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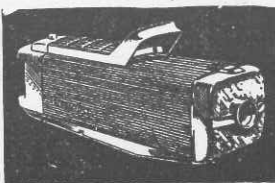
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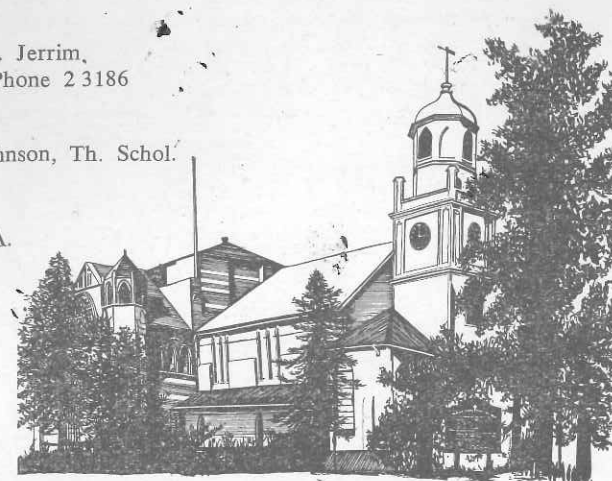
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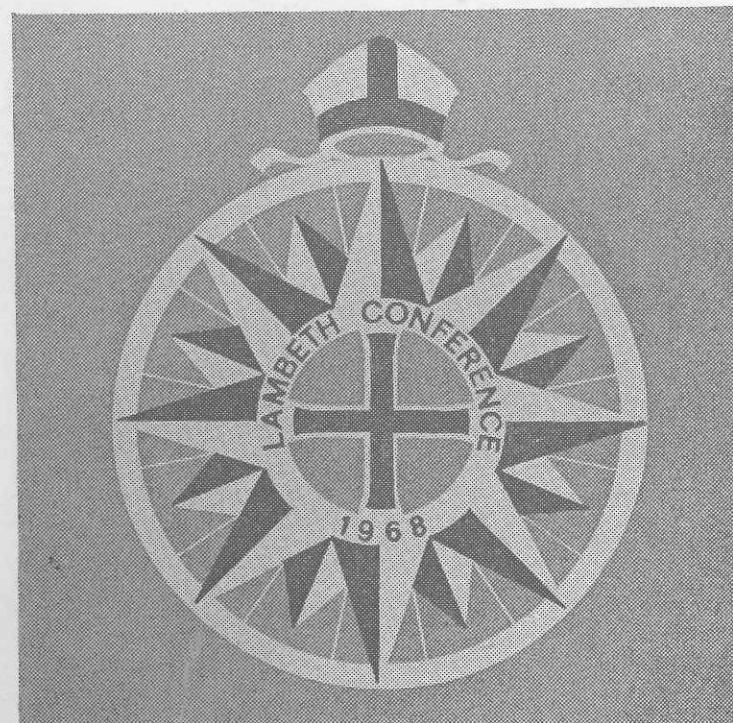
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F.R.C.O. (Ch.M.),
A.R.C.M.
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Come and hear the Bishop . . .
see the slides of Lambeth



8 p.m. Monday, 2nd. June,
St. John's Hall

THE RECTOR'S LETTER

My Dear Friends,

I hope that most of you have the opportunity of reading this letter before Monday, 2nd June, for on that night we are to have the great privilege and pleasure of having with us the Bishop of the Diocese. It is just a year ago, in this same letter, that I told you about the Bishop's visit to England for the Lambeth Conference. There has not been very much opportunity for the Bishop to tell us much about Lambeth and England, since his return, especially here in the North.

Next Monday evening, 2nd June, in our Kindergarten Hall, the Bishop is going to show us his slides and tell us about his trip to England and Lambeth. I understand that his slides are very good. Do not miss this opportunity and tell others about it; all will be welcome. Maybe I should remind you that the Lambeth Conference is a meeting of the Bishops of the Anglican Communion, held every ten years and a most important gathering so far as our church is concerned.

We were all shocked to hear of the sudden death of Mr. Vic Good in Edinburgh, Scotland on 7th May. Mr. & Mrs. Good were on a world trip, but in Edinburgh Mr. Good took ill and was admitted to hospital for an operation. He was recovering satisfactorily when he had a coronary attack and passed away within a few minutes. The Cremation Service was held in Edinburgh on 10th May. On receipt of the news I sent a cable of sympathy to Mrs. Good on behalf of the Vestry and Parish, assuring her of our prayers at this time.

Mr. Good was a member of the Vestry and a former Treasurer of the Parish. Ever since Mr. and Mrs. Good moved to Launceston from Victoria, some years ago, they have been associated with St. John's. Mrs. Good is continuing with the journey and is now on her way back to Australia. She expects to arrive back towards the end of June. I know that friends of Mrs. Good, here in the Parish, will be glad to have this information about Mrs. Good's movements. We will remember her in our prayers as she comes home.

