

# Twelve Talk

12.02.10

Issue 2

## Meetings

- \* 19.01.10  
The Songs of Robert Burns
- \* 02.02.10  
No meeting – Music Festival
- \* 16.02.10  
Annual Divine Service  
Conducted by  
Bro Jack Glenny PM
- \* 02.03.10  
Entering Exemplification
- \* 16.03.10  
Passing Exemplification  
by Lodge Firth of Clyde  
Gourock No 626
- \* 06.04.10  
PGLRW Visit  
Entering
- \* 20.04.10  
Passing by Lodge Greenock  
St John's No 175



## Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> February 2010

### Annual Divine Service

Bro Jack Glenny will conduct the service in the Town Hall Saloon. Jack is a Past Master of No XII and a very skilled communicator. He has been renowned as an after dinner speaker for many years. Jack has made around 9 trips to Canada and spoken at Burns Suppers at about 16 different venues out there. He has also spoken in Kuwait (twice) and in the USA (Houston-Texas).

Since 1976 he has been speaking at Dinners all over the UK. Jack is a Past President of the Greenock Burns Club (The Mother Club) and is currently its Bard, writing poems for all the Club's major occasions.

As a Reader of The Church of Scotland, Jack has conducted services around the country, most of them within the Greenock and Paisley Presbytery but some in

Presbyteries as far apart as Ayrshire (Saltcoats and Troon) and Sutherland (Lairg). He has also participated in a service at Dunblane Cathedral.

Last year Jack was invited to address the Scottish Parliament at their "Time for Reflection" which they hold at the beginning of each new session.

Jack was Moderator of the Greenock and Paisley Presbytery in 2006.

Given all of the above the service promises to be both entertaining and spiritually uplifting

## 19<sup>th</sup> January

The photo on the right shows RWM Bro Arthur Young flanked by the RWPGMs of Renfrewshire West and Ayrshire, Bros James W Miller and Archie Chalmers, at the regular meeting on 19<sup>th</sup> January. The occasion was RWPGM Bro Miller being granted Honorary Membership of No XII. RWM Bro Arthur also delivered a fascinating lecture on the songs of Bro Robert Burns illustrated by his wonderful singing voice



Iain White PM

