

The Chronicle

of

The Parish of All Saints, Petersham

Rector: Rev. C. E. ADAMS, Th.L. (absent on leave).

Acting Rector: Rev. W. T. PRICE, B.A., All Saints, Rectory, Petersham.
Tel.: LM 4735.

FEBRUARY, 1951



IT'S YOUR CHURCH—WORK FOR IT, PRAY FOR IT, PAY FOR IT.

Churchwardens: Messrs. A. J. HARRIS, L. C. CALVER, W. SOPWITH.

Parish Council: THE CHURCHWARDENS, and Messrs. R. F. ATKINSON,
J. M. BOYLE, H. G. BRODIE, A. E. CARRUTHERS, D. COOKE,
C. H. GRANVILLE, D. B. HUNTER, H. F. JONES
N. SCOTT, A. H. THOMAS.

Secretary: Mr. L. C. CALVER.

Treasurer: Colonel C. H. GRANVILLE.

Organist and Choirmaster: Mr. W. ROWLAND EAGAR.

Verge: (Vacant).

MOTTO FOR 1951

"Whoso hearkeneth unto Me shall dwell safely, and shall be quiet from fear of evil."

—Proverbs 7:33.

THE ACTING RECTOR'S LETTER

All Saints' Rectory,
Petersham.

Dear Parishioners,

At the request of your Rector, the Archbishop has appointed me Locum Tenens during his absence in England. We all rejoice in the fact that Mr. Adams has been enabled to take this well-earned holiday, and we hope that he will enjoy it to the full. We also congratulate him on the announcement of his engagement to Miss Dorothy Wheatley, of Rose Bay, and wish them every joy and happiness in their future life.

Now with regard to the immediate future. Mrs. Price and I are looking forward to a happy time among you. Those whom we have met at the Services have received us very graciously, and we hope soon to become acquainted with a large circle of the parishioners. We are here to work, and endeavour to maintain the splendid work carried on by your rector. We shall do our part, with God's help, and I feel sure that you will give us all the assistance in your power. We need your prayers and hearty co-operation, which no doubt will be forthcoming. Not only must the spiritual life of church-members be built up and maintained, but there is great need to put forth every endeavour to arouse those members of the Church who have grown careless and indifferent to the claims of Christ, and encourage them to attend the Church Services, where I hope and pray they may receive grace and blessing from God.

The season of Lent is a very solemn period in the Church year, and I hope that parishioners will use to the full the means of grace provided in the special services held during that period. On Ash Wednesday, 7th February—the first day of Lent—there will be celebrations of Holy Communion at 7 a.m. and 10.30 a.m. and Evening Prayer at 7.45 p.m. Each Wednesday in Lent there will be celebrations of Holy Communion at 10.30 a.m., and Evening Prayer with Intercession at 7.45 p.m. I heartily invite all parishioners to attend as many services as possible.

I am particularly keen about the Sunday Services, and I extend to every parishioner a hearty invitation to attend at least one Service on the Sunday.

With every good wish,

Yours very sincerely,

W. T. PRICE.

NEWS FROM THE RECTOR

Dear Friends at All Saints',

The Acting Rector has kindly offered me space in the "Chronicle," so that I may, from time to time, send you some news of my doings.

It is all very well for people to say "Go away and forget you have a parish," but that, I find, is a well-meaning injunction impossible of achievement! I think often of All Saints' and its people, and wonder how things are going. Not that I imagine that things cannot go on quite well without me—that would be sheer stupidity and the worst kind of egoism—but there must be some cogitation concerning one's people and parish; without which, one would be scarcely human.

For some days after leaving I had the queerest feeling of unreality; a sort of "This-can't-be-ME" sensation; as though I would soon "wake up" and find I had Baptisms at four, or some other important parish duty! I expect it is the same feeling which comes to busy men during the first few weeks of their retirement.

