

The Chronicle

of

The Parish of All Saints, Petersham

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

JUNE, 1949



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

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

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

Secretary: Mr. L. C. CALVER.

Treasurer: Mr. E. C. KING.

Organist and Choirmaster: Mr. W. ROWLAND EAGAR.

Verger: (Vacant).

THE RECTOR'S LETTER

All Saints' Rectory,

25th May, 1949.

Dear People of All Saints',

This is the first opportunity we have had of reporting our Annual Vestry Meeting, which was held on April 27th, whilst the last "Chronicle" was in process of printing. It was a well-attended, representative meeting. Last year in writing of the 1948 Vestry Meeting, and in view of the fact that there was no Easter in the 1948-1949 financial year, I said, "We shall have to put our best foot foremost to achieve a credit balance on 31st March, 1949." Well, we certainly did so; and although our credit balance contains certain moneys given for memorials, it is gratifying to know we have finished the financial year well on the right side of the ledger.

We welcome the same Churchwardens and Parish Council as last year; Mr. L. C. Calver and Mr. A. J. Harris being elected unanimously People's Wardens, and Mr. E. C. King has again kindly accepted my nomination as Rector's Warden. At the time of his acceptance, my Churchwarden was in very poor health, and he attended that meeting when most of us would have asked to be excused; but I am glad and grateful to report that since then, owing to medical skill, together with our fervent prayers, his health has considerably improved. No Rector could ever have a more loyal and faithful Warden than E. C. King, and no Church a more capable and conscientious Treasurer.

The people elected to the Parish Council Messrs. J. M. Boyle, H. G. Brodie, D. Cooke, W. J. Cooke, D. B. Hunter, H. F. Jones, N. Scott, W. Sopwith, Jnr., and W. Webster; whilst Messrs. A. E. Carruthers, A. H. Thomas and R. McLean accepted my nomination to the Council. Messrs. E. C. King, L. C. Calver, D. B. Hunter, J. M. Boyle and W. J. Cooke were elected Parish Representatives under "The Presentation and Exchange Ordinance, 1933," which means that upon them will fall responsibility in the event of this Parish falling vacant during the next 12 months. Mr. W. Sopwith and Mr. S. L. Derrett were re-elected as our Honorary Auditors. Encouraging reports were presented by the Secretaries of the various Parochial Organisations (I wish we had sufficient space to print these reports); and I am glad to say our gifts for the extension of Christ's Kingdom (both for Home Missions and Missions Overseas) have been well maintained; in some instances, increased.

Whilst admitting that one can never assess the spiritual strength of any parish by mere numbers I feel that a disquieting fact of our church life during the past year is the decrease in the number of Communicants. This can partly be accounted for by the fact that we had no Confirmation last year; but even that does not fully cover the decrease. My own observation is that it is not the senior members of our congregation who are becoming slack in this matter, but some of the **younger** ones. If this concerns **YOU**, I earnestly ask that you will speedily remedy this omission by taking advantage of the sacred privilege conferred upon you at your Confirmation. All our congregations could be and should be greater, and I want to ask what are **YOU** doing to increase them, for the matter of maintaining and increasing our congregations is just as much your responsibility as it is mine.

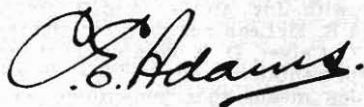
For me the year past has been a sad and difficult one: just two months after our 1948 Vestry Meeting my dear sister passed away. I am most grateful to those who have helped by sharing my increased responsibility. We record our thanks to the many people in this parish, both within and without its various organisations, who by their loyalty and willing co-operation have supported all efforts during the past financial year for the welfare of our Parish and for the building of the Kingdom of God. We trust that what we have been enabled to achieve together during the past, may be an incentive to go forward with courage and determination to do even more and better things in the days ahead, remembering that nothing lasting or worthwhile has ever been accomplished without some measure of sacrifice—the giving of ourselves to the tremendous tasks confronting us.

A friend of mine recently sent me a copy of "Daily Readings" from William Temple. As the compiler says, "More than most people of his day, Archbishop Temple had the gift of expressing in a sentence or two the most profound conceptions of religion and philosophy. Here is just one example under the heading 'Our Debt to the Church': 'If it seems to you that the Church as organised has somehow lost sense of proportion, remember that only through the Church has the Gospel ever reached you, and that only through the Church can it reach the ages far ahead. And you will do more service to the cause of Christ by bringing in what reality you can into its life than you can ever render by staying outside and doing what seems possible to you, or you and your few friends, in isolation'."

