

# The Chronicle

of  
The Parish of All Saints, Petersham

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MAY, 1946.

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Rector: Rev. C. E. ADAMS, Th.L., All Saints' Rectory, Petersham.  
Tel.: LM 4735.



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

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Church wardens : Messrs. E. C. KING, L. C. CALVER, A. J. HARRIS.

Parish Council : THE CHURCHWARDENS and Messrs. J. M. BOYLE,  
H. G. BRODIE, A. E. CARRUTHERS, D. COOKE, W. J. COOKE,  
D. B. HUNTER, H. F. JONES, N. SCOTT, W. SOPWITH (Jnr.);  
C. E. TANNER, A. H. THOMAS, W. WEBSTER.

Secretary : Mr. L. C. CALVER.

Treasurer : Mr. E. C. KING.

Organist and Choirmaster : Mr. A. B. KERRIGAN.

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## THE RECTOR'S LETTER

All Saints' Rectory, 29th April, 1946.

Dear People of All Saints',

After unusually stormy and wet weather which commenced on Palm Sunday Evening and continued through most of Holy Week, we were fortunate in having fine weather for Easter Day. Although the attendances at Holy Week services were affected by the bad weather, we had very good Easter Services, for which we record our gratitude. The prospect of getting sufficient white flowers for the Festival (after the heavy rain) seemed poor indeed; but a generous supply of lovely white dahlias, grown by Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Bosward (who had supplied the church for many weeks prior to the Festival) together with a donation from Mrs. Gibb (in memory of her husband, our former esteemed choir-member) and the palms kindly loaned by Mrs. Sworn, gave us sufficient to bedeck our church beautifully for the "Queen of Festivals"—Easter. Many thanks to ALL who contributed to the success of our Festival Services, particularly to the choir which rendered consistently good service throughout the day. We were happy in having the assistance of the N.S.W. Secretary of the Australian Board of Missions—the Revd. A. J. A. Fraser—who assisted at the First Celebration, celebrated at the second, and preached at the eleven o'clock service.

The churchwardens' statement at our Annual vestry meeting revealed another satisfactory financial year, ending with a credit balance of over £265. The meeting decided to use some of this balance by purchasing one hundred-and-fifty pounds' worth of War Savings Certificates. Mr. L. C. Calver and Mr. A. J. Harris were unanimously re-elected Peoples' Wardens and Mr. E. C. King again honoured me by accepting nomination as Rector's Warden. We shall have the same Parish Council this year, as the meeting re-elected the retiring Council, and my nominees remain unchanged. Mr. S. L. Derrett and W. Sopwith, Jr. were elected Honorary Auditors, and Messrs. F. C. King, L. C. Calver, D. B. Hunter, T. H. Bosward and J. M. Boyle were re-elected Parochial Nominators. Satisfactory and encouraging reports were received from the various parochial organisations. I am thankful to say that our gifts for the extension of Christ's Kingdom both in our own land and abroad together with those for extra-parochial causes have increased. Once again it has been demonstrated that the parish church which has a wider vision than its own parochial needs, never loses by what it gives to other good causes; on the contrary it gains much blessing. Never will you find a missionary-hearted people neglecting their own parish church and its particular needs.

We place on record our thanks to all the people of this parish within and without its various organisations who have loyally supported all efforts which have been made during the financial year past, for the welfare of the parish and the building of the Kingdom of God. May what we have achieved together during the past year be an incentive to go forward with courage to meet the challenges of these difficult post-war years; remembering that nothing worthwhile or lasting has ever yet been achieved without some measure of giving of *ourselves* to the tasks in hand.

We are particularly reminded at this Easter season that Christ in "the power of His Resurrection" gives to us comfort as we contemplate the mystery of death; but He also gives us strength and hope as we contemplate the mystery of life. For each of us there can be a resurrection here and now. We can be dead in sin and selfishness and yet, by His grace, rise to newness of life. The world needs such a message now; we see so much evil abroad that even the stout-hearted are tempted to despair of the better world for which we long. The dead hand lies heavy upon so much of our world that often the chances of revival seem poor indeed. But Christ in the power of His Resurrection can make the world anew. He *did* transform the world long ago. Is it possible to measure the difference

Christ has made; can you imagine what human history would have been without Him? Remember, His power has not waned; when hearts are open to Him, He comes with new life and power to make the world sweeter and better, and He works through his disciples, through people like us.

