

The Chronicle

of

The Parish of All Saints, Petersham

JUNE, 1939

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

Churchwardens: Messrs. E. C. KING, W. P. BANNAN, S. L. RANKIN.

Parish Council: THE CHURCHWARDENS and Messrs. J. M. BOYLE,
L. C. CALVER, W. J. COOKE, A. S. CUSITER, G. A. GUILFOYLE,
D. B. HUNTER, H. F. JONES, W. SOPWITH, Junr., W. F.
STEPHENSON, C. E. TANNER, W. WEBSTER, J. WILLIAMS.

Secretary: Mr. L. C. CALVER.

Treasurer: Mr. E. C. KING.

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

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

SERVICES AND SOCIETIES.

Sunday: 8 a.m., Holy Communion; 11 a.m., Matins, Sermon; 3 p.m. Sunday School; 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: Sundays, 4.15 p.m.

Marriages: By arrangement.

Children's Service: 3rd Sunday, 3 p.m.

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

Choir Practices: Thursday, Boys, 6.30 p.m.; Adults, 8 p.m. Sunday, Boys, 9.30 a.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. A. E. Gardner.

Bush Church Aid Society: Miss Chippindall.

Scripture Union Secretary: Mr. R. Atkinson.

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

C.E.B.S.: Juniors, Friday, 7 p.m.

Communicants' Fellowship: 3rd Tuesday, 7.45 p.m.

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,
29th May, 1939.

Dear People of All Saints',

At the moment of writing, we have not yet attained the number of boxes issued last year in lieu of an annual fete for our Parish Hall fund. We must not only reach last year's issue, but **exceed** it, if possible. So I would urge that anyone who has not yet obtained a box should do so **without delay**. Eight of the nineteen weeks have gone since the first issue of the boxes, but you may still use the remaining eleven to good advantage if you will secure your box **now**. Perhaps those who have boxes could help in a wider distribution by asking others to take them, and so aid this effort, which is not only much easier, but much more effective than a fete.

I have been reading the report of the Church Congress held at Bristol last October, just a few days after the crisis of September, 1938, when it seemed well-nigh certain that within a few days we would be involved in another world war. One of the speakers said: "A few Sundays ago I was in a large country town, where the service in the church left nothing to be desired; it was beautifully and reverently conducted, and a most helpful sermon was preached. Yet, though it was during the beginning of the present crisis, the church was only partly filled. I sometimes think that the cry, 'The church has failed,' is not always true. Here, at any rate, the church had **not** failed, but the inhabitants of that country town would seem to have done so. It was the people, and not the parson, who were to blame."

That is equally true of many a Parish in our own Diocese, including our own. Here we have everyone—Clergy, Organist, and Choir—giving of their very best Sunday by Sunday; a beautiful, well-appointed Church; a reverent and well-conducted service; whilst there are numbers of Anglicans absolutely indifferent to all our efforts, and, what is worse, totally heedless of the claims of God upon their service, and the challenge of Christ to build up His Kingdom. Compared with some places, I suppose we do rather well, and we are not unmindful of the unwavering loyalty of many people, but it is the apathy and indifference of many others which is so discouraging in these modern days. We have seen how Fascists and Communists, beginning comparatively recently with far smaller numbers than ourselves, have impressed their cause upon people simply because they are red hot about their beliefs. If you are red hot about anything you will set others on fire.

To-day vast numbers of our fellow citizens have abandoned even the forms of religion. Some say that religion is not "real" to them, and they have ceased to believe that religion is a **force**. Many need to be reminded to-day that they cannot expect religion to be "real" to them if they do not perform those acts which help to make it real. Without what are called the "means of Grace"—that is, prayer, Bible-reading, worship, the Sacraments—all would find it difficult, and most would find it impossible to keep up the inner reality of religion.

Yesterday we commemorated **Whitsunday**, and it is well to remember that the first Pentecost began with **ordinary** people, not with the rulers. It began with people who were recently defeated by the events of Calvary, but now, knowing their Lord was alive, awaited His next signal. They met daily in the Upper Room for prayer, thus preparing the conditions upon

which the Holy Spirit could seize. And when these were complete, the spark was struck, and the Spirit blazed forth. The conditions remain ever the same. It is a strange mystery of our free-will and our power to choose, that man can "hold God back," and man also can release God's energy! The way of Pentecost is still the same. It begins with a group of people who will take the trouble to pray, and to offer themselves in utmost consecration to the purpose of God for His world.

