## 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 hall after this morning's worship. Everyone is welcome so, please, come and join us.

**The Guild-** We will discuss the Guild topic for this session on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> March. "Let's talk about....Working through conflict"

**The Annual Stated Meeting** will be held on Sunday 6th March following morning worship.

**Sunday Smiles**: There are three kinds of people in this world – those who can count and those who can't.

**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 **intimations@livingstonechurch.org.uk**. 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 28th February

Organist Mary Munn

Office Bearers Andrew Tomlinson (Bible), Jim Wilson, John Beck, Bobby Bendelow.

Tea/Coffee Dorothy Taylor & Maureen Grear

JAM Club Joan Smith

## Next Week - Sunday 6th March

Office Bearers George White (Bible), Robert Erskine. Janet Gallagher, Finlay Kerr

Tea/Coffee No Tea/Coffee — Communion Sunday

JAM Club May Burnett

## Welcome to

## Livingstone Parish Church

Sunday 28th February at 11.00am

Preacher: Rev David Hebenton BD MA



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

**Hymn 1 CH4 113** God the Father of creation

Prayer

**J.A.M Presentation** He brought me to his banqueting house

I am so glad that Jesus loves me

Children's Talk

**Hymn 2 CH4 530** One more step along the world I go

**Address** Andrew Tomlinson

**Reading** Isaiah 40 : 1 - 11 **Reading** John 10 : 1 - 18

**Hymn 3 CH4 159** Lord, for the years

**Sermon** One flock, one shepherd

Offering

**Hymn 4 CH4 248** For my sake and the Gospel's, go.

Prayer

**Hymn 5 CH4 522** The church is wherever

**Benediction** 

## Hymn 1 CH4 113 God the Father of Creation,

source of light and energy, your creative love so shapes us That we share your liberty. Teach us how to use this freedom loving children all to be.

Jesus Christ our Lord and brother, in your cross we see the way to be servants for each other, caring, suffering every day.

Teach us patience and obedience never from your path to stray.

Holy Spirit, love that binds us to the Father and the Son, giver of the joy that fills us, yours the peace that makes us one, teach our hearts to be more open as we pray 'God's will be done.'

Members of our Saviour's body, here on earth his life to be, though we stand as different people, may we share the unity of the Father, Son and Spirit, perfect love in Trinity

### Hymn 2 CH4 530

One more step along the world I go, one more step along the world I go; from the old things to the new keep me travelling along with you. And its from the old I travel to the new keep me travelling along with you

Round the corner of the world I turn, more and more about the world I learn; all the new things that I see you'll be looking at along with me: And it's from. . .

As I travel through the bad and good, keep me travelling the way I should where I see no way to go you'll be telling me the way I know And it's from. .

Give me courage when the world is rough keep me loving though the world is tough; leap and sing in all I do, keep me travelling along with you:

And it's from. . .

You are older than the world can be, you are younger than the life in me; ever old and ever new, keep me travelling along with you: And it's from. . .

## Hymn 3 CH4 159 Lord, for the years your love has kept and quided,

urged and inspired us, cheered us on our way,

sought us and saved us, pardoned and provided:

Lord of the years, we bring our thanks today.

Lord, for that word, the word of life that fires us,

speaks to our hearts and sets our souls ablaze,

teaches and trains, rebukes us and inspires us:

Lord of the word, receive your people's praise. Lord, for our land, in this our generation, spirits oppressed by pleasure, wealth and care: for young and old, for commonwealth and nation,

Lord of our land, be pleased to hear our prayer.

Lord, for our world: When we disown and doubt him,

loveless in strength, and comfortless in pain; hungry and helpless, lost indeed without him, Lord of the world, we pray that Christ may reign.

Lord, for ourselves; in living power remake us, self on the cross and Christ upon the throne;

past put behind us, for the future take us: Lord, of our lives, to live for Christ alone

# Hymn 4 CH4 248 'For my sake and the gospel's go

and tell redemption's story'
his heralds answer, 'Be it so,
and thine, Lord, all the glory!'
They preach his birth, his life, his cross,
the love of his atonement
for whom they count the world but loss
his Easter, his enthronement

Hark! hark the trump of jubilee proclaims to every nation, from pole to pole, by land and sea, glad tidings of salvation.
Still on and on the anthems spread, of alleluia voices; in concert with the holy dead the warrior Church rejoices.

He comes, whose advent trumpet drowns the last of time's evangels
Immanuel, crowned with many crowns, the Lord of saints and angels.
O Life, Light, Love the great I AM
Triune, who changest never, the throne of God and of the Lamb is thine and thine for ever.

# Hymn 5 CH4 522 The Church is wherever God's people are praising,

knowing they're wanted and loved by their Lord.

The Church is wherever Christ's followers are trying

To live and to share out the good news of God

The Church is wherever God's people are loving,

where all are forgiven and start once again where all are accepted whatever their background

whatever their past and whatever their pain.

The Church is wherever God's people are seeking

to reach out and touch folk wherever they are

conveying the Gospel, its joy and its comfort,

to challenge, refresh, and excite and inspire.

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