We have now three other Anglican clergymen aboard—the Revds. D. J. L. Richardson (Diocese of North Queensland), A. J. Stewart (New Zealand) and Russell Clark (Victoria). Yesterday, Septuagesima Sunday, we had our first Celebration of Holy Communion, at 7 a.m., in the Library; Mr. Stewart being the Celebrant, assisted by Mr. Richardson. Mr. Clark and I were members of the congregation of 48 Communicants, as was also Mr. W. S. Gee, Chancellor of Sydney Diocese, who is travelling to Fremantle. Kneeling next to me was Thelma Willcox, whom you Senior Choir members will remember as Thelma Hawes, a former member of our Choir. We had Sunday School for the children at 10 a.m., sixteen attending, most of whom are kindergarten age. The Captain's Service at 10.45 was very well attended; indeed, some of us had to stand throughout, which was not easy, at times, with a swell on! The Service was our own morning prayer, shortened slightly, with sung psalm and canticles, one lesson, and no address. Services at sea are quite an inspiring experience; both the Communion Service and Morning Prayer linking us with our friends ashore, and making us realise that we can join in the fellowship of Prayer and Praise even though we are miles out at sea.

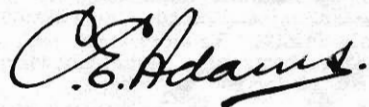
We had three days in Melbourne, giving me an opportunity to visit some very old friends, and also to get in touch with two former All Saints' parishioners, one of whom, I regret to say, is seriously ill. His gratitude for my visit was so obviously sincere, that I felt glad I had "made time" (as we say) to visit him. Adelaide greeted us with a temperature of 97.1°, but, nevertheless, I had a very good day, thanks to the kindness of two good friends, one of whom is the Revd. J. Robertson (formerly minister of Peter-sham Baptist Church, now residing in Adelaide), whom many of you will remember.

We have rounded Cape Leeuwin and are now sailing north for Fremantle, where we are due on Tuesday morning, January 23, leaving again the same day.

Then we have a vast stretch of ocean to traverse before reaching Colombo on January 31.

The parish (which, of course, means the people), is very much in my thoughts and prayers. I feel sure you are doing your utmost to co-operate with Mr. and Mrs. Price, and to help them in every way you can. Greetings and kind remembrances to you all; and may God bless and prosper your work, worship, and fellowship.

Yours very sincerely,



MATTERS MAINLY PAROCHIAL

During the month of January most of the Church organisations have been in recess. There is therefore little to report regarding their activities. Now that the holidays are practically over, we expect great activity in the various branches of the Church's work. Our motto for the New Year will be "Forward, ever forward."

The Choir.—Choir practices have been resumed and a good start has been made with the special music for Easter.

The Clergy.—The Rector is now on his way to England and sends greetings to all parishioners and friends. Read his letter in this issue of the Chronicle. The Rev. and Mrs. W. T. Price have taken up their abode at the Rectory and have received a warm welcome from many parishioners.

District Visitors.—Owing to removal from the parish and sickness, we are short of three lady visitors. Who will offer to take their places? It is an interesting work of very great importance to effective working of the parish. The lady visitors keep the Church in touch with parishioners and receive their offerings which enables the work to be carried on. The Acting Rector will be pleased to hear from ladies willing to do this work of love for Christ and His Church.

The Women's Guild.—The Guild will commence its activities for 1951 with a Gift Evening for the Home of Peace and the Harvest Festival on Thursday, 1st February.

The second meeting for February will be held on Thursday, 22nd, at 8 p.m., and will take the form of a Bible Study by Miss Margaret Young, Warden of the House of the Epiphany. All women of the Parish are welcome to this evening.

The meetings for March will be the Annual Meeting on Thursday, 8th March, and attendance at the Evening Service on Thursday, 22nd March.

We would like to express our sympathy to Mr. Morton and the members of the family in their sad loss. Mrs. Morton was a loyal member of the Guild for many years and will be sadly missed.

Our sympathy also goes to the relatives of Miss M. de Bibra who lost her life in the New Guinea explosion.

The girls who train at the House of the Epiphany become known to us all and our thoughts and prayers go with them in their work, and more especially now to those who are working in the stricken area.

V. LUCAS, Secretary.

Personal.—We extend our sincerest sympathy to Mr. Morton and family in the loss they have sustained in the death of their dear wife and mother. Mrs. Morton was a constant worshipper at All Saints' and one deeply interested in the welfare of the Church.

We also express sympathy with Mr. William Webster, Miss Jessie Webster and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Webster, of Burwood, in the home call of their dear wife and mother. For many years the family were parishioners of All Saints'. The deceased was an active worker as member of the Choir and in the teaching staff of the Sunday School. May God comfort the bereaved ones is our prayer.