We are commencing, on the first Sunday evening in June, a congregational hymn practice, half an hour before Evensong. From time to time there are new tunes being used, which the congregation, I feel sure, would welcome an opportunity of learning, and there are also many old tunes and hymns which may be profitably included in this interesting and helpful half hour. If the response merits it, we purpose holding these practices on the first Sunday evening in each month.

Mr. Gardner will be in charge of the Parish during my absence on holidays, and will be assisted by visiting clergy on Sundays. Should there be any cases of extreme urgency, and Mr. Gardner not be immediately available, the Rectors of adjacent Parishes have kindly consented to act if called upon.

Very sincerely yours,



MATTERS MAINLY PAROCHIAL.

Acknowledgments.—We have pleasure in passing on to Parishioners the following expressions of appreciation received by the Treasurer and the Rector from the Secretaries of the Church Missionary Society and the Australian Board of Missions.

(a)

From the General Secretary, C.M.S.:

"Dear Mr. King,

"Thank you for your letter of 19th instant, enclosing cheque for £17/16/8, Lenten offerings from All Saints', Petersham.

"In forwarding the receipt I would like to take the opportunity of conveying to the congregation of All Saints' the very sincere appreciation of C.M.S. for their most excellent response to the Lenten Appeal.

"We realise the many appeals that are made in the Parishes, and are most grateful for this splendid result, at a time of special need and opportunity."

(b)

"Dear Mr. Adams,

"Please accept our very sincere thanks for the contribution of £5/5/6 from All Saints' for Temple Day.

"I wrote the other day to Mr. King, to thank the congregation for their splendid response to the Lenten Appeal, and now I have pleasure in writing again, to thank them for their help in connection with the Temple Day effort. We trust it will substantially help to wipe out the deficit which is hampering our endeavours.

"We do value your ready co-operation in the extension of the Kingdom of God in many lands."

(c)

From the Organising Secretary, A.B.M.:

"Dear Mr. King,

"Thank you for your letter of 19th inst., enclosing cheque for £11/1/-, being proceeds of Lenten Boxes from All Saints', Petersham.

"We are grateful for and appreciate the interest and support of the people of All Saints'."

The Choir.—On behalf of the Choir I would like to thank Mesdames Lindsay and Reilly for their kindness in making new surplices for the boys, and also repairing old ones. We are grateful to them for their kindly gesture; work of this kind is always appreciated.—D. Ritchie, Hon. Sec.

All Saints' Sunday School.—There is little to report this month, as the work of the School has gone along very much as usual. We would commend to Parishioners the concert arranged by Miss Lovett, in aid of the Kindergarten Hall Fund, to be held on **Tuesday, June 13th**. A number of our scholars will be taking part in this concert.—R. F. Atkinson, Hon. Secretary.

Kindergarten Department.—During the past month the Kindergarten Department has been fairly busy. On the afternoon of the 21st two babies were received for the Cradle Roll. Then, on the 28th, we were glad to hold a service for the baby daughter of our Sunday School Treasurer; this being a total of four babies' names being placed on the Cradle Roll for the month.

We have had several visitors lately, twelve being present to witness the service held on the 21st.—E. Carolus, Leader.

The Y.C.I.—Clubroom games occupied the attention of members at the Y.C.I. meeting on May 12, when members let up from the usual literary and debating feature to indulge in billiards and the like. Arrangements were in the hands of Mr. Hollands and his Committee, and the players were kept moving round the various tables. Points were awarded for the several games, and Mr. Geoffrey Horton ran out winner on the night, and is the holder of the Bushy Hall Cup until the next competition.

The other May meeting was devoted to Members' Experiences. These were varied and unique, ranging from the sports field to travel, business, war scenes, and gold country to boyhood memories, shooting parties, and points at law.

