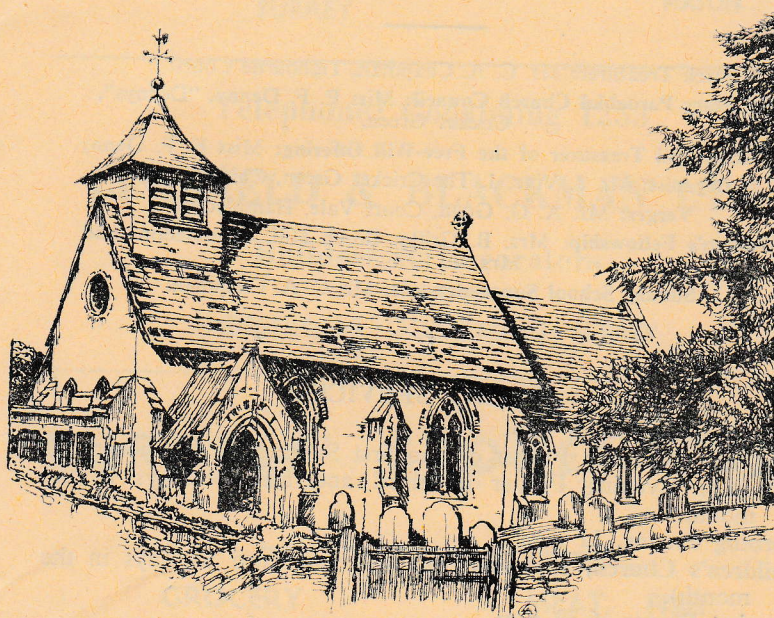


**ST. PETER'S CHURCH**  
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## **PARISH CHURCH OF ST. PETER, HAMBLEDON.**

### **Rector:**

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### **Churchwardens:**

**Rector's Warden:** Mr. C. A. Chapman, Tigbourne Court.

**People's Warden:** Mr. S. Ayling, Hope Cottage, Hambledon.

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**Church Treasurer:** Mr. C. A. Chapman, Tigbourne Court.

**Secretary Parochial Church Council:** Miss E. F. Denny, "Dennys", Cricket Green.

**Secretary and Treasurer of the Free-Will Offering:** Miss E. F. Denny.

**Organist:** Mr. J. Vine, 1, The Cricket Green, Chiddingfold.

**Verger:** Mr. A. G. Goad, Court Vale, Hambledon.

**Women's Fellowship:** Mrs. B. Grillo, Beech Hill, Hambledon: and Mrs. C. E. Elton.

**Sunday School Superintendent:** Mr. C. A. Chapman.

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### **SUNDAY SERVICES**

**Holy Communion, 8 a.m.**

(and after Morning Prayer on the first Sunday in the month, and after Evening Prayer on third and fifth Sundays in the month.)

**Morning Prayer, 11 a.m.**

**Children's Church, 10.0 a.m.** (on first and third Sundays in the month).

**Evening Prayer, 6.30 p.m.**

**Sunday School**—in the Day School at 10 a.m. (except on first and third Sunday in month).

### **WEEKDAYS**

**Sewing Meeting**—Mondays (fortnightly) at 3 p.m.

**Women's Fellowship**—Fourth Thursday in month at 3 p.m.

**Choir Practice**—As arranged.

**Church Fellowship**—Second Thursday at 8 p.m. in the Village Hall (during winter months).

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Baptisms, Weddings, Funerals, should be arranged in consultation with the Rector.



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APRIL 1963

WE WISH OUR READERS A VERY HAPPY  
AND BLESSED EASTER

DIARY

April 3rd. Wed. Holy Communion at Hambledon Homes  
Chapel 10.00 a.m.

April 5th. Fri. Lent Service 8.15 p.m.  
"How to Enjoy Your Prayer Book" Pt. 6.