Sunday School.—Holidays are over now so we look forward to seeing our attendance numbers grow. Are there any children in your street not attending any Sunday School? Tell them we will gladly welcome them at All Saints'. We need more teachers—are you a Christian who longs to see others come to a saving knowledge of the Lord Jesus Christ? If so there is a job for you to do here.

M. REX, Secretary.

ABORIGINAL SUNDAY

"Who Made Thee to Differ?"

"I would further plead with you, for the sake of the poor, unenlightened savages, who daily visit us, or who reside amongst us. O beware of laying stumbling blocks in the way of these blind people lest the blood of their souls be one day required at your hand."

These words from the Rev. Richard Johnson to the inhabitants of N.S.W. in 1792 may well be considered seriously by all who call themselves Christians.

We are apt to gloss over the facts in our history which suggests a national guilt, but as Christians we cannot do this with any conscience.

The Aborigines of our land were driven from the fertile parts on the coastal rivers into the inhospitable interior. It has sometimes been thought sufficient compensation that we have placed them in contact with "civilisation." But they are not wanting money or luxuries, for they are not materialists. There is no better thing we can do for them than to take them the precious knowledge of Jesus Christ. A Christian Aborigine can stand in the evil day and bring praise to the name of our one Lord.

But to bring the gospel to the Aborigine is not a simple thing.

There have been many years of devoted missionary service, and today there are probably more missionaries to the Aborigines in proportion to their numbers than to any other people. But it must be acknowledged that the result has been very meagre indeed, in terms of the effective communication of the Gospel and the creation of native Churches.

Foremost in this problem of "communication" is the problem of language. Here is one of the most conspicuous failures of missionary work, and one may safely predict that very little effectual evangelisation and edification will occur until missionaries are communicating with the natives in their own languages. And, rightly tackled, this should be by no means an insuperable task in these days.

Another serious handicap is the amount of time and manpower which have to be spent on mission "chores," supply, transport and maintenance of stations, sometimes leaving little energy or enthusiasm for the real job in hand.

The ready acceptance of the Gospel in the Mediterranean countries in the first century was largely due to a common Greek language and a common Hellenistic culture. Here is a multitude of new languages and a culture far removed from our own. It requires the most thorough-going exercise of "thinking black" in the world; but only by this enterprise can we assay the evangelisation of the Aborigine.

THOUGHTS

The roughness of the road is far less evident by daylight than when we see it exaggerated by the glare of earth-bound headlights.—Hugh Redwood.

We must make men realise that there is a God, that they are in His presence and His power. The more we make men feel that God is in the world, the more justice and righteousness there will be.—George A. Gordon.

If you mean to act nobly and seek to know the best things God has put within reach of men, you must learn to fix your mind on that end and not on what will happen to you because of it.—George Eliot.

The fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, meekness, temperance: against such there is no law.—Galatians 5:22-23.

It is very rare to find ground which produces nothing. If it is not covered with flowers, fruit trees, and grains, it produces briars and pines.—Bruyere.

Of all exercises there are none of so much importance, or so immediately our concern, as those which let us into the knowledge of our own nature.—Bishop Warburton.

It is always good to know, even only in passing, charming human beings; it refreshes one like flowers and woods and clear brooks.—George Eliot.

True delicacy, that most beautiful heartleaf of humanity, exhibits itself most significantly to little things.—Mary Howitt.

Be methodical if you would succeed in business, or in anything. Have a work for every moment, and mind the moment's work.—W. Matthews.

The man who starts out with the idea of merely getting rich won't succeed; you must have a larger ambition.—John D. Rockefeller.

Character is that which reveals moral purpose, exposing the class of things a man chooses or avoids.—Aristotle.

True delicacy, as true generosity, is more wounded by an act of offence from itself, than to itself.—Greville.

LITTLE THINGS

*A Crumb will feed a little bird,
A thought prevent an angry word,
A seed bring forth full many a flower,
A drop of rain foretell a shower.
A little cloud the sun will hide,
A dwarf may prove a giant's guide,
A narrow plank a safe bridge form,
A smile one cheerless spirit warm.*

—Exchange.