The Revd. J. F. Chappell will be in charge of the parish during my absence. I hope you will rally round and assist him in every way you can, the most encouraging way would be by your regular attendance at the services.

Very sincerely yours,

*J. E. Adams.*

#### MATTERS MAINLY PAROCHIAL

*Children's Library.*—On Saturday, April 21st 1945, the Children's Library, under the auspices of C.S.O.M. was opened, and on Saturday, April 27th, 1946, the Library's first birthday was held. A very happy time was spent by all present. The programme was contributed by the children. Musical items were given by Elvie Olofsson, Jacqueline Ditchburn and Maureen Jones. A feature of the programme was the Living Pictures arranged by Miss Adams, and delightfully portrayed by Nancy Timmins, June Richardson, Helen Smith, Dorothy Locke, Jacqueline Ditchburn, Valerie Arnold, Pam MacMillan, Terry Morris and Ken Locke. The youthful comperes were Beverly Lawrence and Beryl Wright. Mrs. Meredith provided incidental music and also acted as accompanist with her usual artistry. Mrs. K. Grant and her helpers regaled all with a delicious afternoon tea, after which, Miss Adams was called upon to cut the beautiful birthday cake which was made and donated by Mrs. Page. Very many thanks to all who helped with this happy function. The financial result was £5/3/-. During the afternoon the Rector stated that there are now 1,020 books in the library, 400 having been added this first year. The membership stands at 120. How about celebrating your next birthday by donating a book!

*Women's Guild.*—On Thursday, April 11th, the Guild was fortunate in having another Bible Study Evening conducted by the Rector. "Judas and Peter—a Comparison" was the subject chosen for study and was most interesting and helpful. Our thanks are due to the Rector for his guidance in these studies. The functions for this month are—Thursday, May 9th, Business Meeting, Luncheon arrangements; Thursday, May 23rd, the WOMEN'S ANNUAL LUNCHEON at 12.30 p.m. These luncheons are among the "highlights" of the Guild's many activities, and the one this year, it is hoped will beat all records. The guest speaker will be Miss Margaret Young, who was to have been the speaker last year, but owing to transport difficulties from New Zealand was not able to arrive in time. You must have lunch somewhere, so why not with us on the 23rd. The menu is always very good, and added to this, you will hear fine music, an interesting speaker, and last but not least you will enjoy social intercourse with one another. So come and bring your friends and make it the best luncheon we have had to date, and that's saying quite a lot. Tickets are 1/6 each.

On Friday, May 17 the Women's Auxiliary of A.B.M. is holding a Garden Party at the A.B.M. Hostel at 111 Cambridge Street, Stanmore. It is hoped that many of you will be able to attend and see and hear of the fine work being done at this training centre for the student missionaries to A.B.M. V. Lucas, Hon. Sec.

*C.E.N.E.F.*—We hope you are keeping our next Market Day in mind—Saturday, June 15—when we combine with the Guild in raising funds for the new C.E.N.E.F.

Centre in Castlereagh Street (to cost £40,000) and the Guild's many activities. In connection with the "Day" there is a "Queen of the Flowers" Competition, when Joan Bicknell (Wistaria) Jacqueline Ditchburn (Poinsettia), Yvonne Green (sunflower), Lynette Sanderson (Carnation), and Jan Sayers (Rose), will all be striving in friendly rivalry to top the list and so enable us to send in a substantial sum to help the new C.E.N.E.F. Centre. Help them all you can, won't you? Buy their 1d. tickets. A date to remember—Saturday, June 15th, Time 3 p.m., Place: The Parish Hall. E. M. Belfield, Hon. Sec.

*Lenten Offerings.*—We are grateful for our people's response to the Lenten Appeal for the missionary work of the Church. So far we have received £18/8/3 for A.B.M. and £13/3/3 for C.M.S. These amounts together with the Children's Lenten Offering of approximately £19 for A.B.M. will make a total of £50/11/6 for our Lenten Offerings for the extension of Christ's Kingdom.

*Physical Culture Class.*—This class is now in "full swing" under the direction of Miss L. Brown of the Bjelke-Peterson School. Mrs. Ditchburn is the Treasurer and Mrs. Collis, Pianiste. Membership Fee is 1/6, with a payment of 6d. per lesson.

*The Sunday School.*—The Scholars presented their Lenten Self-Denial Boxes at the Easter Day Children's Service when nearly £19 was received; there are still some boxes outstanding, and when these come in, we hope to equal last year's record.

We were happy to welcome back to the Staff Mr. B. Sayers after serving up North with the A.I.F. for several years.

