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## BADSEY MAGAZINE.

During the past month we have been celebrating some of the chief Festivals of the Church. It is a very great pity that we have not yet realised in England the duty of keeping Ascension Day. The attendance in our Church, as well as in very many Parishes in the land, was very scanty, and we can only hope that as time goes by Church people will arise to the sense of their duty in the better observance of this Holy Day. We were very glad that a merry peal was rung on our bells at 4.30 a.m., to usher in Ascension Day, and we thank the ringers for their willingness to respond to the invitation to call attention at all events in the Parish to this great Festival. The Holy Communion was celebrated at 5 a.m., when there were some Communicants, but not as many as we desired to see. Morning Prayer was said at 10 a.m. There was a Children's Service at 4.15 p.m., and Evensong and Sermon at 7.30 p.m. On Whitsunday there were celebrations of the Holy Communion at 7 a.m. and 8 a.m. (choral), at Badsey, and at 11 a.m. (choral), at Wickhamford. The other services were as is usual on the third Sunday of the month. Both the Churches were very nicely decorated. At Badsey Mrs. Sladden, assisted by Miss Sladden, Miss McDonald and Mr. J. D. Sladden, was kindly responsible for the decorations, and some beautiful flowers and plants were sent by Mr. Joseph Marshall, Mrs. Wood, Mr. Henry Keen and Mrs. John Keyte. At Wickhamford Mrs. and Miss Pethard, Mrs. Walters and Mrs. Hartwell decorated the Church.

## WICKHAMFORD.

There is not much more to record at present about the progress of the proposed restoration of the Church. Sir Arthur Blomfield had promised to come to Wickhamford on May 22nd, to inspect the Church and give his report, but unfortunately he was detained at the last moment by business in London. We are hoping he will be able to pay a visit very shortly. The following sums have been paid into the Bank in aid of the restoration fund:—The Misses Greswell, Oxford (per Miss Price), £2; A. H. Savory, Esq., £2 2s.; Magic Lantern Entertainment, November, 1898, 19s. 7d.; (per Mrs. Gilpin), 10s.; Proceeds of Theatrical Entertainment, (per Mrs. Savory), £14 4s. 6d.; George Hunt, Esq., Evesham, £5; Total £24 16s. 1d. A good many other

promises of subscriptions have been given. We shall be very thankful for any further subscriptions, however small, which will be received by the Vicar or at Lloyd's Bank, Evesham. We hope to have the Bazaar in aid of the Funds, in the Vicarage Garden, about the middle of July. It is proposed to have a meeting of Ladies, who are willing to help at the Bazaar, at the Vicarage on Monday, June 5th, at 5 p.m., to arrange details. We shall be very pleased to see at this meeting the Ladies, who are interested in the restoration of the Church. We hope that many of our readers will be kind enough to send us contributions of work for the sale.

Our readers will be glad to know that the deficit in the Wickhamford Church accounts at the Easter Vestry has now been paid off. The sum required was £1 2s. 4½d. and has been cleared off by the following donations:—Mr. Langston, 1s.; Mr. J. Agg, 1s.; Mrs. Phipps, 1s.; Mrs. Green, 1s.; Mr. Mr. L. White, 2s.; Mrs. C. Byrd, 2s.; Mrs. J. Mason, 1s.; the Vicar, 1s. 5½d. and by collections in Church, 11s. 11d. Mr. John Mason has also given 2s. for the churchwarden's expenses. June 24th (Nativity of St. John Baptist), is the Festival of the Patron Saint of Wickhamford. We hope to have special Services in the Church on the following day (Sunday, June 25th,) viz. Holy Communion at 8 a.m. and Festival Evening Service with sermon at 3 p.m.

We desire to call the attention of our readers to the fact that the annual Flower Show for Badsey, Aldington, and Wickhamford has been fixed to be held on Wednesday, August 2nd, in conjunction with the Festival of the Badsey Lodge of the Cirencester Working Men's Conservative Benefit Society. A strong and attractive programme has been drawn up, and we hope the show will be a success.

It is intended to continue the meetings of the Band of Hope during June, and meetings will be held in the Vicarage Garden on Tuesdays, June 6 and 20, at 6 p.m. We hope the parents will encourage their children to be regular at the meetings. The attendance on the whole has been very good in the past. Medals and cards have been given to all children who have kept the pledge for one entire year.



ENTRIES IN THE REGISTER.

BADSEY.—BAPTISMS.

May 21, Arthur Edward Barnard.  
 „ 21, William Edward Cleaveley.

BURIAL.

May 10, George Pitcher, aged 66 years.

WICKHAMFORD.—BAPTISM.

May 7, Eva Isabel Hiden.

MONIES COLLECTED IN THE CHURCHES.

	BADSEY.	WICKHAMFORD.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
May 7 Sick and Needy	0 11 6	
„ 14 Church Expenses	0 15 4	
„ 21 Sick and Needy	0 5 10½	
„ 21 Church Expenses		0 3 8
„ 28 Church Expenses	0 17 10½	0 5 7
Total	£2 10 7	£0 9 3

Calendar for June.

1	Th	Nicomede, P. and M., A.D. 90.
2	F	Fast.
3	S	
4	<b>A</b>	1st Sunday after Trinity (H.C. after Mattins.)
5	M	Boniface, Bp. of Mentz and Martyr, A.D. 755.
6	T	(Band of Hope at 6 p.m.)
7	W	
8	Th	
9	F	Fast.
10	S	
11	<b>A</b>	S. Barnabas, Ap. and Martyr. (H.C. 8 a.m.) 2nd Sunday after Trinity.
12	M	
13	T	
14	W	
15	Th	
16	F	
17	S	S. Alban, Martyr, A.D. 303.
18	<b>A</b>	3rd Sunday after Trinity. (H.C. at Badsey, at 8 a.m.; at Wickhamford 10.30 a.m. Mattins, followed by H.C., choral.)
19	M	
20	T	Queen's Accession 1837; Translation of Edward, King of Wessex.
21	W	
22	Th	
23	F	Fast. Vigil.
24	S	Nativity of S. John Baptist.
25	<b>A</b>	4th Sunday after Trinity.(H.C. at Wickhamford at 8 a.m.)
26	M	
27	T	(Band of Hope at 6 p.m.)
28	W	Vigil.
29	Th	S. Peter, Ap. and Martyr. (H.C. 8 a.m.)
30	F	Fast.

Daily Services at Badsey as usual.

N.B.—Wednesday, Evensong and Sermon at 7.30 p.m. Friday,  
 Evensong 7 p.m., Choir Practice, 7.30 p.m.