

The Chronicle

of
The Parish of All Saints, Petersham

FEBRUARY, 1946

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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THE "CHRONICLE" SPEAKS

I am a little paper called "The Chronicle." I come as a MESSAGE to YOU from All Saints' Church, to notify services and meetings, and to tell you of the work of the Parish in the cause of Christ, and to assure YOU of WELCOME to the services.

If you can give the District Visitor who brings me, a REGULAR MONTHLY DONATION for the funds of the Church, she will be pleased to receive it; but, if not, the lack of money will not prevent me coming into your home. I am a link between you and your Church, and I want to become a very strong one; so strong that you will be really interested, and that you will make a well-beaten track between your home and All Saints'!

THE RECTOR'S LETTER

All Saints' Rectory, 28th January, 1946.

Dear People of All Saints',

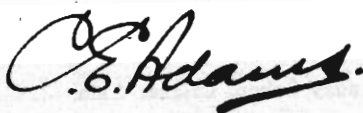
Writing to you on the Anniversary Day holiday reminds me that on the day of the issue of this paper we commemorate the 158th Anniversary of the first Christian Service held in Australia on February the third, 1788; when the Revd. Richard Johnson took as his text Psalm 116 verse 12: "What shall I render unto the Lord for all His benefits toward me?" There was no church in 1788, the service was held under the "great tree" on the shores of what was then called "Sydney Cove"—now Circular Quay. All through the years since, our ancient and historic Church, planted then in this land, has nobly witnessed for the faith and the high ideals connected therewith, and so helped public life in matters of vital consequence. Being a very young nation, we have not a general historical sense—some of us have no historical mind at all—but even Australian history is a treasure-store, wherein is accumulated much for which we should be thankful. The task of churches, schools, parliaments and press is that of making men and women of character, who will see what is really involved in citizenship, and who will mould their lives, and therefore the life of their country, on the firm belief that "man does not live by bread alone" and that, in the long run, character is the only thing that really counts.

About the time the next "Chronicle" is placed in your hands, Lent will commence; for March 6th is Ash Wednesday. The purpose of Lent is to deepen our penitence, to energise our moral powers, and to make our self-denial a greater reality. We are discovering more and more that we have to face up to the problem of getting along together. The solution of the problem lies in the development of tolerance, good-humour, understanding, and a spirit of give-and-take. Unfortunately with so many to-day it is all "take" and no "give"; and if we are perfectly honest with ourselves we will admit what an aggressive tyrant the old "self" can be. And that is just how it is with all of us in this problem of getting along together. We are up against the terrific power of selfishness which is always wrecking our plans for living together in families, in nations, or in the family of nations. To say "No" to little luxuries in Lent is one thing; to say "No" to self is a much bigger, a much harder thing. Thinking along these lines will, I hope, help us to see that the self-denial and discipline of Lent are not the futile, useless things that some people regard them. Any form of self-denial which helps us to dethrone Self, so that a new Master can take control, will bring us the certain happiness of being used by God in the service of our fellow-men. If you desire to be loyal to Christ and His Church you will keep Lent in accordance with the dictates of your own conscience; and you will willingly respond to the invitations and accept the opportunities your Church supplies for the proper observance of this solemn season; realising, at the same time, that above the challenge of the Church is the greater challenge of Christ Himself Who said, "Whosoever will come after Me, let him deny himself . . ."

As is our invariable custom at All Saints', our Lenten self-denial offerings will be devoted to the extension of Christ's Kingdom through the two great missionary societies of our church—the Australian Board of Missions and the Church Missionary Society. Lenten boxes and envelopes will be made available on March 3rd, the Sunday before Ash Wednesday. The recent excellent response for New Guinea makes me feel sure that we shall not fail to maintain, and perhaps even increase, our Lenten gifts for missions.

We commend to you all our Harvest Thanksgiving Services to be held on Septuagesima Sunday, **February 17th**. In view of the shortage of many things it may not be so easy to secure suitable Harvest gifts; but with the co-operation of all our parishioners, we can, notwithstanding the scarcity, make an offering worthy of the occasion. As you know, our gifts are sent after the Festival, to the Home of Peace, which continues to render such wonderful service in ministering to the sick and suffering.