Teachers are reminded of the "Get-Together Night" on May 16th.

Many of our scholars possess entertaining ability, and to get them an opportunity to display their talents we are holding an "Amateur Night" on Tuesday, May 28th, in the Parish Hall, at 8 p.m., when the Singers, Pianists, Elocutionists, Dancers, etc., among the scholars will give an entertaining and novel programme.

Admission will be 1/- and we look for the support of all parishioners in this effort of the young folk.

*Ascension Day.*—Thursday, May 30th is Ascension Day. It is rather more difficult to observe this great Festival, falling, as it must, on a Thursday; but with a little effort it can be kept as it should be. It is interesting to note that in the Prayer Book Ascension Day has proper Psalms and a proper Preface in the Holy Communion Office, thus ranking in importance with Easter and Whitsunday. There will be celebrations of Holy Communion on Ascension Day at 7.30 and 10.30 a.m. and Evening Prayer at 7.45. We hope you will endeavour to be present at one of these services, at least.

*Mothers' Day.*—This year we propose observing Mothers' Day in a practical way by having special offerings for the "Food for Britain" Fund, and thus do something for the mothers in Britain who are having such a difficult time. You will want to come to church to remember your own mother, and you could express your love for her in no better way than by helping the mothers overseas in this very practical way. Our gifts will be in money as we believe that is the best way to assist the Fund. You may have helped the fund individually, but, so far, we have done nothing as a body. The Sunday is the third after Easter, MAY 12th. The church decorations will again be in the capable hands of Mrs. Sworn, Mrs. Clifton Smith and the members of the Wedlock family in memory of their mother—Elizabeth Wedlock.

*Personal.*—We offer our sincerest sympathy to the following parishioners and friends in their recent bereavements: The family of the late Mary Jane Wythes in the death of their mother; Mrs. Reilly and the Misses Hill in the loss of their brother, A. E. G. Hill of Cremorne, also to his widow and family; the relatives of

the late John Storey, of Gordon Crescent, and the members of the Bannan family (and their relatives) in the very sudden passing of their mother. So long as there is an All Saints' Church in Petersham, the name Bannan will be remembered and honoured in it. No good cause ever appealed in vain to Helen Bannan, and no one but those nearest to her knew anything of her many acts of kindly helpfulness. Ever thoughtful for others, her great desire was to spare her family any anxiety on her behalf, right to the last. As recently as Easter Day, she worshipped with us here, and shared with us the triumph of the Easter message. By her passing many will feel they have lost a sincere friend.

May all who are sad know the strengthening and sustaining Power of the Holy Spirit.

*Parish Memorial.*—The Vestry Meeting approved the Memorial Committee's recommendation that "a memorial be erected in the Parish Church, and that any moneys over and above that required for a church memorial be devoted to the Kindergarten Extension Fund". A Shrine of Remembrance is suggested by the Committee, and it is hoped we may soon be able to place before the parishioners an approximate estimate of the cost of the proposed memorial.

*Diocesan Festival.*—After being in abeyance during the war years, the Diocesan Festival will be held this year on *Monday, June 3rd*, in the Sydney Town Hall. It is to be called The Diocesan Thanksgiving and Victory Festival, and will commence with the Tea at 6.15 p.m., followed by Service in the Cathedral at 7 o'clock (when Canon H. W. Barder will be the preacher) and will conclude with a Public Meeting in the Town Hall, when His Grace, The Archbishop, will preside, and the speakers will be Senior Chaplain F. Hulme-Moir and Dr. Paul White. A short pageant of Home Mission Society activities will be presented. All Saints' Petersham will again have its own table at the Tea, and we hope many will gather round it. Tickets for the Tea are 1/6, and may be obtained from our L.H.M.U. Secretary, Miss Brown, or may be purchased at the Rectory.

*Parish Hall Fund.*—The Boxes which we use each year, in lieu of a fete, for our Parish Hall Fund were made available on Easter Day, and will be recalled on August 18 (our Consecration Festival). Owing to a late Easter we shall have three

CHURCH MUSIC, 12th MAY TO 2nd JUNE, 1946.

