<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.

<u>Tea and coffee</u> will be served in the small hall after this morning's worship. Please take time to come and join us and enjoy the 'banter'

<u>The Guild</u> Karen Gillan is our guest speaker on  $1^{st}$  Dec when she will talk to us about Mary Slessor the famous missionary

<u>A short Wednesday morning</u> service is held in the church hall at 10.30am and a warm invitation is extended to all.

<u>Aladdin Panto 2015</u> - Tickets are now available for Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup>, Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday3rd **Sold out for Fri**. £6 for adults and £3.50 for children.

The Kirk Session will meet on Wed 9th Dec in the church hall.

The Christmas Gift Service will be held on Sun 13th Dec.

<u>Sunday Smiles</u> I bought my wife a big bunch of flowers. It was worth it just to watch her trying to work out what I'd done wrong.

<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. (Panto tickets on sale now)

<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 (Whoops! did I mention Panto tickets are on sale)

The Church website - The address is: livingstonechurch.org.uk

<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 George White (Bible), Jim Wilson, Bobbie Bendelow, Catherine Burns

Tea / Coffee Robbie & Catherine Burns

JAM Club Sandra Erskine

Sunday 6th Dec

Office Bearers Robert Erskine, Janet Gallagher, Ross Glover, Finlay Kerr (Bible),

Tea / Coffee No Tea/coffee

JAM Club Pat Gray

HAVE YOU GOT YOUR PANTO TICKETS?

Welcome to

## LIVINGSTONE PARISH CHURCH

29th Nov 2015 at 11.30am

Preacher: David Hebenton BD MA

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

Hymn 1 CH4 277 Hark, the glad sound

**PRAYER** 

J.A.M. PRESENTATION

Hymn 2 CH4 340 When Jesus saw the fishermen

**READING** Isaiah 49: 1-7

**READING** John 1 : 35 - 42

Hymn 3 CH4 509 Jesus calls us

**SERMON** First disciples

OFFERING

Hymn 4 CH4 465 Be thou my vision

PRAYER

Hymn 5 CH4 562 Through the love of God our Saviour

Benediction

## Hymn 1 CH4 277

Hark, the glad sound! the Saviour comes,

the saviour promised long; let every heart exult with joy, and every voice with song!

He comes, the prisoners to relieve, in Satan's bondage held; the gates of brass before him burst, the iron fetters yield.

He comes, the broken hearts to bind, the bleeding souls to cure; and with the treasures of his grace to enrich the humble poor.

The sacred year has now revolved, accepted of the Lord, when heaven's high promise is fulfilled and Israel is restored.

Our glad hosannas, Prince of Peace, thy welcome shall proclaim; and heaven's exalted arches ring with thy most honoured name.

## Hymn 2 CH4 340 When Jesus saw the fishermen

in boats upon the sea, he called to them 'Come, leave your nets and follow, follow me.' They followed where he healed the sick and gave the hungry bread,

and others followed as they went wherever Jesus led.

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And now his friends are everywhere; the circle once so small

extends around the whole wide world. for Jesus calls us all.

In this great circle we belong, wherever we may be, if we will answer when he calls. 'Come, follow, follow me.'

## Hymn 3 CH4 509

Jesus calls us! O'er the tumult of our life's wild restless sea. day by day his voice is sounding, saying, 'Christian, follow me'.

As, of old, St Andrew heard it by the Galilean lake, turned from home, and toil, and kindred.

leaving all for his dear sake.

Jesus calls us from the worship of the vain world's golden store, from each idol that would keep us, saying, 'Christian, love me more.'

In our joys and in our sorrows days of toil and hours of ease. still he calls, in cares and pleasures, 'Christian, love me more than these.

Jesus calls us! By your mercies, Saviour, make us hear your call, give our hearts to your obedience, serve and love you best of all

Hymn 4 CH4 465 Be thou my Vision, O Lord of my heart:

naught be all else to me, save that thou Hymn 5 art:

thou my best thought, in the day or the night, waking or sleeping, thy presence my

light.

Be thou my Wisdom, be thou my true Word:

I ever with thee, and thou with me, Lord:

thou my great Father: thine own I would be:

thou in me dwelling, and I one with thee

Be thou my breastplate, my sword for the fight;

be thou my dignity, thou my delight, thou my soul's shelter, and thou my high tower;

raise thou me heavenward, O Power of my power

Riches I heed not, nor earth's empty praise,

thou mine inheritance, now and always: thou, and thou only, the first in my heart.

High King of Heaven, my treasure thou art.

High King of Heaven, after victory won, may I reach heaven's joys, O bright heaven's sun!

Heart of my own heart, whatever befall. Still be my Vision, O Ruler of all.

CH4 562

Through the love of God our Saviour all will be well:

Free and changeless is his favour, all, all is well.

Precious is the blood that healed us. perfect is the grace that sealed us, strong the hand stretched forth to shield us:

all must be well

Though we pass through tribulation, all will be well:

Ours is such a full salvation. all, all is well.

Happy, still in God confiding; fruitful, if in Christ abiding; holy, through the Spirit's guiding; all must be well

We expect a bright tomorrow; all will be well:

Faith can sing, through days of sorrow, 'All, all is well'

On our Father's love relying, Jesus every need supplying, In our living, in our dying, all must be well.

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