Stevenston Livingstone Church of Scotland



Church Notices

Retiring Offering - 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.

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

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

Order of Service Recycling - 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 during the week. Thank you

Sunday Smiles: I wondered why the Frisbee was getting bigger, and then it hit me.

Church Magazine - Articles are now being accepted for the June issue of The Livingstones Herald. These can either be given to Catherine Reid or e-mailed by Sunday 1st May to **magazine@livingstonechurch.org.uk**

ASFaCT are looking for volunteers to help re-introduce their Seashells Play and Stay service. Anyone interested can attend a meeting in Ardeer Church vestry on Wed 13th April at 7.00pm.

Ardeer Church is putting on a fashion show in aid of their restoration fund. It will take place on Thursday 14^{th} April at 7.00pm for 7.30pm. Tickets cost £3.00 and can be paid at the door.

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 are received by the Wednesday before you would like them in print. 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 10th April 2016]	Next Week - Sunday 17th April 2016
Anne Cochrane	Organist	Mary Munn
Joan Smith, Arthur Taylor,	Office	John Beck (Bible), Bobby Bendelow,
Andrew Tomlinson, George White (Bible)	Bearers	Charlie Campbell, Jim Wilson
May Burnett & Mattie Higgon	Tea/Coffee	Maureen Grear & Dorothy Taylor
Catherine Reid	JAM Club	Joan Smith

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

Preacher: Rev David Hebenton BD MA



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

Oh, sing a new song to the Lord		
Morning has broken		
Psalm 67		
Mark 3: 13-19		
Guide me, o thou great Jehovah		
The 12 Apostles		
Judge eternal, throned in splendour		
In heavenly love abiding		
Benediction		

As we approached God in silence, let us give thanks to him in silence as The Bible is taken from the Sanctuary.

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Hymn 1

Oh, sing a new song to the Lord,

CH4 61

for wonders he has done; with his right hand and holy arm the vict'ry he has won.

The Lord has made his triumph known,

displayed his saving might; he has revealed his righteousness in every nation's sight.

He mindful of his grace and truth to Israel's house has been; the saving power of God our Lord earth's farthest ends have seen.

Earth, shout aloud to God the Lord and make a joyful noise; break into song and celebrate, sing praises and rejoice.

JP 166

Hymn 2

Morning has broken

Like the first morning, Blackbird has spoken Like the first bird. Praise for the singing! Praise for the morning! Praise for them, springing Fresh from the Lord.

Mine is the sunlight! Mine is the morning Here in the bright light Of this fair day! Praise with elation, Praise every morning God's re-creation Of the new day!

Hymn 3

CH4 167

Guide me, O thou great Jehovah,

pilgrim through this barren land; I am weak, but thou art mighty; hold me with thy powerful hand: Bread of heaven, Bread of heaven, *feed me till my want is o'er. (×2)*

Open now the crystal fountain whence the healing stream doth flow; let the fire and cloudy pillar lead me all my journey through: strong Deliverer, strong Deliverer, be thou still my strength and shield. $(\times 2)$

When I tread the verge of Jordan bid my anxious fears subside! Death of death, and hell's destruction, land me safe on Canaan's side! Songs of praises, songs of praises, I will ever give to thee. (x2)

Hymn 4 CH4 264 Judge Eternal, throned in splendour,

Lord of lords and King of kings, with your living fire of judgement purge this land of bitter things; solace all its wide dominion with the healing of your wings.

Still the weary folk are pining for the hour that brings release; and the city's crowded clangour cries aloud for sin to cease; and the homesteads and the woodlands plead in silence for their peace.

Crown, O God, your own endeavour; cleave our darkness with your sword; feed the faithless and the hungry with the richness of your word; cleanse the body of this nation through the glory of the Lord.

Hymn 5

In heavenly love abiding,

no change my heart shall fear; and safe is such confiding, for nothing changes here: the storm may roar without me, my heart may low be laid; but God is round about me, and can I be dismayed?

Wherever he may guide me, no want shall turn me back; my Shepherd is beside me, and nothing can I lack. His wisdom ever waketh, his sight is never dim: he knows the way he taketh, and I will walk with him.

Green pastures are before me, which yet I have not seen; bright skies will soon be o'er me, where darkening clouds have been. My hope I cannot measure: my path to life is free: my Saviour has my treasure, and he will walk with me.

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