

The Chronicle

of

The Parish of All Saints, Petersham

JUNE, 1941

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

Churchwardens: Messrs. E. C. KING, L. C. CALVER, W. J. COOKE.

Parish Council: THE CHURCHWARDENS and Messrs. J. M. BOYLE,
A. E. CARRUTHERS, A. S. CUSITER, S. L. DERRETT,
D. B. HUNTER, A. J. HARRIS, H. F. JONES, W. SOPWITH, Junr.,
C. E. TANNER, A. H. THOMAS, W. WEBSTER, J. WILLIAMS.

Secretary: Mr. L. C. CALVER.

Treasurer: Mr. E. C. KING.

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

Verger: Mr. W. SOPWITH, 8 York Crescent, Petersham.

SERVICES AND SOCIETIES.

Sunday: 8 a.m., Holy Communion; 9.45 a.m., Sunday School; 11 a.m., Matins, Sermon; 7.15 p.m., Evensong and Sermon.

Holy Communion: Every Sunday at 8 a.m.; second (Choral) and 4th Sundays at mid-day.

The Litany is sung on the 5th Sunday of the month at 11 a.m.

Holy Baptism: By arrangement.

Marriages: By arrangement.

Children's Service: 3rd Sunday, 9.45 a.m.

Parish Council: 1st Monday, 8 p.m.

Choir Practices: Thursday, Boys, 6.30 p.m.; Adults, 8 p.m.

District Visitors' Meeting: 3rd Wednesday at 3 p.m.

Women's Guild: 2nd and 4th Thursdays.

Girls' Club: Alternate Mondays.

Y.P.U.: Mondays, 7.15 p.m.

Young Churchmen's Institute: Alternate Fridays, 7.45 p.m.

Sunday School Superintendent: Rev. D. A. Ridley.

Bush Church Aid Society: Mrs. P. D. Brady.

Scripture Union Secretary: Mr. R. Atkinson.

C.M.S. Box Secretary: Miss D. Brown.

C.E.B.S.: Juniors, Friday, 7 p.m.; Seniors, Wednesday, 8 p.m.

C.E.F.: 1st and 3rd Sundays, after Evensong. 2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 8 p.m.

THE RECTOR'S LETTER.

All Saints' Rectory,
Petersham.

19th May, 1941.

Dear People of All Saints',

Although I am in Brisbane enjoying mild temperatures and brilliant Queensland sunshine, a glance at the calendar reminds me that the time for the preparation of another issue of the "Chronicle" draws very near.

Professor Walter Murdoch, of Western Australia (whose writings are so well known to thousands of Australians), has recently written a book called "Steadfast," which is not only favourably reviewed, but which also forms the topic for the leading article of the Brisbane "Courier-Mail." This article concludes with the words "Many a time has Walter Murdoch from his watchtower in the West radiated sweetness and light. His latest book still does these things, but has added to them the sanity, the serenity and the strength of his own faith."

In these days we are called, as perhaps never before, to make the adventure of Faith. Faith has its risks as well as its certainties. To believe in a God of Love in a world seemingly given up to cruelty and chaos is unquestionably an adventure. Jesus Christ never offered immunity from this risk. He never coerced men's minds; and yet if He was wrong in His reckoning about God and man and the world, many of us would be quite content to be wrong with Him. This adventure of Faith can never be a mere arm-chair affair; it must involve, and always does involve, a corresponding adventure in living. To show the way, to give a lead in such an adventure is indeed the business of the church—that world-wide society of those who, however ineffectively, love the Lord Christ and try to spread His spirit in their daily living. Unfortunately, the adventurers are still far too few. The Bishop of Lichfield, in a recent article, writes: "Let the church, even in the midst of war, and entangled in a society whose aims and standards are largely godless—let the church even so demonstrate, as it can and should, what community life can be; let it exhibit, on howsoever small a scale, what happens when men treat each other as sons of God, and make corporate adventures in heroic love. And let worship be seen and understood as man's quite natural offering of all common life to God for Him to bless and redeem and sanctify. That is a lead which the church could well give to the world if only it would take fresh hold of the limitless Divine resources."

