### Stevenston Livingstone

#### Church of Scotland



#### Church Notices

**Welcome to any visitors** - Please sit in any seat and we hope you will feel at home and at peace as you share worship with us.

Wednesday morning service takes place in the small hall at 10.30am and a warm invitation is extended to all.

Tea and coffee will be served in the small hall after this morning's worship.

**Church Magazine** - Articles are now being accepted for the March issue of the Livingstones Herald. These can either be given to Catherine Reid or e-mailed to **magazine@livingstonechurch.org.uk** by **Sunday 7**th **February**.

**Door Duty Rota** - The 2016 door duty rota is now available to uplift from the table in the vestibule.

Badminton Club - The badminton club will resume on Tuesday 19th January.

Sunday Smiles: Some people are kind, polite and sweet-spirited until you try to sit in their pews.

**Fire Alarm** - 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.

**Intimations** - I would ask that all intimations be available to me for printing by the Wednesday before you would like them in print. Phone Sandra Palmer on 466140 or e-mail <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.

**Church website** — The address is: <u>livingstonechurch.org.uk</u> where you can listen to the service again and find out more about the wider life of the Church.

**Communications:** 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.

### Today - Sunday 10th January 2016

Organist Mary Munn

Office Bearers Joan Smith, Arthur Taylor, Andrew Tomlinson (Bible), George White

Tea/Coffee Maureen Grear & Dorothy Taylor

JAM Club Joan Smith

### Next Week - Sunday 17th January 2016

Office Bearers John Beck (Bible), Bobby Bendelow, Charlie Campbell, Jim Wilson

Tea/Coffee Ann Barbour & Sandra Palmer

JAM Club May Burnett

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# Welcome to Livingstone Parish Church Sunday 10th January 2016 at 10.00am

Preacher: Rev David Hebenton BD MA



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

**Hymn 1 CH4 42** Only on God do thou, my soul

Prayer

**Hymn 2 CH4 139** Praise the Lord, you heavens adore him

**Reading** Psalm 62: 5-12

**Reading** Mark 1: 14-20

**Hymn 3 CH4 340** When Jesus saw the fishermen

**Sermon** Fishers of men

Offering

Hymn 4 CH4 509 Jesus calls us

Prayer

Hymn 5 CH4 513 Courage, brother, do not stumble

Benediction

### Hymn 1 CH4 42

Only on God do thou, my soul, still patiently attend; my expectation and my hope on him alone depend.

He only my salvation is, and my strong rock is he; he only is my sure defence; I shall not moved be.

In God my glory placed is, and my salvation sure; in God the rock is of my strength my refuge most secure.

Ye people, place your confidence in him continually; before him pour ye out your heart; God is our refuge high.

### Hymn 2 CH4 139

# Praise the Lord, you heavens, adore him;

praise him, angels in the height; sun and moon, rejoice before him, praise him, all your stars and light.

Praise the Lord! for he has spoken; worlds his mighty voice obeyed; laws which never shall be broken for their guidance hath he made.

Praise the Lord! for he is glorious; never shall his promise fail; God has made his saints victorious; sin and death shall not prevail. Praise the God of our salvation! hosts on high, his power proclaim; heaven, and earth, and all creation, laud and magnify his name.

### Hymn 3 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.

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 4 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 5 CH4 513

# Courage, brother! do not stumble,

though your path be dark as night; there's a star to guide the humble: trust in God, and do the right. Let the road be rough and dreary, and its end far out of sight; foot it bravely; strong or weary, trust in God, and do the right.

Perish policy and cunning, perish all that fears the light!
Whether losing, whether winning, trust in God, and do the right
Some will hate you, some will love you, some will flatter, some will slight; heed them not, and look above you:

Simple rule and safest guiding, inward peace and inward might, star upon our path abiding trust in God, and do the right. Courage, sister! do not stumble though your path be dark as night; there's a star to guide the humble: trust in God, and do the right.

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