



Stevenston Livingstone  
Church of Scotland



## Church Notices

<b>Welcome to any visitors</b> Please sit in any seat and we hope you will feel at home and at peace as you share worship with us.	<b>Retiring Offering</b> There will be a retiring collection after this morning's worship.	<b>Midweek Service</b> Takes place every Wednesday morning in the small hall at 10.30am. A warm invitation is extended to all.
<b>The Guild</b> Barbara Graham from Kilmarnock will be our speaker on Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> March and her subject will be Marie Curie.	<b>Visual System</b> Over the coming weeks a new visual system will be installed within the Church. After a period of testing, the current order of service leaflet will be phased out. The congregation of Livingstone has always been forward thinking and we appreciate your patience as we move to this new system which will create further opportunities to enhance Sunday worship.	
<b>Vacancy Update</b> The Rev David A Sutherland will be preaching next Sunday, 12 <sup>th</sup> March at 11.30am as Sole Nominee. It is hoped there will be a good attendance at this service.	<b>Kirk Session Meeting</b> There will be a joint meeting of the Kirk Sessions of Ardeer and Livingstone next Sunday, 12 <sup>th</sup> March at 1.00pm in Livingstone Church.	
<b>Intimations</b> I would ask that all intimations are received by the Wednesday before you would like them in print. E-mail: <a href="mailto:intimations@livingstonechurch.org.uk">intimations@livingstonechurch.org.uk</a> . Thank you.		<b>Sunday Smiles</b> "I'm Sorry" and "I apologise" mean the same thing...except when you're at a funeral.
<b>Tea Rota</b> We are now looking for volunteers to be a part of the new tea rota. If you would like to be included on the rota please add your name to the sheet on the table in the vestibule.	<b>Fire Alarm</b> 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.	<b>Communications</b> 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 5 <sup>th</sup> March		Next Week - Sunday 12 <sup>th</sup> March
Mary Munn	<b>Organist</b>	Mary Munn
Janet Gallagher, Ross Glover, Robbie Gorrie, Finlay Kerr (Bible)	<b>Office Bearers</b>	John Beck (Bible), Bobby Bendelow, Catherine Burns, Robbie Burns
No Tea/Coffee - Communion Sunday	<b>Tea/Coffee</b>	Mary Wilson
Joan Smith	<b>JAM Club</b>	Catherine Reid

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Welcome to  
**Livingstone Parish Church**  
Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> March 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 63**

All people that on earth do dwell

**Prayer**

**JAM Club Presentation**

Theme: Love

I am so glad  
I have seen the golden sunshine

**Hymn 2 CH4 153**

Great is thy faithfulness

**Reading**

Psalm 85

**Reading**

Luke 11: 14-28

**Hymn 3 CH4 210**

Awake, my soul

**Sermon**

Back comes the evil spirit

**Offering**

**Hymn 4 CH4 668**

According to thy gracious word

**Communion**

**Hymn 5 CH4 512**

To God be the glory

**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 63**  
**All people that on earth do dwell,**  
sing to the Lord with cheerful voice.  
Him serve with mirth, his praise forth tell,  
come ye before him and rejoice.

Know that the Lord is God indeed;  
without our aid he did us make;  
we are his folk, he doth us feed,  
and for his sheep he doth us take.

Oh, enter then his gates with praise,  
approach with joy his courts unto:  
praise, laud and bless his name always,  
for it is seemly so to do.

For why? the Lord our God is good,  
his mercy is for ever sure;  
his truth at all times firmly stood,  
and shall from age to age endure.

Psalm 100, *The Scottish Psalter*, 1929

**Hymn 2 CH4 153**  
**Great is thy faithfulness,**  
O God my Father,  
there is no shadow of turning with thee;  
thou changest not,  
thy compassions they fail not,  
as thou hast been  
thou for ever wilt be.  
*Great is thy faithfulness!*  
*Great is thy faithfulness!*  
*Morning by morning*  
*new mercies I see;*  
*all I have needed*  
*thy hand hath provided -*  
*great is thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me.*

Summer and winter,  
and seed-time and harvest,  
sun, moon, and stars  
in their courses above,  
join with all nature in manifold witness  
to thy great faithfulness,  
mercy, and love.

*Great is thy faithfulness...*

Pardon for sin  
and a peace that endureth,  
thine own dear presence  
to cheer and to guide;  
strength for today  
and bright hope for tomorrow,  
blessings all mine, with ten thousand  
beside.

*Great is thy faithfulness...*

Thomas O. Chisholm (1866-1960)

**Hymn 3 CH4 210**  
**Awake, my soul, and with the sun**  
your daily stage of duty run;  
shake off your sleep, and joyful rise,  
to pay your morning sacrifice.

Wake, and lift up yourself, my heart,  
and with the angels take your part,  
who all night long unwearied sing  
high praise to the eternal King.

Lord, I my vows to you renew;  
disperse my sins as morning dew;  
guard my first springs of thought and will,  
And with yourself my spirit fill.

Direct, control, suggest this day,  
all I design, or do, or say,  
that all my powers, with all their might  
in your sole glory may unite.

\*Thomas Ken (1637-1711)

**Hymn 4 CH4 668**  
**According to thy gracious word,**  
in meek humility,  
this will I do, my dying Lord,  
I will remember thee.

Thy body, broken for my sake,  
my bread from heaven shall be;  
thy testamental cup I take,  
and thus remember thee.

Gethsemane can I forget?  
or there thy conflict see,  
thine agony and bloody sweat,  
and not remember thee?

When to the cross I turn mine eyes,  
and rest on Calvary,  
O Lamb of God, my sacrifice,  
I must remember thee:

Remember thee, and all thy pains,  
and all thy love to me;  
yea, while a breath, a pulse remains,  
will I remember thee.

And when these failing lips grow dumb,  
and mind and memory flee,  
when thou shalt in thy kingdom come,  
Jesus, remember me.

James Montgomery (1771-1854)

**Hymn 5 CH4 512**  
**To God be the glory, great things**  
**he has done!**  
So loved he the world that he gave us  
his Son,  
who yielded his life an atonement for  
sin,  
and opened the life-gate that all may  
go in.

*Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!*  
*Let the earth hear his voice!*  
*Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!*  
*Let the people rejoice!*  
*Oh, come to the Father, through Jesus*  
*the Son,*  
*and give him the glory! Great things he*  
*has done!*

O perfect redemption, the purchase of  
blood,  
to every believer the promise of God;  
for every offender who truly believes,  
that moment from Jesus a pardon  
receives.

*Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!...*

Great things he has taught us,  
great things he has done,  
and great our rejoicing through Jesus  
the Son:  
but purer, and higher, and greater will  
be  
our joy, and our wonder, when Jesus  
we see.

*Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord!...*

\*Frances (Fanny) Jane Crosby (1829-1915)

**Doxology CH4 807**  
**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.

Thomas Ken (1637-1711)

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