Very sincerely yours,



MATTERS MAINLY PAROCHIAL

C.E.F.—Fellowshippers who had a hand in toy making (under the direction of Mr. Atkinson) with those who helped to turn out the "finished article," and last but not least, Mr. Harris, who transported the toys to the Havilah Home for Children at Wahroonga, will be interested to know their efforts were greatly appreciated. The matron writes: "The children were so pleased with your toys that I want you to know what a good time they had with them. Before five o'clock on Christmas Morning they were running about with waggons, horses, etc. You would have loved to see the babies with their pillowslips, all excitement and delight! Thank you all for helping to give our little ones such a happy time . . ."

The fellowship resumes activities on Tuesday, February 12, when we would welcome probationary members. We meet on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays in each month at 7.45 p.m.—O. H. Binns, Secretary.

Quarterly Offertory.—The Wardens acknowledge with thanks £2/2/- from Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Holt.

Our Part in Building a Better World.—We all believe Christian faith requires us to work for a better, more just, more "human" social order. It is not easy to see how to do that, for the problems are difficult and the field is vast.

Recently there was introduced to us the Christian Social Order Movement within our Church. The aim of that Movement is to inform and train us and set us working for a Christian Social Order in Australia and in the wider world. "C.S.O.M." is the answer to the question: How can I do my part? Those who really wish to play their part, and to train themselves to do so, cannot do better than link up at once with C.S.O.M. and ask the movement's help and guidance.

Here are ways in which you can act:

1. Become a member. If you have not a membership form, ring (BW 7723) or write (72 Pitt St., Sydney) for one. **This is the first and vital step.**
2. If able, contribute to the funds. (Without a rising income the Movement cannot do the work).

3. If you wish to have a special box in your home, ask for one.
4. Listen in to C.S.O.M.'s session from 2GB every Sunday at 10.15 a.m.
5. Ask for a sample copy (free) of "The New Day," C.S.O.M.'s monthly paper, and if possible become a regular subscriber.
6. Link up with your local group which meets on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays in the month. Next meeting, February 19th, at 8 p.m.
7. Pray regularly for the Movement and its Director and officers.

The C.S.O.M. has the Rector's personal support. We would welcome your interest and support.—K. Grant, Secretary.

The Sunday School.—We are pleased to be able to congratulate a member of our staff—Mr. Ken McLean—on passing his Leaving and also the number of boys and girls of our school who were successful in their Intermediate.

Now the school holidays are over, we hope to have a full attendance of both teachers and scholars. We would be glad to have the co-operation of the parents in securing **regular** attendance of the children.—D. E. Muldoon, Secretary.

Sunday School Cricket Club.—Owing to the absence of many members during January, play has been limited to practice matches. We hope to play three matches soon against outside teams; and we expect a full attendance. We play at N.S.W. Church's Grounds, Wardell Road, Dulwich Hill, which may be reached per Bus 490 or 412 from Dulwich Hill terminus. Vacancies exist for cricket and soft-ball players. Boys over 11 who are interested, should apply to Mr. Boyle or the Secretary.—A. Jones, Secretary.

A.B.M.—The Treasurer has received the following communication (which we gladly pass on to you) from the Secretary for N.S.W. :—

"Will you please thank the Rector and Churchpeople of All Saints', Petersham, for their magnificent contribution of £113 for the New Guinea Restoration Fund. I know what this represents in effort from your people and I should be grateful if you would kindly convey to them the Board's great appreciation of their splendid effort."

