

ST. PETER'S CHURCH, HAMBLEDON

MARCH * 1966

DIARY

- March 6th. Sun. LENT II
Holy Communion 8.0 a.m., and after
Morning Prayer.
Children's Church 10.00 a.m.
Morning Prayer 11.00 a.m.
Evening Prayer 6.30 p.m.
"Children of the Hills" - Transparencies of
C.I.M. work in Mindoro, by Miss Elle
van der Linden.
Church Coach leaves Hydestile Cross-roads 6.0 p.m. and Lane End
6.10 p.m. picking-up en-route, for the evening service.
- March 7th. Mon. Holy Communion at Hambledon Homes
2.30 p.m. Bible Study 8.0 p.m. (Place to
be announced).
- March 10th. Thur. Church Fellowship in Village Hall 8.0 p.m.
"Africa on the Bridge" - Sound Colour film
produced by "World Wide Films".
See Note.
- March 13th. Sun. LENT III
Holy Communion 8.00 a.m.
Morning Prayer 11.00 a.m.
Preacher : Rev. M.W. Walters, B.Sc.
(Holy Trinity, Aldershot)
Evening Prayer 6.30 p.m.
South American Missionary Society.
Transparencies (Title to be announced).
- March 15th. Tue. Annual Parochial Church Meeting at the
Rectory at 8.0 p.m. (See Note).
- March 17th. Thur. Greater London Crusade (Dr. Billy Graham)
United (District) Prayer Meeting at
Tigbourne Court, Hambledon, at 8.0 p.m.
(See Note).

March 20th.	Sun.	LENT IV. MOTHERING SUNDAY Holy Communion 8.0 a.m. and after Evening Prayer. Children's Church ("Mothering Service") Morning Prayer Preacher: Mr. F. Hughes, London City Mission- ary at All Saints', Wandsworth. Evening Prayer. Preacher: Mr. W. G. Prentice, London City Missionary at St. John's Church, Penge. Offerings all day: The London City Mission.	10.00 a.m. 11.00 a.m. 6.30 p.m.
March 21st.	Mon.	Bible Study 8.0 p.m. (place to be announced)	
March 22nd.	Tue.	Annual Parish Meeting in Village Hall 8.0 p.m. (for details see notes).	
March 24th.	Thur.	Women's Fellowship at Beech Hill 3.0 p.m. Speaker: Rev. Michael Frost, Minister of Godalming Baptist Church.	
March 27th.	Sun.	Confirmation Class at Rectory LENT V. (PASSION SUNDAY) Holy Communion Morning Prayer Evening Prayer Confirmation Class at the Rectory	7.50 p.m. 8.00 a.m. 11.00 a.m. 6.30 p.m. 7.50 p.m.
March 31st.	Thur.		
April 3rd.	Sun.	PALM SUNDAY. Holy Communion 8.0 a.m. and after Morning Prayer. Children's Church Morning Prayer PASSION SERVICE OF NINE LESSONS. Retiring Collections for Easter Flowers.	10.00 a.m. 11.00 a.m. 6.30 p.m.
April 4th.	Mon.	Bible Study at	8.00 p.m.
April 7th.	Thur.	<u>MAUNDY THURSDAY</u> Holy Communion	8.00 p.m.
April 8th.	Fri.	<u>GOOD FRIDAY</u> Service with Address	11.00 a.m.

April 9th. Sat. Decoration of Church for Easter.

April 10th. Sun. EASTER DAY

Holy Communion 8.0 a.m. 12.0 noon &

7.30 p.m.

Children's Service. 10.00 a.m.

Morning Prayer 11.00 a.m.

Evening Prayer 6.30 p.m.

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Sewing Meetings and Embroidery Classes as usual.

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CHOIR PRACTICES

are held on Fridays at 7.0 p.m., and commencing Friday March 4th, this will be followed by special practices at 7.30 p.m., in preparation for the Passion Service of Nine Lessons on Palm Sunday.

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FREE-WILL OFFERING ENVELOPES.