CHURCH MUSIC, FEBRUARY 11th to MARCH 4th, 1951

SUNDAY	MORNING	EVENING
February 11th Lent I	Holy Communion—Choral (Merbecke) Hymns 89, 282, 249, 90	Hymns 92, 91, 287 Psalm 6 Anthem: "Turn Thy face from my sins" (Attwood)
February 18th Lent II	Hymns 244, 255, 84, 254 Psalm 119, verses 1-8	Hymns 245, 774, 263 Psalm 119, verses 33-40 Anthem: "Hide not Thou Thy face" (Farrant)
February 25th Lent III	Hymns 244, 255, 312 Psalm 119, verses 81-88	Hymns 245, 774, 263 Psalm 119, verses 105-112 Anthem: "God so Loved the world" (Goss)
March 4th Lent IV	Hymns 671, 185, 265, 243 Psalm 119, verses 145-152	Hymns 28, 142, 95 Psalm 39 Anthem: "Bow down Thou Thine Ear" (Tchaikovsky)

DISTRICT VISITORS' COLLECTIONS

Per Mrs. Robertson.—Mrs. Quelch, 2/-; Mrs. Slee, 1/-; Mrs. Partridge, 1/-; Mrs. Leroy, 1/-; Mrs. Gunn, 1/-; Mrs. Grant, 1/-; Mrs. Jones, 1/-; Mrs. Gash, 1/-; Miss Alexander, 1/-; Mrs. Nisbet, 1/-; Mrs. Gannon, 1/-; Mrs. Wheeler, 1/-; Mrs. Douglas, 6d.; Mrs. Clark, 1/-; Miss Sutherland, 1/-; Mrs. Robertson, 2/-; Mrs. Gamble, 2/-; Mrs. Parson, 3/-; Mrs. Williams, 1/-; Mrs. Dingle, 2/-; Mrs. Beattie, 1/-; Mrs. Gottke, 1/-; Mrs. Cox, 2/-; Mrs. Binns, 1/-; Mrs. Dennis, 1/-; Mrs. Moore, 1/-; Mrs. Colbert, 2/-; Mrs. Morris, 2/-; Mrs. Lackey, 1/-; Mrs. Darby, 1/-; Mrs. Bayley, 1/-; Mrs. O'Brien, 1/-; Mrs. Kidd, 1/-; Mrs. Dewberry, 1/-; Mrs. Strauss, 2/-; Mrs. Roberts, 2/-; Mr. Toohey, 2/-; Mrs. Clark, 2/-; Mrs. Gilbert, 2/-; Mrs. Conyard, 1/-; Mrs. Cook, 2/-; Mrs. Kingston, 1/-; Miss Browning, 2/-; Mrs. Bullock, 2/-; Mrs. Jenkins, 2/-; Mr. Bell, 1/-; Mrs. Stedman, 4/-; Mrs. Harwin, 1/-; Mrs. Norman, 1/-; Miss Greenwood, 2/-; Mrs. Madsen, 1/-; Mrs. Otter, 1/-. Total: £3/13/6.

Per Miss Norman.—Mrs. Webster, 1/-; Mr. Bert Williams, 2/-; Miss Martin, 1/-; Mrs. Williams, 6/-; Miss Juleff, 1/-; Mrs. Lines, 3/-; Mrs. Grainger, 2/-; Miss Hering, 2/-; Mrs. Maxwell, 1/6; Mrs. Welch, 1/-; Mrs. Meadow, 1/-; Mrs. Mervyn, 1/-; Mrs. Sumner, 1/-; Mrs. Fraser, 2/-; Mrs. Thomas, 1/-; Mrs. Jones, 1/-; Mrs. Holt, 10/-; Miss Hobbs, 6/-; Miss Norman, 1/-. Total: £2/4/6.

Per Miss E. Olofsson.—Mr. Sefton, 2/-; Mrs. Olofsson, 1/-; Mrs. Crawford, 1/-; Mrs. Martin, 1/-; Mr. Thompson, 6d.; Mrs. Nicol, 6d.; Mrs. Jackson, 1/-; Mrs. Guiver, 1/-; Mrs. Schofield, 6d.; Mrs. Mulhall, 1/-; Mr. Gain, 2/-; Mrs. Cloud, 2/-; Mrs. Moore, 1/-; Mrs. Gunner, 2/-; Mrs. Hancorne, 1/-; Mrs. McCarty, 1/-; Mr. Walter, 1/-; Erik Olofsson, 1/-; Miss Harris, 1/-. Total: 19/6.