Many of you will join with me in welcoming Mr. Ridley who is taking Sunday duty for three Sundays and will do any calls of an **urgent** nature. As he himself is on furlough, we ought not to expect him to do more than that.

The answer to the question "Will there be a Confirmation at All Saints' this year" is "Yes"! I hope to write you in greater detail regarding this next month.

Yours very sincerely,



MATTERS MAINLY PAROCHIAL

The Women's Guild.—For the five years preceding our late President's death, she was instrumental in raising an additional £100 per annum for the Missionary work of the Church. From 1943 to 1947 more than £545 was given, over and above our ordinary Missionary contributions. The members of the Guild, believing that they could erect no better memorial, nor one that their beloved President would appreciate more, determined to continue this appeal in her memory. Accordingly, this Missionary appeal was launched at the Women's Guild Luncheon, held on Wednesday, May 4th, when over 130 women (and a few brave men!) sat down to an excellent lunch provided and served by Guild members and their friends. The Guest Speaker was His Grace The Archbishop, who gave a most informative and

interesting account of his journey through the Diocese of Central Tanganyika (on his way to the Lambeth Conference last year), when he saw a good deal of the great work being done in that Diocese. The Archbishop spoke of the power of the Gospel, and of the happiness it has brought into the lives of thousands of Africans. Our gifts this year will be for Tanganyika, and it is hoped that to whatever this memorial fund may be devoted will bear the name of Ethel Vivian Adams. We acknowledge with thanks the following donations already received: Physical Culture Club, £20; per Mrs. Whiting (from girls of her class and donation), £5; Sale of Knitting, donated by Mrs. James, £3/11/-; Sale of Flowers by Mrs. Morris, £1/14/-; Mrs. Gannon, £1; Miss Best, £1; Anonymous, £2/2/-; Miss Wheatley, £1; Dr. and Mrs. Locke, 2/2/-; Mrs. Robert Sharp, £1; Dr. and Mrs. Petherbridge, £1/1/-; Mr. Sefton, 10/-; Mrs. Slee £1; Mrs. J. C. Jones (Roseville), £1; Miss D. P. Brown, £2; per Miss Mottram, £3/14/-; Miss Peard, £1; Miss R. Watkins, £2; Miss Cragg, 10/-; Mr. A. K. Dein, £1/1/-; Mrs. Lindsay (Narrabeen), £1; Mrs. Wolrige, £1; Misses Juleff, £2; Miss Eve, £1; Miss Payne £1; Mrs. Greswell, £1; Mr. and Mrs. C. Martin, £1/1/-; Mrs. Garrad, 4/-; Miss Watts, 4/-; Mrs. St. Julian, 5/-; Mrs. Dawson (Roseville), 5/-; Miss Rainsford, £1; Mrs. L. C. Furnell, 10/-; Mrs. Buckley, 5/-; Mr. C. M. Fryer, 10/-; Miss Hayes, £1; Mrs. Ditchburn, £1; Mrs. Handel, 10/-; Mrs. Spencer, 10/-; Mrs. Mottram, 10/-; Mrs. Craigie, 10/-. Total, £67/9/-. As the appeal is open until the first Sunday in Advent, and as there are probably others who would like to share in it, we shall probably attain to more than our objective. We are grateful to Mrs. Pigott and Mrs. Geoffrey Horton for their music, and to Miss Sutherland, their accompanist; also to our good friends at the Daphne Florist, who kindly donated the flowers and to Mrs. Morris who arranged them and decorated the stage in her usual artistic manner; and last, but by no means least, to our own Guild hostesses, and all who helped them to make the Luncheon such a success. Guild members are reminded of the Sewing Day at the Home of Peace on June 20th. The Bible Study Evening on June 23rd will be followed by a short business meeting.—V. LUCAS, Secretary.

Appreciation.—We would thank the members of the Wedlock family who once again provided and arranged the church flowers for Mothers' Day in memory of their mother—Elizabeth Wedlock. The gift and the artistic arrangement of some hundreds of most beautiful white chrysanthemums was for Mrs. Sworn, Mrs. G. Clifton Smith and Miss D. Wedlock, an act of devotion and loving memory in which we were all able to share, and which we deeply appreciate.

Many thanks also to those who responded to the appeal for the "Food for Britain" fund, by which we express our gratitude for our own mothers in a practical way.