Women's Guild.—The Guild will resume its activities on Thursday, February 14th in the Library at 8 p.m., the occasion being the Annual Gift Evening for the Home of Peace, and the gifts will be displayed at the Harvest Festival on Sunday, February 17. A special programme is being arranged and it is hoped that the evening will eclipse all others for the same cause. If you cannot be present would you send your gifts and also, will you get your friends interested in the work being done at this splendid home? Ask them would they express their thanks for the glorious gift of health by giving to those who are not so blessed? Gifts in kind, such as fruit, vegetables, groceries, etc., will be most acceptable, or you might like to help with a monetary donation. Don't forget the date—February 14—and encourage the promoters of the evening with your presence. Then again, how about becoming a guild member, if you are not already on the list. The church does need your help and this is one way in which you can be useful. No one else can do **your** bit of work for God, so if you don't give a hand, you can easily see how the Church's task is weakened. Think it over; only don't **think** too long. Our other functions for the month are: February 21, Welcome Home to our Servicemen and Women; February 28, Concert in aid of the Home Mission Society—three one act plays will be presented. This evening is being arranged by the All Saints' Branch of the Ladies' Home Mission Union. As a preliminary notice the Annual Meeting of the Guild will be held on Thursday, March 14, at 8 p.m.—E. V. Adams, President.

Physical Culture Class.—This class will resume on the first Monday (4th) in March, at 6.45 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Miss L. Brown, the instructress

from the Bjelke-Petersen School, will be pleased to meet former members and new ones on that date. The fees are : 1/6 to become a member, and 6d. per lesson.

Welcome Home.—The Welcome Home Party, postponed from December last, is to be held in the Parish Hall on Thursday, February 21st, at 8 p.m. We hope that those who accepted the invitation in December will transfer that acceptance to the above date. Perhaps those who could not accept the original invitation, will accept this one. Will you please advise the Rector if you are now able to be with us ?

Children's Library.—We acknowledge, with thanks, a further donation of £1 from Miss Peard for the Library Fund. The Library will re-open on Tuesday, February 5th, and on Friday, February 8th, and each Tuesday and Friday thereafter from 3.30 to 5 p.m.

The Choir.—We should be glad to hear of boys (9 to 12 years) who would be willing to be trained as probationers for the choir. Applicants should apply to the Choirmaster or the Rector, as soon as possible.

Personal.—We offer our sincerest sympathy to the family of the late Jane Greenaway, who passed away on January 21. Mrs. Greenaway was invalided for some years, but was kept in touch with her Parish Church, in which she was keenly interested; also, to Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Bosward, in the very sudden passing of Mrs. Bosward's brother—George Donaghy—on January 9th. May all those who are bereaved know the comforting and sustaining power of the Holy Spirit in their sorrow.

Congratulations.—Hearty congratulations to all our young people who have been successful in the Leaving and Intermediate Examinations; with all good wishes to them for the future.

CHURCH MUSIC—FEBRUARY 10th TO MARCH 3rd, 1946

SUNDAY	MORNING	EVENING
Feb. 10th Epiphany v	Holy Communion (Choral) Stainer in F. Hymns : 179, 320, 316.	Hymns: 199, 235, 24, 23. Psalm: 99. Anthem: Comfort, O Lord (Crotch)
Feb. 17th Septuagesima Harvest Festival	Hymns: 381, 383, 379, 388. Psalm: 65. Anthem: Ye shall dwell in the Land (Stainer)	Hymns: 382, 384, 383, 386. Psalm: 147. Anthem: Thou Visitest the Earth (Greene).
Feb. 24th Sexagesima	Hymns: 37, 172, 322. Psalm: 25.	Hymns: 513, 685, 754, 22. Psalm: 139. Anthem: O Taste and See (Goss).
March 3rd Quinquagesima.	Hymns : 37, 520, 263, 167, 291. Psalm: 20.	Hymns: 197, 273, 262, 517, 210. Psalm: 30. Anthem: Abide with Me (Sterndale Bennett).

Harvest Festival, 1946

"Bread is a lovely thing to eat—
 God bless the barley and the wheat.
 A lovely thing to breathe is air—
 God bless the sunshine everywhere.
 The earth's a lovely place to know—
 God bless the folks that come and go.
 Alive's a lovely thing to be—
 'Giver of life,' we say, 'bless Thee,'
 And keep us alive to the needs of all men everywhere,
 That no selfishness of ours may cause others to lack
 The gifts which Thy bounty supplies for all."

SEPTUAGESIMA SUNDAY—February 17th

8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
 9.45 a.m.—Children's Festival Service.
 11 a.m.—Matins and Sermon.
 7.15 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon.

Our Harvest Festival gifts are for the Home of Peace.