Per Miss Bayley.—Miss Walters, 1/-; Mrs. Gilbert, 2/-; Mrs. Delaney, 2/-; Mrs. Knight, 1/-; Mrs. Cruden, 1/-; Mrs. Leslie, 1/-; Mrs. Grey, 1/-; Mrs. Watson, 1/-; Mrs. Thompson, 1/-; Mrs. Higgins, 2/-; Mrs. Heaton, 1/-; Mrs. Whitebrook, 2/-; Mrs. Pringle, 1/-; Mrs. Tuall, 1/-; Mrs. Lane, 1/-; Mrs. Bryce, 2/-; Mrs. Finch, 2/-; Miss Holford, 1/-; Mrs. J. Ford, 1/-; Mrs. Gagan, 1/-; Mrs. Beath, 1/-; Mrs. McKay, 1/-; Mrs. Crooks, 1/-; Mr. Impey, 1/-; Mrs. Norman, 1/-; Mrs. Stevenson, 1/-; Misses Janssen, 1/-; Miss Darton, 2/-; Mrs. Fowler, 1/-; Mrs. J. Cooper, 1/-; Miss J. Read, 2/-; Mrs. Matthewson, 2/-; Mr. Bolin, 2/-; Miss Bayley, 1/-; Mrs. Cons, 1/-; Mrs. Saunders, 2/-; Miss Dacey, 1/-; Anonymous, 6d. Total: £2/8/6.

Per Mrs. Cook.—Mrs. Petherbridge, 3/-; Mr. D. Petherbridge, 2/-; Mrs. Hanher, 2/-; Mrs. Kelly, 1/-; Mr. Choy, 1/-; Mrs. Ruhle, 1/-; Mrs. Miskle, 2/-; Mrs. Hayne, 3/-; Mrs. Sadleir, 1/-; Mrs. Gordon, 1/-; Mr. Hurst, 2/-; Mrs. Allen, 2/-; Mrs. Gordon, 1/-; Mrs. Roffey, 1/-; Mrs. Hutton, 2/-; Mrs. Edwards, 1/-; Miss Haywood, 3/-; Mrs. Hellyer, 6d.; Mr. Burt, 2/-; Miss Derbyshire, 1/-; Mrs. Handel, 2/-; Miss Spencer, 2/-; Mrs. Loughman,

2/-; Mrs. Rowley, 2/-; Mrs. Fisher, 1/-; Mrs. Hickey, 1/-; Mrs. Herbert, 1/-; Mrs. Byrne, 1/-; Mrs. Alexander, 2/-; Mrs. Hodgson, 1/-; Mr. Hailwood, 3/-; Mr. Burton, 4/-; Miss Critterden, 1/-; Mrs. S. Smith, 1/-. Total: £2/16/6.

Per Mrs. Binns.—Miss Rainsford, 1/-; Miss Taylor, 1/-; Miss Humphries, 1/-; Miss Sibthorpe, 1/-; Mrs. Ayrton, 1/-; Mrs. Fowler, 1/-; Mrs. Fullagar, 1/-; Mrs. Redfern, 4/-; Mrs. Grant, 1/-; Mrs. Atterton, 2/-; Mrs. Cobert, 2/-; Mrs. Robertson, 1/-. Total: 19/-.