It was interesting to read in yesterday's press: "The usual services will be held in Westminster Abbey on Sunday in the Nave. Most of the debris has been cleared, though some may still be visible to the congregation. The choir will stand facing the organ screen, as it is impossible to use the choir stalls. The Dean said: 'We are not going to be blasted from our worship by Hitler!'" What a great spirit, and what a commentary on many of us in Australia! No attempt has yet been made to blast us from our worship—possibly we would value it more if there had been—and yet, many of those who have loved ones serving abroad do not come to join in a corporate act of prayer for them, for our cause, for those in authority, upon whom terrific responsibility has fallen, and for guidance and strength to face whatever may lie ahead.

The month of June is the time for making the annual appeal for Medical Missions. This will be done this year by the issue of a special Envelope, which we ask you to use for this purpose. You may not be able to do much, but do not let that be a deterrent upon doing the little you can.

This remark applies also to the Box Appeal for our Parish Hall Fund (in lieu of a fete), upon which I wrote at length last month. When I left Sydney there were just one hundred boxes issued. We shall need to distribute many more if the wardens are to be supplied with the funds necessary to meet our commitments. By the time you receive this letter there will still be two months and a half in which to take your share of this responsibility.

I am grateful to Mr. Ridley and to those who assisted him in the conduct of the services during my absence.

Very sincerely yours,

E. Adams.

MATTERS MAINLY PAROCHIAL

Quarterly Offertory.—June 15 will be the next Quarterly Offertory Sunday. Opportunity will be taken to inaugurate the proposed monthly Social Half-hour in the Parish Hall after Evening Service on this Sunday. People who seldom meet, newcomers to the Parish, and those who have few opportunities for fellowship will, in this way, be able to come together in a social way.

The Sunday School.—The Annual Meeting was held on Wednesday, April 30, at 8.30 p.m., the Rev. C. E. Adams presiding and the following officers being elected.—Hon. Sec., Miss M. E. Haywood (in place of Mr. Atkinson, resigned); Hon. Treas., Mr. A. Carruthers (re-elected); and a social committee of seven members, Mrs. Bosward, Misses B. Palmer, J. Robertson, M. N. Haywood, Messrs. A. Carruthers, B. Sayers and Rev. D. A. Ridley.

Miss Carolus, Kindergarten leader, presented a very interesting report of that department's activities for the past twelve months. June 1 will mark the first anniversary of the laying of the foundation stone of the Kindergarten Hall. The Treasurer (Mr. Carruthers), reported a decided increase in offertories since the inception of morning Sunday School. Donations of £5 each were sent to C.M.S. and A.B.M.. The sum of £9 was received from the Children's Lenten Boxes, and is the largest amount on record.

It was decided to form a band of relieving teachers to take the place of any of our regular staff when unavoidably absent. We should be glad to hear from any parishioners willing to help in this way.

The Superintendent would be pleased to know of any of our friends who would be able to supply flowers on one particular Sunday each month for our Sunday School Hall. Arrangements for the collecting of same could be made with any of our scholars or staff.

On Saturday evening, May 24, a social was held in the Parish Hall when the opportunity was taken to say farewell and make small presentations to two very keen and loyal members of our staff—Mrs. Bryant (Kindergarten Dept.) and Mr. Atkinson (Hon. Sec. and Senior Boys' Teacher), who have found it necessary to resign owing to change over to morning Sunday School. We regret losing such valued teachers, but feel assured of their continued interest in any of the Sunday School's activities.

—M. E. Hayward, Hon. Sec.

Women's Guild.—The Women's Annual Luncheon held on Wednesday, May 14, was once again a great success, and in spite of the inclement weather there were 140 present. We are sorry that our President, Miss Adams, was away, owing to illness. We had our very good friend, Mrs. Cranswick, to preside, and Mrs. Crawford Vaughan, our Guest Speaker, gave us a most interesting address on "Events in the Pacific." The assisting artists, Misses Field and Beard, gave several items which were much

enjoyed, and Mrs. L. Phillips kindly acted as accompaniste. The decorations were beautiful, and we have to thank Mesdames Blunt, Morris, Grant and Sinclair for their artistry.

