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- 14th Monday Mass y. 15. Address at Gresson 6.30 - English
English Came to play - S. Juliana & S. M. C. in Re
Mass y. 15. The new Font Came - Given in
Memory of Mr. Chignell of Cobille -
S. Superior & S. Alice in Rot
- 16th Wednesday Mass y. 15. S. Alice to town. S. Ad. in Rot & P.
17th Thursday Mass y. 15. Cleral. Miss Clephane to play
Sister Superior had to go to town - returned at 5.
"heath" commenced at 6 - Amy Boers Cam
Good Friday Services as usual - Chaplain Took the Three
Horn Devotion -
- 19th Saturday Miss Tatt Came in Mass - Day preparing
for Festival -
- 20th Sunday Easter Day Mass y. o. Cleral. Mass at Village Church
at 8.15 - Supr. & S. Superior into town
D.S.Q. for dinner - relieved at 3.
Tea out of doors - Gresson & Procession
at 6.15. No Service -
- 21st Easter Monday Mass y. 30 - Rev. Wilfred Parker brought
over 66 Natives & Colars to spend the
day here - at 11.30 Rev. Hugh Chignell
& 18 ladies came over for the Dedication
of the Font given in memory of Mr.
Chignell - They placed tile stock -
Several other friends came over for the
day - Natives at service in Chapel at
3.45 & left at 5. S. Alice & S. Superior
tile came over. Girls had a sale of
work (£14 realised) & Dance in evening -
- 22nd Easter Tuesday Mass y. 30 - Miss Clephane & Miss Tatt left -
The day S. Superior went to S. Cathbert's by the
evening train -
- Wednesday Mass y. Sister Adelaide and Miss Anderson
into town for the day, S. Juliana to
Dentist. S. Maribel came.

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- 24th Thurs. Mass 7. S. End to Zoo with girls and four children. S. Ethelwyn and Sybil Wad came for one night.
- 25th Friday Mass 7. Mr^o Bender went to town
- 26th Sat. Mass 7. Picnic in the afternoon. Dance in the evening.
- 27th Low Sun. 7.30. Mr. Wright and family came over from Parktown.
- 28th Mon. Mass 7. S. End spent most of the day with S. Mark. Mrs Robert-Shaw who was ill.
- 29th Tues. Mass 7. S. am, Miss Mills & Black dress girls to town shopping and to Zoo.
- 30th Wed. Mass 7. Mr^o Maer called. S. Maribel left for England. S. Alice came for the night.
- May 1st-thurs. Mass 7. S. Alice S. End and I am: S. Philip & S. James. To town by motor. S. End saw Dr Sanders. Mary went to Mr^o H. van der Byl's.
- 1st Fri. Mass 7. Solemn Evensong. Mr^o Bender to Johannesburg.
- 3rd Sat. Mass 7. 30. Picnic arranged but did not take place on account of rain. Games with girls in Laundry instead. Solemn Evensong & Procession.
- 4th Sunday Mass 7. Mr^o Gibson and Mr^o Cowley came. S. End and Miss Mills left for East London.
- Ded: Festival
- 5th Monday Mass 7. S. M. Cornelius and S. Claudia went to town. Miss Mr^o Ewan took Pearl with bad eye and Leonard with septic thumb into Hospital.
- 6th Tuesday Mass 7. S. Claudia went to Rosettenville. S. A S. John before to nursery to see Claude Stanley who Latin Gate was very poorly. Mr^o Bender returned.
- 7th Wednesday No Mass. Stanley better.
- 8th Thursday Mass 7. S. Emmeline in Retreat. Mr^o Zeiger came. Mr. Philip and Mr. Macintosh came to audit books. Mr^o Wylie came to stay

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8th Thursday

Miss Cozens to town.

9th Friday

Mass 7. Intercession Service 3. S. Annette to town to House of Mercy Meeting at D.S.G.
S. Adelaide in Retreat.

10th Saturday

Mass 7. S. Annette in Retreat.

11th Sunday

Mass 7. 30. The Chaplain left for Sekukhune after Evensong.

