrate the resurrection of Jesus. If you have not been before I urge to come along if you can. There are more details in the pull-out pages in this magazine.

Louise Reid
Family and Youth Worker



Communications

Our Communications Team as always work hard to try to keep everyone up to date with all that is going on at the church. Whether it's in the intimations on a Sunday morning, the church magazine, website or Facebook pages, posters fliers and more. We are grateful for all the effort the team put in. If you feel you might be able to help, then please get in touch. There are many varied opportunities within the team so even if you can only offer a small amount of time, it would be appreciated. Please contact me if you would like to discuss the possibilities.

Louise Reid
Communications Team

Church Choir

The Church Choir meets on Thursday evenings at 7pm in the St. Margaret Building to practise hymns, introits, anthems and recessionals for the Sunday Services and anyone interested in joining us at this time will be made most welcome.

In January we enjoyed a post Christmas meal and social and so we not only sing but also enjoy ourselves!

We also sang at the organ recital given by Chris Nickol on 8th February and are now looking forward to the Glasgow Society of Organists and Sowne of Organe event due to take place on 1st March.

We are also preparing appropriate choral music for Lent and Easter.

You may have noticed the David Inglis and I are sharing the organ playing on Sundays which means that after 50 Years of organ playing I can now sometimes sing in the Choir!

Best wishes to you all,
Christine Furnish.



Annie's place café

Our volunteers at Annie's Place enjoy welcoming everyone on a Friday between 1pm and 3pm in the Anniesland building. There is always plenty of tea, coffee, cake, biscuits and chat. Our recent activities have included Eilidh from the Open Museum bringing some of their boxes to share with us. The latest one was from the 1950's. We enjoyed listening to some music, watching videos, reminiscing about the stars and fashions of the era. We also tested our memories with a quiz. We have our programme planned for the next few months. This includes gardening demonstrations, and the Partick Pluckers Ukulele group coming back to play for us. You can find the full programme on the church website or our fliers in the church halls. Feel free to pop in any Friday you will be made most welcome.

Louise and the Annie's Café team

Friendship Cafe

The Friendship Café continues to meet in the St. Margaret building on Tuesdays from 10-11.30am where we enjoy tea/coffee, toast, biscuits cakes and chatting.

In January we celebrated Robert Burns, our national poet, by eating oatcakes and cheese and singing Burns' songs while, in February, we enjoyed rummaging through a memory box about 'Childhood long ago' which encouraged much discussion. We also remembered St. Valentine's Day by eating chocolate hearts. In March we are hoping to celebrate Pancake Tuesday and St. Patrick's Day, while in April we shall celebrate Easter.

ALL WELCOME SO DO COME AND JOIN US.

Christine Furnish

Flower Ministry

The Kirk Session agreed at our last meeting that the Flower Ministry at Knightswood Anniesland Trinity should be revived. We believe flowers in the Sanctuary provide a friendly welcome to those coming to worship but, more importantly, a way of ensuring that the lonely, bereaved, elderly, ill and housebound members of our community know that they are remembered and still feel part of our church family. Janice Landels has agreed to head up the Flower Team and we are looking for people with artistic flair, or just a love for others, to volunteer to be part of this ministry. We will need people both to arrange and deliver flowers, so if this is something you would like to be part of, please contact either Janice Landels or myself by the 16th March.



Many thanks,
Jan Wildy

Congregational Register

Joining by certificate of transfer

Mrs Elaine Cusick - January 2025

Leaving by certificate of transfer

Mr Robert McKechnie - February 2025

Deaths - "blessed are those who mourn for they shall be comforted"

Miss Margaret Kelly - December 2024

Mrs Susan Morrison - December 2024

Mr John Deas - December 2024

Mrs Elaine Cusick - January 2025

Mrs Sadie Nimmo - February 2025

KNITTERS AND CROCHETERS - SOMETHING FOR US!!
GLASGOW CLOSE KNIT

Glasgow Close Knit is a project of the Presbytery of Glasgow with the Lodging House Mission to mark Glasgow 850.

Individuals and groups are invited to take part by knitting or crocheting blankets, or squares or sewing squares together into blankets.