SUNDAY	MORNING	EVENING
May 12 Easter iii	Holy Communion (Choral) Hymns: 37, 132, 197.	Hymns: 504, 139, 298, 23. Psalm: 84. Anthem: "With a Voice of Singing". (Martin Shaw)
May 19 Easter iv	Hymns: 35, 526, 302, 297, 546. Psalm: 145.	Hymns: 299, 478, 651, 21. Psalm: 146. Anthem: "Blessed be the God and Father" (S. S. Wesley).
May 26 (Rogation) Easter v	Hymns: 199, 705, 715. Psalm: 132.	Hymns: 142, 675, 232, 512. Psalm: 107. Anthem: "Had we but Harkened". (Walford Davies).
June 2 Sunday after Ascension	Hymns: 7, 201, 202, 304, 706. Psalm: 96.	Hymns: 301, 656, 300, 148. Psalms: 149, 150. Anthem: "Worthy is the Lamb" (Handel)

weeks less in which to fill our boxes; so if you have not yet secured yours, will you please do so AT ONCE. This appeal concerns us ALL, particularly the younger people who have the privilege of a spacious hall for their clubs and societies, and should, therefore, take their share in helping to pay off the Hall debt. If *everyone will help*, we have no doubt the Churchwardens' objective of £200 by August 18 will be attained.

*District Visitors.*—Congratulations to the District Visitors upon the completion of another very successful year's work, when they collected £348/11/3 for the General Fund and £26/11/6 for the Assistant Clergy Fund, making a total of £375/2/9, which, although a little less than last year's record, is still an excellent result. Undoubtedly this is achieved by the support of those parishioners who give, and it does show the aggregate value of small amounts regularly subscribed; but it also represents an immense amount of patient service willingly rendered by those who visit. Money, useful as it is to those who administer the parish financially, is not the only or even the main feature of the District Visitors' Work. They render most useful service by keeping in touch with parishioners, by welcoming new-comers, by promptly reporting cases of sickness and trouble, and by doing a fine work, the value of which simply cannot be measured in terms of money. We still require two more visitors to complete our number.

*All Saints' Soccer Football Club.*—A team (under 16) has been entered with the Protestant Churches Soccer Football Association; and we wish its members every success. Boys interested should get in touch with the secretary, David Anthony of 79 Morgan Street.

*C.E.B.S.*—An Admission Service was held on Sunday Morning, April 28th, when the Rector admitted the following into the Junior "Cebs": R. Nowland, G. Lewis, P. Brotherton, B. Blyton, R. Seagrott, M. Whiting; L. Illingworth and J. Litten.

### DISTRICT VISITORS' COLLECTIONS

*Per Mrs. Taylor*—Mrs. Currell 2/-. Miss Adams 1/-. Mrs. Watts 3d., Mrs. McDonald 1/-. Miss Belfield 1/-. Mrs. Pope 6d., Mrs. Blatch 6d., Miss Blatch 6d., Mrs. Hendley 1/-. Mrs. Cook 6d., Mrs. Graham 1/-. Mr. C. Graham 1/-. Miss Graham 1/6, Miss Keys 6d., Mrs. Buckley 1/-. Mrs. Dwyer 1/-. Total 14/3.

*Per Mrs. Taylor (Mrs. Hacking's District)*—Mrs. Higgins 1/-. Mrs. Higgins Jr. 1/-. Mrs. Nuttall 1/-. Mrs. McDuff 1/-. Mrs. Millett 2/-. Mrs. Newton 2/-. Mrs. Shaw 1/-. Mrs. Hyatt 1/-. Mr. J. Bell 1/-. Mrs. Scott 1/-. Mrs. Craigie 2/-. Mrs. McLaren 6/-. Mrs. Jarvis 1/-. Miss Doyle 1/-. Mr. L. Smith 1/-. Mrs. Pailthorpe 1/-. Mrs. Bosward 1/-. Mrs. McNamara 6d., Miss Sims 1/-. Mrs. Wonders 1/-. Mrs. Thew 1/-. Mrs. Ditchburn 2/-. Mrs. Thomson 5d., Mrs. Locke 1/-. Miss M. Rhodes 1/-. Mrs. Wonnocott 1/-. Mrs. Wilson 2/-. Total £1/16/-.

*Per Mrs. Handel*—Mrs. Petherbridge 2/-. Miss Derbyshire 1/-. Mrs. Roffey Snr. 1/-. Miss Meyers 1/-. Mrs. Hogg 1/-. Miss Wheeler 6d., Mr. Howard 1/-. Miss Knight 1/-. Mrs. Sadleir 1/-. Mrs. Gresswell 2/-. Mrs. Ruhle 1/-. Miss Clark 1/-. Mr. McAdam 6d., Mrs. Cole 1/-. Mr. Choy 6d., Mrs. Barrett 1/-. Mrs. Hellyer 6d., Mrs.

