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Mr. J. H. Clarke, Mr. Harrison, Mr. A. T. Goodall.

Organist—Mr. H. P. Loasby.

Deputy Organist—Miss F. Lloyd.

Verger—Mr. J. Craner

Sunday Services for September.

- 7th.— 8.0 a.m. Holy Communion.
11.0 a.m. Matins.
11.30 a.m. Holy Communion.
Sunday School re-opens at 10.30 a.m. and
3.0 p.m.
- 14th.— 8.0 a.m. Holy Communion.
11.0 a.m. Matins and Sermon.
3.0 p.m. Children's Service.
3.45 p.m. Holy Baptism.
- 21st.— 10.0 a.m. Holy Communion (Choral).
11.0 a.m. Matins.
- 28th.— 8.0 a.m. Holy Communion.
11.0 a.m. Matins and Sermon.
Evening Service every Sunday 6.30 p.m.

Notices for the Month.

MONDAY.—Men's Club.

THURSDAY.—8 p.m., Choir Practice, Parish Room.

SUNDAY.—The Library, 3.45 p.m., Mr. Suffolk.
(First and third Sundays.)

The Church is open daily for private prayer.

Sunday School.

Teachers' Corporate Communion, 7th, 8.0 a.m.

A meeting of teachers was held on the 13th. It was decided to re-open School on Sunday mornings at 10.30. Children should be in School at 10.25, and all who come are expected to attend the 11.0 a.m. Church Service. We hope parents will support us in this effort to teach the children the duty and happiness of public worship.

The Kindergarten will have a special service of their own in Church once a month. Parents are cordially invited.

Coventry and Warwickshire Hospital,
Coventry.

July 28th, 1919.

The Vicar,
Keresley Vicarage,
Nr. Coventry.

The Matron begs to acknowledge with many thanks receipt of the splendid gifts of flowers, vegetables and groceries from the teachers and scholars of Keresley Sunday Schools, and she would like them to know how much their kindness is appreciated.

War Services.

War Office, August-16.

The names of the following are mentioned for valuable nursing services rendered in connection with the war:—

Miss J. S. Ratliff, V.A.D., Miss H. Rotherham, V.A.D. (Aux. Hospital, Hill Crest, Coventry).

We offer our heartiest congratulations.

Communicants' Guild.

The Annual General Meeting will be held on Friday, the 19th. All members are requested to attend. Several matters of importance are down for discussion.

Guild Service, Wednesday, 17th, at 8.0 p.m. Those who wish to be admitted to the Guild should send their names to Miss Martin.

Parochial Returns.

We gratefully acknowledge the following subscriptions: Mr. H. Rotherham, £5; Miss Rotherham, £2 10s.; Mrs. Hillman, £2; Mr. W. H. Tabberer, £4; Captain Miller, £5; making total subscriptions to date £46 12s.

Warwickshire Bishopric Fund.

The Report, publication of which has been delayed by war-time difficulties, will be ready for issue in October.

As the cost of publication will be considerable, it is undesirable to print more copies than will be required. Any Subscriber wishing for a copy is therefore requested to make application to Mr. G. W. Bull, 9, Foregate Street, Worcester, not later than September 16th.

Guild Tennis Club.

The increase in keenness and attendance of members moves the committee to embark on a forward policy for next season. The plans include re-laying part of the present ground, thereby providing another court; repairing stop netting; and building a small shelter. This will involve an expenditure far beyond our small income, and the club propose giving an At Home early in November to raise funds. A very attractive programme will be announced later.

The committee and members much appreciate gifts of racquets and balls from Mr. W. Browett and Mrs. Turrall.

C. CLARKE, Hon. Sec.

The Keresley and Coundon Women's Institute.

The monthly meeting was held in the Parish Room on July 24th, and was well attended. Mrs. Kirby gave a most interesting address on Cooking and Communal Kitchens, describing the dinners cooked at Coventry and the cost. Miss Griffiths, the supervisor of the Coventry Communal Kitchen, said that on Peace Day five hundred dinners were cooked there. After some discussion Mrs. Kirby asked if it was the opinion of those present that a Communal Kitchen would be useful in Keresley, and on a show of hands twelve voted that it would; especially for the children who come a long distance to school. It is proposed to discuss this question again later on. A vote of thanks was given to Mrs. Kirby and Miss Griffiths for their most interesting addresses.