The Rector and Miss Adams sent a telegram wishing us all success and the Guild suitably replied. The financial result should add £8 to our Quota Fund. There were no expenses, the whole of the luncheon being provided by the members of the different Groups, headed by the Group Leaders. We would like to say a big THANK YOU to everyone. The meetings for June are: Tuesday, June 10, when a big Orchestral Concert is being arranged by Guild members. Splendid entertainment is promised, and it is hoped to see our Parish Hall full. Tickets are 1/- each. June 26, Quarterly Rally; June 27, Jumble Sale. This sale is to be held at the Newtown Markets, and members and friends are urged to keep this date in mind. All articles of clothing, etc., to be sent to the Rectory not later than a week before the date of sale, to allow for pricing of same.

—C. Reilly, Hon. Sec.

Y.P.U.—The function being arranged by this Society for May 26 had to be postponed owing to the School holidays intervening. The fete in aid of the annual Medical Gift Appeal will, therefore, be held on Saturday afternoon, June 21, in the Rectory grounds. If the weather should not be propitious it will be held in the Parish Hall.

C.M.S.—The following acknowledgment has been received from the Acting General Secretary of the C.M.S.:

"Please accept our very sincere thanks for the contribution of £15/14/7 (Fifteen pounds, 14/7), from All Saints', Petersham, as a Lenten Offering.

"We shall be glad if you will take a convenient opportunity of conveying to your parishioners our appreciation of their efforts at this Lenten season, to maintain the witness of the Church overseas.

"It is encouraging to have this further token of interest in the work of the C.M.S. from the people of All Saints'."

Girls' Club.—On Monday, May 5, the Girls' Club held a Tennis Night, when a jolly evening was spent by the members, and both physically and socially it was very successful. On Saturday, May 10, the Club arranged a "Popular" evening to help its own Parish Hall Quota Fund and also the C.E.N.E.F. Funds. The Club is very grateful to Mrs. Day for acting as pianiste for the evening, Mr. C. Tanner for acting as M.C., and to all who helped in the good work by their presence. The takings were about £4, and will be divided between the above-mentioned funds. The members

of the Club, assisted by friends, under the direction of the President, Miss Adams, are busily rehearsing for a Patriotic Concert to take place on June 30. A splendid programme is being arranged, and it is hoped to see our Parish Hall filled on that occasion.

—N. King, Hon. Sec.

B.C.A.—The B.C.A. Box Collections for April were: Rectory, 11/6; Mrs. Hoseason, 5/10½; Miss Hole, 5/9; Mrs. Holt, 5/-; Mrs. Sinclair, 2/-; Miss Hill, 1/6½; Mrs. Paton, 1/3; Mrs. Jupp, 1/-; Mrs. Brady, 6/1; Total, £2.

—S. Brady, Box Secretary.

Sympathy.—We offer our sincere sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Bicknell and family, of Palace Street, in their grave anxiety concerning Gunner Roy Bicknell, of 3rd Anti-Tank Regiment (11th Battery), who was reported missing on April 29, and is believed to be a prisoner of war.

We also extend our deep sympathy to Mrs. Cramp (and family), of 24 West Street, on the death of her eldest son, Albert Henry Cramp, of Auckland, N.Z., on April 29; to Mrs. Campbell, of York Crescent, in the loss of her daughter, Mrs. Turbet, of Fort Street; to the Misses Dean, of Livingstone Road (and their relatives), in the very sudden passing of their sister-in-law, Margaret Davinia Dean, of Marrickville; to Mrs. Clarke, of Albany Road, whose sister passed away recently, and to Mrs. Hollinshead (and family), of Bright Street, on the death of her husband, Herbert Cecil Hollinshead, on May 23.

Picture Afternoon.—A small group of parishioners of All Saints' has undertaken to organise functions to augment our Church funds. To this end Mrs. F. Ward kindly arranged a Picture Afternoon for children, which was held in the Guild Room, on Saturday, May 24. Mr. Ward kindly supplied and manipulated his cinematograph and, judging by the happiness of the children, the afternoon was a pronounced success. Sweets were sold and afternoon tea was provided at a nominal charge, for the adults present. The financial result was £3.

Mrs. J. Thomas is busy organising an entertainment for the same funds, to be held on May 29.