Per Miss Farley.—Mrs. Wilson, 1/-; Mrs. A. B. Carpenter, 1/-; Mrs. Collins, 1/-; Mrs. Austin, 2/-; Miss Greenaway, 1/-; Mrs. Barnes, 1/-; Mrs. Sharpe, 1/-; Mrs. Paulette, 1/-; Mrs. Geary, 1/-; Mrs. Harrison, 1/-; Miss Frost, 1/-; Mrs. E. A. Baker, 2/6; Mrs. Godkin, 1/-; Mrs. N. Carpenter, 1/-; Mrs. Jowitt, 1/-; Mrs. Lorgier, 2/-; Mrs. Gray, 1/-; Mrs. Verdon, 1/-; Mrs. R. Smith, 6d.; Mr. Makepeace, 2/-; Mrs. McIlveen, 1/-; Mrs. S. B. Clarke, 2/-; Mrs. Powell, 2/-; Mrs. Thornton, 1/-; Mrs. Lambert, 6d.; Mrs. Johnson, 2/-; Mrs. Brown, 1/-; Mrs. Kenny, 6d.; Mrs. Edwards, 6d.; Miss Farley, 1/-; Mrs. J. Cooper, 1/-; Mrs. Lovis, 1/-; Mrs. Fletcher, 2/-; Mrs. Storey, 1/-; Mrs. Millar, 2/6; Mr. Burtinshaw, 2/-; Mrs. Hunt, 1/-; Mrs. Kent, 1/-; Mrs. Schuback, 1/-; Mrs. Charlton, 2/-; Anonymous, 2/-; Mrs. Green, 1/-. Total: £2/13/-.

Per Mrs. Furnell (for Mrs. Martin).—Mrs. R. Elkin, 2/-; Mrs. Irwin, 1/-; Mr. Newman, 6d.; Mrs. Martin, 1/-; Mrs. Odlum, 6d.; Mrs. Pollett, 1/-; Mrs. Murphy, 1/-; Mrs. Sledman, 1/-; A friend, 1/-; Mrs. Logan, 2/-; Mrs. Keys, 1/-; Miss Howard, 1/-; Mrs. Sayers, 1/-; Mrs. Palmer, 1/-; Mrs. Fuller, 1/-; Mr. Bosward, 2/-; Miss Marsh, 1/-; Mrs. Seagrove, 1/-; Mrs. Bailey, 2/-; Mrs. Gorrle, 1/-; Mrs. Nicholls, 1/-; Mrs. Hackett, 1/-; Mrs. Coles, 1/-; Mrs. Mannell, 1/-; Mrs. Kerr, 2/-; Mrs. Joyce, 1/6; Miss Woodward, 1/-; Mrs. Smith, 6d.; Mrs. Furnell, 1/-; Miss Nobes, 1/-; Mrs. Lockie, 2/-; Mrs. Williams, 2/-; Mrs. Robinson, 1/-; Mrs. Wiggers, 1/-; Mrs. Hills, 1/-; Mrs. Turner, 3d.; Miss Allen, 2/-; Mrs. Hawkrige, 1/-. Total: £2/4/3.

Per Mrs. E. Auhl.—Mrs. Auhl, 2/-; Mrs. Payne, 1/-; Miss Willis, 2/-; Miss Dean, 2/-; Mrs. Horn, 2/-; Mrs. Thompson, 1/-; Mrs. Cooper, 2/-; Mr. D. Cooke, 1/-; Mrs. Evans, 1/-; Mrs. Green, 1/-; Mrs. Phillips, 1/-; Mrs. Maskill, 2/-; Mrs. Milleray, 1/-; Mrs. Beckett, 1/-. Total: £1/-/-.

Per Mrs. Craigie.—Mrs. Andreoni, 2/-; Mrs. Baxter, 2/-; Mrs. Bellis, 1/-; Mrs. Bicknell, 1/-; Mrs. Bugden, 1/-; Mrs. Bray, 1/-; Miss Baker, 1/-; Mrs. Cahill, 1/-; Mrs. Callaghan, 1/-; Mrs. Churchill, 1/-; Mrs. Cheadle, 2/-; Mrs. Collis, 1/-; Mrs. Craigie, 2/6; Mrs. Cornish, 6d.; A friend, 1/-; Mrs. Ditchburn, 1/-; Mrs. Dobson, 2/-; Mrs. Glore, 1/-; Mrs. Grey, 1/-; Mrs. Gerard, 1/-; Mrs. Hales, 2/-; Mrs. Hankin, 1/-; Mrs. Jarvis, 1/-; Mrs. Locke, 1/-; Mrs. Lange, 1/-; Mrs. Martin,

1/-; Mrs. McDuff, 1/-; Mrs. McLaren, 2/-; Mrs. McNamara, 1/-; Mrs. Mitchell, 1/-; Mrs. Newton, 2/-; Mrs. Pepper, 1/-; Mrs. Potter, 2/-; Mrs. Phillips, 1/-; Mrs. Quin, 1/-; Mrs. Robinson, 1/-; Mrs. W. Robinson, 1/-; Mrs. Rhodes, 1/-; Mrs. Scrutton, 1/-; Mrs. Sharpe, 1/-; Miss Skead, 1/-; Mrs. Stevens, 2/-; Mr. Scott, 1/-; Mrs. Thomas, 1/-; Mrs. V. Thomas, 1/-; Mrs. Wren, 1/-; Mrs. Watson, 1/-; Mrs. Worders, 1/-; Mrs. Wonnocott, 1/-; Mrs. Young, 1/- Total: £3/-.

