

The Hampton Hill Parish Magazine.

SEPTEMBER, 1893.

OFFERTORIES.

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
	8 a.m.	11 a.m.	7 p.m.	
July 30.—General Fund.....	0 8 4	2 14 9	1 19 2	5 2 3
Aug. 6.—General Fund.....	0 12 0	2 18 6	1 3 7	4 14 1
„ 13.—General Fund.....	0 8 5	2 7 11	1 1 7	3 17 11
„ 20.—General Fund.....	0 7 0	2 12 7	1 4 6	4 4 1
„ 20.—Afternoon Service for Richmond Hospital.....				1 10 2
				£19 8 6

EXTRACTS FROM PARISH REGISTERS.

BAPTISMS.

Aug. 1.—Edith McNichol Hart.	Aug. 13.—Alfred John Reed.
„ 13.—Wallace Keen.	„ 13.—Albert Edward Smith.
„ 13.—Arthur Edward Watkins.	„ 13.—Maud Elizabeth Tolfree.
„ 13.—Worthey George Johnson.	„ 13.—William John Redwood.
„ 13.—George Harman.	„ 20.—Raymond Aldridge.

BURIALS.

- Aug. 3.—Charles Parker, aged 8 months.
 „ 14.—Amy Ellen Bennett, aged 4 months.
 „ 16.—Frank Strudwick, aged 4 months.

MARRIAGES.

- Aug. 10.—John Garnett and Sarah Matilda Rosewell.
 „ 17.—William Alfred Bridger and Eliza Crews.

HYMNS FOR SEPTEMBER.

- Sept. 3.—210, 320 | 574, 334 | 278, 197, 259.
 „ 10.—214, 270, 603 | 569, 328 | 542, 269, 215.
 „ 17.—532, 317 | 332, 573 | 604, 534, 235.
 „ 24.—218, 281, 274 | 281, 564 | 520, 282, 234.
 „ 29.—Harvest Festival, Evensong.—382, Anthem, 384, 385, 381.

THE VICARAGE,

September 1st.

MY DEAR FRIENDS,

The month of August is usually a quiet one, so far as Church matters are concerned, and there is not much of special interest for me to record with reference to the events of the last few weeks.

The day after the Annual Festival, Mrs FitzWygram took the members of her Bible Classes, with their wives and a few friends, up the river to Windsor in a steam launch. The party numbered 77, and luncheon and tea were provided on board. The weather was favourable and a most enjoyable day was spent. Hearty thanks were given to Mrs. FitzWygram for her great

kindness in providing the generous Treat, and for the interest she takes in the members of her classes all the year round. I am sure the members will feel that the least they can do is to show their appreciation for such kindness by their constant attendance.

On Sunday, the 20th, ult., the Amalgamated Friendly Societies of Hampton and the district had their Annual Church Parade, and on this occasion came to our Church. I do not know how many members there are, but I scarcely think the numbers present showed anything like the strength of the Societies. It would have been a source of pleasure to all those interested in the Societies to have seen the Church full, and it would have shown that the members were really interested in the object of their gathering. It is a great mutual benefit to men to unite together in such societies, but it seems to me that their unity should never be shown in greater force than when the object is the benefit of others besides themselves. I need scarcely say that they may always count upon a hearty welcome at St. James' Church.

The Committee appointed to make all the final arrangements respecting the Clock and Bells have completed their work, and an agreement has been entered upon with Messrs. Smith & Son to supply and fix a clock with four dials in the tower, and also four ordinary bells for chiming, the whole to be completed in November, and the cost to be £375. A further estimate for the cost of four more bells, with complete apparatus for ringing the whole eight, has been obtained and amounts to a further sum of £400. It is thought, however, that these should not be proceeded with at present, unless there were hope of very large assistance forthcoming. In addition to the £375 (the amount of the contract), there are a few small expenses, which will make the total cost slightly exceed the sum in hand, or promised.

The Harvest Festival is fixed to take place on Friday, the 29th of the month. Gifts of corn, fruit and flowers will be most thankfully received at the time. The preacher will be the Rev. R. Digby Ram, the Rural Dean.

A statement of the cost of the Treat on St. James' Day will be found below, from which it will be seen that there is a considerable balance after the payment of expenses. I propose that this should be retained as the nucleus of a Treats Fund for future occasions. In addition to the subscriptions there were many gifts of provisions, and I fear that in some cases the names of the donors did not reach me. I hope that any whose names are omitted will forgive the oversight.

On and after the first Sunday in September, the afternoon service will commence at 3.15. A contingent of the children will attend every Sunday and a short address will be given. I hope that many children who do not attend Sunday school will come, and although the service will be primarily for children, I hope adults who cannot attend in the evening will also come. There will be an offertory, which, I propose, shall go to form a Juvenile Home and Foreign Missionary Fund, to be apportioned at the end of the year. In October I hope to commence a week evening service at 7.30 or 8 o'clock, when the choir will be present and a sermon will be preached. I feel that there are many who cannot very well come to the daily services who may be able to attend one at a later hour. On Saints' Days there will in future be a short address, lasting not more than ten minutes, at the morning service.