C.E.B.S. (Seniors).—The C.E.B.S. year ends on the 31st May, and at the time of writing the officials are preparing for the Annual Meeting, which is to be held on Wednesday, May 28. This event, of course, will be over when this Report appears in print. At the conclusion of the meeting, presentations will be made to the winners of the various events held during the year. The principal winners were:—**Cricket.**—Batting, T. Bicknell; Bowling, C. Coskerie; All-rounder, H. Robertson. **Boxing.**—Junior, H. Robertson; Senior, J. Lyons. **Wrestling.**—Junior, to be decided; Senior, K. Doyle. The Special Cup for the outstanding Club man goes to Alan Smith. The "Hodgson Cup," donated by Mr. Evans for the inter-house Teams Competition was won by the "Tigers."

The Club has recently purchased a set of wrestling mats and has had a pair of boxing gloves donated. R. Brookes, one of our prominent members, has left us, having moved to Orange. Any boys of the Parish, over the age of 14, will be welcome any Wednesday night at our meetings.

—R. McLean, Leader.

DISTRICT VISITORS' COLLECTIONS.

Per Miss Ockwell.—Mrs. Tailby, 1/-. Mr. Cohen 1/-. Mrs. Phillips 1/-. Mrs. Thompson 1/-. Miss Ockwell 1/6. Miss Rainsford 1/-. Miss Sibthorpe 1/-. Miss Pigott 1/-. Mrs. Robertson 1/-. Mrs. Richard 1/-. Miss Taylor 1/-. Mrs. Everett 1/-. Mrs. Brennan 1/-. Mrs. Arkinstall 1/-. Total 14/6.

Per Miss Peard.—Mrs. Paton 1/-. Mrs. Mathew 6d. Mrs. McCloy 1/-. Mrs. Wolrige 1/-. Mrs. Pullen 1/-. Mrs. Fox 1/-. Mrs. Stott Douglas 1/-. Mrs. Maundrell 2/-. Mrs. Tooth 6d. Mrs. Eggleton 2/-. Mrs. Moore 1/-. Mrs. Marquette 2/-. Mrs. Tanner 1/-. Mrs. Meldrum 6d. Mrs. Brindley 2/-. Mrs. Rawohl 6d. Mrs. Wickley 1/-. Mrs. McDonald 1/-. Miss Mottram 1/-. Miss Gould 2/-. Miss Thompson 6d. Miss Wells 1/6. Miss Lambert 1/-. Miss Hinds 6d. Mr. Coffee 1/-. R. H. Peard 2/-. Miss Peard 2/-. Total £1/11/-.

Per Mrs. Paton.—Miss Best 1/-. Mr. Paine 1/-. Mrs. Hewitt 1/-. Mrs. Webb 1/-. — Moreton 1/-. Mrs. McLean 1/-. Mrs. Ridge 1/-. Mrs. Woodford 1/-. Mrs. Bowles 6d. Mrs. Smith 6d. Mrs. Howe 6d. Friend 6d. Mrs. Lean 6d. Mrs. Carveth 6d. Mrs. Moreton 1/-. Mrs. Miller 1/-. Mrs. Lang 6d. Mrs. Harrington 1/-. Mrs. Gardener 6d. Mrs. Staworthy 6d. Mrs. McIntyre 1/-. Mrs. Bousfield 4d. Mrs. Mulveney 6d. Total 17/4.

Per Mrs. Handel.—Miss Derbyshire 1/-. Mr. Calver, Snr., 1/-. Miss Meyers 1/-. Miss Wheeler 6d. Mrs. Clarke 1/6. Miss Haywood 1/-. Mrs. Knight 1/-. Mrs. Gresswell 1/-. Mrs. Cole 1/-. Mrs. Barrett 1/-. Miss Creig 1/-. Mrs. Roffey 6d. Mrs. Handel 1/-. Total 12/-.

Per Mrs. Donaldson.—Mrs. Pashley 1/-. Mrs. Wright 1/-. Mrs. Leslie 1/-. Misses Janssen 1/-. Mrs. Fowler 1/6. Miss Dean 1/-. Miss Wells 6d. Mrs. Burgis 6d. Mrs. Hancorne 1/-. Mrs. Horton 1/-. Total 9/-.