The Stone of Remembrance.—We acknowledge, with thanks, the following gifts received during May: Mrs. Morris, £1; Mr. R. J. Ingrey, £2; Mrs. Hope, 5/-; Mrs. Graham, £1; Mrs. Sherriff, 5/-; Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Bosward, Mr. J. Bosward, £3/3/-; total to date, £220/4/6. We must have approximately another £100 to commence the work, and a second appeal for this amount is being made. We trust that those who have not already done so, will send or bring their gifts as soon as they possibly can. There may even be some, who, in view of the urgency of the matter, will make a second donation.

The Book of Common Prayer.—The first Book of Common Prayer came into use on Whitsunday, 1549. This year, therefore, marks the 400th anniversary of our Prayer Book, and throughout the Anglican Communion special commemoration of this event will be made on June 19th, the first Sunday after Trinity. A special form of service has been compiled which will be used at All Saints' both morning and evening and in which we ask that all our people will join.

Mission to the University of Sydney.—The Presidents of the Australian Student Christian Movement write as follows: "Members of the Australian Student Christian Movement are preparing for a Christian Life Campaign in the University of Sydney from Monday 20th, until Sunday, 26th June. The aim of this week of witness is to relate the Christian faith to the intellectual, moral and social situation in which students find themselves and to seek their allegiance to Christ and His way of life. Students have asked the Bishop of Armidale, the Rt. Rev. J. S. Moyes, the Rev. Professor J. D. A. Macnicol, of Ormond College, Melbourne, and the Rev. Alan Walker, of Waverley, to provide a systematic and uncompromising statement of what Christianity is. The main meetings will be held in the Wallace Theatre at lunch times and a series of evening meetings will be devoted to intellectual, social and personal problems. A service of dedication will be held in the Great Hall on Sunday afternoon, 26th June. This final day of the Campaign falls on the World Day of Prayer for Students when you will be asked to offer special prayers for students throughout the world." We commend this Mission to the active support of all students (particularly those now at the University) and to the prayers of all our people.

The Archbishop's Winter Appeal.—We commend again to the generosity of our people, our Archbishop's appeal for funds to provide some of the very necessary comforts to old aged and invalid pensioners, particularly in the poorer and congested parishes. Donations should be sent to the Rector or Churchwardens marked "Winter Appeal." For those who would prefer to give at one of the Services, there will be an opportunity to do so through the retiring offertories on Sunday, June 26th.

C.E.F.—Congratulations to the Fellowship upon the success of its first Concert. A good deal of the credit goes to Elvy Olofsson, who was ably assisted in this venture by enthusiastic Fellowship members. We record our thanks to all who helped with the programme and assisted in other ways; also to Mr. C. M. Fryer, who donated the tickets. The effort enriched our slender Fellowship funds by £16. We received with regret the resignation of Gwyneth James, who was an efficient secretary, and who is succeeded by Elvy. The Fellowship Social Evening is to be held on Saturday, June 25th. Fellowshipippers are reminded of their Corporate Communion at 8 a.m. on the first Sunday in each month. "Fellowship finds its focal point in worship."—C.E.A.

Personal.—We would ask the following parishioners and friends to accept our sincerest sympathy in their recent bereavements: the Misses Chipdall and their relatives; Mr. Davies; Mrs. McGrigor and family; Mrs. Weight and family and their relatives; Mrs. Johnstone and the family of the Ven. Archdeacon S. M. Johnstone (Diocesan Registrar); and the Rev. W. F. and Mrs. Pyke, of Gordon. May all who are bereaved be comforted and sustained by the power of the Holy Spirit.

Sunday School Banner.—A handsome new banner has recently been completed. It is the gift of Miss E. M. Belfield and the girls of her 1948 Bible Class, plus the gifts of the 1946-47 Confirmees. It will be dedicated on the Rector's return from holidays.

Braeside Hospital.—A Street Stall will be held on Friday, 17th June, at the corner of Holt and Cambridge Streets at 10.30 a.m. Sale of goods, cakes, jam, sweets, clothing. Proceeds in aid of Braeside Hospital.

Bible Society.—The next meeting of the Petersham-Stanmore Branch of the British and Foreign Bible Society will be held in the Parish Hall on Tuesday, 14th June, at 2.30 p.m. All members are expected to be present, and all interested in the work of the Society are invited to this meeting. The speaker will be announced later.

C.S.O.M.—At the last meeting of our Group of C.S.O.M., we received, with much regret, the resignation of our Secretary, Mr. K. E. Grant, owing to pressure of work which precludes him from giving the time to the secretarial duties which he feels they demand. We shall miss him from this important office. So far, we have not been able to appoint his successor.

A Reminder.—By the time you read this, there will be but 10 weeks to August 21st, when the boxes we are using for our Parish Hall debt will be recalled. There are still some boxes unappropriated. Have you received your box yet?