Finished blankets will be displayed as pieces of art in Glasgow and surrounding areas from the middle of 2025 and thereafter will be distributed by LHM to those who need them.

In this way, in its 850 anniversary year, we mark and continue the heritage of Glasgow as a city that cares for all, supports the most vulnerable and knows all people in Glasgow and beyond are Knit Together in the love that is the gift of God to us.

Knitting Together events are being held throughout the year in St George's Tron, 163 Buchanan St, Glasgow, G1 2JX.

The next event will be in March and details will be on the Presbytery website when the date is known.

If anyone would like to get involved or find out more about the Project or the Knitting Together events please speak to me.

Christine Keith.



THANK YOU

Following the Table Top Sale in the St David's Building in November, the sum of £322.50 was sent to Christian Aid for their Gaza Appeal. I would now like to share with you the Thank You letter which has been received from Christian Aid which describes some of the ways which this money will be used to help the people impacted by the war in Gaza.

Jan Wildy

Thank you very much for supporting our Gaza Appeal. Your single donation of £322.50 on behalf of Knightswood Anniesland Trinity Church will make a real difference. Your support will help our trusted partners to provide meals, shelter, sanitation, medical relief and psychological support to women, men and children who are living through this crisis.

The war in Gaza is taking a devastating toll on the lives of innocent civilians who are witnessing death and destruction on an unimaginable scale. Lives and families are being brutally torn apart by this deadly conflict. Here, loss and trauma run deep.

But there is hope. Our partner, The Culture and Free Thought Association, has been running therapeutic art sessions with children in the region. A team member described the children who attend: 'The first look is despair and misery. The second look is hope. The third look is love of life and childhood. Please, we deserve life. We deserve better.'

Thank you for helping to protect lives and childhoods in Gaza. Thank you for believing that a brighter future is possible. United by hope, we pray peace will come.

William Bell
Head of Middle East Policy and Advocacy
Christian Aid



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You can book to go on an island adventure on the Isle of Arran in July, or sign up to one of the multi-activity holidays which take place at Kings Cross on Arran, Lendrick Muir near Kinross, Scoughall near North Berwick, Alltnacriche near Aviemore, Gowanbank near Newmilns or Whitehaugh Park near Liddesdale in the Borders. The activities on a multi-activity week include:

Gorge walking , Climbing and abseiling , Ropes courses , Zip lines , Sports and games , Swimming , Camp fires , Archery , Silent discos , Rock pooling , Escape rooms , Trampolining

All-inclusive pricing covers meals, accommodation, time to explore the bible, and the chance to make lifelong friends. Travel is arranged from convenient locations throughout Scotland including Glasgow.

Safety is a priority. "Every SU Holiday upholds exceptional standards of supervision with PVG-checked volunteers, fully qualified instructors and skilled catering teams, ensuring that young people enjoy the adventure of a lifetime in the safest of hands."

If you are interested, please speak to Louise Reid or David Inglis [Deputy Organist]. Alternatively visit suholidays.org.uk for a full list of holidays, activities and prices. A multi-activity holiday on Arran costs £339. Help with funding can be arranged by visiting suholidays.org.uk/financial help.

David Inglis

Practicing Hope – Retreat Day 22nd February

Once again, we were pleased to host a study day in the Anniesland building led by Sharon Garlough Brown, author of the popular *Sensible Shoes* book series. Women from near (across the road) and far (Swindon via Dunblane!) came along to reflect on the theme of 'Practicing Hope' in the midst of trials, loss and upheaval - especially relevant in these troubled times.

Sharon is an engaging speaker and we enjoyed and appreciated her teaching sessions along with time for reflection and prayer, individually and in small groups. It was also good to share fellowship with friends old and new over lunch. These days it can be difficult to find the time to spend a day focussing on ourselves and our faith, but it is such a worthwhile thing to do and I trust those who came along were blessed.

Eileen Ross



1st Kelvinside Rainbows

This term, our Rainbows are focusing on developing their crafting skills. We have been getting creative with hama beads, messy with mug cakes and have been busy upcycling our recycling.

We will also celebrate World Thinking Day on the 22nd of February. This special day is celebrated by ten million girls worldwide and has taken place every year since 1926. It is a day for all Guides and Girl Scouts to think of each other and celebrate our sisters around the world. We are looking forward to it!