Per Mrs. Brady.—Miss Martin 2/-. Mrs. Arnold 2/-. Mrs. Lyons 2/-. Mrs. Hunter 2/-. Mrs. Morrison 2/-. Miss Hobbs 1/-. Miss Eve 1/-. Miss Lucas 1/-. Miss Holland 1/-. Miss Juleff 1/-. Mrs. Norman 1/-. Mrs. Thompson 1/-. Mrs. Hooper 1/-. Mrs. Sumner 1/-. Mrs. Sopwith 1/-. Mrs. Robertson 1/-. Mrs. Jones 1/-. Mrs. Davies 1/-. Mrs. Cale 1/-. Mrs. Mervyn 1/-. Mrs. Brown 1/-. Mrs. Brady 1/-. Miss Easdon 6d. Mrs. Brodie 6d. Mrs. Shepherd 6d. Mrs. Williams 6d. Total £1/9/-.

Per Mrs. Jagoe.—Miss Last 1/-. Mrs. Thew 1/-. Miss Hyatt 1/-. Mrs. Jagoe

1/-. Mrs. Heaton 1/-. Mrs. Dyason 1/-. Mrs. Tually 2/-. Mrs. Thomas 1/-. Mrs. Wondeos 1/-. Mrs. Quinn 6d. Mrs. Jarvis 1/-. Mrs. Craigie 2/-. Miss Doyle 1/-. Mrs. Scott 1/-. Mrs. Staples 1/-. Mrs. Grey 6d. Total 17/-.

Per Mrs. Sinclair.—Mrs. Yorke 1/-. Mrs. Evans 1/-. Mrs. Robinson 1/-. Mrs. Price 1/-. Mrs. Sworn 1/-. Mrs. Hoeseason 1/-. Mrs. Gilbert 1/-. Mrs. Ward 1/-. Miss Sands 1/-. Mrs. Palmer 1/-. Mrs. Speight 1/-. Mrs. Sinclair, 1/-. Total 12/-.

Per Mrs. Cleary.—Miss Darke 1/-. Miss Watkins, 1/-. Mrs. Stafford 2/-. Mrs. Maher 1/-. Miss Spiller 1/-. Mrs. Higgins 1/-. Mrs. Mein 1/-. Miss Storum 1/-. Mrs. Shipp 1/-. Mrs. Bicknell 1/-. Miss Belfield 1/-. Miss Carolus 1/-. Mrs. Brissett 1/-. Mrs. Buckley 1/-. Mrs. J. Higgins 1/-. Mrs. Unwin 1/-. Mrs. Cummins, 2/-. Mrs. Patterson 1/-. Mrs. Brooks 2/-. Mrs. MacLarty 1/-. Mrs. Ruthven 1/-. Mrs. Graham 1/-. Mr. C. Graham 1/-. Miss Graham 6d. Miss Keys 6d. Mrs. Scrutton 6d. Mrs. Hopkins 1/-. Mrs. Wynne 6d. Mrs. Kerr 6d. Mrs. Lawson 1/-. Mrs. Williams 1/-. Mrs. Montgomery 1/-. Mrs. Woodhead 1/-. Mrs. Laverack 6d. Mrs. Roake 6d. Mrs. Crittenden 1/-. Mrs. Raymond 6d. Mrs. McEwan 6d. Mrs. Cahill 1/6. Miss Skead 6d. Mrs. Fisher 6d. Miss Gannon 6d. Mrs. Hendley 6d. Mrs. Heaton 2/-. Mrs. A. Smith 6d. Mrs. Straw 6d. Miss Squires 3/-. Mrs. Smith 1/-. Mrs. McLaughlan 6d. Mrs. Ellis 6d. Mrs. Morris 6d. Mrs. Blatch 6d. Mrs. Kirkpatrick 1/-. Mrs. Abrahall 1/-. Mrs. Rogers 1/-. Mrs. Hopdson 2/-. Mrs. Cable 1/-. Mrs. Baxter 2/-. Mrs. Broune 2/-. Mrs. Mead 3d. Miss Jacobson 3d. Mrs. Watt 3d. Mrs. Cleary 1/9. Total £3/1/-.

Per Mrs. C. Morris.—Miss Petherbridge 2/-. Mrs. Hogg 1/-. Mr. Howard 1/-. Mrs. Shearn 1/-. Mrs. Grono 6d. Mrs. Shaw 6d. Mrs. Osborne 1/-. Mr. Shearn 1/-. Mrs. Sadleir 1/-. Mrs. Ruhle 1/-. Mr. McAdam 6d. Miss Craig 1/-. Mrs. Blunt 1/-. Mrs. Lowe 1/-. Mrs. Hayne 2/-. Mrs. Carswell 1/-. Mrs. Morris 1/-. Mr. Choy 6d. Total 18/-.

