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Hidden deep in the Braes of Glenlivet, the Scalan seminary is arguably one of the most significant sites of historical interest in the area. The Braes of Glenlivet offered seclusion to the persecuted 18th Century Catholics, who trained over 100 priests here, ensuring the survival of the Catholic faith.

The old College of Scalan, (named after the Gaelic sgalan, meaning turf roof), lies about 1km from the car park at the Carrachs, along the rough farm track. The building is open all year for visitors to savour how 'with courage and dogged perseverance' the Catholic faith survived. The [Scalan Heritage Trail](#), a 4.5km circular walk, offers some breathtaking views of the Braes of Glenlivet and the Ladder Hills.

Please note

Scalan can only be reached by a 1km walk along a rough farm track from the Carrachs car park - the area is isolated and can be cold in poor weather.