April 7th. Sun. PALM SUNDAY  
Holy Communion 8.00 a.m. and 12 noon  
Children's Church 10.00 a.m.  
Preacher: Michael Clark Esq., B.Sc.,  
Morning Prayer 11.00 a.m.  
Passion Service of  
Nine Lessons 6.30 p.m.  
"Post Confirmation Class" 7.30 p.m.

April 11th. MAUNDY THURSDAY  
Holy Communion 8.00 p.m.

April 12th. GOOD FRIDAY  
Service 11.00 a.m.

April 13th. Sat. Decoration of Church for Easter.

April 14th.

EASTER DAY

Holy Communion 8.00 a.m. 12.0 noon  
and 7.30 p.m.  
Children's Church 10.00 a.m.  
Morning Prayer 11.00 a.m.  
Evening Prayer 6.30 p.m.



April 21st. Sun. FIRST SUNDAY AFTER EASTER  
 Holy Communion 8.00 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.  
 Children's Church 10.00 a.m.  
 Morning Prayer 11.00 a.m.  
 Preacher: The Ven. the Archdeacon of Surrey.  
 Evening Prayer 6.30 p.m.

April 23rd. Tue. Church Pastoral-Aid Society Annual Meeting  
 in Central Hall, Westminster at 7.00 p.m.

April 25th. Thur. St. Mark's Day.  
 Women's Fellowship at Beech Hill 3.00 p.m.  
 Speaker: Rev. A. J. Liddon, B.A.,  
 South-Eastern Secretary C.P.A.S.

April 28th. Sun. SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EASTER  
 Holy Communion 8.00 a.m.  
 Morning Prayer 11.00 a.m.  
 Evening Prayer 6.30 p.m.

May 1st. Wed. St. Philip and St. James.  
 Holy Communion at Hambledon Homes  
 Chapel at 10.00 a.m.

May 5th. Sun. THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EASTER.  
 Holy Communion 8.00 a.m. (only)  
 Children's Church 10.00 a.m.  
 Morning Prayer 11.00 a.m.  
 Preacher: The Right Revd. B.M. Dale, M.A.  
 Assistant Bishop of Guildford.  
 The Consecration of the extension to the  
 Churchyard will immediately follow the  
 11.00 a.m. Service.  
 Evening Prayer 6.30 p.m.

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## CHURCH REGISTERS

### HOLY BAPTISM

January 27th. John Woodman, son of Stephen Leonard  
and Esther Beatrice Schofield.

### BURIALS

February 11th. Eliza Jane Edwards, aged 93 years.  
February 27th. Alice Jeffery, aged 53 years.

### CONFIRMATION

At Christ Church, Guildford, by the Assistant Bishop of  
Guildford (Rt. Rev. B. M. Dale), on Saturday, March 23rd.

Roger Ernest Frogley; Stephen John Parratt; Valerie  
Freemantle; Joan Lesley Pearson; Mary Janet Pink; Rosemary  
Anne Setterfield; Catherine Margaret Sharpington; Jacqueline  
Ann Stretch; June Patricia Wood.

The following have also recently been confirmed at  
Confirmation Services arranged by their schools:-

Peter Hedley (Millfield School, Somerset)  
Carole Wood (Guildford High School)

We welcome the newly confirmed into the full membership  
of our Church, and commend them to the prayers of our congre -  
gation.

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### THE CHURCH FELLOWSHIP

The "Musical Evening" arranged for the closing meeting  
for this session proved to be very successful. There was a good  
attendance and the programme was provided by our Organist and  
Choirmaster, Mr. Jim Vine, and Mr. Martin Palmer.  
Mr. Palmer's musical quiz made an excellent introduction to the  
evening. Mrs. Sharpington was the prizewinner. The remainder  
of the time passed all too quickly as we were entertained by a

choir which had been trained by Mr. Vine, a Guitarist and by the friends who gave us a musical sketch. The vote of thanks, proposed by Mr. David Gardner, added to the enjoyment of the evening. After a short Epilogue, tea and biscuits were served.