Per Mrs. Reilly.—Mrs. Messer 1/-. Mrs. Locke 2/-. Mrs. Kerry 1/-. Mrs. Cripps 1/-. Mrs. Jupp 1/-. Mrs. McWilliam 1/-. Mrs. Harris and Daniell 6d. Mrs. Menzies 6d. Mrs. Tinney 3d. Mrs. Kell 1/-. Mrs. Kennett 1/-. Mrs. Furnell 1/-. Mrs. Howard 1/-. Mrs. Allen 1/-. Mrs. Mitchell 1/-. Mrs. Reilly and Misses Hill 2/-. Mrs. Philpott 6d. Mrs. Jesson 1/-. Mrs. Bosward 1/-. A friend 1/-. Mrs. Pepper 1/-. Mrs. Craddock 6d. Mrs. Wilson 3d. Mrs. Mason 1/-. Mrs. McKay 1/-. Miss Chippendall 1/-. Miss Snowden 1/-. Miss Lee 1/-. Miss Larcombe 1/-. Total £1/7/6.

Per Mrs. Robertson.—Mrs. Quelch 1/-, Mr. Quelch, Snr., 1/-, Mrs. Slee 1/-, Miss Mitchell 1/-, Mrs. Partridge 1/-, Mrs. Yum 1/-, Mrs. Leroy 1/-, Mrs. O'Brien 1/-, Mrs. Chapman 1/-, Mrs. Gash 1/-, Mrs. Jones 1/-, Mrs. Ashwood 1/-, Mrs. Grant 1/-, Miss Alexander 1/-, Mrs. Nibbett 1/-, Mrs. Wheeler 1/-, Mrs. Robertson 2/-, Mrs. Kidd 1/-, Mrs. Gannon 1/-, Mrs. Baker 1/-, Mrs. Harris 6d., Mrs. Douglas 6d., Mrs. Wheeler 6d., Mrs. Green 6d., Mrs. Day 6d., Mrs. Clark 1/-, Miss Neill 1/-, Mrs. Jones 6d., Mrs. Sutherland 1/-, A friend 1/-, Mrs. Fraser 1/-, Mrs. Powell 1/-, Mrs. Pye 1/-, Mrs. Ingram 1/-, J. & D. Milton 6d., Mrs. Fitzsimmons 6d., Mrs. L. Valentine 1/-, Mrs. Ford 1/-, Mrs. Mitchell 6d., Mrs. Broadhurst 1/-, Rector 10/-, Miss Adams 2/-, Mrs. Blenkinsop 1/-, Mrs. Wellington 1/-, Total £22/10/6.

Per Mrs. McLean.—Mrs. Green 1/-, Mrs. Wilson 1/-, Mrs. Thornton 6d., Mrs. Brown 1/-, Mrs. S. B. Clarke 2/-, Mrs. Tyson 6d., Mrs. J. Cooper 1/-, Mr. Cooke 1/-, Mrs. Box 1/-, Mrs. Evans 1/-, Mrs. Ritchie 1/-, Miss Trader 2/-, Total 13/-.

Per Mrs. Whiting.—Mrs. Walter 1/-, Miss Bentzen 1/-, A friend 1/-, Mrs. Cartwright 1/-, Mrs. Whiting 1/-, Mrs. Ridgway 1/-, Mrs. Guiver 1/-, Mrs. French 2/-, Mrs. Scott 6d., Total 9/6.

Per Mrs. Gill.—Mrs. James 1/-, Mrs. Unwin 2/-, Miss Allen 2/-, Mrs. Whills 6d., Miss Humphries 1/-, Miss Rockwell 1/-, Mrs. Cole 1/-, Mrs. Breardon 1/-, Mrs. Roever 1/-, Mrs. Jones 1/-, Mrs. Daymond 1/-, Mrs. St. Julian 1/6, Anonymous 3/-, Miss Deacon 1/-, Mrs. Hutchins 2/-, Mrs. Guise 1/-, Mrs. Usher 6d., Miss Davies 6d., Total £12/2/-.