THE SHEPHERD PSALM

The 23rd Psalm is the most beautiful of all the Psalms; it has brought comfort and courage to thousands. There are numerous stories about this psalm, many of them true. Here is a true story from Canada. A Missionary used to travel from log hut to log hut teaching children. One of his favourite methods was to teach them the first verse of this Psalm, "The Lord is my Shepherd." He used to make them count the words on their five fingers, and, when they came to the fourth finger, he used to make them grip it with the other hand to remind each one that the Lord is **my** Shepherd.

In the following winter it is recorded that a little chap was lost in a snowstorm which swept over the district. Days afterwards they found his body in a snowdrift—and his right hand was grasping the fourth finger of his left hand, showing that even in death this little child of God had not forgotten the simple lesson taught him a few Sundays previously, "The Lord is **my** Shepherd."

There is a nautical paraphrase of the Shepherd Psalm. It may not appeal to everybody, but it does make an appeal to all those "who go down to the sea in ships and occupy their business in great waters." It is entitled "The Pilot Psalm," and has been written by Captain J. H. Roberts :

"The Lord is my Pilot; I shall not drift.

He lighteth me across the dark waters; He steereth me in the deep channels; He keepeth my log. He guideth me by the Star of Holiness for His Name's sake. Yea, though I sail 'mid the thunders and tempests of life, I shall dread no danger; for Thou art near me; Thy love and Thy care they shelter me. Thou preparest a harbour before me in the Homeland of Eternity; Thou anointest the waves with oil: my ship rideth calmly. Surely sunlight and starlight shall favour me on the voyage I take, and I will rest in the port of my God for ever."

DISTRICT VISITORS' COLLECTIONS

Per Miss Norman: Mrs. Holt 10/-. Mrs. Robertson 2/-. Mrs. Sharp Senr. 2/-. Miss Hobbs 6/-. Mrs. Riley 2/-. Mrs. Jones 2/-. Mrs. Morrison 2/-. Mrs. Joy 2/-. Mrs. Williams 2/-. Miss Holland 1/-. Mrs. Thomas 1/-. Mrs. Hacking 1/-. Mrs. Tyler 6d. Mrs. Webster 1/-. Mrs. Mervyn 1/-. Mrs. Brodie 6d. Mrs. Welsh 1/-. Mrs. Eve 1/-. Mrs. Sumner 1/-. Mrs. Beardow 1/-. Miss Norman 1/-. Total £2/1/-.

Per Mrs. Davison (December and January): Mrs. Ridge 2/-. Mrs. Smith 2/-. Mrs. Howe 2/-. Mrs. Cheers 2/-. Mrs. Woodford 1/-. Mrs. Webb 2/-. Mrs. Banks 2/-. Mr. Lawrence 2/-. Mrs. Lang 6d. Mrs. Miller 1/-. Mrs. Morton 4/-. Mrs. Ricketts 2/-. Mrs. Mulveny 1/-. Miss Best 3/-. Mrs. Lindsay 1/-. Mrs. Archer 4/-. Mr. Payne 2/6. Mrs. Dunn 1/6. Mrs. McLean 3/-. Mrs. Harrington 1/-. Totals, December 17/3, January £1/2/3.

Per Mrs. Marker: Mrs. Nicol 6d. Mrs. Burgess 1/-. Mrs. Jackson 1/-. Mrs. Hopkins 1/-. Mrs. French 2/-. Mrs. Guiver 1/-. Mrs. Morgan 1/-. Mrs. Schofield 6d. Mrs. Mulhall 1/-. Mrs. Walter 1/-. Mrs. Cain 2/-. Mrs. Lovett 1/-. Mrs. Ridgway 1/-. Mrs. Olofsson 1/-. Mr. Sefton 2/-. Mrs. Crawford 1/-. Mrs. Martin 1/-. Mr. Thompson 6d. Mrs. Staples 6d. Mrs. Whitford 6d. Mrs. Meredith 6d. Mrs. E. Marker Jun. 2/-. Mrs. English 1/-. Mrs. Watson 1/-. A Friend 2/-. Mr. F. Walker 6d. Mrs. Peterson 1/-. A Friend 1/-. Mrs. Stuckey 1/-. Total £1/10/6.