Fisher 1/-. Mrs. Hayne 2/-. Mrs. Hope 1/-. Mrs. Carswell 2/-. Mrs. Roffey Jr. 6d., Miss Green 2/-. Miss Haywood 1/-. Mrs. Smith 6d., Mrs. Herbert 1/-. Mrs. Cornish 1/-. Mrs. Craucher 1/-. Mrs. Handel 1/-. Total £1/11/-.

*Per Mrs. Fourro*—Mrs. Bicknell 1/-. Mrs. Horton 1/-. Mrs. Fisher 1/-. Miss Storm 1/-. Mrs. Collier 2/-. Mrs. Tynan 1/-. Mrs. Spiller 1/-. Mrs. F. Johnstone 2/-. Mrs. White 1/-. Miss Darke 1/-. Mr. Hartley 1/-. Mrs. Mein 1/-. Mrs. Cross 6d., Mrs. Cahill 1/-. Mrs. Huntley 1/-. Mrs. Pople 9d., Mrs. Lang 1/-. Mrs. Steer 1/-. Mrs. Bruest 6d., Mrs. Robinson 1/-. Mrs. Watson 2/-. Mrs. Burke 6d., Mrs. Pepper 1/-. Mrs. Pascoe 1/-. Mrs. Wenholz 2/-. Mrs. McEwan 6d., Mrs. Phelps 1/-. Miss Watkins 1/-. Miss Lucas 1/-. Mrs. Kirkpatrick 1/-. Total £1/13/9.

*Per Mrs. Jones*—Mrs. Pryor 1/-. Miss Slocombe 1/-. Mrs. Pepper 1/-. Mrs. Jupp 1/-. Mrs. Burns 1/-. Miss Argue 2/-. Miss Lee 1/-. Mrs. Hall 1/-. Mrs. McWilliam 1/-. Mr. Harris and Mrs. David 1/-. Mrs. Jones 1/-. Mrs. Cross 1/-. Mrs. Lloyd 1/-. Mrs. Blake 2/-. Mrs. Breadon 2/-. Mrs. Kerry 1/-. Mrs. Napier 1/-. Mrs. Chippendall 1/-. Miss Snowden 1/-. Mrs. Kell 1/-. A friend 6d. Total £1/3/6.

*Per Mrs. New*—Mrs. O'Connor 6d., Mrs. Woultige 1/-. Miss Peard 2/-. Mr. R. H. Peard 2/-. Mrs. Mathews 6d., Mrs. McCloy 1/-. Miss Cragg 2/-. Mrs. Pullen 1/-. Mrs. B. Pullen 1/-. Miss Thompson 1/-. Miss Hinds 6d., Mr. & Mrs. Brindley 3/-. Miss Laurance 1/-. Miss Mottram 1/-. Mrs. Maundrell 2/-. Mrs. Tooth 1/-. Mrs. Eggleton 2/-. Mrs. Wethered 1/-. Mrs. Johnson 1/-. Mrs. New 2/-. Mrs. Fisher 1/-. Mrs. Wooley 1/-. Mrs. Haddow 1/-. Mr. Frazer 2/-. Mrs. Barry 6d., Mrs. McDermott 1/-. Mrs. Horton 2/-. Mrs. Marsh 2/-. Mrs. Strom 2/-. Miss McKenzie 1/-. Mrs. Jeffries 1/-. Mrs. Wheatley 4/-. Mrs. Cox 1/-. Mrs. Green 2/-. Total £2/8/-.

*Per Mrs. Robertson*—Rector 10/-. Miss Adams 2/-. Mrs. Quelch 2/-. Mrs. Slee 1/-. Mrs. Partridge 1/-. Mrs. Leroy 1/-. Mrs. Yum 1/-. Mrs. Chapman 1/-. Mrs. Jones 1/-. Mrs. Grant 1/-. Mrs. Gash 1/-. Miss Alexander 1/-. Mrs. Wheeler 1/-. Mrs. Robertson 2/-. Mrs. Kidd 1/-. Mrs. Gannon 1/-. Mrs. Wheeler 1/-. Mrs. Douglas 6d., Mrs. Nisbett 1/-. Mrs. Sutherland 1/-. Mrs. Clark 1/-. Mrs. Mitchell 1/-. Mrs. Pollock 1/-. Mrs. Beattie 1/-. Mrs. Williams 1/-. Mrs. Hollinshead 1/-. Mrs. Gottko 6d., A Friend 6d., Mrs. Paull 1/-. Mrs. Binns 1/-. Mrs. Schaffer 1/-. Mrs. Dennis 1/-. Mrs. Johns 2/-. Mrs. Kingston 2/-. Mrs. Farnsworth 1/-. Sister Tvorek 2/6. Mrs. Bloom 1/-. Mrs. Morris 2/-. Mrs. Kester 1/-. Mrs. Lackey 1/-. Mrs. Jenkins 1/-. Mrs. Darby 1/-. Mrs. Roberts 1/-. Total £2/18/-.