CHURCH MUSIC, JUNE 12th to JULY 3rd, 1949

| SUNDAY | MORNING | EVENING |
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| June 12 Trinity Sunday | Holy Communion Choral. Hymns 160, 559, 412, 163. | Hymns 161, 413, 654, 168. Psalm 99. Service: Standford in B flat. Anthem: "Hymn to the Trinity" (Tschaikovsky). |
| June 19 Trinity i | Hymns 261, 704, 218, 197, 8. Psalm 3. | Hymns 281, 657, 239, 22. Psalm 4. Anthem: "Had we but Harkened" (Davies). |
| June 26 Trinity ii | Hymns 4, 414, 323. Psalm 12. | Hymns 214, 415, 685, 23. Psalm 16. Anthem: "Save us, Lord" (Bairstow). |
| July 3 Trinity iii | Hymns 217, 417, 284, 542, 243. Psalm 19. | Hymns 224, 432, 167, 29. Psalm 20. Anthem: "Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace" (Williams). |

DISTRICT VISITORS' COLLECTIONS

Per Miss Bayley.—Mrs. Cons, 1/-; Miss Holford, 1/-; Mrs. Tually, 1/-; Mrs. O'Brien, 1/-; Mrs. Baker, 6d.; Miss Cox, 1/-; Miss Walters, 2/-; Mrs. Crooks, 1/-; Mrs. Ford, 1/-; Mrs. Heaton, 1/-; Mrs. McKay, 1/-; Mr. Thornicroft, 2/-; Mrs. Kerrigan, 1/-; Mrs. Watson, 1/-; Mrs. Leslie, 1/-; Misses Janssen, 1/-; Mrs. Strachan, 1/-; Mrs. Boulden, 6d.; Mrs. Blackwood, 2/-; Mrs. Dyason, 2/-; Mrs. Thompson, 1/-; Miss Bayley, 1/-; Mr. Impey, 1/-; Mrs. Gavan, 1/-; Mrs. Higgins, 1/-; Mrs. Fowler, 1/-; Mrs. Norman, 2/-; Mrs. Cruden, 2/-; Mrs. Walter, 1/-; Mrs. Beath, 2/-; Mrs. Meek, 1/-; Mrs. Grey, 1/-; Total: £1/18/-.

Per Mrs. Craigie.—Mrs. Bray, 1/-; Mrs. Bellis, 1/-; Mrs. Bicknell, 6d.; Mrs. Bugden, 2/-; Mrs. Collis, 1/-; Mrs. Churchill, 1/-; Mrs. Cowin, 1/-; Mrs. Cheadle, 1/-; Mrs. Craigie, 2/-; A friend, 1/-; Mrs. Ditchburn, 1/-; Mrs. Grev, 1/-; Mrs. Jarvis, 1/-; Mrs. Klumner, 6d.; Mrs. Langdon, 2/-; Mrs. Locke, 1/-; Mrs. McLaren, 2/-;

Mrs. McDuff, 1/-; Mrs. McNamara, 1/6; Mrs. Newton, 2/-; Mrs. Phillips, 1/-; Mrs. Potter, 2/-; Mrs. Quin, 1/-; Mrs. W. Robinson, 1/-; Mrs. Robinson, 6d.; Mrs. Rhodes, 2/-; Mrs. Stevens, 2/-; Mrs. Sharpe, 1/-; Mrs. Scott, 1/-; Miss Sims, 1/-; Mrs. Thomas, 6d.; Mrs. Uren, 1/-; Mrs. Wonnocott, 1/-; Mrs. Wonders, 6d. Total: £2.

Per Miss Allen (for Mrs. Gill).—Miss Allen, 2/-; Mrs. Cole, 1/-; Mrs. Byam, 2/-; Mrs. Clarke, 1/-; Mrs. Holland, 1/-; Mrs. B. Lane, 1/-; Mrs. Williamson, 2/-; Mrs. Forrest, 6d.; Miss Rockwell, 1/-; Mrs. Hutchins, 2/-; Mrs. Jones, 1/-; Miss Deacon, 1/-; Miss Brown, 2/-; Anonymous, 3/-; Mrs. Warton, 6d.; Mrs. Whiting, 2/-; Mrs. James, 1/-; Mrs. Willis, 2/-; Mrs. Dick, 1/-; Miss Davies, 2/-; Miss Payne, 1/-; Mrs. Barrett, 1/-; Mrs. Richardson, 2/-; Total: £1/13/-.

