

HAMPTON HILL PARISH MAGAZINE.

THE VICARAGE,

November 1st, 1907.

MY DEAR FRIENDS,

The Harvest Festival on the 10th and 13th of last month was one of the brightest we ever had. It was a great treat to see the crowded congregations. The decorations were quite up to their usual standard. Flowers, plants, fruit and corn liberally poured in. I have no complete list of those who sent, but I must mention the names of Mr. Lange, Mr. Sherwood, Mrs. Uzzell, Mrs. Milne, Mrs. Waterhouse, Mr. D. Howe and the plants from "Larkfield" and "Carnanton," amongst heaps of others. Magnificent loaves of bread came from Mr. Newton, Mr. Storey, jun., Mrs. Howe, Mr. Weedon, and Mrs. Bates, which were shared amongst 34 families after the festival. The Bishop of Kensington's sermon on the first words in the Bible—"In the beginning God"—made a great impression and will long be remembered. After the service his Lordship spoke a few most kindly words to the choir in the vestry, saying how much he had appreciated the part they had taken in the service, adding that as he visited about five different churches a week, it was no empty compliment when he said it was excellent. The offertories throughout the festival produced about £18. A little over £13 of this goes to the Church Improvement Fund. It will have been noticed that the church clock has already undergone renovation, and looks decidedly improved.

On Friday, November 1st, All Saints' Day, at the Celebrations at 7.30 a.m. and 11 a.m., the offertories will be for the Queen Victoria Clergy Fund. The address at 11 o'clock will be given by the Rev. Norman Johnson, the Secretary of the Society. The object of the fund is to supplement the small stipends of many of the Clergy in England and Wales.

The Q.V.C.F. specially asks for Annual Subscriptions, which may be sent to the Hon. Sec.: Mr. F. W. Dawkins, Ayot Villa, Stanley Road, Teddington.

The next Communicants' Guild Meeting will be held on Monday the 4th, at 8 p.m. The subject of the address will be the "Prayer Book."

The Annual Conversazione is fixed for Tuesday the 19th inst., at the Victoria Hall. The doors will open at 7 p.m. I have yielded to a request to repeat the pictures of the Mediterranean, Palestine, and Egypt. This will take up one hour, and the rest of the evening will be taken up with music and singing and recitations. There will, of course, be the usual refreshments. The proceeds will be given to the Curate's Fund.

The Bishop of London has appointed Sunday the 17th as "Lay Helpers' Sunday," when he suggests that all Church Workers should be invited to come to the Holy Communion at 8 a.m. On the same day the preacher in the morning will be the Rev. L. P. Currie, the Secretary of the Church of England Temperance Society, and the excess of the offertory, after the deduction of the ordinary amount for Church Expenses, will be given to that Society. While speaking of the C.E.T.S., I regret to say that Miss Hemery has found it necessary to resign the Secretaryship of our branch, although we shall still have her help on the Committee. The new Secretary is Miss Brewer, of Park Road, in whom I am sure we shall have an efficient worker.

Throughout the Christian Church there will be prayer for Foreign Missions on St. Andrew's Day, Saturday the 30th inst. There will be Celebrations of the Holy Communion at 7.30 and 11, and Evening Service at 5 p.m. and short address. Throughout the day silent prayer will be offered in the church. The next day, Advent Sunday, sermons will be preached and collections made on behalf of the "Society for the Propagation of the Gospel in Foreign Parts."

I am, My dear friends,

Yours very sincerely,

CHARLES R. JOB.

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OFFERTORIES.

	11 a.m.	7 p.m.	TOTAL.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Sept. 29—Church Expenses ...	3 9 9	1 10 5	5 0 2
Oct. 6—Curate's Fund ...	3 12 0	1 17 9	5 9 9
„ 13—Church Improvement Fund ...	8 15 10	4 7 5	13 3 3
„ 20—Church Expenses ...	3 8 4	1 8 8	4 17 0
Early Celebrations (Poor Fund) Sept. 29, 14/11; Oct. 6, 12/-; Oct. 13, 1/10/6; Oct. 20, 2/2 ...			2 19 7
Children's Services (Missions), Sept. 29, 2/1; Oct. 6, 1/9; Oct. 13, 11/-; Oct. 20, 1/11 ...			0 16 9
Oct. 10. Harvest Festival (C.M.S.), 7.30 a.m., 5/2; „ „ 11 a.m., 1/13/5 ...			1 18 7
„ „ 8 p.m., Sunday Schools ...			2 16 0
Special Celebration, Oct. 18 (St. Luke's Day) ...			0 12 6
Special Service, Communicants' Guild ...			0 13 0
			<u>£38 6 7</u>

BAPTISMS.