C. J. HANDS, *Hon. Sec.*

The S.S.C.O.

July 28 was the day of the Sunday School Teachers' Outing. The Sunday School Teachers had looked forward to that day all through the war. They, like the clubs, societies, associations, etc., who suspended their annual outing during the war, felt that this year they could give vent to their feelings and go on the "spree" for a day. July 28 was chosen, and a motor char-a-banc was ordered to be at the School at 10 o'clock to convey them to Stratford.

We met at the School at 10 o'clock, but at 10.30 we were still there. We telephoned to know the reason why, and were informed that a (k)nut had got lost and had to be replaced. I should think they referred to the young gentleman who was to have ridden at the back, for he was not there when the char-a-banc eventually arrived. We got on our way as far as Warwick, where we stopped to pick up the Vicar. While there we went round that beautiful church—St. Mary's. Amongst many other very interesting things we learned that the word "Impe" in the olden days was used as a term of endearment. From that fact some of us got fresh courage. The remainder of the journey to Stratford was joyfully accomplished. I think lunch was one of the first things thought about. Several members of our party paid a visit to Shakespeare's House, and during the afternoon we went on the river—some in motor launch and others in rowing boats. Mr. Loasby had one rowing boat and took four or five of the teachers under his wing—oh, I beg his pardon! I meant under his care—and the Vicar had charge of another boat and four other teachers. Some of the teachers tried their hand at rowing, which was very exciting—a close observer might have noticed the hats of the other occupants of the boat slowly rising, and I am sure there was a silent sigh of relief when they were eventually safely landed. I know how it felt because I happened to be one in that boat. We had a snapshot or two taken while we were in the Recreation Grounds, but I have not heard how they came out—perhaps it was fatal to the camera. After tea various purchases were made—just as reminders of our visit—and we started home about 7.30, refreshed with chocolates, cakes and biscuits on the way. We arrived home just before 9 o'clock, and we were all quite sober although in the best of spirits. (This is a secret—but if we behave ourselves we hope to have another outing next year, although I hardly expect it will be happier than this last one.)

"A YOUNG 'UN."

BALANCE SHEET, SUNDAY SCHOOL OUTINGS.

RECEIPTS.

	£	s.	d.
Balance from 1918	5	8	8
S.S. Library Fund and P.O. Interest ...	2	9	6
Per Parochial Returns	18	7	0
„ Parents' Envelopes	4	3	7
„ Collectors	3	0	9
„ Teachers' Subscriptions	1	15	6
„ Visitors—Drive and Tea	5	6	6
„ Cakes Sold		19	3
„ Cake Boxes return		5	0
„ Mrs. Lowe and Miss F. Bricknell (Fares to Stratford)	1	1	0
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	£42	16	9

EXPENSES.

	£	s.	d.
Printing Envelopes		11	6
Butter		9	0
Milk		10	0
Hot Water, etc., Stoneleigh		7	6
Mrs. Watson (washing cloths, cleaning urns, etc.)		5	0
Broken Crockery		7	0
Carriage		2	0
Postage			4½
Cakes	6	4	8½
Tips to Drivers	1	0	6
Five Brakes	15	0	0
Motor to Stratford	10	10	0
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	£35	7	7
Balance to S.S. Working Expenses	7	9	2
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	£42	16	9

DONATIONS TO PARTY.

Per Envelopes.

