



Stevenston Livingstone
Church of Scotland



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Welcome to
Livingstone Parish Church
Sunday 23rd April 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 28

Thy mercy, Lord, is in the heavens

Prayer

Hymn 2 CH4 189

Be still, for the presence of the Lord

Reading

Acts 5: 27-32

Reading

John 20: 19-31

Hymn 3 CH4 248

For my sake and the gospel's, go

Sermon

Resurrected Lord

Offering

Hymn 4 CH4 457

All hail the power of Jesus' name

Prayer

Hymn 5 CH4 519

Love divine, all loves excelling

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 28

Thy mercy, Lord, is in the heavens;

thy truth doth reach the clouds:
thy justice is like mountains great;
thy judgement deep as floods:

Lord, all creation thou dost keep.
How precious is thy grace!
Therefore in shadow of thy wings
we all our trust shall place.

We with the bounty of thy house
shall well be satisfied;
from rivers of thy pleasures thou
wilt drink to us provide.

Because of life the fountain pure
remains alone with thee;
and in that purest light of thine
we clearly light shall see.

Psalm 36, verses 5-9
The Scottish Psalter, 1929

Hymn 2 CH4 189

Be still,

for the presence of the Lord,
the Holy one is here;
come bow before him now
with reverence and fear:
in him no sin is found –
we stand on holy ground.
Be still,
for the presence of the Lord,
the Holy one is here;

Be still,
for the glory of the Lord
is shining all around;
he burns with holy fire,
with splendour he is crowned:

how awesome is the sight –
our radiant king of light!
Be still,
for the glory of the Lord
is shining all around.

Be still,
for the power of the Lord
is moving in this place;
he comes to cleanse and heal,
to minister his grace:
no work too hard for him –
in faith receive from him.
Be still,
for the power of the Lord
is moving in this place.

David J. Evans (b. 1957)

Hymn 3 CH4 248

‘For my sake and the gospel’s, go

and tell redemption’s story’;
his heralds answer, ‘Be it so,
and thine, Lord, all the glory!’
They preach his birth, his life, his cross,
the love of his atonement,
for whom they count the world but loss
his Easter, his enthronement.

Hark! hark! the trump of jubilee
proclaims to every nation,
from pole to pole, by land and sea,
glad tidings of salvation.
Still on and on the anthems spread
of alleluia voices;
in concert with the holy dead,
the warrior Church rejoices.

He comes, whose advent trumpet
drowns
the last of time’s evangels,

Immanuel, crowned with many crowns,
the Lord of saints and angels.
O Life, Light, Love, the great I AM,
Triune, who changest never,
the throne of God and of the Lamb
is thine, and thine for ever.

Edward Henry Bickersteth (1825-1906)

Hymn 4 CH4 457

All hail the power of Jesus’ Name!

Let angels prostrate fall;
bring forth the royal diadem,
and crown him, crown him, crown him,
crown him Lord of all.

Crown him, you martyrs of your God,
who from his altar call;
praise him whose path of pain you
trod,
and crown him, crown him, crown him,
crown him Lord of all.

Let every tongue and every tribe,
responsive to the call,
to him all majesty ascribe,
and crown him, crown him, crown him,
crown him Lord of all.

Oh, that with yonder sacred throng,
we at his feet may fall;
join in the everlasting song,
and crown him, crown him, crown him,
crown him Lord of all.

Edward Perronet (1726-1792)

Hymn 5 CH4 519

Love divine, all loves excelling,

joy of heaven, to earth come down,
fix in us thy humble dwelling,
all thy faithful mercies crown.
Jesus, thou art all compassion,
pure, unbounded love thou art;
visit us with thy salvation,
enter every trembling heart.

Come, almighty to deliver;
let us all thy life receive;
suddenly return, and never,
never more thy temples leave.
Thee we would be always blessing,
serve thee as thy hosts above,
pray, and praise thee, without ceasing,
glory in thy perfect love.

Finish then thy new creation:
pure and spotless let us be;
let us see thy great salvation
perfectly restored in thee,
changed from glory into glory,
till in heaven we take our place,
till we cast our crowns before thee,
lost in wonder, love, and praise.

Charles Wesley (1707-1788)

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