The Clubroom has been receiving a good deal of attention lately. Working bees have been formed, and the place has been thoroughly cleaned—walls, ceiling and floor. Members have rolled up with vacuum cleaners, polishing machines, and floor-cloths, and the room is like the proverbial new pin. Some new furniture has been added, including (through the generosity of Mr. M. A. Buckley) a five-valve wireless set, and the place is set for enjoyable nights during the winter months.

Members and friends of the Institute are reminded of the Dance and Bridge Evening, to be held in the Parish Hall on Saturday, June 10. Admission, two shillings. Proceeds in aid of the Hall Fund.

—D. B. Hunter, Press Ed.

Women's Guild.—On May 11, a Boomerang Tea was held in the Parish Hall. This proved successful, the sum of £4/7/6 being realised. Afternoon tea was kindly provided by Mrs. Lindsay's group. We thank all for the gifts brought and bought. Miss D. P. Brown, Mrs. Magraw, and Miss Clarke gave us some musical and elocutionary items, which were much enjoyed. Mrs. Brady arranged a competition, and donated the prize, and, with Mrs. Reilly, presided at the Gift Stall. Our President, Miss Adams, was unable to be present till later, but the Rector very kindly acted in her place.

The B.C.A. Gift Afternoon, on May 25, was held in the Guild Room. Sister Harris, stationed at Cann River, Victoria, gave an address, which was much enjoyed by all. The attendance was good, and all brought gifts of tinned groceries. We thank them for their liberality. These gifts are to go to the B.C.A. Hostels. During the afternoon we had the pleasure of enrolling four new members, Mesdames Unwin, Hamre, Hauber, and Miss Newman. We welcome them.

Our next effort will be a Musicale, on Thursday, 8th June, from 3 to 5 p.m. The programme will include competitions, and afternoon tea will be provided by Mrs. Reilly's group. A small charge will be made for admission and afternoon tea. An enjoyable afternoon is assured, so come!

Our annual Medical Mission effort is to be held in the Parish Hall on Thursday, 22nd June, at 8 p.m. There will be a Shilling Stall, arranged by the Misses Adams and Watkins and Y.P.U. members; a Cake and Jam Stall, under the supervision of Mrs. Reilly and Miss D. P. Brown; and refreshments will be in the hands of the Misses Eve. The Y.P.U., under the leadership of the Misses Belfield and Carolus, is presenting an interesting programme. All parishioners are invited to assist this appeal and make a special effort to be present.

A Jumble Sale, in aid of the Guild funds, is being arranged by a Committee of ladies. A room has been hired in the metropolitan area for July 6. Parishioners are asked to assist by sending articles of clothing for men, women, and children, and saleable articles of any kind. These may be left at the Rectory.

During the month the Guild undertook the sale of Mothers' Day emblems for the Benevolent Society of N.S.W., and as a result the sum of £1/10/- has been forwarded to the Society.—C. Reilly, Hon. Sec.

Girls' Club.—The members of the Club were the guests of the Y.C.I. at a Social Evening on Monday, May 29. An enjoyable time was spent. Many thanks, Y.C.I. members! On Monday, June 5, a Travel Talk will be given by Miss C. Knight, who has lately returned from a world tour. Members, please note the date!—E. Howard, Hon. Sec.

Quarterly Offertory.—Sunday, June 18 (the Second Sunday after Trinity), is the day for our next Quarterly Offertory. It is a time when each Parishioner is asked to give liberally, and is an opportunity for those who are not envelope subscribers to "make up" what the Church loses financially by their absence.

The Archbishop's Winter Appeal.—Those who attend Church will have noticed, from the poster prominently displayed in the porch, that His Grace the Archbishop has again launched his annual Winter Appeal. Those who spoke at the meeting recently held in the Chapter House indicated the very considerable need which is met through this Appeal. We commend it to all our Parishioners. If it be more convenient to send your donation through the Church (rather than direct to the Archbishop), please address the envelope to the Rector or Churchwardens, and mark it "The Archbishop's Winter Appeal."

Diocesan Festival Tea.—We are grateful to Mrs. Lindsay and Miss D. P. Brown for acting as hostesses at this great re-union of Anglican Church people on May 23. Mr. P. D. Brady again kindly performed the offices of steward in his usual efficient manner. All Saints' double table was fully seated with our own people, and there was a good representation of them at the after meeting.