Per Miss Watson.—Mrs. Maundrell 2/-, Miss Spear 2/-, Mrs. Chamberlain 2/-, Mrs. McLean 1/-, Mrs. Gibb 1/-, Mrs. Holland 12/-, Mrs. Ingray 2/-, Mrs. Gray 1/-, Miss Fry 1/-, Mr. Reid 6/-, Mrs. Duckworth 1/-, Mrs. Barnard 1/-, Miss Watson 2/-, Mrs. Williams 1/-, Total £15/5/-.

Grand Total for May, £18/18/4.

ASSISTANT CURATE FUND.

Per Miss Ockwell.—Miss Rainsford 1/-, Mrs. Robertson 1/-, Miss Ockwell 1/6, Miss Taylor 1/-, Total 4/6.

Per Mrs. Brady.—Mrs. Norman 1/-, Mrs. Atkinson 1/-, Mrs. Brady 1/-, Total 3/-.

Per Mrs. Reilly.—Mrs. Locke 2/-, Mrs. Jupp 1/-, Mrs. Mitchell 1/-, Mrs. Nicholls 6d., Miss Snowden 1/-, Mrs. Green 1/-, Total 6/6.

Per Mrs. Jagoe.—Mrs. Craigie 1/-.

Per Mrs. C. Morris.—Mrs. Petherbridge 1/-, Mrs. Morris 1/-, A friend 1/-, Total 3/-.

Per Mrs. Handel.—Miss Haywood 1/-, Mr. Calver, Snr., 1/-, Total 2/-.

Per Miss Sinclair.—Mrs. Robinson, 1/-, Mrs. Palmer 1/-, Miss Speight 1/-, Total 3/-.

Per Miss Peard.—Mrs. Paton 2/-, Miss Wells 1/-, Miss Herring 1/-, Miss Peard 1/-, Miss Peard's Box 4/6, Total 9/6.

Per Mrs. Robertson.—Mrs. Slee 1/9, Miss Mitchell 1/9, Mrs. Grant 2/-, Mrs. Robertson 2/6, Miss Sutherland 1/-, A friend 1/-, Mrs. Beattie 1/-, Mrs. Ashwood 1/-, Total 12/-.

Per Mrs. Paton.—Mrs. Morton 1/-.

Per Miss Watson.—Mrs. Chamberlain 2/-, Miss Spear 2/-, Miss Fry 1/-, Mrs. Woolf 1/-, Mrs. Barnard 1/-, Miss Watson 1/-, Miss Chlew 1/-, Mr. Cook 6d., Total 9/6.

Per Mrs. Cleary.—Miss Belfield 1/-, Miss Carolus 1/-, Miss Squires 1/-, Total 3/-.

SPECIAL APPEAL FOR CURATE FUND.

Per Rector.—Anonymous £6/6/-, Anonymous 10/-, Mr. R. A. Mitchell £1, Mr. B. Williams £1 1/-, Rector £2 3/-, Thank Offering £1, Total £12.

Per Mrs. F. Ward £3.

Grand Total £17/18/-.

OFFERTORIES AND COMMUNICANTS FOR MAY

	£	s.	d.	
May 4	9	17	7	60
May 11	10	19	7*	121
May 18	7	17	5	30
May 22 (Ascension Day)	9	9		15
May 25	9	7	6	86
Week Days	6	6		6
	£38	18	4	318

* Including £2 from B.C.A. Boxes.

BAPTISMS

"Suffer the little children to come unto Me."

May 11.—Henry Neil Swales.
May 11.—Leslie John Avis.
May 11.—Joy Tod.
May 18.—Lorraine Amelia Bradshaw.
May 18.—Elsie Kathleen Jolly.
May 18.—Peter Royston Jolly.
May 18.—Gary John McCalman.
May 25.—Gordon John Turner.
May 25.—Ian Harvey Benson.

MARRIAGES

"Heirs together of the Grace of Life."

May 3.—Benjamin Walter Pullen and Doris Rebecca Pasley.
May 7.—Arthur James Smith and Isabella Doyle.
May 10.—Percy Tindall and Rosena May Bright.
May 10.—Dudley August Bartels and Vera May Munday.
May 17.—Claude Winton Sargent and Dulcie Maud Franklin.
May 19.—Alfred Harold Allen and Mary Isabel McFarlane.

DEATHS.

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

April 29.—Albert Henry Cramp.
May 23.—Herbert Cecil Hollinshead.