<u>Are you</u> a visitor to our church? <u>WELCOME</u>. Please sit in any seat and we hope you will feel at home and at peace as you share worship with us. Tea is served in the small hall after the service. If you don't feel able to stand to sing please feel free to stay seated.

<u>The Summer Club</u> There will be a summer activity club for the children during June July and August. Children should sit in church with their parent/ guardian and go out to the club following the children's address.

<u>Following our successful</u> 'Sandwich and Sweet' lunch for the charity '500 miles', you are invited to a 'Blooming Great Tea Party' for Marie Curie TODAY in the church hall after worship. This is another opportunity to meet socially with other members of the congregation.

<u>Sunday Smiles</u> We only have ourselves to blame for all the violence and crime today. We took away all the telephone boxes and now Superman has nowhere to get Changed!!

<u>FIRE ALARM</u> If the fire alarm siren is activated within the Sanctuary or the halls, except if instructed otherwise, the congregation is to proceed to the front doors of the church without delay. Anyone within the halls or kitchen should exit by the side doors.

<u>Intimations</u> I would ask that all intimations be available to me for printing by the Wednesday before you would like them in print. Sandra Palmer 466140 or <a href="mailto:intimations@livingstonechurch.org.uk">intimations@livingstonechurch.org.uk</a> If I receive an email I will always (!) send acknowledgement of receipt. Thank You

The Church website - The address is: <u>livingstonechurch.org.uk</u>

<u>Communications</u>: - If you wish a visit from the minister or your elder, or if you know of someone who is ill or in hospital, please leave a note on the memo sheets on the table in the vestibule.

Organist Mary Munn

Office Bearers Maureen Grear, Robert Kerr (Bible) Bill Munn & Sandra Palmer

Tea / Coffee 'Blooming Great Tea Party (no tea/coffee)

Summer Club Catherine Reid & Joan Smith

### Sunday 28th June

Office Bearers John Pringle (Bible) Catherine Reid, Alan Roy & Joan Smith

Tea / Coffee May Stevenson & Mary Wilson Summer Club Catherine Reid & Joan Smith Welcome to

## LIVINGSTONE PARISH CHURCH

June 21st 2015 at 11.30am

Preacher: Rev David Hebenton BD MA

Meet with God in silence as the Bible is borne into the church

HYMN 1 CH4 127

O worship the king

**PRAYER** 

CHILDREN'S TALK

Hymn 2 JP 43 Father, lead me day by day

**READING** Isaiah 43: 18 - 25

**READING** Mark 2: 1-12

**HYMN 3 CH4 188** Thou hidden love of God

**SERMON** The faith of others

OFFERING

HYMN 4 CH4 622 We sing a love

PRAYER

HYMN 5 CH4 554 Rock of ages

BENEDICTION

#### Hymn 1 CH4 127

O worship the King, all glorious above, O gratefully sing His power and His love; Our Shield and Defender, the Ancient of Days,

Pavilioned in splendour, and girded with praise.

O tell of His might, O sing of His grace, Whose robe is the light, whose canopy space,

His chariots of wrath the deep thunderclouds form,

And dark is His path on the wings of the storm.

The earth with its store of wonders untold.

Almighty, Thy power hath founded of old:

Established it fast by a changeless decree.

And round it hath cast, like a mantle, the sea.

Thy bountiful care, what tongue can recite?

It breathes in the air, it shines in the light;

It streams from the hills, it descends to the plain,

And sweetly distills in the dew and the rain.

Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail, In Thee do we trust, nor find Thee to fail; Thy mercies how tender, how firm to the end.

Our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend.

O measureless might! Ineffable love! While angels delight to worship Thee above.

The humbler creation, though feeble

their lays,

With true adoration shall all sing Thy praise.

# Hymn 2 JP 43 Father lead me day by day

Ever in Your own good way; Teach me to be pure and true Show me what I ought to do.

2

When in danger make me brave; Make me know that You can save. Keep me safe by Your dear side; Let me in your love abide

3

When I'm tempted to do wrong, Make me steadfast, wise and strong; And when all alone I stand Shield me with Your mighty hand

When my work seems hard and dry, May I never cease to try; Help me patiently to bear Pain and hardship, toil and care.

5

May I do the good I know, Be Your loving child below, Then at last in heaven share Life with You that's free from care

### Hymn 3 CH4 188 Thou hidden love of God, whose height,

whose depth unfathomed no one knows, I see from far thy beauteous light, and inly sigh for thy repose; my heart is pained, nor can it be at rest, till it finds rest in thee.

Thy secret voice invites me still
The sweetness of thy yoke to prove;
And fain I would; but, though my will
seem fixed, yet wide my passions rove;
yet hindrances strew all the way;
I aim at thee, yet from thee stray.

Tis mercy all that thou hast brought my mind to seek its peace in thee; yet while I seek, but find thee not, no peace my wandering soul shall see. O when shall all my wanderings end, and all my steps to thee-ward tend?

Is there a thing beneath the sun that strives with thee my heart to share? Ah, tear it thence and reign alone, the Lord of every motion there; then shall my heart from earth be free, when it has found repose in thee.

### Hymn 4 CH4 622 We sing a love that sets all people free,

that blows like wind, that burns like scorching flame,

enfolds the earth, springs up like water clear:

come, living love, live in our hearts today.

2

We sing a love that seeks another's good,

that longs to serve and not to count the cost.

a love that, yielding, finds itself made new:

come, caring love, live in our hearts today.

3

We sing a love, unflinching, unafraid to be itself, despite another's wrath, a love that stands alone and undismayed:

come, strengthening love, live in our hearts today.

We sing a love, that, wandering, will not rest

until it finds its way, its home, its source, through joy and sadness pressing on refreshed:

come, pilgrim love, live in our hearts today.

5

We sing the Holy Spirit, full of love, who seeks out scars of ancient bitterness,

brings to our wounds the healing grace of Christ:

come, radiant love, live in our hearts today.

### Hymn 5 CH4 554 Rock of Ages, cleft for me,

let me hide myself in thee; let the water and the blood, from thy riven side which flowed, be of sin the double cure, cleanse me from its guilt and power.

2

Not the labours of my hands can fulfil thy law's demands; could my zeal no respite know, could my tears for ever flow, all for sin could not atone thou must save and thou alone.

3

Nothing in my hand I bring, simply to thy cross I cling; naked, come to thee for dress; helpless, look to thee for grace; foul, I to the fountain fly; wash me, Saviour, or I die

4

While I draw this fleeting breath, when mine eyelids close in death, when I soar through tracts unknown, see thee on thy judgement throne Rock of Ages, cleft for me, let me hide myself in thee,

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