To all who are sick or anxious about loved ones who are sick, at this time, we send our greeting and the assurance of our Prayers for a speedy recovery.

May God bless you all,
Yours very sincerely,
HENRY A. JERRIM.

CALENDAR FOR JUNE

- June—
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| 1 | Trinity Sunday. 8 a.m. Holy Communion. 9.45 a.m. Sunday School. 11 a.m. Holy Communion (Creche in Kindergarten Hall). 7 p.m. Evensong. | 22 | 3rd Sunday after Trinity. 8 a.m. Holy Communion. 9.45 a.m. Sunday School. 11 a.m. Matins. 7 p.m. Evensong. |
| 2 | Monday, 8 p.m. "Lambeth" The Bishop. | 24 | Tuesday, St. John the Baptist's Day. 7.30 a.m. Holy Communion. 9.30 a.m. Jumble sale. |
| 3 | Tuesday, 8 p.m. G.F.S. at Mrs. Jessup's home. | 25 | Wednesday, 10.30 a.m. Holy Communion. |
| 4 | Wednesday, 10.30 a.m. Holy Communion. 2.45 p.m. M.M.A. | 26 | Thursday, 2.15 p.m. Mothers' Union. 8 p.m. Choir practice. |
| 5 | Thursday 8 p.m. Choir Practice. | 27 | Friday, 4.20 p.m. Confirmation Class. 5 p.m. Boys' Choir practice. |
| 6 | Friday 4.20 p.m. Confirmation Class. 5 p.m. Boys' choir practice. | 28 | Saturday, Sunday School "Hong Kong Fair" in Parish Hall 10 a.m. — 12 noon. |
| 8 | 1st Sunday after Trinity 8 a.m. Holy Communion 9.45 a.m. Sunday School. 11 a.m. Matins. 7 p.m. Evensong. | 29 | St. Peter's Day. 8 a.m. Holy Communion. 9.45 a.m. Sunday School. 11 a.m. Matins. 7 p.m. Parish Communion. "20 and Over Club" will meet after church. |
| 9 | Monday 2.45 p.m. Hospital Auxiliary in Kindergarten Hall. | | |
| 10 | Tuesday 6 p.m. Mens' Fellowship and Tea. | | |
| 11 | Wednesday 10.30 a.m. Holy Communion. 7.30 p.m. Vestry. | | |
| 12 | Thursday 7.45 p.m. Womens' Guild. 8 p.m. Choir practice. | | |
| 13 | Friday, 4.20 p.m. Confirmation class. 5 p.m. Boys' Choir Practice. | | |
| 15 | 2nd Sunday after Trinity 8 a.m. Holy Communion. 9.45 a.m. Family Service. 11 a.m. Holy Communion. 7 p.m. Evensong. | | |
| 17 | Tuesday 8 p.m. Evening Mothers' Union. | | |
| 18 | Wednesday 10.30 Holy Communion. | | |
| 19 | Thursday 10 a.m. Morning Coffee in Parish Hall. Evening Mothers' Union Funds. 8 p.m. Choir practice. | | |
| 20 | Friday, 4.20 p.m. Confirmation Class. 5 p.m. Boys' Choir practice. | | |

BUSH CHURCH AID SOCIETY

B.C.A. boxes may be handed in for the half-yearly opening. Could box holders make a special effort in passing in their box so as a cheque may be sent to the Society's office in Melbourne to help them in their valuable work. 85 Balfour St. Celia Pennicott Box Secretary. 2 2056

ST. JOHN'S AUXILIARY TO ST. LUKES HOSPITAL

The next meeting of the Auxiliary will be held in the Parish Hall on Monday, June 9th, commencing at 2.45 p.m.

Afternoon tea hostesses — Mrs. Scott and Miss Andrews. The president welcomed to our last meeting Mrs. K. Brown of St. Helens who was a past President for nine years. Mrs. A. H. Shepherd was also welcomed as a new member. On behalf of the members, Mrs. Holyman made a small presentation to our Treasurer, Mr. Jones, on the occasion of his birthday. A letter was received from the board of Management of St. Lukes thanking members for a donation of \$160.00 towards the building fund.

ST. JOHN'S WOMENS' GUILD

The next meeting of the guild will be held at the home of Mrs. C. Targett, Bellvue Aven., on Thursday June 12th, commencing at 8 p.m. Supper hostesses — Mesdames Targett and Olding. Our guest speaker will be Mrs. Le Fevre.

Our sincere thanks to those folk who kindly donated goods and assisted on the stall on election day, the sum of \$23.00 was raised.