Mr. and Mrs. Courts, 6s.; Mr. and Mrs. Worrall, 1s. 3d.; Mr. and Mrs. Bryant, 2s.; Mr. and Mrs. Eden, 1s.; Mrs. E. Gibson, 1s. 6d.; Mr. and Mrs. Shermer, 6d.; Mr. and Mrs. Walton (Coundon), 1s. 6d.; Mr. and Mrs. Parr, 1s.; Mr. and Mrs. Storey, 1s.; Mr. and Mrs. Smith, 2s.; Mr. and Mrs. Moore, 1s.; Mr. and Mrs. Suffolk, 4s.; Mr. and Mrs. Walton (Keresley), 2s. 6d.; Mr. and Mrs. Whittington, 1s.; Mr. and Mrs. Evans, 2s.; Mr. and Mrs. King, 1s. 6d.; Mr. and Mrs. Goodall, 3s.; Mr. and Mrs. Host, 2s.; Mr. and Mrs. Payne, 3s.; Mr. and Mrs. Williamson, 1s.; Mr. and Mrs. Enser, 2s.; Mr. and Mrs. Leatherland, 1s.; Mr. and Mrs. Smith, 2s. 6d.; Mr. and Mrs. Townsend, 1s. 9d.; Mr. and Mrs. Hudson, 6d.; Mr. and Mrs. Osborne, 2s. 9d.; Mr. and Mrs. Goode, 2s.; Mrs. Osborne, 2s. 6d.; Mrs. Mitchell, 1s. 6d.; Mr. and Mrs. Morris, 2s.; Mr. and Mrs. Statham, 2s.; Mrs. Harrow, 9d.; Mr. and Mrs. Willson, 1s. 6d.; Mr. and Mrs. Horobin, 1s.; Mrs. Bricknell, 3s.; Mr. and Mrs. Grainger, 6d.; Mr. and Mrs. Harris, 6d.; Mr. and Mrs. Harrison, 4s. 9d.; Mr. and Mrs. Craner, 1s.; Mr. and Mrs. Green, 2s. 7d.; Mr. and Mrs. Lenton, 3d.; Mrs. Clarke, 1s. 6d.; Mr. and Mrs. Clarke, 2s. 6d.; Mr. and Mrs. Bosworth, 4s. 6d.;—83s. 7d.

Collected by Miss Hands.

Mrs. Lowe, 4s.; Mrs. C. Gibson, 2s. 6d.; Miss Pickering, 2s.; Mrs. Hands, 1s.; Mrs. Worrall, 1s.; Mrs. Faulkes, 2s.;—12s. 6d.

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By Miss Martin.

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Collected per Miss B. Enser.

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Per the Vicar.

Mr. A. Probert, 2s. 6d.

Teachers Subscriptions.

Miss James, 10s.; Miss O. Harrison, 2s. 6d.; Miss Herbert, 2s. 6d.; Miss Willson, 3s.; Miss Grace, 2s. 6d.; Miss Clarke, 5s.; Miss V. Clarke, 5s.; Miss Sleath, 4s.

Provisions.

Miss Hands (tea), Miss Dalton (bread and sugar), Miss Martin (1lb. butter), Miss M. Martin (1lb. butter), Mrs. Lowe (cakes).

The account of the Ex-Service Banquet and Report of the District Nursing Association are unavoidably held over until next month.

Holy Baptisms.

"One Lord, One Faith, One Baptism."

Oct. 20.—James Arthur Robinson.
Dec. 15.—Fred Skelcher.
Dec. 29.—David Wright.
Mar. 9.—John Edward Weaver.
Mar. 9.—Arthur Leslie Kimberley.
Mar. 9.—Myra Maud Troth.
Mar. 9.—Mabel Beatrice Whittington.
Aug. 17.—Alan Neville Douse.
Aug. 17.—Vera May Clarke.

Burials.

"I am the Resurrection and the Life."

Nov. 9.—Thomas Joseph Green, aged 19 years.
Dec. 4.—Ada Hudson, aged 25 years.
Jan. 20.—Eliza Baker, aged 88 years.
Feb. 22.—John Stanley Gurden, aged 2 years.
Feb. 24.—Mary Moses, aged 80 years.
Feb. 26.—Jane Turner, aged 73 years.
Mar. 13.—Walter Laurence Goode, aged 2 years.
Mar. 27.—Kate Osborne, aged 25 years.

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