

## CHURCH NOTICES.

**WELCOME.** Please sit in any seat and we hope you will feel at home and at peace as you share worship with us. Tea is served after the service in the small hall.

**The Guild** The guild will meet on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> April as usual in order to finalise events planned for May and June.

**Drop in Café and Food Bank** Volunteers are required for a new Drop-in Café Project in Hayocks community centre and a Foodbank outlet at St. John's Church. This is new venture will be run by a team from the Stevenston churches. Volunteers would need to be available from 11,30a.m.-2.30p.m. on a Wednesday, on a 4 week rota at Hayocks Community Centre. If you have time to spare and would like to volunteer, please give your name to Dorothy Penno.

**Sunday Smiles** Easter is about sharing love, and maybe a little chocolate too. Happy Easter!

**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** All intimations for the time being should be given to Dorothy Hershaw by the Wednesday before you would like them in print. gavsandor@aol.com Thank You

**Communications:** -If you wish a visit from the minister or your elder, or if you know of someone who is ill, please leave a note on the memo sheets on the table in the vestibule.

**Church Website** - Each week a recording of the service and the order of service will be published on the web site. Find out more about our church [livingstonechurch.org.uk](http://livingstonechurch.org.uk)

Organist	Mary Munn
Office Bearers	J Wilson, R Bendelow, C Burns, R Burns
Tea/ Coffee	Dorothy Taylor & Maureen Grear
JAM	Sandra Erskine

**Next Sunday** 5<sup>th</sup> April 2015 at 11.30 a.m.

Office Bearers	A Cochrane, Anne Cochrane, R Erskine, S Erskine.
Tea/coffee	S Palmer, A Barbour
JAM	Catherine Reid

Easter Sunday

LIVINGSTONE PARISH CHURCH

April 5<sup>th</sup> 2015 11.30 a.m.

Preacher: Rev. David Heberton MA BD

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

HYMN 1 CH4 411 Christ the Lord is risen today

PRAYER

HYMN 2 JP 137 Jesus is Lord

READING Jeremiah 31 1-6

READING Matthew 28 1-10

HYMN 3 CH4 413 The day of resurrection  
SERMON In a nutshell

OFFERING

HYMN 4 CH4 412 The strife is o'er

PRAYER

Hymn 5 CH4 419 Thine be the glory

BENEDICTION



### Hymn 1 CH4 411

'Christ the Lord is risen today',  
all on earth and angels say;  
raise your joys and triumphs high;  
sing, ye heavens, and earth reply,  
Love's redeeming work is done,  
fought the fight, the battle won;  
lo! our Sun's eclipse is o'er;  
lo! he sets in blood no more.

Vain the stone, the watch, the seal;  
Christ has burst the gates of hell;  
death in vain forbids his rise;  
Christ has opened Paradise.  
Lives again our glorious King;  
where, O death is now thy sting?  
Once he died, our souls to save;  
where thy victory, O grave?

Soar we now where Christ has lead,  
following our exalted Head;  
made like him, like him we rise;  
ours the cross, the grave, the skies.  
Hail the Lord of earth and heaven,  
Praise to thee by both be given;  
thee we greet triumphant now;  
hail the Resurrection, thou!

### Hymn 2 JP 137

**Jesus is Lord! Creations voice proclaims it,**  
for by His power each tree and flower was  
planned and made

Jesus is Lord! The universe declares it  
sun, moon and stars in heaven cry 'Jesus is  
Lord!'

*Jesus is Lord! Jesus is Lord! Praise Him with  
Hallelujahs, for Jesus is Lord!*

Jesus is Lord! Yet from His throne eternal  
in flesh He came to die in pain on Calvary's  
tree

Jesus is Lord! From Him all life proceeding,  
yet gave His life a ransom thus setting us  
free.

*Jesus is Lord.....*

Jesus is Lord! O'er sin the mighty conqueror,  
from death He rose and all His foes shall own  
His name.

Jesus is Lord! God sends His Holy Spirit  
to show by works of power that Jesus is  
Lord

*Jesus is Lord....*

### Hymn 3 CH4 413

**The day of resurrection!**

Earth, tell it out abroad;  
the passover of gladness,  
the passover of God!  
From death to life eternal,  
from sin's dominion free,  
our Christ has brought us over,  
with hymns of victory.

Our hearts be pure from evil,  
that we may see aright  
the Lord in rays eternal  
of resurrection light;  
and listening to his accents,  
may hear, so calm and plain,  
his own "All hail!" and, hearing,  
may raise the victor strain.

Now let the heavens be joyful  
Let earth the song begin,  
the round world keep high triumph,  
and all that is therein;  
Let all things seen and unseen  
their notes in gladness blend,  
for Christ the Lord hath risen,  
our Joy that has no end.

### Hymn 4 CH4 412

**The strife is o'er, the battle done;**

now is the Victor's triumph won; as .  
now be the song of praise begun,  
*Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!*

The powers of death have done their  
worst,  
but Christ their legions has dispersed;  
let shouts of holy joy outburst.  
*Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!*

The three sad days have quickly sped;  
he rises glorious from the dead;  
all glory to our risen Head!  
*Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!*

He broke the bonds of death and hell;  
the bars of heaven's gateway fell;  
let hymns of praise his triumph tell.  
*Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!*

Lord, by the painful wounds you bore,  
death lost its sting for evermore;  
living in you, our praises soar  
*Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!*

### Hymn 5 CH4 419

**Thine be the glory, risen, conquering  
Son,**

endless is the victory thou o'er death  
hast won;  
angels in bright raiment rolled the  
stone away,  
kept the folded grave-clothes, where  
thy body lay,

*Thine be the glory, risen conquering Son  
En endless is the victory thou o'er death  
hast won.*

Lo! Jesus meets us, risen from the  
tomb;  
lovingly he greets us, scatters fear and  
gloom;  
let the Church with gladness  
hymns of triumph sing,  
for her Lord now liveth; death hast  
lost its sting

*Thine be the glory.....*

No more we doubt thee glorious Prince  
of Life.

life is naught without thee:  
aid us in our strife;  
make us more than conquerors,  
through thy deathless love:  
bring us safe through Jordan to thy  
home above.

*Thine be the glory.....*

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