Total for January 1966 - £43. 2. 1.

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NOTES

ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING

This will be held at the Rectory on Tuesday, March 15th at 8.0 p.m. At this meeting the Churchwardens for the coming year will be elected, and also members of the Parochial Church Council. The Church Accounts for the year ended December 31st, 1965 will be presented and a short report of the work of the Church Council and the parish in general will be given.

THE CHURCH FELLOWSHIP

The speaker at the January meeting was Mr. Jack Clennel, of Cranleigh, who gave us a most delightful programme of Scottish Music and Views. Most of the music had been recorded by Mr. Clennel at a festival he had visited on the Isle of Skye last summer, and the coloured transparencies he brought had been taken by him

in various places in Scotland. Mr. H.G. W. Wynne, the Secretary of the Parochial Church Council proposed a vote of thanks to Mr. Clennel.

"AFRICA ON THE BRIDGE"

Sound and Colour Film

In The Village Hall, Thursday, March 10th. at 8.00 p.m.

(The last meeting of the "Church Fellowship" for this session).

"Here is a documentary report - in colour - of the Billy Graham Team's tour of Africa. On the screen you will witness the spiritual conflict of this generation as Communism, Tribal Religions, and other faiths compete with Christianity for the souls of Africans, As perhaps never before, this film presents the timely missionary challenge of Africa.

One reviewer pointed out that even if the film were devoid of its spiritual message, it was easily the outstanding present day portrayal of Africa. Unexcelled scenes of the contrast between primitive cultures and modern day achievements, plus thrilling jungle scenes of animals in their natural habitat."

This is a film you must not miss. Those who saw last year's film, "Souls in Conflict", will remember how well it was produced. As the film last for about 80 minutes it will commence at 8.0 p.m. prompt. Admission is free. Refreshments 6d. will be served at the close of the meeting.

SUMMER OUTING

A leaflet was enclosed in the January issue of the magazine announcing the Church Fellowship Summer Outing on Saturday, May 14th., to Littlecote Manor, visiting Marlborough and Savernake Forest en-route. This outing is being very kindly arranged by Mr. I.J. Adgie, and already numbers of friends have requested seats on the coach. There are still a few leaflets in Church about the programme. If you wish to book a seat please

contact Mr. Adgie. (Tel. Godalming 1282) as soon as possible.
Miss Denny. (Wormley 2461) will also take bookings.

GREATER LONDON CRUSADE

JUNE 1966

In preparation for the visit of Dr. Billy Graham, for the Greater London Crusade at Earl's Court meetings for prayer are being arranged throughout the country.

Three United Prayer Meetings are being held in this area during the three months prior to the Crusade. Groups of ladies are also planning other meetings in their homes. The United Prayer Meetings will be held on the following dates :-

Thursday, March 17th. at 8.0 p.m.

at Tigbourne Court, Hambledon, by kind invitation of
Mr. and Mrs. C.A. Chapman.

Thursday, April 21st. at 8.0 p.m.

at Rustington, Green Lane, Godalming, by kind invitation
of Mr. and Mrs. Barnes.

Thursday, May 19th. at 8.0 p.m.

(details later).

All are earnestly asked to pray for God's blessing on this visit to England of Dr. Billy Graham, and are warmly invited to join us in the meetings in the district for united prayer.

WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

Miss Henman gave a most helpful message at the January Meeting of the Fellowship.

We are fortunate in having a visit from the Rev. Michael Frost, the Minister at Godalming Baptist Church on Thursday, March 24. at Beech Hill at 3.0 p.m. We hope that there will be a good attendance on this occasion.

HAMBLEDON PARISH COUNCIL

The Annual Parish Meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 22nd., at 8.0 p.m. in the Village Hall.

Speaker : E.T.Palmer, Esq., Engineer and Surveyor to the Hambledon R.D.C. He will give a talk on "Drainage and Housing" and the operation of his department in the rural district.