Per Miss Allen.—Miss Allen, 2/-; Miss Rockwell, 1/-; Mrs. James, 2/-; Mrs. Cole, 1/-; Mrs. Hutchens, 4/-; Mrs. Willis, 2/-; Mrs. Byram, 2/-; Mrs. Jones, 2/-; Mrs. Clarke, 1/-; Miss Deacon, 1/-; Miss Brown, 2/6; Miss Payn, 1/-; Mrs. B. Lane, 1/-; Mrs. Cleary, 1/-; Anonymous, 2/-; Mrs. Usher, 1/-; Mrs. Richardson, 1/-; Mrs. Forrest, 1/-; Mrs. Bunting, 1/-; Mrs. Mitchell, 1/-; Mrs. Coupland, 2/-; Mrs. Burton, 2/- Total: £1/14/6.

Per Mrs. Taylor.—Mrs. Williams, 1/-; Miss Adams, 1/-; Miss Belfield, 1/-; Mrs. Watts, 6d.; Mr. Pope, 6d.; Mrs. Blatch, 6d.; Miss Blatch, 6d.; Mrs. Hendley, 6d.; Mrs. Graham, 1/-; Mr. C. Graham, 1/-; Miss Graham, 6d.; Miss Keys, 1/-; Mrs. Lowe, 1/-; Mrs. Buckley, 1/-; Mrs. Dwyer, 1/-; Miss Hyatt, 1/-; Mr. J. Bell, 1/-; Mrs. Skelton, 1/-; Mrs. Millett, 1/-; Mrs. Thew, 1/-; Mrs. Taylor, 1/-; Mrs. Lewis, 1/- Total: £1/-.

Per Miss Bluns, for Mrs. Lock.—Mrs. Gobert, 1/-; Mrs. Currie, 2/-; Miss Ronald, 6d.; Mrs. Fisher, 6d.; Mrs. Pullen, 1/-; Mrs. B. Pullen, 1/-; Mrs. Wethered, 2/-; Mrs. Wallis, 1/-; Mr. Fraser, 2/- Total: 11/-.

Per Mr. C. H. Granville.—Mrs. E. Sharpe, 6/-.

Per Mrs. Jones.—Mrs. Kernett, 1/-; Mrs. Cripp, 1/-; Mrs. Fryar, 1/-; Miss Slacombe, 1/-; Mrs. Cooper, 2/-; Mrs. Burns, 2/-; Miss Lee, 1/-; Mrs. Callaghan, 1/-; Mrs. McWilliam, 1/-; Mrs. Harris, 1/-; Mrs. Jones, 2/-; Mrs. Smith, 2/-; Mrs. Roe, 2/-; Mrs. Mitchell, 2/-; Mrs. Locke, 6/-; Mrs. Kerry, 1/-; Mrs. Napier, 1/-; Mrs. Shaw, 1/-; Mrs. Anderson, 1/-; Miss Chippindall, 1/-; Miss Snowden, 1/-; Mrs. Hilyard, 2/-; Mrs. Kell, 2/- Total: £1/10/-.

Per Mrs. E. Morris.—Mrs. McLennan, 2/-; Mrs. Fisher, 1/-; Mrs. Chamberlain, 1/-; Mrs. Houldsworth, 1/-; Mrs. E. Robertson, 1/-; Mrs. Halton, 6d.; Mr. Peard, 2/-; Miss Peard, 2/-; Miss Hole, 1/-; Mrs. Eggleton, 2/-; Mrs. Walridge, 1/-; Mrs. Neary, 1/-; A friend, 6d.; Miss Thomson, 1/-; Mrs. Binksin, 1/-; Mrs. McCloy, 1/-; Mrs. Hart, 2/-; Mrs. Tooth, 1/-; Mrs. Mathews, 6d.; Mrs. Meldrum, 6d.; Mrs. Brown, 1/-; Mrs. Horton, 1/-; Mrs. Dickson, 6d.; Mrs. Watters, 1/-; Mrs. Cordeaux, 1/-; Mrs. Quayle, 6d. Total: £1/8/-.

