

28th No Mrs. S. Olive Frances went to town
S. Y. Mary went to help at the school as
several Sisters and Staff were ill.

The Assistant drove Nutter to Waverley where
the Archbishop was meeting Directors, parents
and Staff. The Bishop of Johannesburg
was also present. S. Agnes Crystal
drove Judy Elliot to hospital and also
 fetched Daphne from Nazareth Home.

29th Evelyn + Olive left for the sea with the St. Mary's
Orphanage children. Joey Swanson came to see the Assistant.

30th Nutter + the Assistant went to the reopening of
St. Elizabeth's Newclare as a Day & Nursery for
Coloured children. The Assistant made a short
speech as also did a Colonel teacher for whom
the children asked and sang - captivating all hearts.
Tea was served - a class room - a multi-
racial occasion as there were several European
friends present and some Africans.

1st Mass in church

2nd Father Chancellor sang the Mass of the Immaculate
Assisted by his own servers.

3rd Mass in church

4th S. Daniel Genes came to stay with Mary Glover -
here. Fatimus came for two nights

5th Fatimus heard confessions here and at the O.S.G.
The Assistant went to speak at Vekjortien and took

S. Euphemia on a compense

6th Soon after eight the Assistant and Sister / Home
Mary left for Nisibi - 350 miles. Fatimus left -

7th No Mass. The Assistant and S. / N arrived back
with S. Dorothy and S. Sgt Anthony - also with Sister
Helen S.P.B. (the sister of S. Deborah (Mary)) They were
here by 5:30 after what must have been a
most dusty and uncomfortable journey, but
came up smiling after tea & baths.

8th News in Church. Sr John Paul came to visit his
Sister bringing his youngest daughter with him
a new patient - Mrs Duschbury; formerly of
Duschbury Rd came to St. Ngi. She has been
a great worker for the Homes. S. V. Mary came from O.S.G.

9th Family Day (Queen's Birthday) The Assistant
and S. / Mary were in Retreat. Three Waverley
Sisters came to recreation after a half tierce picnic

10th S.A.C. in retreat - S. Helen Mary was up for a
line

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July 11th S. Helen Mary went into the little company
Mary for various tests as Dr Lang had pronounced her a
"The assistant drove Father, S. Euphemia, S. Doubleday
very sick woman

+ S. I Mary to house for a shopping exped. etc.
12th Mrs J. came to see the assistant, S. a Crystal took
the van to house - stopped. She also called in to see

S. Helen Mary
13th Fr. Campbell said Mass. He & Mrs Shell in Retreat all day.

Mother in Retreat. Marie Theron taken to Wes Roppies 11-15pm!
14th Fr. von Herings daughter came to pack up her things -
Mother & the Assistant to Johannesburg for shopping &
School Committee re Pensions. Visited Mrs Soames - Waverley
& Mrs Hughes - Mary Pilkington came for weekend.

15th Mother & Assistant to DSG for morning tea - took S. M. and
Grace. Mrs Pilkington taken home after supper by Mr. R. &
Fr. Fielding for night & day's retreat. Mrs Theron came

16th Fr. Fielding said Mass & took Devotions 6pm.
Mother & Mrs. Adcock to E. London. 12.20pm.

17th Canon Amore said Mass each day (Tues-Sat)
The Assistant took S. Joan back to DSG & visited
S. Helen Mary in L.C.M. Fr. Tsebe came to see Franz
& Elizabeth. S. Olive Frances left for S. Crested -
Madge Le May came for day off.

18th Jeanetta V. naughty - put to bed from 1pm onwards.
Plumber came re Septic Tank S. Margarets.

- July 19th S. Minnie Grace here for retreat. S. A. Crystal took van to town & Mrs Brown to Hospital.
- 20th Mass in Church. The Assistant took Agn Lena to Hospital & later went with Mrs Smales to the Building Society re with ^{Dr} ^{of} ^{the} ^{place} & A. Crystal & Mrs Nixon went for treatment. Franz to Hospital
21. Mass in Chapel (Can Amore) Evelyn & Olive back.
22. Mass at Church. John came Nam. S. Yvonne Mary took Mabel to Orthopaedic Hospital for operation on both feet on 23rd
23. No Mass. S. Yvonne Mary vaccinated & had eyes tested. D. Baber's 81st birthday party at S. Elizabeth's 3:30. Baptism of 2 Glover grandsons Agn in Church by F. Norburn Joanna & baby fetched from Lady Selborne by S. A. Crystal D. Fehrsen came to stay.
24. No Mass. S. A. Crystal & S. I. May took S. Helen Mary to the Leppan. Gam. Van went for service. Pensions collected
25. F. Norburn said S. James' Mass in Chapel. M. Dambon flew to Durban for her holiday. S. M. Anthony & S. Y. Mary to town for dentist & eyes. Car left for service. Van fetched. Pensions 6:30pm
26. F. Linnuss for Mass & Address & Sister's & Guts Confessions. Then to S. S. G. for Sri Confessions. Mabel fetched home from Hospital. Leslie fetched for her holiday. Howr. S. Hilary Clare returned with Judy.