Per Mrs. Cook.—Mrs. Petherbridge, 3/-; Mr. D. Petherbridge, 2/-; Mr. Choy, 1/-;

Mrs. Miskle, 4/-; Mrs. Hayne, 2/-; Mrs. Sadleir, 1/-; Mrs. Gordon, 2/-; Mrs. Roffey, 1/-; Mrs. Hutton, 2/-; Mrs. Edwards, 1/-; Mrs. Walsh, 1/-; Mrs. Hauber, 1/6; Mrs. Hellyer, 6d.; Mrs. Ruthven, 3/-; Mr. Hallwood, 3/-; Mrs. McRitchie, 1/-; Mrs. Burton, 1/-; Mrs. Buchli, 1/-; Mrs. Budgett, 1/-; Miss Spencer, 2/-; Mrs. Kelly, 2/-; Mrs. Coleman, 1/-; Mrs. Herbert, 1/-; Mrs. Hickey, 1/-; Mrs. Cole, 2/-; Miss Meyers, 1/-; Miss Derbyshire, 1/-; Mrs. Handel, 2/-; Mrs. Reynolds, 2/-; Mrs. Fisher, 1/-; Mrs. Raymond, 1/-; Miss Haywood, 3/-; Mrs. Loughman, 1/-; Mrs. Cameron, 2/-; Total: £2/15/-.

Per Mrs. Aitken.—Mrs. Auhl, 1/-; Mrs. Beckett, 1/-; Mrs. Payne, 6d.; Miss Wells, 1/-; Miss Dean, 2/-; Mrs. Cooper, 2/-; Mr. Cook, 1/-; Mrs. Evans, 1/-; Mrs. Begg, 1/-; Mrs. Helmrich, 2/-; Mrs. Nicholls, 1/-; Mrs. Phillips, 2/-; Mrs. Horn, 2/-; Mrs. Maskill, 1/-; Mrs. Bodman, 1/-; A friend, 1/-; Total: £1/0/6.

Per Miss E. Olofsson.—Mr. Sefton, 2/-; Mrs. Olofsson, 1/-; Mrs. Crawford, 1/-; Mrs. Martin, 1/-; Mr. Thompson, 6d.; Mrs. Randall, 1/-; Mrs. Nicol, 6d.; Mrs. Jackson, 1/-; Mrs. Guiver, 1/-; Mrs. Schofield, 6d.; Mrs. Mulhall, 1/-; Mr. Walter, 1/-; Mr. Gain, 1/-; Mrs. Byrnes, 6d.; Mrs. Woolbank, 1/-; Mrs. Moore, 1/-; A friend, 2/-; A friend, 2/-; Mrs. French, 2/-; Erik Olofsson, 1/-; Total: £1/2/-.

Per Miss Norman.—Miss Herring, 2/-; Mrs. Maxwell, 1/6; Miss Eve, 1/-; Mrs. Eve, 1/-; Mrs. Welch, 1/-; Mrs. Joy, 2/-; Mrs. Thomas, 1/-; Mrs. McCarthy, 1/-; Mrs. Williams, 2/-; Miss Martin, 1/-; Mrs. Webster, 1/-; Mrs. Fraser, 2/-; Mrs. Riley, 3/-; Mrs. Woods, 3/-; Mrs. Beardow, 1/-; Mrs. Sumner, 1/-; Mrs. Cale, 1/-; Miss Norman, 1/-; Total: £1/6/6.

Per Mrs. Binns.—Miss Rainsford, 1/-; Mrs. Arkinstall, 2/-; Mrs. Ayrton, 1/-; Mrs. Hemming, 2/-; Mrs. Robertson, 1/-; Mrs. Hancock, 1/-; Mrs. D. Wilson, 2/-; Miss Taylor, 1/-; Miss Humphries, 1/-; Miss Sibthorpe, 1/-; Mrs. Grant, 1/-; Mrs. Fullagar, 2/-; Mrs. Gillies, 1/-; Miss Cassidy, 2/-; Total: 19/-.

Per Miss Hayes.—Mrs. Brown, 1/-; Mrs. Baxter, 2/-; Mrs. Bicknell, 1/-; Mrs. Cahill, 1/-; Mrs. Collier, 2/-; Miss Darke, 1/-; Mrs. Glore, 1/-; Mrs. Greswell, 2/-; Miss Haves, 1/6; Mrs. Horton, 1/-; Mrs. Lang, 1/-; Miss Lucas, 1/-; Mrs. Mein, 2/-; Mrs. McEwan, 6d.; Mrs. Moffitt, 6d.; Mrs. Phelps, 2/-; Mrs. Robinson, 1/-; Mrs. Shipp, 1/-; Miss Skead, 6d.; Miss Storum, 1/-; Mrs. Steer, 2/-; Miss Spiller, 1/-; Mrs. Thomas, 1/-; Mrs. Watson, 1/-; Miss Watkins, 1/-; Mrs. Wenholtz, 2/-; Mrs. White, 1/-; Mrs. Wynne, 1/-; Total: £1/14/-.

