



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.	Tea and Coffee Served in the small hall after this morning's worship.	Midweek Service Takes place every Wednesday morning in the small hall at 10.30am. A warm invitation is extended to all.
The Guild Our speaker on February 14 th will be David Walker from Kilmacoll who has taken as his subject 'Glasgow's Hidden Treasures. This should be a fascinating talk and illustrations.		
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 . Thank you.	Sunday Smiles The past, present and future walk into a room. It was tense.	
Hymn Sheets 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.	Fire Alarm If you hear the fire alarm siren in the Sanctuary – except if instructed otherwise – you should proceed to the front doors of the church. If you are in the halls or kitchen you should exit by the side doors.	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.
Church website The address is: livingstonechurch.org.uk where you can listen to the service again and find out more about the wider life of the Church.		

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Today - Sunday 12 th February		Next Week - Sunday 19 th February
Mary Munn	Organist	Mary Munn
Pat Gray, Maureen Grear, Sandy Hershaw (Bible), Dorothy Hershaw	Office Bearers	Bill Munn, John Pringle, Catherine Reid, Alan Roy (Bible)
Jean Paterson	Tea/Coffee	Sadie McWilliam & Jean Galloway
Catherine Burns	JAM Club	Sandra Erskine

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Welcome to
Livingstone Parish Church
Sunday 12th February 2017 at 11.30am
Preacher: Rev David Hebenton BD MA



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

Hymn 1 CH4 110

Glory be to God the Father

Prayer

Hymn 2 CH4 129

The Lord is king

Reading

Deuteronomy 8: 11-20

Reading

Luke 8: 41-55

Hymn 3 CH4 160

Praise, my soul, the king of heaven

Sermon

Child revived

Offering

Hymn 4 CH4 485

Dear Lord and Father of mankind

Prayer

Hymn 5 CH4 518

Lift up your hearts

Benediction

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

Hymn 1 CH4 110

Glory be to God the Father,

glory be to God the Son,
glory be to God the Spirit, -
great Jehovah, Three in One!
Glory, glory, glory, glory
while eternal ages run!

Glory be to him who loved us,
washed us from each spot and stain!
Glory be to him who bought us,
made us kings with him to reign!
Glory, glory, glory, glory
to the Lamb that once was slain!

Glory to the King of angels,
glory to the Church's King,
glory to the King of nations!
Heaven and earth, your praises bring;
glory, glory, glory, glory
to the King of Glory bring!

'Glory, blessing, praise eternal!'
Thus the choir of angels sings;
'Honour, riches, power, dominion!'
Thus its praise creation brings;
glory, glory, glory, glory,
glory to the King of kings!

Horatius N. Bonar (1808-1889)

Hymn 2 CH4 129

The Lord is King! lift up your voice!

Let earth and all the heavens rejoice.
From world to world the joy shall ring,
'The Lord omnipotent is King!'

The Lord is King! who then shall dare
resist his will, distrust his care,
or murmur at his wise decrees,
or doubt his royal promises?

The Lord is King! child of the dust,
the judge of all the earth is just;
holy and true are all his ways:
let every creature speak his praise.

Come, make your wants, your burdens
known;
Christ will present them at the throne;
for he is at the Father's side,
the Man of Love, the Crucified.

One Lord, one empire, all secures;
he reigns, and life and death are yours:
through earth and heaven one song shall
ring,
'The Lord omnipotent is King!'

Josiah Conder (1789-1855)
from *Psalm 148*

Hymn 3 CH4 160

Praise, my soul, the King of heaven;

to his feet thy tribute bring;
ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven,
who like me his praise should sing?
Praise him! Praise him!
Praise him! Praise him!
Praise the everlasting King.

Praise him for his grace and favour
to our fathers in distress;
praise him, still the same forever,
slow to chide, and swift to bless:
Praise him! Praise him!
Praise him! Praise him!
glorious in his faithfulness.

Father-like he tends and spares us;
well our feeble frame he knows;
in his hands he gently bears us,
rescues us from all our foes:
Praise him! Praise him!
Praise him! Praise him!
widely as his mercy flows.

Frail as summer's flower we flourish;
blows the wind and it is gone;
but, while mortals rise and perish,
God endures unchanging on.
Praise him! Praise him!
Praise him! Praise him!
Praise the high eternal One.

Angels, help us to adore him;
ye behold him face to face;
sun and moon, bow down before him;
dwellers all in time and space.
Praise him! Praise him!
Praise him! Praise him!
Praise with us the God of grace.

Henry Francis Lyte (1793-1847)
From *Psalm 103*

Hymn 4 CH4 485

Dear Lord and Father of mankind,

forgive our foolish ways;
reclothe us in our rightful mind;
in purer lives thy service find,
in deeper reverence, praise. (x2)

In simple trust like theirs who heard,
beside the Syrian sea,
the gracious calling of the Lord,
let us, like them, without a word
rise up and follow thee. (x2)

O Sabbath rest by Galilee!
O calm of hills above,
where Jesus knelt to share with thee
the silence of eternity,
interpreted by love! (x2)

With that deep hush subduing all
our words and works that drown
the tender whisper of thy call,
as noiseless let thy blessing fall
as fell thy manna down. (x2)

Drop thy still dews of quietness,

till all our strivings cease;
take from our souls the strain and
stress,
and let our ordered lives confess
the beauty of thy peace. (x2)
Breathe through the heats of our desire
thy coolness and thy balm;
let sense be dumb, let flesh retire;
speak through the earthquake, wind and
fire,
O still small voice of calm! (x2)

John Greenleaf Whittier (1807-1892)

Hymn 5 CH4 518

'Lift up your hearts!'

We lift them, Lord, to thee;
here at thy feet none other may we see:
'Lift up your hearts!'
Even so, with one accord,
we lift them up, we lift them to the Lord.

Above the level of the former years,
the mire of sin, the slough of guilty fears,
the mist of doubt, the blight of love's
decay,
O Lord of light, lift all our hearts today!

Lift every gift that thou thyself hast
given;
low lies the best till lifted up to heaven:
low lie the bounding heart, the teeming
brain,
till, sent from God, they mount to God
again.

Then, as the trumpet-call in after years,
'Lift up your hearts!' rings pealing in our
ears,
still shall our hearts respond with full
accord,
'We lift them up, we lift them to the
Lord!'

Henry Montagu Butler (1833-1918)