For Mrs. Davison's List.—Mrs. Hoseason, 1/-; Miss Speight, 1/-.

LADY VISITORS' GENERAL FUND

Per Mrs. Davison.—Mrs. Gilbert, 1/-; Mr. McKay, 4/-; Mrs. Evans, 1/-; Mrs. Robinson, 1/-; Mrs. Price, 2/-; Miss Chapman, 1/-; Mrs. Chamberlain, 2/-; Mrs. Duckworth, 1/-; Mrs. Garrad, 1/-; Mr. Walpole, 2/-; Mrs. Howe, 1/-; Mrs. Bowler, 1/-; Mrs. Jarman, 2/-; Mrs.

Miller, 1/-; Mrs. Archer, 2/-; Mrs. Mulveny, 1/-; Mrs. Dunn, 2/-; Mrs. Davison, 1/-; Mrs. Fife, 1/-; Mrs. Corduroy, 1/-; Mrs. Atkinson, 1/- Total: £1/10/-.

ASSISTANT CLERGY FUND

Per Mrs. Craigie.—Mrs. Craigie, 1/-; Mrs. Ditchburn, 1/-; Mrs. McLaren, 1/- Total: 3/-.

Per Mrs. Bluns.—Miss Rainsford, 1/-; Mrs. Robertson, 1/-; Miss Taylor, 1/- Total: 3/-.

Per Mrs. Cook.—Mr. Hailwood, 3/-.

Per Miss E. Olofsson.—Mrs. Olofsson, 1/-; Erik Olofsson, 1/- Total: 2/-.

Per Miss Norman.—Mrs. Holt, 5/-; Miss Norman, 1/-; Miss Atkinson, 1/- Total: 7/-.

Per Mrs. Robertson.—Mrs. Slee, 1/-; Mrs. Grant, 1/-; Mrs. Harris, 2/-; Miss Sutherland, 1/-; Mrs. Robertson, 2/6 Total: 7/6.

Per Mrs. Taylor.—Miss Belfield, 1/-; Mrs. Taylor, 1/-.

Per Mr. C. H. Granville.—Mrs. E. Sharpe, 5/-.

Per Mrs. Jones.—Mrs. Locke, 4/-; Mrs. Napier, 1/-; Miss Snowden, 1/-; Mrs. Hilyard, 1/- Total: 7/-.

For Mrs. Davison's List.—Miss Speight, 1/-.

B.C.A. BOXES—QUARTER ENDED 31st

DECEMBER, 1950

Mrs. R. W. Holt, 10/-; Miss Speight, 5/8; Mr. and Miss Peard, 10/-; Miss Lucas, 13/-; Mr. H. F. Jones' class, 6/-; The Rector, 14/9; Mr. H. F. Jones, 6/8; Miss Rex, 18/6 Total: £4/4/5.

OFFERTORIES AND COMMUNICANTS FOR JANUARY

January 7	£8	14	5	49
January 14	15	7	7 (a)	59
January 21	10	2	0 (b)	13
January 28	10	3	10	59
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£44					180

(a) Including 10/- C. of E. Homes, A.C.I. 5/-.

(b) Including 6/6 C. of E. Homes, 10/- World Council of Churches, £4/4/5 Bush Church Aid Society.

BAPTISMS

"Suffer the little children to come unto Me."

January 21.—Patricia Irene McLean.
January 21.—Monica Mae Bertronne McCutcheon.
January 21.—Judith Lorraine Harris.
January 28.—Bruce McCleure Hodgson.

MARRIAGES

"Those whom we bless in Thy Name."

January 6.—David Gabriel McKinnon and Florence Allsworth.
January 17.—Ashley Sheridan Plowman and Mary Ann Gladys Juleff.

FUNERALS

"Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord."

January 10.—Mildred Morton.
January 24.—Jessie Ann Webster.

They are "With Christ, which is far better."