Per Mrs. Brennan: Mrs. Grey 1/-. Mrs. Heaton 1/-. Mrs. Pringle 1/-. Mrs. Johansen 1/-. Mrs. Finch 6d. Mrs. Crooks 1/-. Mrs. Mount 1/-. Mrs. Watson 1/-. Mrs. Tully 1/-. Mrs. Kerrigan 1/-. Mrs. Wotton 1/-. Misses Jannsen 1/-. Mrs. Baker 1/-. Mrs. Gilbert 1/-. Mrs. Crossingham 1/-. Mrs. Knight 1/-. Mrs. Leslie 1/-. Mrs. O'Brien 1/-. Miss Cox 6d. Miss Crittenden 1/-. Mrs. Cartwright 4/-. Mrs. Ruthven 2/-. Mrs. S. Smith 1/-. Mrs. Hay 1/-. Mrs. Kent 1/-. Mrs. McDougall 1/-. Mrs. McRitchie 1/-. Mrs. Sopwith 1/-. Miss O'Brien 2/-. Mrs. Hudson 2/-. Mr. Hailwood 3/-. Mrs. Hodgson 1/-. Mrs. Raymond 1/-. Mrs. Alexander 1/-. Mrs. Chapman 2/-. Mrs. Ward 2/-. Miss Moxham 10/6. Mrs. I. L. Evans £1/1/-. Total £3/16/6.

Per Mrs. Binns: Mrs. Grant 1/3. Mrs. Robertson 1/-. Mrs. Fullagar 2/-. Mrs. Gardiner 1/-. Mrs. Craven 1/-. Mrs. Stapleton 6d. Mrs. Hancorne 1/-. Mrs. Gillies 1/-. Mrs. Everitt 1/-. Mrs. Atterton 2/-. Mrs. Richards 1/-. Miss Rainsford 1/-. Miss Taylor 1/-. Mrs. Arkinstall 2/-. Miss Sibthorpe 1/-. Miss Humphries 1/-. Mrs. Ayrton 1/-. Total 19/9.

Per Mrs. Reilly: Mrs. White 1/-. Mrs. Hackett 1/-. Mrs. Mason 1/-. Mrs. Reilly and Miss Hill 1/6. Mrs. Philpott 1/-. Mrs. Dowley 1/-. Mrs. Joyce 1/-. Mrs. Furnell 1/-. Mrs. Gray 2/6. Mrs. Hawkrige 1/-. Miss Allen 2/-. Mrs. Turner 3d. Mrs. Wiggers 1/-. Mrs. Hills 1/-. Mrs. Irwin 6d. Mrs. Pollett 1/-. Mrs. Murphy 6d. Mrs. Johnstone 1/-. Mrs. Hesford 1/-. Mrs. Richards 6d. Mrs. Jesson 1/-. Mrs. Fuller 1/-. Mrs. Bosward 1/-. Mrs. Bailey 1/-. Mrs. Cruden 1/-. Misses Walters 6d. Mrs. McClean 6d. Mrs. Messer 1/-. Mrs. Downer 1/-. Mrs. Impey 1/-. Mrs. Cunning-

ham 2/-. Mrs. McKay 2/-. Mrs. Riddick 6d. Mr. Wagstaffe 1/-. Total £1/15/3.

Per Mrs. McLean: Mrs. Green 1/-. Mrs. Wilson 1/-. Mrs. Austin 1/-. Mrs. Weaver 2/-. Mrs. Harrison 2/-. Mrs. Godkin 1/-. Mrs. Morris 1/-. Mrs. Nathaniel 6d. 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 1/-. Mrs. Miller 2/-. Mrs. Hunt 1/-. Mrs. Hopkins 1/-. Mrs. Kennedy 1/-. Mrs. A. B. Carpenter 1/-. Mrs. N. Carpenter 2/-. Mrs. Powell 2/-. Mrs. Johnson 2/-. Mrs. Kenny 6d. Miss Farley 1/-. Mrs. McLeod 1/-. Mrs. Allan 1/-. Mrs. Jones 1/-. Mrs. Lamont 1/-. Mrs. H. G. Watson 1/-. Mrs. Patterson 1/-. (Brighton St.). Mrs. Golsby 2/-. Mrs. Brennan 1/-. Mrs. Stubbs 1/-. Mrs. Page 1/-. Mrs. Storey 1/-. Mrs. Scott 1/-. Mrs. Marker 4/-. Mr. Burtinshaw 2/-. Miss Trader 2/-. Total £2/13/-.