We have lots of spaces available for new members to join us. Rainbows welcomes all girls from 4-7 to laugh, learn and have fun in a creative safe space. We meet every Monday from 6.15-7.15pm in Knightswood Anniesland Trinity Church (Anniesland building). Check out the Girlguiding UK website for more details and to register.

Claire, Natasha and Hannah



247 Boys Brigade



The boys brigade enjoyed their visit to the Mask and Puppet Theatre to see Aladdin on the Wednesday before Christmas. The pantomime cast were three people all playing several roles each. There were lots of laughter and shouts of “It’s behind you” in true pantomime tradition. The boys loved it!

Since starting back in the new year, we have learned how to make a bird feeder from a toilet roll tube, learned about Burns’ poetry and even managed some Scottish country dancing. The boys were very keen to show us the dances they had been learning in school. I have to say I was extremely impressed with their Canadian Barn Dance!

We are looking forward to lots more fun over the next few weeks and will be working towards our next badges.

Boys Brigade is open to all those in P1 to 6th Year. If you know of anyone who would like to join, please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Gail Grieve

Officer in Charge



The 207th Guide and Ranger Unit.

Our unit is essentially for girls, and young women with needs, -physical, mental, social and emotional. We meet fortnightly in St David's building, and like every other unit, follow the Guide programme although, naturally, we adapt to personal needs.

Thank you to everyone who supported, and assisted us at the “Coffee, Cake, and Carols” night in December.

The girls love company, showing off their talents, and gaining more badges!

Four hundred and fifty pounds was raised, which will go towards our programme, our church let, and our census, although parents also donate towards this.

Our programme this term, is centred around Thinking Day, and the International Day for Women.

We will celebrate on the 24th February, and 3rd March.

The programme links, into the themes of thinking of others and remembering Guiding throughout the globe!

Be Brave, Learn, and Act...the W. A.G.G.S .pack advises. And following that advice, the girls programme will feature, music, clothes (saris) make up, cooking and activities, mainly from Asia and the Pacific.

And ,,of course two badges will be awarded at the end of this event!

Janice Landels

201st Glasgow Guides

The Guides have been working on the First Aid Skills Builder and really enjoyed a visit from LUSH to make bubble bars before Christmas. They also had a visit from some scientists from the Cancer Research UK Scotland Institute and University of Glasgow to celebrate International Day of Women and Girls in Science in February. They are looking forward to celebrating Thinking Day on 22nd February and the Guide/Rangers camp in April at the Girlguiding Glasgow campsite.

Kelvinside Rangers

The Rangers unit were really lucky to receive some funding to set the unit up from Trefoil Guild, Friends of Girlguiding Scotland and the Good Guiding Fund. The Rangers have been working on their Commonwealth Award and have been enjoying volunteering as Young Leaders at Rainbows and Brownies. They also enjoyed the Science Night for International Day of Women and Girls in Science. They are looking forward to celebrating Thinking Day on 22nd February and the Guide/Rangers camp in April.





201st City of Glasgow Brownie unit,
Knightswood Anniesland Trinity Church, G13 1LE

The Tuesday Brownies have been busy this term working towards their Skills for the Future theme award. This is one of 6 theme awards the programme is based on. This theme includes loads of activities and discussion on developing leadership skills and building confidence. To finish the badge they are to work on an interest badge at home from a choice of Inventing, Jobs or Languages.

On 22nd February is Guide Thinking Day when each year we have different theme. The theme this year includes activities from the past, present and what the girls hope for in the future for Guiding. We have been doing some activities for it including looking at our values both as individuals and as a group.

The Girls made 3D World badges last week which was a great success, and we explained what each part of the badge means.

Lesley Murray
Brown owl

Table Top Sale

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201st Glasgow Brownie and Guide units

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on Saturday 29th March 2025

from 2pm to 4pm

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We will also have some guess the answer games
so bring some change.

**Tickets available at the door
or from the Leaders for only £3.**

This is to raise funds for a weekend to PGL in August
and the Guides international trip in Summer 26.

Please come and support us.



Our new interim minister
Hanneke Marshall

Read her introduction on
page 3 and 4.

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