The attendance at the Communicants' Meetings was very good last month. I hope, however, that a very much larger number will become members. I feel that these meetings ought to be a source of strength and help to us all, and a means whereby the communicants may be brought into closer union with each other.

We have vacancies in the Sunday school for two or three young men teachers. May I ask for volunteers for this very important work? I feel sure there are several who are well fitted for it, and I shall be very grateful for their help.

The Lads' Brigade will soon re-commence its weekly drills under the care of Sergeant Bremridge. There is a small balance of about £4 due to the late Captain, the Rev. R. de Ritchie, in connection with it. If there are any who have not already subscribed, and would be willing to do so, I shall be glad of any help from them towards clearing off this little debt.

I am, my dear friends,

Yours very truly,

CHARLES R. JOB.

THE SCHOOL TREAT—ST. JAMES' DAY.

BALANCE SHEET.

SUBSCRIPTIONS, &c.				s. d.		£ s. d.	
	£	s.	d.				
Mrs. Salmon		5	0	Mr. and Mrs. Tagg	2	0	
Mrs. Bowling		10	0	Mr. and Mrs. Hallt	1	0	13 0
Mrs. FitzWygram	2	2	0	Per Mr. Basey:—			
Mr. Moores		2	6	Mrs. Rudland	2	6	
Mrs. Garnons and Miss				Mrs. Gernat... ..	2	0	
Gwatkin		10	0	Mrs. Stockwell	1	0	
Mrs. Dowsett		2	6	Other sums	1	6	7 0
Mrs. Butler		5	0	Per Miss Eastland:—			
Mrs. Carr	2	2	0	Mr. Towell	5	0	
Mrs. Makepeace		5	0	Mr. Milne	5	0	
Mrs. Stevenson		2	6	Mr. Embleton	2	6	
Mrs. A. Bowling		5	0	Mrs. Watson	2	0	
Mrs. Crowder		2	6	Mrs. James	3	0	
Mrs. Hubbard		5	0	Mrs. Uzzell	3	0	
Mrs. Hodge		2	6	Other sums	13	9	1 14 3
Mrs. Pasbach		5	0	Offertories on S. James' Day	3	3	11
Mrs. Powell		5	0				£18 15 8
Mrs. Garrett		5	0				
Mr. H. P. B. Trevanion	2	0	0	PAID.			
Mrs. Dawkins		5	0	Mr. Dowsett for Brass Band	3	3	0
Rev. C. R. Job		10	0	Provisions	6	6	2
Mrs. Stutchbury		5	0	Prizes and New Flags	1	4	2
Per Miss Barnard:—				Policeman		5	0
Mrs. Underwood	2	6		Hire of Teapots, &c.		3	6
Mrs. White	2	0		Attendance, taking back			
Mrs. Griffiths	5	0		forms, &c.		11	0
Mr. Griffiths	5	0		Repairing Swings		3	6
Mr. Scriven	5	0		Printing Notices, &c.		6	9
Mrs. Cobb	5	0					12 3 1
Mrs. Tomlinson	4	6		Balance in hand		6	12 7
Miss Hunt	2	0					£18 15 8
Mrs. Reynolds	4	0					
A Friend	1	0					
Miss Barnard	2	6					
		1 18 6					
Per Mrs. Hodge		2	6				
Per Miss Butler:—							
Captain Crgan	10	0					

Contributions of provisions were also received from Mrs. FitzWygram, Mr. Moles, Mr. Howe, Mr. Daines, Mr. Matthews, Mr. Storey, Mr. Prewett, Mr. Deacon Howe, Mr. Singleton, Mrs. Dowsett, Mrs. Rudland.

CHURCH CALENDAR

FOR

SEPTEMBER, 1893.

1	F	Choir Practice at 8 p.m. every Friday.	
2	S		
3	S	14th after Trinity. Celebrations, 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. Mothers' Meeting at Larkfield every Monday. Teachers' Meeting at 6 every Tuesday. Mothers' Meetings at the Mission Rooms every Thursday.	
4	M		
5	Tu		
6	W		
7	Th		
8	F		
9	S		
10	S		15th after Trinity. Celebration, 8 a.m.
11	M		
12	Tu		
13	W		
14	Th		
15	F		
16	S		
17	S	16th after Trinity. Celebrations, 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. <i>St. Matthew's Day.</i> Celebration, 10 a.m. and short address.	
18	M		
19	Tu		
20	W		
21	Th		
22	F		
23	S		
24	S		17th after Trinity. Celebration, 8 a.m. Communicants' Class, Vicarage, 8 p.m., for males. " " " " 8 p.m., for females. <i>St. Michael and All Angels.</i> Celebration, 10 a.m. and short address. 10.30 a.m., District Visitors. 8 p.m., Harvest Festival. Preacher—Rev. R. DIGBY RAM, M.A.
25	M		
26	Tu		
27	W		
28	Th		
29	F		
30	S		
<p><i>The Vicar is usually at home from 9 to 10 in the morning, and from 6 to 7 in the evening, or he may be seen in the Vestry after any of the daily services.</i></p>			

WEEK-DAY SERVICES.

Monday Tuesday and Thursday.	...	...	...	...	5.30 p.m.
Wednesday, Friday and Saturday.	...	...	..	...	10 a.m.