Per Mrs. Fourro: Mrs. Robinson 1/-. Miss Skead 6d. Mrs. Watson 1/-. Mrs. Glogie 1/-. Mrs. Pepper 1/-. Mrs. Pascoe 1/-. Mrs. Wenholtz 1/-. Mrs. Brown 6d. Mrs. Phelps 1/-. Mrs. Cork 6d. Mrs. Mein 1/-. Mrs. Brookes 2/-. Mrs. Cahill 1/-. Mrs. Pople 6d. Mrs. Reid 6d. Mrs. Lang 1/-. Mrs. Wales 6d. Mrs. Steer 6d. Mrs. Bicknell 1/-. Mrs. Horton 1/-. Miss Storum 1/-. Mrs. Fisher 6d. Mrs. Collier 2/-. Mrs. Tynan 1/-. Miss Spiller 1/-. Mrs. White 1/-. Miss Darke 1/-. Mrs. F. Johnstone 2/-. Miss Watkins 1/-. Miss Lucas 1/-. Mrs. Kirkpatrick 1/-. Mrs. Baxter 2/-. Total £1/12/-.

Per Mrs. Handel: Mrs. Petherbridge 2/-. Mrs. Roffey Senr. 1/-. Mrs. Hogg 1/-. Mr. Howard 1/-. Mrs. Shearn 1/-. Mrs. Shaw 6d. Mrs. Osbourne 1/-. Mrs. Saddleir 1/-. Mrs. Ruhle 1/-. Mrs. McAdam 6d. Mrs. Choy 6d. Mrs. Hayne 2/-. Mrs. Carswell 2/-. Mrs. Green 2/-. Miss Derbyshire 1/-. Miss Meyers 1/-. Miss Wheeler 6d. Miss Knight 1/-. Mrs. Cresswell 2/-. Miss Clark 1/-. Mrs. Cole 1/-. Mrs. Barrett 1/-. Mrs. Fisher 1/-. Mrs. Rowley 1/-. Mrs. Hope 1/-. Mrs. Roffey Junr. 6d. Miss Haywood 1/-. Mrs. Herbert 1/-. Mrs. Cornish 1/-. Mrs. Handel 1/-. Total £1/12/6.

(Omitted from January issue: — Mrs. Cresswell 2/-. Miss Knight 1/-.)

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/-. Miss Alexander 1/-. Mrs. Gash 1/-. Mrs. Nesbitt 1/-. Mrs. Wheeler 1/-. Mrs. Robertson 2/-. Mrs. Kidd 1/-. Mrs. Cannon 1/-. Mrs. Wheeler 6d. Mrs. Douglas 6d. Mrs. Sutherland 1/-. Mrs. Clark 1/-. Mrs. Mitchell 1/-. Mrs. Pollock 1/-. Mrs. Beattie 1/-. Mrs. Hollinshead 1/-. Mrs. Williams 1/-. Mrs. Gottle 6d. A Friend 6d. Mrs. Páull 1/-. Mrs. Binns 1/-. Mrs. Cox 1/-. Mrs. Schaeffer 1/-. Mrs. Dennis 1/-. Mrs. Johns 2/-. Mrs. Kingston 2/-. Mrs. Blom 2/-. Mrs. Morris 2/-. Mrs. Kester 1/-. Mrs. Lackey 1/-. Mrs. Jenkins 1/-. Mrs. Fitzsimmons 2/-. Mrs. Darby 2/-. Total £2/18/-.

Per Mrs. Sinclair: Mrs. York 1/-. Mrs. Hoseason 2/-. Mrs. Robinson 2/-. Mrs. Price 1/-. Mr. McCann 2/-. Mrs. Ward 1/-. Mrs. Finney 2/-. Mrs. Sinclair 1/-. Total 12/-.