We thank all who have taken part in the meetings of the Fellowship this winter, and look forward to the next session which will open in November. We have been grateful to Mrs. Hammond who has prepared the Hall for our meetings, and to Mrs. Jeffery who prepared the refreshments. We also thank Mr. Peter Roderick for acting as Treasurer.

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#### THE WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP.

Miss Margaret Stievenard, Secretary of the Ladies' Association of the Commonwealth and Continental Church Society gave an interesting talk about the Society's work at the February meeting.

The speaker at the April meeting will be the Rev. A. J. Liddon.

#### CHILDREN'S CHURCH

We have been pleased to welcome to our services, on several occasions recently, members of the staff of King Edward's School, Witley, who have given the Talks. We hope to be able to arrange for further visits.

Please note that as Easter Day falls on the second Sunday in April there will be a Children's Church on each of the first three Sundays in April.

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#### ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING

We hope to include a short report of the meeting in our next issue.

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### PERSONALIA

The whole village was shocked at the sudden death of Mrs. Alice Jeffery, and there are many who will sorely miss her help and friendship. Our sympathy goes to her husband and son in their sad bereavement.

Owing to lack of space it was not possible to include a reference in the March magazine to Miss Irene Libbiter (The Old Cottage) who had an unfortunate accident on the icy road near the Cricket Green. She has cheerfully borne being confined to the house for a number of weeks. We wish her a speedy recovery.

It has been good to see Mrs. Low with us again after her long illness. We are very sorry to learn that Colonel and Mrs. Low will shortly be leaving Hambledon to make their home in Majorca. They will be greatly missed.

### THE WEATHER AND SICKNESS.

Sickness has been in many homes in the parish in recent weeks, but we are glad to know that the "flu" epidemic is now subsiding. Our thoughts and prayers have been with the doctors and others who had to contend with hazardous conditions on the roads in order to minister to the needs of the sick.

All who have delivered the mail and supplies to our doors are to be congratulated on their services.

Our congregations were adversely affected in January and February and it is good to see the church well filled again now that the weather shows signs of improvement. In spite of deep snow at times, and a very slippery steep hill to the Church we did not have to cancel any services, even on the worst Sunday.

Our sympathies are with Mr. Hammond whose caravan by the Cricket Green was recently completely destroyed by fire. The prompt action of Mrs. Hammond prevented the flames from spreading to the remainder of the caravans and equipment. We are glad to know that plans are in hand to replace their loss and

that they hope to commence their season's tour as planned. We trust that Mr. Hammond, who suffered from burns will soon be fully recovered.

#### THE CHURCHYARD EXTENSION.

The land for the extension of the Churchyard, which has been generously provided by Mr. Eric Parker, will be consecrated by Bishop B. M. Dale (Assistant Bishop of Guildford) on Sunday May 5th. The Bishop will preach at Morning Prayer and then proceed to the churchyard for a short service there.

Not only has Mr. Parker given the land, but he has also continued the stone wall on the south side of the burial ground. The old boundary hedge has been removed and a post and rail fence is being erected along the new boundary (East). Mr. Parker will be planting a part of the land with ornamental trees - these, and the new burial ground extension are given in memory of his daughter, Louise, who died in 1961.

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#### HAMBLEDON CHURCH WINDOWS

Poems describing the stained glass windows, compiled by the late Mr. Eric Parker of Feathercombe, have been published in booklet form. Several copies of this booklet have been given to us by Miss Parker and can be obtained from Church. Miss Parker has suggested that a charge of one shilling per copy should be made, and the proceeds be given to the Inter-Church Aid and Refugee Service (Freedom from Hunger and Refugee Appeal).

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#### NEW KNEELERS FOR CHURCH

We hope to include a note about the Kneelers in the next issue of the magazine.

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