Condolence.—We offer our sincerest sympathy to Mrs. Hacking, Mrs. J. Thomas, and Mr. F. J. Kinnings, whose sister, Florence Mary Griffiths, passed away at Drummoyne on May 2.

Kindergarten Building Fund.—A meeting was called on Sunday, 14th May, of all Parishioners interested in the Kindergarten Building Fund, and a number of people attended, all present forming a Working Committee.

There were several suggestions made for raising funds, and it was decided to form working groups for this purpose. Miss Peard very generously raised her previous donation of £2 to £5, for which we thank her most heartily.

I understand that an anonymous donation of £10 has been made, and again we extend our hearty thanks to the donor.

A very pleasant evening was spent at the home of the Misses Belfield and Carolus, when a number of competition games were held. The party then proceeded to Mr. W. Belfield's home for a picture programme, for which a very special word of thanks is given. The evening was appreciated by all. Next meeting Sunday, June 11, at 4.15 p.m.

—W. J. Hammond, Hon. Sec.

DISTRICT VISITORS' COLLECTIONS.

Per Miss Ockwell: Mrs. Tailby 1/-. Mrs. Robertson 1/-. Mr. Cohen 1/-. Mrs. Hancock 1/-. Miss Pigott 1/-. Mrs. Phillips 1/-. Miss Sibthorpe 1/-. Miss Rainsford 1/-. Miss Ockwell 1/6. Mrs. Richard 1/-. Miss Taylor 1/-. Mrs. McCarty 1/-. Mrs. Aykinstall 1/-. Total 13/6.

Per Miss Welch: Mrs. Sworn 1/-. Mrs. Palmer 1/-. Mrs. Morton 1/-. Mrs. Robinson 1/-. Mrs. Price 1/-. Mrs. Gilbert 1/-. Mrs. Yorke 1/-. Mrs. Johnson 1/-. Mrs. Evans 1/-. Mrs. Coates 1/-. Miss Sands 1/-. Mr. Garland 1/-. Mrs. Hoseason 1/-. Miss Spreight 1/-. Total 14/-.

Per Miss Watson: Mrs. Maundrell 2/-. Mrs. Plumb 2/-. Mrs. Holland 12/-. Mrs. Ingray 2/6. Mrs. Gibb 1/-. Mrs. Gray 1/-. Mrs. J. Williams 1/-. Mrs. G. Watson 1/-. Miss Spear 1/-. Mrs. Chamberlain 1/-. Mrs. Duckworth 6d. Total £1/5/-.

Per Mrs. Handel: Mr. Calver, Senr., 5/-. A Friend 4/-. Miss Derbyshire 1/-. Miss Meyers 1/-. Miss Wheeler 6d. Mrs. Clarke 1/-. Mrs. Haywood 1/-. Mrs. Knight 1/-. Mrs. Gresswell 1/-. A Friend 1/-. Mrs. Cole 1/-. Miss Jones 6d., Mrs. Handel 1/-. Total 19/-.

Per Mrs. Whiting: Mrs. Peisley 1/-. Mrs. Cartwright 1/-. Mrs. Ridgway 2/-. Miss Bentzen 1/-. Mrs. Fletcher 1/-. Mrs. Walter 1/-. Mrs. Black 1/-. A Friend 1/-. A Friend 1/-. Mrs. Whiting 1/-. Mrs. Stead 1/-. Total 12/-.

Per Mrs. Morris: Mrs. Carroll 2/-. Mrs. Shaw 6d., Mrs. Hogg 1/-. Mr. Howard 1/-. Mrs. Osborne 1/-. Miss Brown 1/-. Miss Peddesden 1/-. Mr. Kingdon 1/-. Mr. Choy 6d., Mrs. Shearn 1/-. Mrs. Sadler 1/-. Mr. McAdam 6d., Mrs. Blackwood 6d., Mrs. Morris 1/-. Total 13/-.