The following officers were re-elected at our Annual meeting — Patroness: Mrs. H. A. Jerrim, President: Mrs. T. P. White, Secretary: Mrs. H. Palliser, Treasurer: Miss B. Stevens, Committee: Mesdames Easter, Morrah and Miss Scott.

Mrs. Cornish and Mrs. Swinerton were welcomed as new members.

EVENING MOTHERS' UNION

The next meeting of the Evening Mothers' Union will be held on Tuesday, 17th June commencing with a service in the Chapel at 8 p.m., and afterwards at the rectory. Revd. or Mrs. Cloudsdale will be our guest speaker.

A trading table will be held again this month and members are asked to bring something so that the cost of the Honiara banner can be met.

Mesdames Jerrim and LeFevre will conduct a Creche on June 1st at 11 a.m., all parents are invited to make use of this service.

Supper hostesses will be Mesdames Roberts, Cranswick and Boon.

There will be a morning tea and stall in the Kindergarten Hall on Thursday 19th at 10 a.m. proceeds to go towards the Christopher Mansell Trust. All members are asked to bring something for the stall and invite their friends.

MEDICAL MISSIONARY AUXILIARY

Would members please note that Wednesday, 4th June, is our Annual Meeting and would ask that all members who are able, will make a special effort to attend. Owing to our dwindling membership we hope to have an open discussion as to the feasibility of M.M.A. functioning as a separate entity and the expression of fresh ideas and views will be very welcome.

G.F.S.

G.F.S. will meet on Tuesday, 3rd June, at 7.45 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Jessup, 16 Rocklyn Place. Guest speaker will be Miss Mary Padman.

JUMBLE SALE

The time is fast approaching for this sale to be held in the Parish Hall on 24th June at 9.30 a.m. We now would like to remind our many friends that we are anxious to receive as many goods as possible such as furniture, silverware, brassware, glassware, china, linen, electrical goods, etc. that you have no longer any use for and can spare for us. Proceeds of this sale will go to the Women's Guild funds.

I would like to thank those folk who have already sent goods along and hope that many more will let us have their contributions by about 17th June. If you cannot deliver the articles to us, please contact one of the people listed below and have them collected. Please act now! Relying on your help.

Mrs. T. White, 16 Wyett Street. 2 4130
Mrs. H. Jerrim, St. John's Rectory. 2 3186
Mrs. J. Sheldrick, 1A Clementina St. 31 1596
J. Sheldrick,
Convenor.

DONATIONS TO PARISH MESSENGER

Donations to the Parish Messenger help us to defray the cost of printing, postage and distribution together with the Church News. Donations may be given to the Clergy or Church Wardens.

The following donations have been received: Mrs. F. Cowell \$2, E. K. \$1, Anon. \$4, Miss F. Gerhardt \$2, Miss D. Lockwood \$1, Miss J. Ray \$2, Mr. and Mrs. Swinerton \$2.

Thank you.

MOTHERS' UNION

The next meeting of Mothers' Union will be held on Thursday, 26th June, commencing with a service in the Chapel at 2.15 p.m.

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NEWS OF THE REVD. A. CHIPMAN

The following news item is from the Bishop of Mt. Kenya's Newsletter at Easter time.

A SECOND YOUTH ORGANISER

Youth work in the Diocese is increasing so happily and tremendously, that our one Youth Organiser finds it too difficult to cope with all the work that is necessary. Some time ago an approach was made to the Church Missionary Society to ask if they would be able to send a new missionary to help with this work, and to join together with the Rev. Eshban Githinji and become a team for this work. Let us praise and thank God, because this year the Rev. Alfred Chipman has come to us from the C.M.S. in Australia. First he is at Language School studying Kikuyu until mid-May, then, based at Kabare he will move from Parish to Parish throughout the Diocese. With two men the Youth Work should stride ahead to the Glory of God. May we please support them both with our prayers and also pray for the thousands of young men and women all over the Diocese.

BAPTISMS

Fiona Rosalie Murray, Katrina Jean Mills, Donna Maree Hammersley, Ann Shannon Westbrook, Ruby Henrietta Arnold, Lila Irene Arnold, Helen Dorothy Stone, Lisa Jayne Reid, Sean Leslie Stoward, Andrew Robert Cox, Kamala Lee Bonney, Mark Ronald Richards.

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Kevin Maxwell Riley and Marylyn Freda Lockwood, Noel William Sowter and Tiitu Raabus, Allan Trevor Bingley and Susan Boardman, Robert Kennedy McKerrow and Ann Shannon Westbrook, Graeme Stanley Bell and Janet Dowden, Denis Michael Pedder and Anne Shirley Beech, Daryl Victor Clayton and Leona Ruth MacLaine, Albert Norton and Winifred Edith Woodworth, Gregory Ross Denman and Christine Lorraine Bernadette Elwell, Peter John Rowbottom and Veronica Joan Powell.