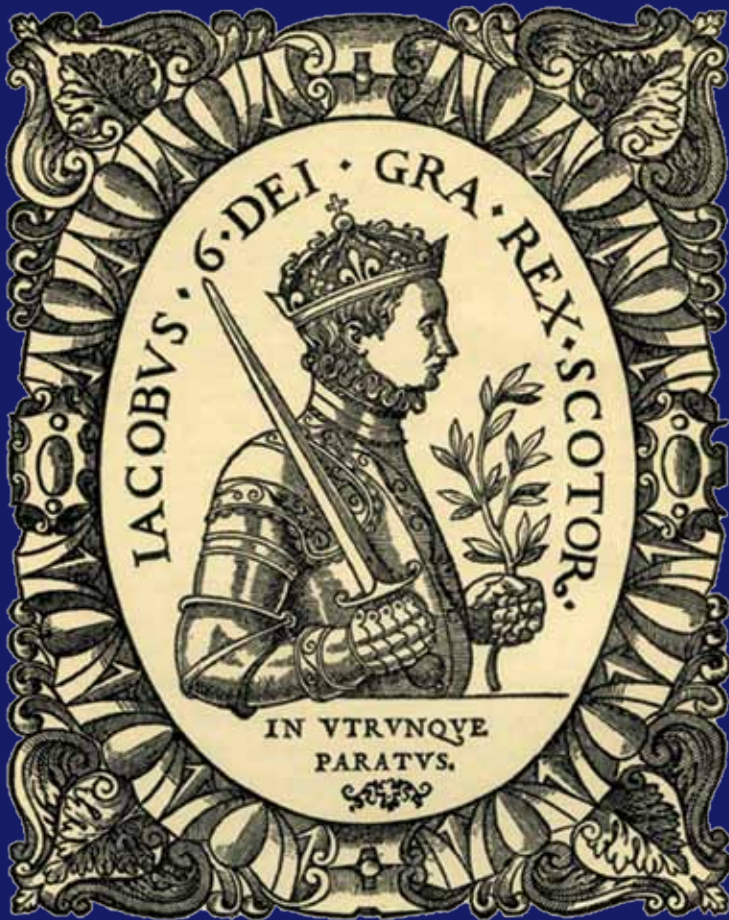


  
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## highlights

### DIVINE WRITE:

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### Divine Write: *The King James Bible and Scotland*

Fri 9 Sep 2011 - Sat 14 Jan 2012 Main Hall - North Street. Admission Free.  
An Exhibition to celebrate the 400th Anniversary

First printed in 1611 the King James Bible had a dramatic impact on Scotland, her people and her language. This major exhibition will include original 1611 editions of the King James Bible and a range of others including many pre-1611 English Bibles, the first Scottish Gaelic New Testament and more.

There will be a programme of special events to accompany the exhibition. Please check our website for details [www.glasgowlife.org.uk/themitchell](http://www.glasgowlife.org.uk/themitchell)

coming soon...

### The Mitchell Centenary Exhibition

In November 2011 The Mitchell Library's North Street Building celebrates its centenary. To celebrate there will be a major exhibition of images and documents covering the history of the building from 1911 to the present day.

## family history

Places are limited for all family history events; please book in person at The Mitchell Information Desk at Granville Street or by phoning 0141 287 2999.

### Family History Tours Thu 1 Sep / Tue 11 Oct 2.30 - 3.30pm

Come along and learn more about our library resources for family history. Meeting Point - Granville St Reception. Admission Free

### Family History Advice Wed 21 Sep / Thu 27 Oct 2.00 - 4.00pm

Are you already researching your family history but aren't sure where to turn next? Why not book a time with us for advice to help you research your family history? Sessions of 30 minutes can be booked on the dates above on 0141 287 2999. Admission Free

### Introduction to Family History Course

We also offer a 5 week Introduction to Family History course in The Mitchell Library. Interested? Please contact your local library or The Mitchell where staff will complete an online learner registration form for you. For more information phone 0141 287 2999. Admission Free

### Archive Sources for Family History Thu 15 Sep 12noon

Introduction to sources for family history research. Meeting Point - level 2. Admission Free

### Irish Family History Workshop Sat 1 Oct 10.00am - 1.00pm

An introduction to Irish family history by Dr Irene O'Brien. Meeting Point - Granville St Reception. Admission £10

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## Janice Galloway - *All Made Up*

Thu 8 Sep 6.00pm - 7.00pm

Janice Galloway launches the sequel to her critically acclaimed memoir *This is Not About Me*. Funny, sad and defiantly unsentimental, this is the story of a girl's path to adulthood and a family's secrets coming to reluctant light. Come and hear one of Scottish literature's most charismatic performers read from and discuss her new book.