Per Mrs. Robertson: Rector 10/-. Miss Adams 2/-. Mrs. Quelch 1/-. Mr. Quelch, Senr., 1/-. Mrs. Slee 1/-. Miss Mitchell 1/-. Miss Yum 1/-. Mrs. Leroy 1/-. Mrs. Chapman 1/-. Mrs. Gash 1/-. Mrs. Jones 1/-. M. s. Ashwood 1/-. Mrs. Blenkinsop 6d., Mrs. Alexander 1/-. Mrs. Wheeler 1/-. Mrs. Nisbett 1/-. Mrs. Wellington 1/-. Mrs. Robertson 1/-. Mrs. Gannon 1/-. Mrs. Baker 1/-. Mrs. Sayers 6d., Mrs. Harris 6d., Mrs. Douglas 6d., Mrs. Wheeler 6d., M. s. Ward 1/-. Mrs. Green 6d., Mrs. Day 6d., Miss Niell 1/-. Mrs. Clark 1/-. Mrs. Sutherland 1/-. Mrs. Jones 6d., Friend 1/-.

Mrs. Lee 1/-. Mrs. Brennan 1/-. Mrs. Grant 1/-. Total £2/1/-.

Per Miss Peard: Mrs. Paton 1/-. Mrs. Mathew 6d., M. s. McCloy 1/-. Mrs. Wolrige 1/-. Mrs. Pullen 1/-. Mrs. Fox 2/-. Mrs. Stott Douglas 1/-. Mrs. Maundrell 2/-. Mrs. Reynolds 1/-. Mrs. Tooth 1/-. Mrs. Tanner 1/-. Mrs. Eggleton 2/-. Mrs. Wilson 6d., Mrs. Moore 1/-. Mrs. Neal 1/-. Mrs. East 1/-. Mrs. Flodden 6d., Mrs. Field 1/-. Mrs. Bernard 1/-. Miss Gould 2/-. Miss Wells 1/-. Miss Thompson 6d., Miss Lambert 1/-. Miss Archer 1/-. Miss Arundall 1/-. Mr. R. Peard 2/-. Miss Peard 2/-. Total £1/11/-.

Per Mrs. Brady: Mrs. Morrison 2/-. Mrs. McLaughlin 2/-. Mrs. Hunter 2/-. Mrs. Brown 2/-. Mrs. Mervyn 2/-. Miss Martin 2/-. Miss Kennedy 2/-. Miss Eve 1/-. Miss Holland 1/-. Miss Hobbs 1/-. Miss Clifford 1/-. Mrs. Sharp, Senr., 1/-. Mrs. Davies 1/-. Mrs. Norman 1/-. Mrs. Sumner 1/-. Mrs. Sopwith 1/-. Mrs. Lyons 1/-. Mrs. Robertson 1/-. Mrs. Lindsay 1/-. Mrs. Juleff 1/-. Mrs. Brady 1/-. Mrs. Evans 9d., Miss Eason 6d., Mrs. Pike 6d., Mr. Holliday 1/-. Mrs. Webster 1/-. Total £1/11/9.

Per Mrs. Reilly: Mrs. Messer 1/-. Mrs. Lovell 1/-. Mrs. Locke 2/-. Mrs. Kerry 1/-. Mrs. Mitchell 1/-. Mrs. Cripps 2/-. Mrs. Kenna 1/-. Mrs. McWilliam 1/-. Mesdames Daniell and Harris 6d., Mrs. Pryor 6d., Mrs. Biunt 1/-. Mrs. Impey 3d., Mrs. McWilliams 6d., Mrs. Fettel 2/-. Mrs. Wilson 3d., Mrs. Jay 3d., Miss Chippindall 1/-. Miss Snowden 1/-. Miss Lee 1/-. Total 18/3.

Per Mrs. Reilly (for Mrs. W. W. Browne): Mrs. Furnell 1/-. Mrs. Howard 1/-. Mrs. Hooper 1/-. Mrs. Allen 1/-. Mrs. Mitchell 1/-. Mrs. Reilly and Miss Hill 2/-. Mrs. Pearce 1/-. Mrs. Jesson 1/-. Mrs. Bosward 1/-. Mrs. Bailey 1/-. Mrs. Johnstone 6d., Miss Smith 1/-. Miss Ryan, 6d. Total 13/-.