“Grant, O Lord, that they may have power and strength to have victory and to triumph, against the Devil, the World and the Flesh.” Amen.

Aug. 26—Edwin Keeley.
Sept. 29—Elizabeth Jane Bottrell.
„ 29—Kenneth Henry Howard.

MARRIAGES.

“O Lord, send them help from Thy Holy Place, and evermore mightily defend them.”

Oct. 5—Richard Joseph Doughty to Mary Ann Emily Vince.
„ 6—Clifford William Samuel Lane to Alice Maud Mary Metherell.

BURIALS.

“I am the resurrection and the life saith the Lord, he that believeth in Me, though he were dead, yet shall he live, and whosoever liveth and believeth in Me shall never die.”—*St. John*, xi, 25, 26.

Sept. 28—William Rivers, aged 70 years.
Oct. 3—John Frampton, aged 2 years.

HYMNS FOR THE MONTH.

DATE.	MORNING.	AFTERNOON	EVENING.
Nov. 3	428 553	435 565 569	439 Anthem 619 427
„ 6.	...	...	546 22
„ 10	519 522 186	571 330 564	281 263 187 518
„ 13	...	...	279 21
„ 17	247 313	335 336 333	280 243 476 28
„ 20	...	...	182 529
„ 24	202 209 226	338 547 331	197 268 264 288
„ 27	...	...	177 223

VESPER.

To be sung on the next few Sunday Evenings. Words by The Rev. Canon D. Bruce Payne, D.D.

Grant us Thy Peace, O God of Peace and Love,
Who dwellest in the shining worlds above:
Grant us with Thee for ever to abide,
Where is no night nor falling eventide,
Till that Day break, and earth's dark shadows cease,
O God of Peace and Love, grant us Thy Peace.

C.E.T.S. ACCOUNT FOR YEAR ENDING OCTOBER 1907.

RECEIPTS.	£ s. d.
Balance in hand ...	5 0
Subscriptions—	
Mrs. Tidey, 5/-; Rev. C. R. Job, 2/-; Mrs. Griffiths, 1/-; Miss Griffiths, 1/- ...	9 0
Mrs. Griffiths (don.) 5/-; Mr. Storey, 2/-; Mrs. Singleton, 2/-; Mrs. Russell, 1/- ...	10 0
Mrs. E. Smith, 1/-; Mrs. Cottrell, 1/-; Mr. Parker, 1 -; Miss Hayes, 2/6 ...	5 6
Miss Hemery, 1/-; Miss Lambert, 1/-; Mr. Parker (don.) 1/-; Mrs. Butler, 1/- ...	4 0
Miss Butler, 1/-; M. Smith, 1/-; Mr. Bromley, 1/-; Mr. J. Reynolds, 1/- ...	4 0
Mrs. Daines, 1/-; Mr. Gratwick, 1/-; Mrs. Levi, 1/-; Rev. E. S. Phillips, 1/- ...	4 0
Mr. J. Smith, 1/-; Mr. Morse, 1/-; Mr. Chowne, 1/-; Mrs. Carter, 1/- ...	4 0
Mrs. Singleton, 1/-; Miss Barton, 1/-; Miss M. Cane, 1/-; Miss E. Burfitt, 6d. ...	3 6
Miss M. Prior, 1/-; Miss Crowder, 2/6; Miss Barnard, 1/-; Mrs. Nightingale, 1/- ...	5 6
Collected at Meetings, 8/2, 10/-, 10/- ...	1 8 2
Collecting Boxes (Boys' Home)—	
Mothers' Meeting, 9/-; Miss Carpenter, 5/-; Miss S. Allwork, 12/8; Rev. E. S. Phillips, 3/-; Albert Singleton (Penny Effort Book) 2/6	1 12 2
Miss Gorham's Lectures (including donation from Mrs. Hemery of 5/-) ...	6 6 3
Mrs. Russell (Jappys' Entertainment, 11/-, and Sale of Goods, 10/-) ...	1 1 0
Miss Barton (Part proceeds of Jumble Sale) ...	10 0
	<u>£13 12 1</u>

EXPENSES.	£ s. d.
Expenses of Meetings ...	1 16 6
Subscription to “Boys' Home” ...	1 12 2
„ “Duxhurst Home” ...	6 0 0
Affiliation Fee ...	10 0
Subscription to “Sunday Closing Association” ...	10 0
Printing ...	17 0
Magazines ...	1 0 0
	<u>12 5 8</u>
Balance in hand ...	1 6 5
	<u>£13 12 1</u>

E. STANLEY PHILLIPS, *Hon. Treasurer.*

Audited by E. A. JOSEPH, 25th October, 1907.