The Mitchell Theatre. Tickets £5/£3 available in person at The Glasgow Royal Concert Hall, by phoning 0141 353 8000 or via the libraries website.



## Robert Douglas - *Staying on Past the Terminus*

Mon 12 Sep 6.00pm - 7.00pm

The popular author of *Night Song of the Last Tram* launches the second in a trilogy of novels set at 18 Dalbeattie Street. It is 1961 and the trams still run on Maryhill Road, but not for much longer. Robert Douglas brings his usual blend of laughter and tears to his new novel.

The Mitchell Theatre. Tickets £5/£3 available in person at The Glasgow Royal Concert Hall, by phoning 0141 353 8000 or via the libraries website.

Book group members can buy tickets for these events at the concessionary rate by visiting our new blog: <http://glasgowbookgroups.wordpress.com/>



## Old Scotstoun and Whiteinch Tue 20 Sep 6.00pm - 7.30pm

Join Sandra Malcolm for a fascinating talk exploring Old Scotstoun and Whiteinch.

The Moir/Dyer Room. Admission Free



## The Glasgow Necropolis Thu 6 Oct 6.00pm - 7.00pm

Ruth Johnston, deputy chair of the Friends of Glasgow Necropolis and author of *Glasgow Necropolis Afterlives* presents the history of the Glasgow Necropolis with information on the memorials, their architects and sculptors and symbolism on the stones.

The Moir/Dyer Room. Admission

## Fighting Fascism, Fighting Franco: Scottish Volunteers for Spanish Freedom, 1936-2011

Sat 15 Oct time tbc

A day of film, music, poetry and politics to mark the 75th anniversary of the outbreak of the Spanish Civil War. As well as being a conflict that continues to generate considerable art and argument, the Spanish struggle was one to which Scots made a significant contribution, from volunteers for liberty to support for refugees. Speakers include novelist Jackie Kay, Mike Amott, Daniel Gray and more.

Full details of the programme and tickets will be available from 19 September. Check our website for details.



## Tariq Ali Wed 19 Oct 6.00pm - 7.00pm

One of our leading writers and commentators on international politics will discuss the UK economy, uprisings in the Middle East, protests in Europe and the future of Scotland. Expect a typically pugnacious and erudite event from one of our most engaging and passionate speakers.

The Mitchell Theatre. Tickets £8/£6 available in person at The Glasgow Royal Concert Hall, by phoning 0141 353 8000 or via the libraries website.

## Poetry Discussion Group Thu 1 Sep / Thu 6 Oct 6.00pm - 7.00pm

Join us in the Literature Centre on the first Thursday of each month for lively and informal discussion.

## behind the scenes



Level 5. Admission Free

**Behind the Scenes** Tue 11 Oct 2.30pm

A public tour behind the scenes of Glasgow's famous Mitchell Library. Places are limited. Please book in person at The Mitchell Information Desk at Granville Street or by phoning 0141 287 2999.

Granville Street Reception. Admission Free

## exhibition

**Foulis Academy: Glasgow's 18th Century School of Art and Design**

Wed 14 - Mon 31 Oct 2011

An exhibition celebrating the history of the Foulis Academy and The Mitchell's unique collection of Academy prints and press.

## treasure of the month

**September: Giovanni Battista Piranesi**

A chance to see a volume of the great series of Roman views, the 'Vedute di Roma', by this famous Italian artist.

**October: Trains, Boats and Planes**

A selection of material from the Mitchell Library's many collections relating to railways and shipping and a small Scottish Flying Club collection.

## business @ the mitchell

**How To... Create Targeted Sales and Marketing Lists**

Wed 21 Sep / Wed 19 Oct 5.30 - 6.15pm Level 1 - The Mitchell. Admission Free

Using MINT UK for effective sales lists.

**COBRA (Complete Business Reference Advisor) Workshop**

Tue 13 Sep / Tue 11 Oct 2.30 - 3.30pm Level 1 - The Mitchell. Admission Free

How to get the most out of Cobra, the ideal database for starting up or expanding your business.

Places are limited on these workshops please phone **0141 287 2904** for details and to book or alternatively, to arrange a lunchtime drop-in session. Email: [business@glasgowlife.org.uk](mailto:business@glasgowlife.org.uk)

Look out for more details on the Business@The Mitchell: Seminars and Workshops page of the website.

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