Per Mrs. Gull: Miss Allen 2/-. Mrs. Rockwell 1/-. Mrs. Cole 1/-. Mrs. James 1/-. Mrs. St. Julian 2/-. Mrs. Whiting 1/-. Mrs. Green 1/-. Mrs. Jones 1/-. Mrs. Dick 1/-. Mrs. Byram 2/-. Mrs. Taylor 1/-. Miss Deacon 1/-. Miss Brown 2/-. Miss Payne 1/-. Miss Davies 1/-. Anonymous 3/-. Total £12/2.

Per Mrs. Taylor: Miss Belfield 1/-. Mrs. Dwyer 1/-. Miss Adams 1/-. Mrs. Watts 3d. Mrs. Buckley 1/-. Mrs. Graham 1/-. Mr. C. Graham 1/-. Miss Keys 6d. Miss Graham 6d. Mrs. Currell 1/-. Mrs. Watson 1/-. Mrs. Pope 6d. Mrs. Cook 6d. Mrs. Handley 6d. Mrs. Williams 6d. Mrs. MacDonald 6d. Miss Blotch 6d. Total 12/3.

Per Mrs. Taylor (Mrs. Hacking's District): Mrs. Cowin 1/-. Mrs. Uren 6d. Mrs. Ditchburn 2/-. Mrs. Essam 3d. Mrs. Rhodes 1/-. Mrs. Thompson 6d. Mrs. Locke 1/-. Mrs. Behrend 1/-. Mrs. Wonnocott 1/-. Mrs. Wilson 9d. Mrs. Bicknell 6d. Mrs. Colliss 1/-. Miss Hyatt 1/-. Mr. J. Bell 1/-. Mrs. Craigie 2/-. Mrs. Jarvis 1/-. Mrs. Bray 2/-. Mrs. Grey 1/-. Mrs. Rapping 2/-. Mr. L. Smith 1/-. Mrs. Pailthorpe 1/-. Mrs. Higgins 1/-. Mrs. Higgins Jnr. 1/-. Mrs. Cleary 2/-. Mrs. Clarke 1/-. Mrs. Newton 2/-. Mrs. Cornish 1/-. Mrs. Jones 1/-. Total £11/6.

Per Rector (Mrs. Jones' District): Mrs. Pryor 1/6. Miss Slocombe 1/-. Mrs. Pepper 1/-. Mrs. Menzies 6d. Mrs. Jupp 1/-. Mrs. Burns 1/-. Miss Lee 1/-. Mrs. Hall 1/-. Mr. Harris and Mrs. Daniell 1/3. Mrs. Hanley 1/-. Mrs. Locke 2/-. Mrs. Kerry 1/-. Mrs. Napier 1/-. Miss Chippindall 1/-. Miss Snowden 1/-. Mrs. Kell 2/-. Mrs. Gagan 1/-. Mrs. Stockall 1/-. Mrs. Lloyd 1/-. Mrs. Breadon 2/-. Miss Argue 2/-. Mr. Cripps 3/-. Mrs. McMahon 1/-. Total £19/3.

Per Rector (Mrs. Timmins' District): Mrs. O'Connor 6d. A Friend 6d. Mrs. Wolrige 1/-. Mr. R. H. Peard 2/-. Miss Peard 2/-. Mrs. Mathews 1/-. Mrs. McCloy 1/-. Miss Cragg 2/-. Mrs. Pullen 1/-. Mrs. B. Pullen 1/-. Mr. and Mrs. Brindley 3/-. Miss Mottram 1/-. Mrs. Maundrell 2/-. Mrs. Tooth 1/-. Mrs. Eggleton 2/-. Mrs. Meldrum 1/-. Miss Westman 6/-. Mrs. Horton 1/-. Mrs. Strohm 2/-. Mrs. Probert 1/-. Mrs. Wheatley 2/6. Mrs. Fischer 1/-. Mrs. Johnson 1/-. Mrs. New 2/-. Mrs. Ivey 1/-. Mrs. Fisher 1/-. Mrs. Timmins 1/-. Mrs. Druce 2/-. Mrs. Haddow 1/-. Mr. Fraser 2/-. Mrs. Barry 2/-. Mrs. Perry 9d. Mrs. Bernard 1/-. Total £210/3.