12th Monday

No Mass. Mr. Drift and Mr. Mayer called. Annie Mower & baby arrived.

13th Tuesday

No Mass.

14th Wednesday

No Mass. Ada came up from nursery.

Lady Phyllis Ponsonby telephoned the news of Mr. Sharman's death. S. Claudia returned.

15th Thursday

S. Euneline and S. An. took blk dress and staff girls for picnic.

The Rev. & Mrs. Sharman Bishop of Johannesburg
Fr Victor F. Frances Hill, Fr. Bennett
Fr Alston, Fr. Ridout, Rev. Spencer-Watson
& the Rev. Wilfred Parker came over
from Johannesburg and Mr. Hartley
from Pretoria to the Rev. F. Sharman's
funeral.

Sr. Alice and Sr. Monica came for
the night. Rev Osborne came to say
Mass on Friday. Mr. Nixon put him
up.

16th Friday

Mass 7. S. Alice left at 9.45. S. Monica
in Retreat, left by 1st motor.

17th Saturday

No Mass. Mr. Wylie left by 1.30 train
Chaplain returned from J. F. M. H.

18th Sunday

Mass 7. 30. S. M. C. left for East
London by 7.45. train.

19th Monday

Mass 7. S. Adelaide and Miss Anderson
went to town.

20th Tuesday

Mass 7. Superior returned from East London.

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- 21st Wednesday Mass y. Chaplain in town. Superior poorly. Mr. Nixon came to tea.
- 22nd Thursday Mass y. Superior in bed. S. Alice came over in the afternoon & stayed till 12 the following day.
- 23rd Friday Mass y. Miss Broughton came to stay for few days - Superior in bed.
- 24th Saturday Mass y. Superior better but in bed -
- 25th Sunday Mass y. 3:30 Choral - Miss Broughton left. Mr. Regatta Regatta. Procession at 3:15. Superior in bed all day.
- 26th Monday Mass y. Dr. Russell came - Sat. up in afternoon - Pageant Practice in Hall - no audience -
- 27th Tuesday Mass y. Miss Rogers to town - Sat. down stairs in afternoon - Pageant Rehearsal in Hall.
- 28th (Sat) No Mass - Chaplain at D.S.C. - Miss Madden & Miss Park Calder came to stay - Sat. Evening & Procession
- 29th (Sunday) Mass y. 3:30 Choral - (Village Ch. at 8:15) Left hotel Day down for Mass - Miss Bridge spent the day. Pageant Performance in Hall - Girls had dinner & tea out of doors -
- 30th (Monday) Mass y. S. Alice went to town at 12 - back by 2:30 Easter Wafefall came to stay.
- 31st (Tuesday) Mass y. Miss Verneale came for week. End. Mr. V. d. Bell to call in afternoon - Girls gave a Concert - Miss Rogers had well.
- 1st June Mass y. Village Ch. at 8:15 - Miss Rogers in bed. Sunday S. Alice & Miss Munro came over in afternoon. Miss Roberts spent day. Ladies left in evening. S. Alice arrived from S. Cuthbert's at 8:30.
- 2nd Thursday Mass y. Miss Rogers in bed all day.
- 3rd Friday Mass y. - Girls left off work early - Had the Pageant at 6:30. went well but very few people came - S. M. Christabel over at 5:30 to stay 2 nights -
- 4th (Wednesday) Mass y. S. M. Ch. in Ret also S. Julian. Sat. & Miss Rogers to town at 2 - for Red Laces.