*Per Mrs. Binns*—Mrs. McCarthy 1/-. Mrs. Robertson 1/-. Mrs. Fullagar 2/-. Mrs. Gardiner 1/-. Mrs. Craven 1/-. Mrs. Stapleton 6d., Mrs. Hancorn 1/-. Mrs. Everitt 1/-. Mrs. Atterton 2/-. Mrs. Richards 1/-. Miss Hannan 1/-. Miss Rainsford 1/-. Mrs. Poole 1/-. Miss Taylor 1/-. Mrs. Arkinstall 2/-. Miss Sibthorpe 1/-. Miss Humphries 1/-. Mrs. Ayrton 1/-. Mrs. Davison 1/-. Mrs. Redfern 1/-. Total £1/2/6.

*Per Miss Norman*—Mrs. Jones 2/-. Mrs. Thomas 1/-. Mrs. Hacking 1/-. Mrs. Webster 1/-. Mrs. Mervyn 2/-. Mrs. Joy 1/-. Miss Juleff 2/-. Mrs. Williams 1/-. Mrs. Brown 1/-. Mrs. Sharp Snr. 1/-. Mrs. Lines 4/-. Miss Eve 2/-. Miss Holland 1/-. Mrs. Sumner 1/-. Mrs. Beardow 1/-. Miss Norman 1/-. Total £1/3/-.

*Per Mrs. Brennan*—Mrs. Chapman 2/-. Mrs. Alexander 2/-. Mrs. Raymond 1/-. Mrs. Hodgson 2/-. Mr. Hailwood 3/-. Miss O'Brien 2/-. Mrs. Burton 1/-. Mrs. Sopwith 1/-. Mrs. McRitchie 1/-. Mrs. Lawrence 1/-. Mrs. McDougall 1/-. Mrs. Grey 1/-. Mrs. Heaton 1/-. Mrs. Ryder 1/-. Mrs. Matthewson 2/-. Mrs. Finch 1/-. Mrs. Ford 1/-. Mrs. Riddell 2/-. Mrs. Tilley 1/-. Mrs. Crooks 1/-. Mrs. Mount 1/-. Mrs. Watson 1/-. Mrs. Wotton 1/-. Misses Janssen 1/-. Mrs. Golding 1/-. Mrs. Knight 1/-. Mrs. Leslie 1/-. Mrs. O'Brien 1/-. Miss Cox 6d., Mrs. Cartwright 2/-. Mrs. Ruthven 1/-. Mrs. Hay 1/-. Mrs. S. Smith 2/-. Total £2/2/6.

*Per Mrs. McLean*—Mrs. Green 2/-. Mrs. Wilson 1/-. Mrs. Austin 2/-. Mrs. Wearner

1/-. Mrs. Harrison 2/-. Mrs. Godkin 1/-. Mrs. Morris 1/-. Mrs. Nathaniel 3d., Mrs. R. Smith 6d., Mrs. Ball 1/-. Mrs. S. B. Clarke 2/-. Mrs. McPherson 1/-. Mrs. Lambert 1/-. Mrs. Brown 1/-. Mrs. Tyson 6d., Mrs. J. Cooper 1/-. Mrs. Fletcher 2/-. Mrs. Miller 2/-. Mrs. Hunt 1/-. Mrs. Hopkins 1/-. Miss Cazneau 1/-. Mrs. Kennedy 1/-. Miss Greenaway 1/-. Mrs. Powell 2/-. Mrs. N. Carpenter 2/-. Mrs. Johnson 2/-. Mrs. Kenny 6d., Mrs. Hewitt 6d., Miss Farley 2/-. Mrs. McLeod 1/-. Mrs. Cracknell 1/-. Mrs. Allan 1/-. Mrs. Jones 1/-. Mrs. Lamont 1/-. Mrs. H. G. Watson 1/-. Mr. Patterson (Bryhton St.) 1/-. Mrs. Golsby 2/-. Mrs. Brennan 1/-. Mrs. Stubbs 1/-. Mrs. Scott 1/-. Mrs. Storey 1/-. Mrs. Marker 2/-. Mr. Patterson (Chester St.) 4/-. Mrs. Paulette 1/-. Total £2/16/3.