"FOR PARENTS AND CHILDREN"

For just over two years this service at 10.0 a.m. on the second, fourth and fifth Sundays in the month, has been conducted by Messrs. D.Davis and W.Smyly, and has provided worship and instruction for children on those Sundays when there is no Children's Church service. It also replaced the original Sunday School classes. Unfortunately the attendances at these "For Parents and Children" services have been very small, and a questionnaire was distributed to all attending the Children's Services to ascertain whether or not there is a desire for both types of children's service. It has now been decided that we should revert to the former arrangements, i.e. Children's Church only on the first and third Sundays in the month, and at Festivals.

We wish to record our sincere thanks to Mr. Davis and Mr. Smyly for the valued faithful service they have rendered for so long. We remember that they have travelled a considerable distance to undertake this voluntary work.

N.B. "For Parents and Children" -
2nd., 4th. and 5th Sundays. closed at the end of
February.

Children's Church continues as usual.

10.0 a.m., on 1st., and 3rd Sundays. and
at Festivals.

HOME AND OVERSEAS MISSIONS AND CHARITIES

Generous giving through the collections in Church, the Free-Will Offering Fund and various Missionary Boxes enable us to support a number of very worthy causes. The following extracts from letters from the Societies to which we have recently sent gifts indicate how much the money is needed, and how greatly our help is appreciated. We hope to include extracts from other letters in future issues of the magazine.

Keswick Convention - Hospitality for Missionaries at the Convention.

"Once again we have to thank you very much indeed for your most generous gift to the Fund which enables so many tired and spiritually exhausted missionaries to come to Keswick. I would like to assure you that this help is very very much appreciated".

Dr. Barnardo's.

"I am writing to acknowledge and thank you for the sum of £30. being a donation from St. Peter's Church, towards our funds. We are truly grateful for the thought this represents and I assure you that we much appreciate the generosity of our many friends."

Telephone Samaritans Guildford.

"We are most grateful for the contribution to our funds."

The Mission to Lepers.

"We are very grateful for the support We thank God for the privilege of being co-workers with Him in a team composed of folk overseas, missionary and national, as well as all of you who are linked with us the Home Base.

The cost of maintaining existing work overseas constantly increases. Therefore it is with the knowledge of God's

blessing that we are assured of being able to maintain existing work,
and also to be able to carry on with our research programme
Please pray that the "joy of the Lord" may be known by all sufferers."



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Factual Story
of a
Continent in Transition

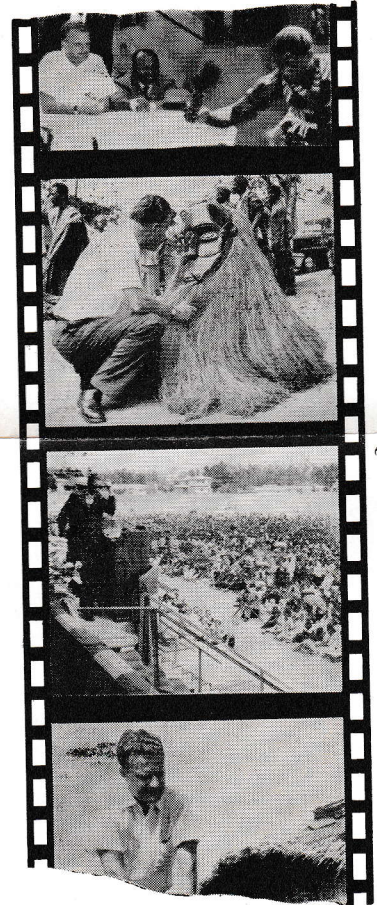
"AFRICA ON THE BRIDGE"

UNRIVALLED DOCUMENTARY
FILM COVERAGE OF THE

Billy Graham

AFRICAN CRUSADES

FILMED THROUGHOUT AFRICA
IN EASTMAN COLOUR



THE 1960 "GOLDEN REEL" AWARD WINNING FILM

SEE IT AT

HAMBLEDON
Village Hall
Thursday March 10
at 8.0 pm