Stevenston Livingstone

Church of Scotland



Church Notices

There will be a retiring collection after this morning's worship

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.

The Guild- Ann Hynd from Saltcoats will show us "Familiar Places" slides of Glasgow and Ayrshire on Tuesday 8th March. Come and see how many you recognise!

The Annual Stated Meeting will be held on Sunday 13th March following morning worship.

Sunday Smiles: An optimist is someone who isn't sure whether life is a tragedy or a comedy but is tickled pink just to be in the play

If you don't need this Order of Service leaflet after the service this morning, will you, please, leave it on the table in the vestibule for use at the Care Home services through the week. Thank you

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 6th March

Organist Mary Munn

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

Tea/Coffee No Tea/Coffee — Communion Sunday

JAM Club May Burnett

Next Week - Sunday 13th March

Office Bearers Catherine & Robbie Burns, Ann & Alan Cochrane (Bible),

Tea/Coffee Sandra Palmer & Jean Paterson

JAM Club Catherine Burns

Welcome to Livingstone Parish Church

Sunday 6th March 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 68O thou my soul bless God the Lord

Prayer

Hymn 2 CH4 112 God who's almighty word

Reading 2 Kings 2: 1-12

Reading Mark 9 : 2 - 9

Hymn 3 CH4 336 Christ is our light

Sermon Transfiguration

Offering

Hymn 4 CH4 662 Jesus, thou joy of loving hearts.

Communion

Hymn 5 CH3 121 Thou art the way

Benediction

The congregation are to remain standing to sing the Doxology as

The Bible and elements are taken from the Sanctuary.

Hymn 1 CH4 68 O Thou my soul, bless God the Lord;

and all that in me is be stirred up his holy Name to magnify and bless.

Bless, O my soul, the Lord thy God, and not forgetful be of all his gracious benefits he hath bestowed on thee.

All thine iniquities who doth most graciously forgive: who thy diseases all and pains doth heal, and thee relieve.

Who doth redeem thy life, that thou to death mayest not go down; who thee with loving-kindness doth and tender mercies crown:

Who with abundance of good things doth satisfy thy mouth; so that, even as the eagle's age, renewed is thy youth.

Hymn 2 CH4 112 God, whose almighty word

chaos and darkness heard, and took their flight; hear us, we humbly pray, and, where the Gospel-day sheds not its glorious ray, let there be light.

Saviour, who came to bring, on your redeeming wing, healing and sight, health to the sick in mind,

sight to the inly blind, now to all humankind let there be light.

Spirit of truth and love, life-giving, holy dove, speed forth your flight; move o'er the waters' face, bearing the lamp of grace, and in earth's darkest place let there be light.

Blessed and holy Three, glorious Trinity, Wisdom, Love, Might, boundless as ocean's tide rolling in fullest pride, through the world far and wide let there be light.

Hymn 3 CH4 336 Christ is our light! the bright and morning star

covering with radiance all from near and far.

Christ be our light, shine on, shine on we pray

into our hearts, into our world today.

Christ is our love! baptised that we may know

the love of God among us, swooping low.

Christ be our love, bring us to turn our face

and see you in the light of heaven's embrace

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Christ is our joy! transforming wedding quest!

Through water turned to wine the feast was blessed.

Christ be our joy; your glory let us see, as your disciples did in Galilee.

Hymn 4 CH4 662 Jesus thou Joy of loving hearts,

thou light of life, thou fount of grace; from the best bliss that earth imparts we turn unfilled to seek thy face.

Thy truth unchanged has ever stood; thou savest those that on thee call: to those that seek thee thou art good, to those that find thee, all in all.

We taste thee, O thou living bread, and long to feast upon thee still; we drink of thee, the fountain — head, and thirst our souls from thee to fill.

Our restless spirits yearn for thee, where'er our changeful lot is cast,-glad when thy gracious smile we see, blest when our faith can hold thee fast

O Jesus, ever with us stay; make all our moments calm and bright; chase the dark night of sin away; shed o'er the world thy holy light.

Hymn 5 CH3 121 Thou art the Way; to thee alone

From sin and death we flee; And he who would the Father seek Must seek him, Lord, by thee.

Thou art the Truth: thy word alone True wisdom can impart; Thou only canst inform the mind And purify the heart

Thou art the Life; the rending tomb Proclaims thy conquering arm; And those who put their trust in thee Nor death nor hell shall harm

Thou art the Way the Truth the Life Grant us that way to know, That truth to keep, that life to win, Whose joys eternal flow.

<u>Doxology</u> Praise God from whom all blessings flow;

Praise him, all creatures here below; Praise him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost

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