*Per Mrs. Sinclair*—Mrs. Gilbert 6d., Mrs. Finney 1/-. Mrs. Ward 1/-. Mrs. Evans 1/-. Mrs. York 1/-. Mrs. Sworn 1/-. Mrs. Robinson 1/-. Mrs. Price 1/-. Mrs. Hoseason 1/-. Mrs. Sinclair 1/-. Miss Speight 1/-. Total 10/6.

*Per Mrs. Whiting (for Mrs. Gill)*—Mrs. Taylor 1/-. Mrs. St. Julian 2/-. Mrs. Green 1/-. Miss Deacon 1/-. Mrs. Clark 1/-. Mrs. Jones 1/-. Mrs. Dick 1/-. Mrs. Byram 4/-. Miss Allen 2/-. Mrs. Usher 6d., Miss Davis 1/-. Miss Rockwell 1/-. Mrs. Cole 1/-. Mrs. Lane 1/-. Mrs. Willis 1/-. Mrs. James 1/-. Mrs. Whiting 1/-. Anonymous 3/-. Mrs. Needs 1/-. Mrs. C. Jones 1/-. Mrs. Hunter 1/-. Miss Payne 1/-. Miss Brown 2/-. Mrs. Hutchins 2/-. Total £1/12/6.

*Per Rector (Mrs. Davison's District)*—Mrs. Dunn 2/-. Mr. Payne 1/3. Mr. Lawrence 1/-. Mrs. Banks 2/-. Mrs. Webb 1/-. Mrs. Woodford 1/-. Mrs. Harrington 2/-. Mrs. Mulveney 1/-. Mrs. Lindsay 1/-. (Per Mrs. Grant) Mrs. Smith 1/-. Mrs. Lang 6d., Mrs. Morton 2/-. Mrs. Archer 2/-. Total 17/9.

*Per Rector (Mrs. Marker's District)*—Mrs. Lovett 1/6. Mrs. Ridgway 2/-. Mrs. Olofsson 1/-. Mr. Sefton 2/-. Mrs. Crawford 1/-. Mr. Thompson 1/-. Mrs. Meredith 6d., Mrs. E. Marker 2/-. A Friend 2/-. Mrs. Randall 1/6. Mr. F. Walker 6d., Mrs. Peterson 1/-. Mrs. Frost 2/-. Miss Jones 2/-. Mrs. Nicol 6d., Mrs. Burgess 1/-. Mrs. Jackson 1/-. Mrs. Hopkins 2/-. Mrs. Guiver 2/-. Mrs. Charles 6d., Mrs. Walker 1/-. Mrs. Gain 1/-. Total £1/9/-.

*Per Mrs. Reilly*—Mrs. White 1/-. Mrs. Mason 1/-. Mrs. Reilly & Miss Hill 1/6. Mrs. Joyce 1/-. Mrs. Furnell 1/-. Mrs. Gray 1/-. Mrs. Hawkbridge 1/-. Miss Allen 2/-. Mrs. Turner 3d., Mrs. Wjers 1/-. Mrs. Hills 1/-. Mrs. Pollett 6d., Mrs. Murphy 6d., A Friend 1/-. Mrs. Hesford 1/-. Mrs. Jesson 1/-. Mrs. Fuller 1/-. Mrs. Bosward 1/-. Mrs. Cruden 6d., Mrs. Messer 1/-. Mrs. Downer 1/-. Mrs. McKay 1/-. Mrs. Riddick 6d., Mrs. Philpott 1/-. Mrs. Gagan 1/-. Mrs. Stewart 2/-. Mrs. Judge 2/6. Total £1/8/3.