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- 4th (Continued) Committee Meeting - Relaxed at 4.50. S. Marcia also went in to D.S.G. S. Ed. left for East London.
5th Thurs. Mrs. y.o. - S. Ed. & Miss Mills returned from Fleet Bank.
- 6th Friday Mrs. y.o. S. Au. into town re. new Molar & S. Marcia in Ret - Miss Vermaat came to make her ^{bed}.
7th Saty Mrs. y. Sister Violet C.R. came for the week R. and Baptized ^{ordination} at 3.45. Confessions in church. Solemn Procession & Proc. 6.30. Miss Rogers still away.
- 8th Whitsun Day Mrs. y. Choral - Village Ch. 8.15. Supr. 7.30. Violet to nursery. 3 babies baptised - Joan Bowers spent day here.
- 9th Whitsun Monday Mrs. y. S. Violet left. Mr. Lightfoot came over re. New Molar. Harry S. Au. & S. Marcia took tea out to the lake. Miss Rogers still away.
- 10th Tues. Mrs. y.o. Sister Muriel C.R. came to stay.
- 11th Weds. No Mrs. Mrs. Kewerton left for England.
- 12th Thurs. S. Au. a day in bed - Mr. Smith called to see her.
- 13th Friday Mrs. y.o. S. Muriel in retreat for 4 days -
- 14th Saty Mrs. y.o. S. Peter C.R. brought a girl from Grahamston.
- 15th Sunday Mrs. y.o. S. Supr. & Miss Mills to Ilford by 7.10 train returned at 2.20. Sister S. Marcia - Picnic in afternoon. Sol. Procession & Procession - Mrs. y. 3.30. Choral.
- 16th Monday Trinity S. Mrs. y.o. (S. Burrell has transferred from 11th) S. Muriel left - S. Ed. to London & staying - S. Marcia to D.S.G. for a week. New Triangle came in. ^{Miss Nelson came}
- 17th Tues. Mrs. y.o. The General Election - The Governor-General - Duke of Athlone & H.R.H. Princess Alice came over at 8.15 & stayed till 4.30 - went all over the home - were most appreciative - stayed to tea - little Angela went to Hopton's ill -
- 18th Weds. Two Mrs. Mrs. McEwan went away for 2 days.

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- little Angela v. bad - Dr. Miller went with Hosp.
relaxed the night - Sat. Emerson & Prosser
19th. Thurs. Mar 7. 30. Choral - all present - after gals
Cupper Christi. Made their Comm^s - S. Peter CR. spent the day
in town -
- 20th. Friday Mar 7. 0. S. mid poorly & bed early. S. Mary Bapt^e
arrived from S. Catharine's west today with her
Mother - Mrs. Pale Evans -
- 21st. Sat^h Mar 7. S. Alice came over to the nursery to
see S. Sup^r - had dinner & tea there - also
S. Mary Webb: came to tea & we all said
Vespers in the Oratory there - S. mid poorly -
- 22nd. Sunday Mar 7. 30. Sung. Miss Clepphan spent the
day - Miss Ogens in bed - Dr. Saunders came
to see her - Children ill - also Bevrie -
- 23rd. Monday Mar 7. Bevrie developed Chick-ee-pox. Little
Charles very ill with pneumonia & rickets
phon'd for 3 Drs. Not one cd come out
- 24th. Tues. Mar 7. 0. little Charles very ill - sent him
S. Mary Bapt^e into Hosp: - S. mid in bed again: Relap^e
this Day (Grahamstown) came for the holidays.
S. M. Pale returned from West Bank.
- 25th. Wed^h No Mar^s - S. mid v. poorly - also Miss Ogens
Helen Beck to the sea for a month -
- 26th. Thurs. Mar 7. S. Claudia in Retreat - S. An. went
into town to meet Mr. Liggettwood -
- 27th. Friday Mar 7. Dr. Russell came. Christine sickening
for Chick-ee-pox. Bevrie better - S. Alice
came out in the morn telephoned the night
to talk over with S. Sup^r abt. the Prov: House
& the idea of a "Visitor" - Bl. of Grahamstown proposed
- 28th. Sat^h Mar 7. S. Alice returned by the Pale Evans
Mother - S. Ed. returned from W. Bank.
- 29th. Sunday Mar 7. 30 - Agnes only - Dorothy Taylor spent
S. Peter the day - S. mid better - also the children -

