



***K*night*s of Saint M*ary *of B*ethlehem**

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Overview

The tragic deaths of billionaires in Sicily underscore the fragility of life, regardless of wealth and societal status. We must all make the most of our time and live meaningful lives.

Developments

There have been significant developments in the past two weeks, which are very encouraging.

Order Launch

We are planning a launch meeting for the Order and the Charity on Saturday, 2nd November in Altrincham. The venue and times will be confirmed at a later date. Please save the date as we would like as many members as possible to attend.

Walk the Bridge

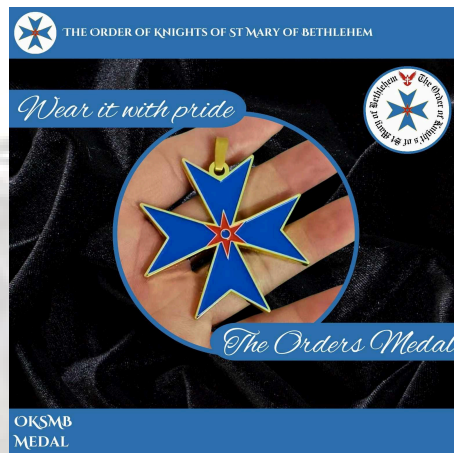
Join us for Walk the Bridge - Matlock Baths on 7th September. We will meet at Jubilee Bridge at 11.30 AM, followed by a barbecue at the Duke of Wellington pub. Matlock Baths is a beautiful town with a history of healing waters and walks, making it a great day out. This is our Order's first event and will be memorable. More events will be announced soon.



Charity Submission

Our preparations for the Charity are progressing well, with the final review of the constitution underway before submission to the Charity Commission.

The New Order's Medal



The beautifully crafted medal will be worn with pride by our esteemed members, symbolising their commitment to uplifting society and knighthood.



Order's Mantle and Tunic



The Order's Mantle and Tunic have been finalised. You can order them by filling out the form provided in the FB chat group. We have negotiated the best possible price and offer quality items. We also have some available for those who would like to borrow for the day.

Flying the Flag High



The Knights Templar Goodwill Charity of Scotland is proudly flying the Flag of the Order of the Knights of Saint Mary of Bethlehem over both units.



Avoiding Cyber-Crime

Technology offers many benefits, but it also comes with risks. An individual was recently hacked, highlighting the growing concern of cybercrime. The following link provides information on how to stay safe online. Criminals are becoming increasingly sophisticated and they are relentless, so it's important to be one step ahead.

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The momentum continues

In conclusion, I would like to again thank all our members for their contributions to the Order. Teamwork can achieve wonderful results that benefit us all and getting through the inevitable teething problems is all part and parcel of the long term goal.

Remember discomfort, if managed well, leads to progress and growth...always.

With every good wish.

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