Per Mrs. W. W. Browne: Mrs. St. Julian 1/-. Mrs. Jones 1/-. Mrs. Raven 1/-. Mrs. Byron 2/-. Mrs. Tompson 1/-. Mrs. Cole 1/-. Mrs. English 1/-. Misses Allen 2/-. Mrs. Unwin 2/-. Miss Rockwell 1/-. Miss Kenny 1/-. Miss Edwards 1/-. Miss Westman 6d., A Friend 1/-. A Friend 2/-. Mrs. Raymond 1/-. Miss Humphries 1/-. Miss Fry 1/-. Total £1/1/6.

Per Mrs. Donaldson: Mrs. Pashley 1/-, Mrs. Wright 1/-, Mrs. Horton 1/-, Misses Janssen 1/-, Mrs. Watson 6d., Mrs. Cooper 6d., Mrs. Cruden 6d., Miss Wells 6d., Miss Dean 6d., Mr. Hodgson 1/-, Total 7/6.

Per Mrs. Paton: Miss Best 1/-, Mr. Paine 1/-, Mrs. Hewitt 1/-, Mrs. Webb 1/-, Mrs. McLean 1/-, Mrs. Shearn 6d., Mrs. Ridge 6d., Mrs. Woodford 1/-, A Friend 6d., Sister Sinclair 2/-, Mrs. Horne 6d., Mrs. Burcher 1/-, Mrs. Millar 1/-, Mrs. Lang 6d., Mrs. McIntyre 1/-, Friend 3d., Mrs. Mulveney 1/-, Mrs. Gardner 6d., Mrs. Stallworthy 1/-, Total 16/3.

Per Mrs. Dalby: Mrs. Ritchie 1/-, Mrs. Dugdale 1/-, Mrs. Cooke 1/-, Mrs. Walton 1/-, Mrs. Green 1/-, Mr. Wilson 1/-, Mrs. Clarke 2/-, Mrs. J. Cooper 1/-, Mr. Harvey 1/-, Miss Christiansen 6d., Mrs. Dalby 3/6, Mrs. Baxter 2/-, Miss Trader 2/-, Total 18/-.

Per Miss Craig: Mrs. Craigie 2/-, Mrs. McLaren 2/-, Mrs. Petherbridge 2/-, Mrs. Tually 2/-, Mrs. Gould 1/-, Mrs. Jarvis 1/-, Mrs. Staples 1/-, A Friend 1/-, Mrs. Hamre 1/-, Mrs. Rolleston 1/-, Mrs. Oakman 6d., Miss Doyle 1/6, Mrs. Craig 1/6, Mr. Munday 1/-, Mrs. Quinn 6d., Total 19/-.

Per Mrs. Cleary: Miss Watkins 1/-, Miss Darke 1/-, Mrs. Bruce 1/-, Mrs. Maher 1/-, Miss Spiller 1/-, Mrs. McCauley 1/-, Mrs. Higgins 1/-, Mrs. Mein 1/-, Miss Storum 1/-, Mrs. Shipp 1/-, Mrs. Bicknell 1/-, Mrs. J. Higgins 1/-, Mrs. Hilleard 2/-, Mrs. G. H. Allen 1/-, Mrs. Morcom 6d., Mrs. Kilpatrick 1/-, Mrs. Unwin 1/-, Mrs. Sharp 1/-, Mrs. Porter 6d., Mrs. Craven 6d., Miss Belfield 1/-, Miss Carolus 1/-, Mrs. Mayr 1/-, Mrs. Owen 1/-, Mrs. Brissett 1/-, Mrs. Heaton 1/-, Mrs. Blatch 1/-, Mrs. Gardiner 6d., Mrs. Lynch 6d., Mrs. Graham 1/-, Mr. C. Graham 1/-, Miss Graham 6d., Miss Keys 6d., Mrs. Buckley 1/-, Mrs. Munday 2/-, Mrs. Whiteman 1/-, Mrs. Laverack 6d., Mrs. Roeake 6d., Mrs. Hayne 2/-, Mrs. Woodhead 1/-, Mrs. Montgomery 1/-, Mr. Mulholland 2/-, Mrs. Miles 6d., Mrs. Phifer 6d., Mrs. Patterson 1/-, Mrs. Cahill 6d., Miss Skead 6d., M. s. Curnock 6d., Mrs. Watt 3d., Mrs. Ham 2/-, Mrs. McLarety 1/-, Mrs. Raymond 6d., Mrs. Rogers 1/-, Mrs. Abraham 1/-, Mrs. Cleary 1/9, Mrs. Donnelly 6d., Total £2/13/-.