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- 3rd June Friday Mass 7. 30. S. Marcella returned here - S. Irene
came also - Miss Munroe in the Chapel.
Berrie returned to S. Marg's & Cavalcce.
Christine after slight attack of chicken-pox.
1st Tuesday Mass 7. 0. Miss Treacle came out - re - The
Boudinards' shed & Miss Brubell are erecting.
Sol. Emerson & Price:-
2nd Wednesday Mass 7. 30 - Sung - Invalids better & the Flu.
Fr. McVittie had Sister's External tea in Garden (12 of us)
girls had dance in the Chapel -
3rd Thursday No Mass. Mr. Chaplain poorly - S. Maria
left for St. Cuthbert's in the evening. S. End poorly again
S. M. Irene: retired - also S. Juliana -
4th Friday No Mass. Chaplain with sharp attack of the
invalids abt. the Sacre - Miss Collingwood -
from the Training Sch: Alexandra Hoag C. T. Tom
came in very fatigued till 2.30 - ^{This evening} 8.30
5th Saturday No Mass - S. Sup: to town - Drury, D.S.G.
Chaplain invalids better. S. Ruth C.R. left
in the Chapel - Fr. Biggart came out at 6.30
6th Sunday Mass 8. Choral. Fr. Biggart celebrated High
Mass at 9. 30 A.M. ^{5.7.8.} Fr. G. M. from Durban arrived
for the Ret - Mr. Dean came out for Emerson,
preached - played at the organ -
7th Monday Mass 7. 30. Mr. Dean - The Chaplain better & up
Dr. Gordon (Matron at Jane Street Hos:) came
to see us - Played to dinner also Miss Bedford.
S. Ani went to town - Miss Day to D.S.G.
8th Tuesday No Mass. Mr. Chaplain went to W. Mass for
a few days - The Sisters Retreat commenced
Mr. B.P. of Johannesburg conducting it - 15
in Ret. S. Sup: S. End & S. Claudio out -
Miss Cozens & Miss Raquel being away - necessitated
3 8th being out
9th Wednesday Mass 7. 30 - Retreat - Addresses on 1st Ep: of S. Joh

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- 10th Thurs Mass 7.30 - Mrs Madden came to sleep with us.
S. Smith to Durban in morning - Dr Russell came.
- 11th Friday Mass 7.30. Mrs Madden came for the day & S. May went into Ret.
- 12th Saturday Mass 7.30. Last address at 10. R.P. had dinner & he & the Deacons dining at St. Clare with him. all the other Ss. remained in Ret. - S. Esther left in the evening for Durban taking Arthur Chapman with her to be at the St. Martin's Orphanage.
- 13th Sunday Mass & Chaplain came from Mrs. Mair's to take it - hymns only = Ret. Mrs. Sophie broke out with chicken pox - S. Alice - S. Grace & S. Alice Rhoda left - Mrs D' Reeden for a few hours - S. Claudia & S. Gundulic into the D.S.C.
- 14th Monday No Mass - Dorothy Taylor came to stay - S. Mary Christabel went to bed with flu!
- 15th Tues No Mass. Chaplain etc again - Miss Williams & her Sister came over in the afternoon - S. Melody & S. Christian left - S. Smith to D.S.C. S. Cl. & S. Eunice returned -
- 16th Wednesday No Mass - Dr. W. Dunstan came over to tea Mr. West goes to stay for a week. Paribill.
- 17th Thursday No Mass - Miss Berch. G. D. A. Gardner came to stay. S. M. C to D.S.C. & S. E. returned - Supt. took Mrs. Hope into town in Bishop's Molar to shop - had tea at D.S.C.
- 18th Friday No Mass. Little Pearl home - went to Hosp. S. An. went to see the Dean re. Services - as the Chaplain still keeps & pastoring. She slept at the D.S.C.
- 19th Saturday No Mass. Dorothy Taylor left - Supt to see Mrs. Mair re-Chaplain returning w/ he did at 5.30 - Miss Buckle at 5.15 with her Gramaphone.
- 20th Sunday Mass & the Chaplain - he did not come Friday.
- 21st Monday Mass 7.30 W. Bishop came over at 7.10. & the

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Mass at 10 - later heard girls sing - Dr. W. B. left at 12 - Miss Wallers for the day - The Dean preacher at Cal. Greenway - (Proc.) S. Eunelene in bed.

