ST. PETER'S CHURCH, HAMBLEDON

SEPTEMBER 1962

DIARY

Sept.	2.	Sun,	TRINITY XI. Holy Communion 8.00 a.m. and after Morning Prayer. Children's Church 10.00 a.m. Morning Prayer and Holy Communion 11.00 a.m. Evening Prayer 6.30 p.m.
	3.	Mon.	Confirmation Class at the Rectory. 7.30 p.m.
	5.	Wed.	Holy Communion at Hambledon Homes Chapel 10.00 a.m.
	6.	Thurs.	Coffee Morning and Bring and Buy Sale for L.H.M.U. at "Dennys". 11.00 a.m.
	9.	Sun.	TRINITY XII. Holy Communion 8.00 a.m. Morning Prayer 11.00 a.m. Evening Prayer 6.30 p.m.
	10.	Mon.	Confirmation Class at Rectory. 7.30 p.m.
	16.	Sun.	TRINITY XIII Holy Communion 8.00 a.m. and after Evening Prayer. Children's Church. 10.00 a.m. Morning Prayer 11.00 a.m. Evening Prayer 6.30 p.m.
			Preacher 11 a.m. and 6.30 p.m. The Rev. Alec Moore, Area Secretary C. & C. C. S.

Offerings:- Commonwealth and Continental Church Society.

Sept.	23.	Sun.	TRINITY XIV.
			Holy Communion 8.00 a.m.
			Morning Prayer 11.00 a.m.
			Evening Prayer 6.30 p.m.
	27.	Thurs.	Women's Fellowship at "Dennys" at
			3.00 p.m.
			Colour Transparencies "S.W. France"
	30.	Sun.	TRINITY XV.
			Holy Communion 8.00 a.m.
			and after Evening Prayer.
			Morning Prayer 11.00 a.m.
			Evening Prayer 6.30 p.m.
Oct.	3.	Wed.	Holy Communion at Hambledon Homes
			Chapel 10.00 a.m.
			Guildford Cathedral Lecture at 8.15 p.m.
			by The Lord Archbishop of Canterbury.
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* Oct.	7.	Sun.	TRINITY XVI. HARVEST FESTIVAL. *
*			Holy Communion 8.00 a.m. *
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*			Children's Church 10.00 a.m. *
*			Morning Prayer 11.00 a.m. *
*			Evening Prayer 6.30 p.m. *
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GIFTS FOR HARVEST decorations will be gratefully received at the Church on the Friday and early Saturday. Children will again bring their offerings of harvest gifts at the 10.00 a.m. Service on the Sunday.

PERSONALIA

Mrs. Kate Laker, one of Hambledon's oldest residents, died in S. Luke's Hospital, Guildford, on August 2nd. She had been confined to her home for several months following a stroke and was moved to hospital shortly before her death. Her husband, who

died a few years ago, was for several years a sidesman at St. Peter's Church, and both he and Mrs. Laker were regular worshippers at their parish Church until age and infirmity made this impossible. We extend to her family, and in particular to Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, who have so faithfully ministered to her needs, our deep sympathy in their bereavement.

Mr. Frederick Leffley who had been at the Hambledon Homes for several years died there on August 9th. He was often to be seen in the Village - at Cricket Matches, and in the Post Office making purchases on behalf of his fellow residents in the Homes. Those who saw him carrying his shopping bag found it hard to believe that he could be over eighty. He was a regular worshipper in the Chapel at the Homes. We miss Fred and are grateful for his example of service to others.

THE CHOIR

We have been grateful to our morning and our evening choirs for the Anthems they have sung recently, and we would like to record our special thanks to them and to Mr. Vine for the time they spend in preparation for the Services. It may interest our readers to know that St. Peter's Church Choir attended the special Service in the Cathedral for Parish Church Choirs, and took part in the singing.

The Choir Outing to Hastings and St. Leonard's was a happy occasion, and in spite of the fact that it was a rather cold and stormy day some members told us that they had enjoyed a bathe in the sea (one member was so keen that she even sampled a "dip" fully dressed!)

A REQUEST - Can anyone provide a small cupboard suitable for storing Choir music? Any offers to Mr. J. Vine, 1, The Cricket Green, Chiddingfold. Thank you.

BURIALS

Aug. 8th. Kate Laker, aged 87 years.

Aug. 13th. Frederick Leffley, aged 81 years.

FREE WILL OFFERING

Total collected through Envelopes in July: £25.1.4d.

SURREY BEST KEPT VILLAGE COMPETITION, 1962.

The General Secretary, (Brigadier W.R. Selby) writes:-

"The final judges have just completed their task in the above competition and I am writing to tell you that Hambledon was awarded second place.

The judges were particularly impressed with the general neatness and tidiness of the Village, the result of good communal effort. There were only two points of criticism, the exterior and surrounds of the Village Hall could have been improved, and some outhouses and sheds were not in keeping with the high standards of the remainder of the Village.

On behalf of the Council and the Competition Sub-Committee may I congratulate you on a splendid effort. A small prize of thirty shillings will be sent a little later on ... it is hoped you will buy a momento of the occasion".