Grand Total for May, £18/6/9.

ASSISTANT CURATE FUND.

Per Miss Ockwell: Miss Rainsford 1/-, Miss Ockwell 1/6, Miss Taylor 1/-, Total 3/6.

Per Miss Welch: Mrs. Robinson 1/-, Mrs. Palmer 1/-, Mrs. Morton 1/-, Mrs. Johnson 1/-, Miss Chlew 1/-, Miss Larkham 1/-, Total 6/-.

Per Miss Watson: Mrs. Chamberlain 1/-, Miss Spear 1/-, Miss I. Watson 1/-, Total 3/-.

Per Mrs. Handel: Mr. Calver, Senr., 5/-, A Friend 6/-, Mrs. Haywood 1/-, Total 12/-.

Per Mrs. W. W. Browne: A Friend 2/-, Miss Fry 1/-, Total 3/-.

Per Mrs. Reilly: Mrs. Locke 2/-, Mrs. Mitchell 1/-, Miss Snowden 1/-, Total 4/-.

Per Mrs. Morris: Mrs. Carroll 8/-, Miss Brown 1/-, Miss Peddesden 1/-, Mrs. Morris 1/-, Total 11/-.

Per Mrs. Robertson: Mrs. Slee 1/9, Miss Mitchell 1/9, Miss Neill 1/-, Miss Sutherland 1/-, Mrs. Robertson 1/6, Total 7/-.

Per Miss Paton's Box: 1/3.

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

Per Miss Peard: Mrs. Paton 2/-, Miss Wells 1/-, Mrs. Gibb 1/-, Miss Archer 6d., Miss Herring 1/-, Miss Peard 1/-, Miss Peard's Box 4/6, Total 11/-.

Per Miss Craig: Mrs. Craigie 1/-, Mrs. McLaren 1/-, Total 2/-.

Per Mrs. Cleary: Misses Belfield and Carolus 2/-, Mrs. Archer 1/-, Total 3/-.

Grand Total, £3/9/0.

Kindergarten Fund: Miss E. Darke £1/1-, Miss Peard 10/-, Mrs. Sworn 2/6, Cradle Roll Services (Per Miss Carolus) 5/3, Total £1/18/9.

The Archbishop's Fund: Mr. J. S. Wheeler 5/-, Mrs. Robinson 2/- (Per Miss Welch), Total 7/-.

OFFERTORIES AND COMMUNICANTS FOR MAY

	Offer- tories.	Communi- cants.
May 1 (SS. Philip and James)	2 0 (A.B.M.)	7
May 7	12 2 6*	54
May 14	11 1 4	147
May 17 (A.B.M. Hostel)		7
May 18 (Ascension Day)	4 18 6 (C.M.S.)	33
May 21	8 10 9†	48
May 28 (Whitsunday) ..	9 17 3	104
Wednesdays (2) ..	7 5 (A.B.M.)	—
	£46 19 9	400

*Including £2/2/4 Appeal for Refugees.

†Including 7/- (additional) C.M.S. Temple Day.

BAPTISMS.

"Suffer the little children to come unto Me."

May 7.—Barbara Jean Poole.
May 21.—Bruce George Day.
May 21.—Adrienne Joan Coy.
May 28.—Janice Marie Pugh.
May 28.—Beverley Ann Carruthers.
May 28.—Terence John Silcox.

MARRIAGES

"Heirs together of the Grace of Life."

May 20.—Allan James Snape and Eileen Bryant.
May 20.—Geoffrey Hilton Simpson and Dorothy Stephenson.
May 20.—John Edward Lyons and Joyce Morgan.
May 20.—Ronald John Gray and Joyce Helen Bannan.
May 27.—Bruce Vincent Bell and Margaret Hart.
May 27 (By the Revd. A. H. Gallop).—George Albert Payne and Ivy Isabel Thorpe.
May 29.—James Griffin Bartlett and Laurie Mynildra King.