Per Mrs. Grant: Mrs. McCulloch 1/-. Mrs. Sams 6d. Mrs. Nicholls 1/-. Mr. D. Cooke 1/-. Mrs. Greer 1/-. Mrs. Beckett 1/-. Mrs. Elliott 1/-. Mrs. Chamberlain 1/-. Miss Money 6d. Mrs. Gould 2/-. Mr. Jamieson 2/-. Mrs. Maundrell 2/-. Miss Spear 2/-. Mrs. C. G. Wooll 2/-. Mr. Barnard 1/-. Miss Fry 1/-. Mrs. Sharp 6/-. Mrs. McLean 1/-. Mrs. Cheesewright 1/-. Mrs. Geary 1/-. Mrs. Barnes 1/-. Mrs. McLarty 1/-. Miss Wells 1/-. Total £112/2.

Grand Total for January, £307/3.

ASSISTANT CLERGY FUND

Per Miss Norman: Mrs. Holt 5/-. Mrs. Atkinson 1/-. Miss Norman 1/-. Total 7/-.
Per Rector: Mrs. Locke 2/-. Mrs. Napier 1/-. Miss Snowden 1/-. Mrs. Green 1/-. Miss Peard 1/-. Mrs. Wheatley 2/6. Total 8/6.

Per Mrs. Reilly: Mrs. Gray 2/6. Mrs. Nicholls 6d. Total 3/-.
Per Mrs. Brennan: Mr. Hailwood 3/-.
Per Mrs. Binns: Miss Taylor 1/-. Mrs. Robertson 1/-. Miss Rainsford 1/-. Total 3/-.
Per Mrs. Robertson: Mrs. Slee 1/9. Mrs. Grant 1/-. Mrs. Morris 2/-. Miss Sutherland 1/-. Mrs. Robertson 2/6. Total 8/3.

Per Mrs. Taylor: Miss Belfield 1/-. Mrs. Craigie 1/-. Total 2/-.
Per Mrs. Grant: Miss Spear 2/-. Mrs. Chamberlain 1/-. Miss Fry 1/-. Mrs. Sharp 5/-. Total 9/-.
Grand Total £23/9.

OFFERTORIES AND COMMUNICANTS FOR JANUARY

January 1	£5	13	6	90
January 6	10	7	3†	57
January 13	8	19	1‡	84
January 20	7	11	5	40
January 27	8	7	2	76
	£40	18	5	347

† Including 3/6 (additional) C. of E. Homes.

‡ Including 16/- (additional) C. of E. Homes.

C.M.S. BOXES

Quarter Ending 31st December, 1945.

Mrs. Slee 18/-. Mrs. Marker 6/-. Mrs. Harris 16/-. Mrs. Handel 4/4. Miss Cragg 5/-. Mrs. Pullen 3/3. Miss Speight 3/6. Mrs. Grant 3/-. Mrs. Muldoon 2/6. Mrs. Sinclair 2/-. Mrs. Cash 6/-. Mrs. M. Lindsay 10/-. Miss D. P. Brown 10/-. Anonymous 10/-. Pat Meekings 3/-. Brian Heaton 7/6½. Leigh Illingworth 16/-. Clare Quelch 10/10½. Frank Needs 1/0½. Ron Thomas 3/1. Mervyn Whiting 2/7. Medical Appeal £1. Total £287/7.—D. P. Brown, Box Secretary.

BAPTISMS

"Suffer the little children to come unto Me."

January 13.—Rosslyn Joan Gamble.

January 13.—Neil Young.

January 20.—Graham Charles Edwards.

MARRIAGES

"Heirs together of the Grace of Life."

January 19.—Norman Thomas Cunningham and Nancy Leah Bertram.

January 19.—Arthur William Bicknell and Dulcie Ruth Wilson.

January 21.—Norman Richard Adams and Jocelyn Valma Tritton.

January 26.—Frederick George Mulhall and Dorothy May Kane.

DEATH

"Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord; Even so, saith the Spirit, for they rest from their labours."

January 21.—Jane Greenaway.