Per Miss Hayes (Shaw-st.).—Mrs. Ferguson, 1/-; Mrs. Houston, 1/-; Mrs. Raffin, 1/-; Miss Spear, 2/-; Mrs. Herkes, 1/-; Mrs. Kelly, 1/-; Mr. Barnard, 2/-; Mrs. Ingrey, 2/-; Miss Fry, 1/-; Mrs. Jarman, Jr., 1/-; Mrs. Gain, 1/-; Mrs. Booth, 2/-; Mrs. Cavanagh, 1/-; Mrs. Waterfield, 1/-; Mrs. McLean, 1/-; Mrs. McLeod, 2/-; Mrs. Jones, 1/-; Total: £1/2/-.

Per Mrs. Robertson.—Rector, 12/-; Mrs. Quelch, 2/-; Mrs. Slee, 1/-; Mrs. Partridge,

1/-; Mrs. Leroy, 1/-; Mrs. Yum, 1/-; Mrs. Jones, 1/-; Mrs. Grant, 1/-; Mrs. Gash, 1/-; Miss Alexander, 1/-; Mrs. Nisbett, 1/-; Mrs. Gannon, 1/-; Mrs. Wheeler, 6d.; Mrs. Douglas, 6d.; Mrs. Clark, 1/-; Miss Sutherland, 1/-; Mrs. Robertson, 2/-; Mrs. Jones, 1/-; Mrs. Watt, 1/-; Mrs. Gamble, 2/-; Miss Martin, 2/-; Mrs. Pollock, 1/-; Mrs. Williams, 1/-; Mrs. Kester, 1/-; Mrs. Beattie, 1/-; Mrs. Gottke, 1/-; Mrs. Binns, 1/-; Mrs. Schaeffer, 1/-; Mrs. Cox, 2/-; Mrs. Dennis, 1/-; Mrs. Colbert, 2/-; Mrs. Morris, 2/-; Mrs. Lackey, 1/-; Mrs. Bayley, 1/-; Mrs. O'Brien, 1/-; Miss Kidd, 1/-; Mrs. Moore, 1/-; Mrs. Darby, 1/-; Mrs. Dewberry, 1/-; Mrs. Strauss, 2/-; Mrs. Roberts, 2/-; Mrs. Armstrong, 2/-; Mrs. Shirriff, 1/-; Mrs. Conyard, 1/-; Mrs. Cook, 1/-; Mrs. Jubb, 2/-; Mrs. Kingston, 1/-; Mrs. Nutt, 1/-; Miss Greenwood, 2/-; Mrs. Bulloch, 2/-; Mrs. Jenkins, 1/-; Mr. Bell, 1/-; Mrs. Tozer, 2/-; Total: £3/17/-.

Per Miss Farley.—Mrs. Green, 1/-; Mrs. Kennedy, 1/-; Mrs. McLean (Wardell Rd.), 1/-; Mrs. Wilson, 1/-; Mrs. M. Carpenter, 1/-; Mrs. Austin, 2/-; Miss Greenaway, 1/-; Mrs. Sharpe, 1/-; Miss Frost, 1/-; Mrs. Harrison, 1/-; Mrs. Paulette, 1/-; Mrs. Godkin, 1/-; Mr. Makepeace, 2/-; Mrs. Lorge, 1/-; Mrs. Powell, 2/-; Mrs. R. Smith, 1/-; Mrs. Crew, 1/-; Mrs. S. B. Clarke, 2/-; Mrs. Johnson, 2/-; Mrs. McPherson, 1/-; Mrs. Kenny, 6d.; Mrs. Lambert, 6d.; Miss Farley, 1/-; Mrs. Brown, 1/-; Mrs. Storey, 1/-; Mrs. Edwards, 6d.; Mrs. Schuback, 1/-; Mrs. J. Cooper, 1/-; Mrs. Thomas, 1/-; Mrs. Fletcher, 2/-; Mrs. McLarty, 1/-; Mrs. Millar, 1/-; Mrs. Collins, 1/-; Mrs. McIlveen, 2/-; Mrs. Barnes, 1/-; Mrs. Hunt, 1/-; Mrs. Geary, 1/-; Mrs. Gray, 1/-; Mrs. E. A. Baker, 2/6; Mrs. Marshall, 1/-; Mrs. Jowitt, 1/-; Mrs. Verdon, 1/-; Mrs. Kent, 1/-; Miss Trader, 1/-; Total: £2/13/-.