22nd Tues: Mass at 7.30. Dean - Chaplain did not come for that but at 9.15 for Cecilia's Baptism - S. Mary Christopher left in the afternoon - Miss Alderson & Miss Miles to town - shopping -

23rd Wed: No Mass - S. Eunelene still in bed - girls started for Tie-mic at 10.00 A.M. sold some S. Others joined them at 12.45 - "Canoe" paddling in the river - Tea & walked home by 5.30 - Progressive Games in the Surf.

24th Thurs: No Mass - Miss Bridge came for the day - S. Supr. & S. Au: went in to Hung by the 1.17 train for a Home of Mercy Meeting - B.P. Harvey with Chair - S. Au: returned at 5.15. S. Supr. went to her cousin - Mr. Soames for the night -

25th Friday Mass 7.30. Mr. West Jones left at 1.17. S. Supr. returned at 2.30. Miss Hartley for weeks to Mass. Miss Berle left - Girls finished work at 3.0. had Sports - Prizes & a dance in the Surf - The 2 Miss Verenates came to stay

26th Sat: Mass 7.30 - A Day of Prayer & Humiliation - in connection with the drought & locusts - Spp: Treasury & Intercessions at 6.15

27th Sunday Mass 7.30 - The Miss Verenates left at 8 o'clock + Miss Hartley at 12 - Miss Stanford came for a few days -

28th Monday Mass 7.30. S. Supr. to town. Shopping: D.S.Q. for dinner & tea. Lerr. at Cath: saw the B.P. - returned at 6.30. Supper at nursery. S. Au: poorly in bed.

29th Tues: No Mass - S. Ad. went to bed at 10.30! Miss Stanford left at 7 -

30th Wed: Mass 7.30. S. Au & S. Ad. later in bed.

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- 1st. Friday Mass y. 30. S. Au. down. Left poorly - in bed.
- 2nd. Saty Mass y. 30. S. Au & S. Ad better - Miss Veachan, Miss English & Miss Waepole for the week R and S. Left down for the afternoon:
- 3rd. Sunday Mass y. plain - Township at 8.15.
- 4th. Monday No Mass - Chapel re-visited - Supp. supp at 11. Baula holiday. Dousia in bed tonsilitis. our 3 visitors left at 6.30.
- 5th. Tuesday Mass y. 30.
- 6th. Wednesday Mass y. S. Julianne & S. Claudia to town in the Van. ~~7th. No Thanksgiving~~ - Dousia very poorly. Dr. Russell came out.
- 7th. Thurs. Mass y. 30. Lung - (we had Sol. Evening) Proc. the day before) Miss Veachy came for one night. Dousia worse - went into Hosp: by the Malar Ferry at 3 o'clock.
- 8th. Friday Mass y. 30. "Beesie" Dept back from Conference
- 9th. Saty Mass y. 30. The Bishop, Gilbert & the Nurse arrived at 11.30 - The Confirmation at 12. 3 Candidates - Miss Lilian Baglin (of Noddy Key) & Mrs. Dunnig came for the week R and. The B.P. lunched at Mr. Nixon's - talked over the possibility of the Indians moving to the village -
- 10th. Sunday Mass y. 30. Lung - Baptism at nursery
11. "Dorthea" left - After Dr. Person brought her husband & Barbara over to see us.
- 11th. Monday Mass y. 30 - Lottie came to stay. Superior into town -
- 12th. Tues. Mass y. 30 - Miss McSwain to see Superior.
- 13th. Wed. No Mass - S. Emid into town shopping - cable to say the Assistant was coming in Oct. with S. Georgia -
- 14th. Thurs. Mass y. 30 - Miss McSwain went away for holiday. S. Emid to nursery. Dousia home from Hosp: Mr. & d. Bell to tea. Sol. Society Proc.

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