Stevenston Livingstone Church of Scotland



Church Notices

 ${\bf Welcome\ to\ any\ visitors}$ - 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

Kirk Session - There will be a meeting of the Kirk Session at 7pm on Wednesday 27^{th} April in the lesser hall.

Dreghorn Musical Society - Peforming at Kirkgate Church, Saltcoats on Wednesday 27^{th} April. Tickets cost £3 and will be available at the door.

Bible Study Course - Rev Norman Cruickshank will be leading a 6 week Bible study course at the High Kirk Manse from Tuesday 26th April at 2.30pm.

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**

Sunday Smiles: What did one ocean say to the other ocean? Nothing, they just waved.

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.

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 24th April 2016		Next Week - Sunday 1st May 2016
Mary Munn	Organist	Mary Munn
Catherine Burns, Robbie Burns,	Office	Robert Erskine, Sandra Erskine,
Alan Cochrane (Bible), Anne Cochrane	Bearers	Janet Gallagher, Ross Glover
Jean Paterson	Tea/Coffee	Sadie McWilliam & Jean Gallagher
May Burnett	JAM Club	Catherine Burns

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Hymn 1 CH4 57

Prayer

J.A.M. Club Presentation

ReadingExodus 16: 2-15ReadingMatthew 20: 1-16Hymn 3 CH4 214New every morningSermonWork & WagesOfferingWork to be a second to be

Hymn 5 CH4 470

Jesus shall reign

Benediction

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





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

The Lord doth reign

Topic: Moses - Part 1

How did Moses cross the Red Sea

When Israel was in Egypt's land

All things bright and beautiful

Hymn 1

CH4 57

The Lord doth reign, and clothed is he

with majesty most bright; his works do show him clothed to be, and girt about with might.

The world is also stablishèd, that it cannot depart, thy throne is fixed of old, and thou from everlasting art.

The floods, O Lord, have lifted up, they lifted up their voice; the floods have lifted up their waves, and made a mighty noise.

But yet the Lord, that is on high, is more of might by far than noise of many waters is, or great sea - billows are.

Thy testimonies every one in faithfulness excel; and holiness for ever, Lord, thine house becometh well.

Psalm 93, The Scottish Psalter, 1929

Hymn 2

CH4 137

All things bright and beautiful,

all creatures great and small, all things wise and wonderful, the Lord God made all them all.

Each little flower that opens, each little bird that sings, he made their glowing colours, he made their tiny wings: All things bright and beautiful... The purple-headed mountain, the river running by, the sunset, and the morning that brightens up the sky: *All things bright and beautiful...*

The cold wind in the winter, the pleasant summer sun, the ripe fruits in the garden, he made them every one: All things bright and beautiful...

He gave us eyes to see them, and lips that we might tell how great is God Almighty, who has made all things well. *All things bright and beautiful...*

Cecil Frances Alexander (1818-1895)

Hymn 3 CH4 214
New every morning is the love
our wakening and uprising prove,
through sleep and darkness safely
brought,
restored to life, and power, and
thought.
New mercies, each returning day,
hover around us while we pray, -
now novila not now sing for siven

new perils past, new sins forgiven, new thoughts of God, new hopes of heaven.

If, on our daily course, our mind be set to hallow all we find, new treasures still, of countless price, God will provide for sacrifice.

The trivial round, the common task, will furnish all we ought to ask, -

room to deny ourselves, a road to bring us daily nearer God. Prepare us, Lord, in your dear love, for perfect life with you above; and help us, this and every day, to live more nearly as we pray.

John Kebble (1792-1866)

Hymn 4 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! baptized 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.

Christ is our joy! transforming wedding guest!

Through water turned to wine the feast was blessed.

Christ be our joy; your glory let us see,

as your disciples did in Galilee.

Leith Fisher (b. 1941)

CH4 470

Jesus shall reign where'er the sun

Hymn 5

does its successive journey run; his Kingdom stretch from shore to shore,

till moons shall wax and wane no more.

People and realms of every tongue declare his love in sweetest song; and infant voices shall proclaim their early blessings on his name.

Blessing abound where Jesus reigns: the prisoners leap to lose their chains, the weary find eternal rest, and all who suffer want are blessed.

Let every creature rise and bring the highest honours to our King; angels descend with songs again, and earth repeat the loud Amen.

*Isaac Watts (1674-1748)

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