Per Mrs. Martin.—Miss Allen, 2/-; Mrs. Bailey, 2/-; Mrs. Bosward, 1/-; Mrs. Coles, 1/-; Mrs. Fuller, 1/-; Mrs. Furnell, 1/-; Mrs. Graham, 6d.; Mrs. Hawkrige, 1/-; Mrs. Hesford, 1/-; Mrs. Hackett, 1/-; Mrs. Hills, 1/-; Miss Howard, 1/-; Mrs. Irwin, 1/-; Mrs. Joyce, 1/-; A friend, 1/-; Mrs. Kerr, 2/-; Mrs. Logan, 4/-; Miss Marsh, 1/-; Mrs. McClurkin, 1/-; Mrs. Murphy, 1/-; Mrs. Martin, 1/-; Miss Nobes, 1/-; Mrs. Nicholls, 6d.; Mr. Newman, 6d.; Mrs. Odlum, 6d.; Mrs. Palmer, 1/-; Mrs. Robinson, 1/-; Mrs. Smith, 6d.; Mrs. Steedman, 1/-; Mrs. Sayers, 1/-; Mrs. Turner, 3d.; Mrs. Tolmie, 6d.; Mrs. Williams, 2/-; Mrs. Wiggers, 1/-; Miss Woodward, 1/-; Mrs. Turtle, 1/-; Total: £1/19/3.

Per Miss Mottram.—Miss Thompson, 2/-; Miss Mottram, 2/-; Mrs. Currie, 2/-; Miss Hinds, 2/-; Miss McKenzie, 6d.; Mrs. True, 2/-; Mrs. Haddow, 1/-; Mrs. Mottram, 1/-; Mrs. Maddalina, 1/-; Mr. Fraser, 2/-; Braeside Hospital, 2/-; Mrs. Green, 2/6; Mrs. Maundrell, 2/-; Mrs. Wethered, 1/-; Mrs. Waltes, 2/-; Mrs. Green, 1/-; Total: £1/6/-.

Per Miss Peard.—Mrs. McLennon, 2/-; Mrs. Fisher, 1/-; Mrs. Holdsworth, 1/-; Mrs. E. Robertson, 1/-; Mrs. Halton, 6d.; Mr. Peard, 2/-; Miss Hole, 1/-; Miss Peard, 3/-; Mrs. Robertson, 2/-; Mrs. Eggleton, 2/-; Mrs. Wolrige, 1/-; Mrs. Paton,

6d.; A friend, 6d.; Miss Thompson, 1/-; Mrs. Binskin, 1/-; Miss Cragg, 2/-; Mrs. McCloy, 1/-; Mrs. Spence, 6d.; Mrs. Tooth, 2/-; Mrs. Mathews, 6d.; Mrs. Meldrum, 1/-; Matron Redfern, 5/-; Mrs. Still, 1/-; Mrs. Brown, 1/-; Mrs. Horton, 1/-; Mrs. Johnstone, 1/-; Mrs. Watters, 1/-; Mrs. Cordeaux, 1/-; Mrs. Quayle, 6d.; Mrs. Cleary, 1/-; Mrs. Cook, 1/- Total: £2.

Per Mrs. Taylor.—Mrs. Williams, 6d.; Miss Adams, 1/-; Mrs. Watts, 6d.; Mrs. Currall, 2/-; 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. Buckley, 1/-; Mrs. Dwyer, 1/-; Mrs. Heft, 6d.; Miss Hyatt, 1/-; Mr. Bell, 1/-; Mrs. Millett, 1/-; Mrs. Higgins, 1/-; Mrs. Thew, 1/-; Mrs. Sopwith, 1/-; Mrs. Taylor, 2/-; Anonymous, 2/-; Miss Belfield, 1/- Total: £1 2/-.

Per Mrs. Jones.—Mrs. Aitken, 1/-; Mrs. Kennett, 1/-; Mrs. Pryor, 1/-; Miss Slocombe, 1/-; Miss Lee, 1/-; Mrs. McWilliam, 1/-; Mr. Harris and Mrs. Daniel, 1/-; Mrs. Jones, 1/-; Mrs. Smith, 2/-; Mrs. Blake, 1/-; Mrs. Hanley, 2/-; Mrs. Mitchell, 2/-; Mrs. Locke, 2/-; Mrs. Kerry, 1/-; Mrs. Napier, 1/-; Mrs. Shaw, 1/-; Mrs. Anderson, 1/-; Miss Chippindall, 1/-; Miss Snowden, 1/-; Mrs. Hilyard, 2/-; Mrs. Kell, 4/- Total: £1 9/-.