Per Mrs. Grant—Mrs. McCulloch 1/-. Miss Watson 6/-. Miss Dean 1/-. Mrs. Nicholls 1/-. Mr. D. Cooke 1/-. Mrs. Greer 1/-. Mrs. Beckitt 1/-. Mrs. Elliott 1/-. Mrs. Chamberlain 1/-. Mrs. Garrard 1/-. Miss Money 1/-. Mrs. Gould 2/-. Mr. Jamieson 2/-. Mrs. Smith 2/-. Mrs. Banford 1/-. Miss Spear 2/-. Mrs. C. G. Wooll 2/-. Miss Reid 2/-. Mr. Barnard 2/-. Mrs. Ingray 2/-. Miss Fry 1/-. Mrs. Ralston 1/-. Mrs. McLean 1/-. Mrs. McNaughton 1/-. Mrs. Geary 1/-. Mrs. McLarty 1/-. Mrs. Platt 5/-. Total £2/4/-.

Grand Total for April £27/9/9.

#### ASSISTANT CLERGY FUND

Per Mrs. Taylor—Mrs. McLaren 6/-. Mrs. Craigie 1/-. Miss Belfield 1/-. Total 8/-.  
Per Miss Norman—Mrs. Atkinson 1/-. Miss Norman 1/-. Total 2/-.  
Per Mrs. Binns—Miss Taylor 1/-. Mrs. Robertson 1/-. Miss Rainsford 1/-. Total 3/-.  
Per Mrs. Jones—Mrs. Napier 1/-. Mrs. Green 1/-. Miss Snowden 1/-. Total 3/-.  
Per Mrs. Robertson—Mrs. Slec 1/9. Mrs. Grant 1/-. Mrs. Morris 2/-. Mrs. Robertson 2/6. Miss Sutherland 1/-. Total 8/3.  
Per Mrs. New—Miss Peard 1/-. Mrs. New 2/-. Total 3/-.  
Per Mrs. Brennan—Mr. Hailwood 3/-.  
Per Mrs. Sinclair—Mrs. Robinson 1/-. Miss Speight 1/-. Total 2/-.  
Per Mrs. Reilly—Mrs. Nicholls 6d. Mrs. Gray 1/-. Total 1/6.  
Per Mrs. Grant—Miss Spear 2/-. Mrs. Chamberlain 1/-. Miss Fry 1/-. Total 4/-.  
Grand Total £1/17/9.

#### OFFERTORIES AND COMMUNICANTS FOR APRIL

April 7	£11 17 1	72
April 14	7 7 11 (wet)	101
April 19	9 10 1	—
(Good Friday)		
April 21	69 13 1 *	378
(Easter Day)		
April 28	13 13 1 †	53
Week-days	2 9 7	74
(A.B.M. & C.E.N.E.F.)		
	£114 10 10	678
* Including Lenten offerings A.B.M. £16/15/- and C.M.S. £12/6/8.		
† Including Lenten offerings A.B.M. £1/13/3 and C.M.S. 16/7.		

#### BAPTISMS

*"Suffer the little children to come unto Me"*

- April 7: Janice Anne Towell.  
April 7: Allen Gregory Benham.  
April 14: Norma Christine Ryan.  
April 21: Warren Leigh Gengos.  
April 28: James Ronald Kellett.  
April 28: Lyn Anne Coombes.

#### MARRIAGES

*"Whom we bless in Thy Name"*

- April 6: Harold Sydney Joseph Morelli and Myrtle Lillian Hatter.  
April 6: Robert James Low and Eileen Patricia Smith.  
April 6: James Alfred Paterson and Joyce Irene Whetton.  
April 6: Albert John Charles Robinson and Winifred Mary Hack.  
April 20: Walter Squire Cotton and Edith Maud Lane.  
April 26: Harold John Joseph Purcell and Jessie Crute Bell.  
April 27: Norman Clive Penrose and Daphne Jean Sayers.  
April 29: Herbert Cunningham and Janet Hutton Zeffert.

#### DEATHS

*"In the midst of life we are in death; of whom may we seek for succor but of Thee, O Lord . . ."*

- April 7: Mary Jane Wythes.  
April 19: John Storey.  
April 26: Helen Bannan.

#### C.M.S. BOXES

*Quarter ending March, 1946—*

- Mrs. Marker 4/9. Mrs. G. Lindsay 5/3. Mrs. Slec £1/2/4. Miss Speight 5/6. Mrs. Handel 4/8. Bible Class 11/9. Mrs. Harris 16/-. Miss Cragg 7/6. Mrs. Pullen 3/6. Mrs. Grant 2/6. Mrs. Muldoon 2/6. Mrs. Gash 5/6. D. P. Brown 10/-. Anonymous 10/-. Mervyn Whiting 1/9. Loretta Yum 10/10½. Nola Williams 3/2½. Class 3. 6/5. Total £6/13/-. D. P. Brown, Hon. Sec.