ST. PETER'S CHURCH, HAMBLEDON.

MAY 1963

DIARY

May 2nd. Thur. Women's Fellowship meet at
Busbridge at 2.45 p.m. (see notes)

May 5th. Sun. THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EASTER.

Holy Communion 8.0 a.m. (only)

Children's Church 10.0 a.m.

MORNING PRAYER AND CONSECRATION OF EXTENSION TO THE CHURCHYARD 11 a.m. Preacher: The Right Rev. B.M. Dale,

Assistant Bishop of Guildford.

Evening Prayer

6.30 p.m.

May 12th. Sun. FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER

Holy Communion 8.0 a.m.
Morning Prayer 11.0 a.m.
Evening Prayer 6.30 p.m.

May 17th. Fri. Dedication of Guildford Cathedral Tower 8.15 p.m.

May 19th. Sun. ROGATION SUNDAY.

Holy Communion 8.0 a.m. and after

Evening Prayer

Children's Church 10.0 a.m.

Morning Prayer 11.0 a.m.

Evening Prayer 6.30 p.m.

May 20th. Mon. Godalming Deanery Service at

Guildford Cathedral 8.15 p.m.

May 23rd. Thur. ASCENSION DAY.

Day School Service 9.20 a.m. Holy Communion 11.0 a.m.

No Women's Fellowship Meeting today
- See 'Notes and News' -

May 26th. Sun. SUNDAY AFTER THE ASCENSION
Holy Communion 8.0 a.m.
Morning Prayer 11.0 a.m.
Evening Prayer 6.30 p.m.

May 28th. Tue. Annual General Meeting of the
Deanery Association for Social
Work (formerly Moral Welfare) at
Marindin Hall, Frensham-2.45 p.m.

June 2nd. Sun. WHIT SUNDAY

Holy Communion 8.0 a.m. and after Morning Prayer

Children's Church 10.0 a.m.
Morning Prayer 11.0 a.m.
Evening Prayer 6.30 p.m.

Offerings at Sunday services are for Home and Overseas Missions, unless otherwise stated.

FREE-WILL OFFERING ENVELOPES. Total for March 1963 - £26.14.3d.

CHURCH FLOWERS

We thank those who contributed towards the cecorations for the Easter Festival, those who sent flowers, and all who gave of their time to decorate the Church so beautifully.

The following have kindly promised to provide, and arrange, the flowers for Sundays:May 5th Mrs. Dowson: May 12th Mrs. Wieler:
May 19th Mrs. Secrett: May 26th Mrs. Elton:
June 2nd Mrs. Dowson.

I.B. We regret that, owing to lack of space in this issue of the magazine, the reports on the Parish and Parochial Church Meetings must be held over until June.

A MESSAGE FROM THE RECTOR.

First of all a most sincere "thank-you" for your generous and warmhearted Easter

Offering. We do appreciate all your many kind-nesses to us.

The Festivals of the Christian Year keep us mindful of the great facts of our Faith. At Christmas we remember that God took our flesh and came and dwelt among men, not only to be their perfect Example, but, above all, to be their Saviour. In Lent, and on Good Friday, we meditate upon what it cost God to redeem mankind, and at Easter we celebrate His triumphant rising from the dead, and rejoice in that Heever lives, and is ever with us now. Ascensiontide reminds us, however, that He did not remain here in human form, but "Ascended into Heaven", henceforth exalted in majesty, and one day returning in glory. The Whitsuntide Message reveals to us how Christ is with us now - by His Holy Spirit. That God deigns to indwell us and to let His Power flow through us. "This Power, not of this world, a Power supernatural, and personal, which proceeds from God Himself, has become available to all who believe in Jesus Christ as their personal Saviour and Lord".

PERSONALIA

It is with regret that we announce the death in her 94th year of Miss Alice Jeffery, of 'Silver Birches', Wormley, and formerly of 'Furze Hill', Hambledon (now 'Beech Hill'). Miss Jeffery had been a patient at Pyrford Hospital for several weeks before her death, and for a number of years had been confined to her room. She always took a deep interest in the life of the village and church, and regularly had her service of Holy Communion. She will be greatly missed, and we extend to her brother and relatives our deep sympathies. Mr. Francis Gammidge of Hazels, Vann Lane, another true friend of our church, has passed

away after a long period of sickness. He was not able to attend services, but always followed our activities with a keen interest. We remember his widow and his son in their sorrow.

Two other families, here, have been bereaved.

Mrs. Freemantle's father has died in St. Luke's Hospital, Guildford. He had been living with his daughter and her family, at 'Daremead', since the death of his wife. Mr. Palmer's mother, who was spending a short holiday with her son at 'Little Willow', was suddenly taken ill and died shortly after being admitted to Milford Chest Hospital. To those who have been bereaved we extend our sincere sympathies.

NOTES AND NEWS

The Women's Fellowship will be uniting with the Busbridge Young Wives Group for their May meeting. This will be held in Busbridge Church Hall on Thursday, May 2nd, at 2.45 p.m. There will be seats available in cars for those who require transport. There will not be a meeting of the Fellowship on May 23rd.

CONSECRATION OF THE CHURCHYARD EXTENSION

SUNDAY, MAY 5th, at 11.0 a.m.

By THE ASSISTANT BISHOP OF GUILDFORD

The Rt.Rev. B.M. Dale, M.A.

Day School Open Afternoon for Freedom from Hunger Campaign raised £16.5.6d. To the staff, scholars and all who supported this effort - our grateful thanks.

The Bishop of Guildford.

We are glad to know that Dr. Reindorp is now making satisfactory progress following his unfortunate car accident. We wish him a speedy recovery.