Per Mrs. Davison.—Mrs. Banks, 1/-; Mrs. Lang, 1/-; Mrs. Archer, 2/-; Mrs. Mulveny, 1/-; Mrs. Dunn, 2/-; Mrs. Lindsay, 1/-; Mrs. Black, 2/-; Mrs. Davison, 1/-; Mrs. Guy, 1/-; Mrs. Fife, 1/-; Mrs. Finney, 2/-; Mrs. Chamberlain, 2/-; Mrs. Garrad, 1/-; Mrs. Evans, 1/-; Miss Chapman, 1/-; Mrs. Gould, 2/-; Mrs. Smith, 1/-; Mrs. Howe, 1/-; Mrs. Cheers, 1/-; Mrs. Woodford, 1/-; Mrs. Hoseason, 1/-; Miss Speight, 1/- Total: £1 8/-.

Grand Total for May: £31 4/3.

ASSISTANT CLERGY FUND

Per Miss Hayes.—Mrs. G. Wooll, 2/-; Mrs. C. G. Wooll, 2/-; Miss Spear, 2/-; Miss Fry, 1/- Total: 7/-.

Per Mrs. Robertson.—Mrs. Slee, 1/9; Mrs. Morris, 2/-; Mrs. Grant, 1/-; Miss Sutherland, 1/-; Mrs. Robertson, 2/6 Total: 8/3.

Per Miss Norman.—Mrs. Atkinson, 1/-; Miss Norman, 1/- Total: 2/-.

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

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

Per Mrs. Taylor.—Miss Belfield, 1/-; Mrs. Taylor, 1/- Total: 2/-.

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

Per Mrs. Cook.—Mr. Hallwood, 3/-.

Per Mrs. Jones.—Mrs. Locke, 2/-; Mrs. Napier 1/-; Miss Snowden, 1/-; Mrs. Hilyard, 1/- Total: 5/-.

Per Mrs. Davison.—Miss Speight, 1/-.

Grand Total: £1 16/3.

OFFERTORIES AND COMMUNICANTS FOR MAY

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| May 1 | £9 6 0 (a) | 47 |
| May 8 | 21 15 10 (b) | 96 |
| May 15 | 10 16 6 (c) | 34 |
| May 22 | 8 4 11 | 48 |
| May 29 | 7 11 6 | 24 |
| Week Days | 18 3 (A.B.M.) | 11 |
| | £58 13 0 | 260 |

(a) Including 10/- (additional) C.M.S. Lenten.

(b) Including £7/11/-, Food for Britain Fund; £1, A.B.M.; £2/10/-, C.M.S.

(c) Including 5/-, Food for Britain Fund, £1, C.M.S.

BAPTISMS

"Suffer the little children to come unto Me."

May 1.—Robyn Lynette Martin.
May 1.—Wendy Leah Martin.
May 1.—Gregory William Martin.
May 1.—Robin Muriel Curran.
May 1.—Brian William Harvey.
May 1.—Glennis Robin Hancock.
May 1.—Neil George Chesher.
May 8.—Christine Elizabeth Pinder.
May 8.—Daniel Kevin Ward.
May 8.—Alan Graham Moore.
May 8.—Robert Charles Moore.
May 8.—Gayle Mary Forrest.
May 15.—John Edward Elvy.
May 15.—Bruce William Elvy.
May 15.—Gordon John Ronald Pole.
May 15.—Bruce Andrew Muir.
May 29.—Howard Norman Thuge.
May 29.—Colin John Jones.

MARRIAGES

"Whom we bless in Thy Name."

April 29.—Bruce William Maundrel and Margaret Pamela Jeffers.
April 30.—Louis Oswald Troy and Daphne McLean.
May 6.—Keith Allan Gibson and Enid Ruth Schultz.
May 7.—Leslie Anthony Hozaack and Zillah Georgina Bartlett.
May 14.—John Keith Mangan and Dorothy Louise Naylor.
May 14.—Roy Harris and Yvonne Alice Ormiston.
May 21.—Edwin John Howell and Kathleen Hesford.
May 21.—William Jack Crossley and Grace Irene Auton.
May 28.—Douglas Cameron Loder and Dulcie Moira Odum.
May 28.—Roy Henry Clement Gustard and Shirley Rose Thompson.

DEATH

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

May 25.—Herbert George Weight.