

ST. PETER'S CHURCH, HAMBLEDON

D I A R Y

1970
April

Sun. 5: FIRST SUNDAY AFTER EASTER

Holy Communion 8.0 a.m. & 12.0 noon
Children's Church 10.0 a.m.
Morning Prayer 11.0 a.m.
Preacher: Rev. T. E. Lloyd, Home
Secretary, Africa Inland Mission.
Evening Prayer 6.30 p.m.
Church Coach leaves Hydestile Cross-roads
6.0 p.m., and Lane End 6.10 p.m.
Offerings: Africa Inland Mission.

Mon. 6: Holy Communion - Hambledon
Homes 2.30 p.m.

Sat. 11: Christian-Aid Week - April 11th - 18th.

Sun. 12: SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EASTER
(Christian Aid Sunday)

Holy Communion 8.0 a.m.
Morning Prayer 11.0 a.m.
Evening Prayer 6.30 p.m.
Offerings for Christian Aid.

Wed. 15: Women's Fellowship meets at Godalming
Baptist Church Fellowship 3.0 p.m.

Sun. 19: THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EASTER

Holy Communion 8.0 a.m.
Children's Church 10.0 a.m.
Morning Prayer 11.0 a.m.
Preacher: D. G. C. Symonds Esq., M.A.
Evening Prayer 6.30 p.m.
& Holy Communion

Mon. 20: ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING IN
THE VILLAGE HALL 8.0 p.m.

Fri. 24: Young Wives Group meet at Alpenrose.
Subject: "The Family
Doctor". 8.0 p.m.

Sun. 26: FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER
Holy Communion 8.0 a.m.
Family Communion 10.0 a.m.
Morning Prayer 11.0 a.m.
Evening Prayer 6.30 p.m.

Mon. 27: Embroidery Class at Tigbourne
Court 3.0 p.m.

May

Sun. 3: FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER - ROGATION
SUNDAY
Holy Communion 8.0 a.m. & 12.0 noon
Children's Church 10.0 a.m.
Morning Prayer 11.0 a.m.
Evening Prayer 6.30 p.m.
Church Coach runs for the evening service.

Mon. 4: Holy Communion - Hambledon
Homes 3.0 p.m.

Thu. 7: ASCENSION DAY
Holy Communion 10.30 a.m.

Sat. 9: Coach visit to Michelham Priory.

Sun. 7: SUNDAY AFTER ASCENSION
Holy Communion 8.0 a.m.
Morning Prayer 11.0 a.m.
Evening Prayer 6.30 p.m.

FOR YOUR DIARY

Wed. May 20: The Rev. John Stott, Rector of All
Souls Church, Langham Place, London, will speak
at The Civic Hall, Guildford, 7.45 p.m.

Sun. Jun. 7: Annual United Service for Godalming
Deanery at Godalming Parish Church 7.0 p.m.

CHURCH FLOWERS -

- will be provided and arranged by the following:

<u>Apr. 5:</u> Mrs. Dowson.	<u>Apr. 26:</u> Miss Denny.
<u>Apr. 12:</u> Mrs. Wieler.	<u>May 3:</u> Mrs. Dowson.
<u>Apr. 19:</u> Mrs. Cave.	

We are very grateful for the generosity and help which is given by all who help with the flower arrangements in Church.

ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING

will be held in THE VILLAGE HALL, on MONDAY, 20th APRIL, at 8.0 p.m.

We have changed the place of meeting this year as we hope that there will be a large attendance of the members of our Parish Church and others who will be interested to hear reports about our work.

The Churchwardens will be appointed at this meeting. Representatives of the laity to the Deanery Synod and the Parochial Church Council will be elected.

You should be there!

THE ORGANIST

Miss M. R. Parker, who had for some time acted as our temporary organist, and who was taken to hospital shortly before Christmas, is now home again. We are delighted to know that she is making very good progress, and that she hopes to be able to help us from time to time at the organ.

We wish to record our sincere thanks to all who have so kindly come to our aid and provided the

F music for the Sunday services. One of our
former organists, Mr. Robin Barratt, has helped
us when he has been visiting his home in Godalming,
S and Mr. Stephen Tedbury has also played for us
when he has been at home.

M Miss Fairbrother and Mrs. Candlin, who are
organists at Godalming Baptist Church, have been
most kind in giving us their help which has been
much appreciated. We also thank two music pupils
who have nobly assisted at the 10.0 a.m. and
6.30 p.m. services - Neill Fish and Ian Baker.
S To all who have provided transport - many thanks.

M Miss Jennifer Hill, who will commence her duties
as our permanent organist on the first Sunday in
April, needs no introduction. Many will remember
that for some time she was our organist and we
were very sorry to lose her services when she
left to take a further course of training as a
teacher of music. We are delighted to have Miss
Hill back at St. Peter's Church.

T CONFIRMATION

S The following were presented to the Bishop of
Dorking at the Deanery Confirmation in Guildford
Cathedral on Friday, March 20th: Claire Ann Hill;
S Pamela Hopkins; Elizabeth Catherine Jazwinska;
Caroline Mary Jervis. We are glad to learn that
F Charles Beck, Annabel Hood, Francis Papps, Jane
W Papps and Frances Witherby have been Confirmed
at School just recently. We welcome them all
into the full membership of our Church and com-
mend them to the prayers of the congregation.

