

Welcome

Founded in 1446 by Sir William St Clair, Rosslyn Chapel has inspired, attracted and intrigued visitors and artists for generations. We warmly welcome visitors looking for a private visit to the Chapel, either before opening or after closing to other visitors. Enjoying exclusive access is a great way for groups, companies, families or individuals to have an even more memorable visit to this unique building.

Your Visit

Practically every stone surface inside and outside the Chapel is carved in an outstanding display of craftsmanship, including the Chapel's musical angels, Green Men and the famous Apprentice Pillar.

Typically, a private visit will last for around two hours. In spring and summer, you can enjoy looking round the outside of the Chapel, taking in the architecture and carvings; in autumn and winter, we will light up the outside of the Chapel for your visit and then light candles inside, adding to the magical atmosphere.



The illuminated Chapel makes a private visit a very special experience.



Lit by candlelight, the intricate carvings inside the Chapel are especially magical.

For group visits, our Guide will give a talk, covering some of the Chapel's long history – from its 15th century origins to the Da Vinci Code and beyond – and pointing out some of the main carvings; for individuals or families, a tour might be a better option. You can also use our carvings map, available in 14 languages, to help you find the main features.

You can finish in the Visitor Centre, trying some of the interactives and, if requested, we can open our gift shop for you to browse our selection of unique gifts and souvenirs.

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Food & Drink

Our award-winning catering partners, Saltire Hospitality, can enhance your private visit with a great selection of food and drinks. If it's an early start, you might look for coffee and a tasty bacon roll or, for an evening visit, a glass of wine or champagne could accompany a selection of delicious canapes, stylish bowl food or something more substantial subject to minimum numbers. You might choose to have dinner in the visitor centre or, for larger groups, a free range Scottish Hog Roast served with crackling, sage and onion stuffing, apple sauce and a freshly baked Brioche roll makes for an unforgettable evening!



We can tailor our award-wining catering to your specific requirements, from breakfast brunches to informal dinners.

Added extras

From a welcoming piper to a whisky tasting, or some music to accompany your visit, please let us know how we can make your private visit even more special.



We are happy to cater for a range of events, both corporate and private.



For evening visits, we can supply a selection of delicious hot and cold canapés.

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An accessible visit

Rosslyn Chapel is a 15th century building and its historic nature means that several areas are not fully accessible. Please refer to the access guide on our website – www.rosslynchapel.com/visit/access - for information about accessibility in the Chapel and visitor centre.

A great value visit

A private visit can be enjoyed by groups, families or individuals and there is no minimum number needed to make a booking. Pricing is based on the number attending with a fixed price for 12 guests or under and a price per person for 13 or more. Payment is usually required before your visit and remember that, as Rosslyn Chapel Trust is a recognised charity, every visit supports our work to look after the Chapel for future generations to appreciate.

Get in touch

Please get in touch to discuss your proposed visit, check prices or make a booking – mail@rosslynchapel.com



Rosslyn Chapel's remarkable carvings are over 550 years old. Each is unique and displays outstanding craftsmanship.



The Chapel is open all year, making your experience special whichever season you choose to visit.

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