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Welcome

As nature awakens to summer's promise, we reflect on how growth often emerges through challenge. We extend our warmest welcome to all members and fellow Orders, celebrating our shared journey of service and fellowship.

Investiture Weekend Highlights Our recent gathering in Stockport proved remarkably successful:

- Formal Investiture Ceremony, masterfully conducted by Chaplain Anthony
- Community homeless outreach initiative
- A sleep out in aid of the homeless
- Mental well being walk performed
- Whit walk attendance and networking.







It was a good moment to see months of planning pay off and the Order in action in the community. This will grow over time as activities both active and planned for other parts of the country start to fall into place, the advantage being once the event has been done this leaves valuable experience and insight to perform another. Work on Woodbank Hall and St George's Church continue.



Knights Templar of Scotland Update *Rosyth Gala Participation*

- Veterans Section
- Templar Tots initiative
- Charitable works showcase
- Community engagement tombola

An excellent day of showcasing and engaging the superb work of the Knight Templar of Scotland was performed at Rosyth Gala, many people were spoken to and the excellent work performed by this charity was added to.



Upcoming Investiture

Location: Scotland Details pending - further information to be announced

Moving Forward Together As we reflect on our recent accomplishments, we are reminded that every step forward, no matter how small, contributes to our larger mission. Our Order's strength lies not just in our individual actions, but in our collective persistence and dedication. Through consistent effort and unwavering commitment, we continue to make meaningful differences in our communities.

Remember, the most significant achievements in history were built NOT on singular grand gestures, but on the foundation of persistent, dedicated service. Together, we persist in our noble cause, knowing that each day brings us closer to our goals of service, fellowship, and positive change.

"In the realm of service, persistence is not just a virtue - it is the key to lasting impact."

In gratitude always.

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