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Sunday Services for September.

3rd. *Twelfth Sunday after Trinity.*

8-0 Holy Communion
11-0 Matins. Ps. : 65. : 66.
11-30 Holy Communion.
6-30 Evensong. Ps. : 63 (omit vv. 21-23).

10th. *Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity.*

8-0 Holy Communion.
11-0 Matins and Sermon. Ps. : 71.
3-0 Children's Service.
3-45 Holy Baptism.
6-30 Evensong. Ps. : 67 ; 72.

17th. *Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity.*

8-0 Holy Communion (the Hut).
10-30 Matins. Ps. : 75 ; 76.
11-0 Holy Communion (Choral)
6-30 Evensong. Ps. : 73 ; 77.

24th. *Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity.*

8-0 Holy Communion.
11-0 Matins and Sermon. Ps. : 84 ; 85.
6-30 Evensong. Ps. : 89.

Holy Days

21st. *S. Matthew.*

8-0 Holy Communion.

29th. *S. Michael and All Angels.*

8-0 Holy Communion.

20th, 22nd, 23rd. *Ember Days.*

Sidesmen

The following are on duty this month :—

Sept. 3.—Mr. A. Enser ; Mr. W. Enser.
" 10.—Mr. R. Cooper ; Mr. J. H. Clarke.
" 17.—Mr. R. Green ; Mr. Goodall.
" 24.—Mr. A. Enser, Mr. W. Enser.

The Communicants' Guild.

Attention is called to the fact that to suit the convenience of members the day for the Preparation Service has been changed to the Wednesday before the 2nd Sunday. The attendance last month was poor. The next Preparation Service will be held on Wednesday, 13th, at 8-15 p.m.

Sunday Schools.

Our Festival was held on July 9th. The Rev. Kenworthy Browne of Radford officiated at Matins, and he addressed the children at their service in the afternoon. Dr. Frankland, of Bablake, preached at evensong. Collections during the day amounted to £5 4s. 8d.

The Children's Treat was held on Saturday, July 29th. Fortunately the day proved fine, and we spent a most enjoyable time at "Queenswood," by kind permission of Mr. and Mrs. Tabberer. We procured the use of waggons to take the children there as it was rather far for the little ones to walk, and we started from the Schools about 2-30 with the C.L.B. Band leading. Mr. and Mrs. Tabberer were waiting to receive us, and the children soon availed themselves of their freedom to scatter over the

grounds, to explore the wood, and to test the ability of a fine swing they found there. The Sweet Stall and Ice Cream receiving full attention in due course. Then came tea on the lawn, quite a large party, about two hundred all told. Bread and butter, cakes and tea, quickly disappeared, the children thoroughly enjoying themselves. The teachers were photographed at tea and a group of the children in the field. As the children went from tea they helped themselves to gooseberries from a fine basketful Mrs. Tabberer kindly picked for them. Afterwards the races were carried off with gusto, each competitor determined to win. The mothers' race always being quite an important item. We finished with a boys' slow bicycle race on the drive. Then, with much regret, we found it was going home time, and the Vicar called for three cheers for Mr. and Mrs. Tabberer, and three extra ones for the teachers who had worked so hard to give the children the happy day. "God Save the King" was sung and then our party was over, each wishing they did not have to wait so long before the day dawned for another. Details of subscriptions and expenses shown by Balance Sheet below :—

	RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.
Parochial Finance	...	10	0	0
Mr. Tabberer	...	1	0	0
Mrs. Miller	...	10	0	
Mr. Sarney	...	5	0	
Miss Stringer	...	2	0	
Cakes sold	...	12	2	
Ice Cream Profit	...	10	0	
Sweets Profit	...	4	0	
		£13	3	2

	EXPENSES.	£	s.	d.
Tickets	...	2	3	
Paper Streamers	...	3	10	
Prizes	...	3	17	6
C.L.B. Band	...	1	1	0
Mrs. Watson	...	5	0	
Drivers	...	2	0	
Milk	...	3	0	
Cartage	...	1	0	
Confectionery	...	3	12	0
Crockery Hire	...	12	11	
Butter	...	12	5½	
Tea	...	2	8	
Sugar	...	3	4	
		10	18	11½
Balance	...	2	4	2½
		£13	3	2

Kind friends gave us bread and 1lb. of tea, and the waggons were lent to us by Mr. Sleath (Coundon), Mr. Sleath (Whitmore Park), Mr. Falconbridge and Mr. Docker.

Our earnest thanks are extended to all who helped so generously.

We held our Flower Service on Sunday, July 30th, the proceeds for the Coventry and Warwickshire Hospital. Our gifts included lovely flowers, a good supply of vegetables, groceries, fruit and 7 dozen

eggs, which were taken immediately after the service to the Hospital by Mr. D. Osborne. The Collection amounted to 19/4, which the Churchwardens will forward to the Hospital Secretary in due course. Copy of letter of thanks is given below.

CONSTANCE CLARKE,

Hon. Sec. & Treas

Coventry and Warwickshire Hospital,

July 31st, 1922.

Dear Madam,

I shall be glad if you will kindly thank all the Teachers and Scholars very heartily for the splendid gift of groceries, fruit and eggs. These are extremely welcome as they all help to keep down our expenses, and we very much appreciate the thoughtfulness of all.

Yours faithfully,

E. GODDING,

Assistant Matron.

Women's Institute.

The Summer Meeting took place on Thursday July 27th, when Mrs. Miller entertained over 100 members to tea at Coundon Court, and a very pleasant time was spent. After tea Mrs. Miller gave a report of the Fête which resulted in £250 0s. 4d. being added to the Building Fund. This amount made it possible to repay all the loans except Mrs. Miller's £30. None of the ladies who lent £30 charged any interest, and several others who lent smaller sums declined to take any. Mrs. Miller handed the Deed of Gift of the Site of the Institute to the Hon. Sec.

A hearty vote of thanks was given to Capt. and Mrs. Miller for their kindness and generosity.

Messrs. Welldon send copies of their Fashion Publications monthly, and the London Daily Telegraph also is sent daily. These are distributed

among members as widely as possible, anyone wishing to see them can do so if they ask a member of the Committee, or in the case of the Daily Telegraph send to the Hon. Sec.

The Canteen Committee and other members managed the tea tent at the Allesley and Coundon Flower Show. Mrs. Plevins, Mrs. Sleath, Mrs. Green, Mrs. Douse and Miss Hosier looked after the Stall at the County Show at Nuneaton, and a letter of thanks has been received from the County Federation.

The next monthly meeting will be held on Thursday, Sept. 21st, in the Institute. Time and subject of address will be posted up in various places in the parish. It is hoped that the attendance at these monthly meetings will improve in the future. The W.I. stands for co-operation and federation, and it is impossible to co-operate and keep together if all do not interest themselves in the movement and try and attend meetings whenever possible. The suggestion box is not used by members as much as it might be.

Banking accounts have been opened for the babies of Mrs. Bryant, Mrs. Nutt and Mrs. Freeman.

Unfortunately several of the subscribers to these have ceased to pay their pennies. C. J. HANDS.

Holy Baptism.

One Lord, One Faith, One Baptism.

Aug. 13.—Iris Mary, daughter of John and Annie Walmsley, Lower Green.

„ 13.—Margaret Clare, daughter of Thomas Hattam and Clare Perry, Keresley Vicarage.

Burial.

“Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord.”

Aug. 16.—Thomas Willer, aged 64 years.