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CHRISTIAN AID WEEK - April 11th to 18th 1970

The Godalming project for Christian Aid Week this year is Tools for Training in Kenya. On Sunday, April 12th, the Offerings at Church will be for Christian Aid.

THE NEW ENGLISH BIBLE

The complete New English Bible has now been published and copies may be obtained from book-sellers. The price of the standard edition is 30/- (with Apocrypha 35/-).

THE WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

The April meeting will be held at the Godalming Baptist Church, Queen Street, Godalming, on WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15th, at 3.0 p.m. The Baptist Women's Fellowship has kindly invited our Fellowship to attend their Birthday Rally. Will members please note that they will meet as above, and not on the 4th Thursday in April.

YOUNG WIVES GROUP

Monthly meetings are being held at ALPENROSE, Woodlands Road, Hambledon, the home of Mrs. N. Head, who is leading the meetings. On Friday, April 24th, the subject will be "The Family Doctor". Time 8.0 p.m.

FREE-WILL OFFERING ENVELOPES

Total for February 1970 - £25.0.6.

WOMEN'S ACTION (Church Pastoral-Aid Society)

The Annual Meeting will be held in Church House, Westminster, on Tuesday, May 12th 1970, at 2.30. The Guest of the Year will be Deaconess Evelyn Stokes, and the closing speaker Canon D. K. Dean. The meeting is timed to end at 3.45 p.m.

OBITUARY

The Reverend Bernard A. Whitehead, who came to Dora Cottage, Hambledon, last October, died at St. Luke's Hospital, Guildford, on March 13th. We assure his widow of our sincere sympathies in her bereavement. Mr. Whitehead was the Vicar of Pirbright from 1942 until his retirement, owing to ill-health, last October. He never regained his health and so unfortunately few people here got to know him. Those of us who were privileged to meet him were impressed by his cheerfulness and kindness. He was greatly beloved by his former parishioners. The funeral service at Pirbright Church was conducted by the Bishop of Guildford and the Rector of Hambledon. The Archdeacon of Dorking officiated at the Cremation at Woking.

CHURCH FELLOWSHIP - 12th February 1970

At the final meeting of the session, Mr. Arnold E. Page, District Secretary of the Leprosy Mission, gave a talk on the work and scope of the mission and showed a colour film of a Leprosy Colony in the beautiful country of South Korea. The film was titled "Bridge of Return", for Leprosy, if treated early, can now be cured and the Christian message of comfort, love and fellowship can cure the feeling of being outcast, degraded and cursed which is often as terrible as the disease itself.

The Rector opened and closed the meeting and Sir John Wenham thanked the speaker for his

"enlightening and enthralling" talk and film.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. F. Jeffery and Mrs. Hammond.

HAMBLEDON PARISH COUNCIL

At their last meeting, the Council transacted the following business. It was reported that the drainage work at Hydon Farm was completed. Hyde-stile bus shelter roof was being repaired. Mr. Chapman to report at the next meeting on the type and number of plants required to stock the Village pond. The grant of £60 to the Churchyard was confirmed. White lines, Lane End: a letter from the police was read and discussed.

British Standard Time was the subject of different views, and replies from several organizations in the parish on this subject were to be sent to the Rural District Council for their study and action. It was unanimously decided that, as only petty cash was handled by the Clerk, no Fidelity Bond was necessary. Planning applications as affecting the parish were considered, and it was decided to offer no comment. The Chairman's action in supporting Witley P.C. over the proposed closing of the gate in the down platform of Milford Station was confirmed. Tenders for grass cutting in 1970 to be obtained and submitted at the next meeting.

It was decided to enter the Best-Kept Village competition for 1970; co-operation of all parishioners was asked for in this matter. Miss Denny reported on the Fire Brigade meeting at Chiddingfold. The Minutes of the Surrey Co. Assoc. of Parish Councils were considered. Mr. Chapman reported that the Parish Council A/c's for 1968-69 had been audited. It was agreed to inform the Postmaster of the missing time-plate at Great House letter box.

HAMBLEDON WOMEN'S INSTITUTE - Wednesday, 11th March

Training for the Mission Field

Mother Mary Andrews showed slides, and gave an introductory talk about the years of training given to novitiates and sisters preparing to work in the Mission Fields of the world, at her Order at Maryvale in Godalming. Two years' general training in all the work of the order, domestic, agricultural -- she showed slides of sisters on the tractor -- and horticultural, as well as religious, is but the beginning. If the candidates are accepted after this, and still want to serve, they then have two years concentrated religious training. After this they undertake the specific training; medicine, nursing and the allied therapies are the chief tasks undertaken by this Sisterhood. The slides showed how varied are the skills and interests of the sisters. One sister has been to the Guildford Technical College to learn the intricacies of building, and, having only to buy materials, they have built their own swimming bath for their few leisure hours. All these practical skills are invaluable to workers in Africa, India and South Asia. They have a very varied intake of students from all parts of the world. Both Mother Mary Andrews and the sister who worked the projector were warmly thanked by Miss Harcourt Clarke at the end of the afternoon.