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July 27. Fr Lunnis for Mass. Sr. Y. Mary to eye treatment T.S.R. to dentist.
The Assistant drove D. Fernau back to Waverley.

Jocelyn for the night.

28. Valerie to Hospital. Ann Stoneman came for a week
Novice Ansie Miriam (clothed at Wantage.

Trin VI. Bertha went on holiday. Franz was baptised at
Lyllallon by Archdeacon Tsebe. Several Sisters went with him.
Grace out for day - Anna back. The Assistant & ^{H. Rorke} ~~the Assistant~~
went to Michael Pilkington's Confirmation at Sunnyside

July 30. Fr Amore said Mass. Sr. A. Crystal took Judy to Tara
to find both Drs away! Sr. Y. Moore sent for Eye treatment
The Asst went to the DSG Board meeting at 5. Kildewick.

31. Fr Macintosh said Mass. Mrs Soames brought by Mrs Todd
to morning tea.

August 1. Alfred went to Hospital. David fetched Van back.
The Asst & A. Rorke took S. Culbert's Prunk to DSG.
Jean Maud & Mrs Chaplin to tea. Fr Whitnall CR for night

2. Fr Whitnall said Mass. Sr. Y. Mary with David to town (dentist)
Fetched Valerie back. Sr. A. Crystal took Judy to Tara.

3. No Mass. Sr. Deborah Mary took Sr. Helen Mary to
Dr Leppan & Med. Centre for blood count. Sr. Dorothea
Sr. I. Mary & Judy shopped. Mr Robinson to Eye Clinic
Sr. A. Crystal took Violet to Dental Hospital &
Old Market.

August 3. Mrs Campbell spent the day here. Roberts Construction Co brought Grader for 2nd trip free gratis! D.G. SFA in Retail
4. Fr Macintosh came to say Mass. M. Margant away for weekend.

Trin VII 5. Mrs Rake to Joby all day. Jan Stevens looked in surrogate. The Assistant fetched Sr Joan for a week of her rest.

6. Eight of us went in the Van to Mass at the D&G at Jan "Golden Age of Comedy" Film. Jan. Mrs Small left 3:15 pm

7. Fr Macintosh for Mass started Novena for Religious Communities in SAfrica. Sr Y. Mary to town for eye exam. Fetched Romeo from Garage. Finished Film.

8. Mother & Mrs Adcock flew back. Mrs Swanson came. Value to OPD.

^R 9. All went to Mass at the D.S.G.

^R 10. We went to the Ward Mass at S. Margaret's

^L 11. Fr Macintosh said Mass. Father and the assistant missed this Mass as they had an early breakfast and went to the Cathedral for the Nuptial Mass following the wedding of Victor Campbell and Christal Bell. — Very lovely —

^R 12. All to church for Mass. "Brother John" came to see the Assistant. The ~~some~~ Five Sisters came from the schools to be ready

for their retreat:

- 13th Mother and the Assistant: took S. Joan back to school and brought back S. G. Constantine for retreat. They also fetched flowers for the market. The Bishop of Grahamstown arrived for the airport just in time to begin the retreat after Vespers + Compline.
- 14th Lovely weather for the retreat. The Van was towed into house. 1st: Swallows arrived.
- 15th Sunny Mass for our lady - grand! A lovely day. Mother and S. H. Mary SPB had tea at St. Margaret's - 2nd Swallows.
- 16th S. Y. N. took Valerie to the Clinic.
- 16th The Waterkloof ladies gave a party at Saint-Margaret's. The Bishop (Grahamstown) went to visit S. Margaret's and also had tea at St. Elizabeth's. S. Y. Mary fetched toys for Jhb.
- 17th S. Y. Mary took Natal to hospital.
- 18th The Retreat ended. Bishop Pretorius came to Mass and breakfast and drove Bishop Grahamstown to the airport. The school sisters left.
- 18th [Mass at church] ^{The Mother} of Barokan arrived by air. Fr. Sticks C:R met her and

- done her here. He stayed for supper.
- 19th Mass - church. In the early evening S^r Deborah Mary drove Natter Mary Columbus to the airport. Making Sister Helen Mary with them.
- 20th The Assistant drove Natter to Johannesburg to shop for the Felis
- 21st Miss Chaplin brought Nattie Phalatic - Bob Mary Lucy and Angela to see us. Mrs Durward had morning tea with Natter - the Assistant. S^r Irene Benedict brought Miss Wamsley, the newly appointed Head of Waverley, to see Natter.
- 22^d The Homes Committee meeting chaired by the Bishop of Johannesburg
- 23^d Mass said by Desmond Tutu - a young African priest who had come for 2 nights
- 24th S^r Veronice Mary sailed for Capetown on the Athlone. The Assistant conducted an afternoon for the S.A. Oblates.
- 25th The Canon said Mass
- 26th " " sang Mass. Elaine came for the day. Bro: John to see S.O.12. Wa

marked articles for the Fête. Young Grandley -
Ferris left for a holiday.

17th Patten - retired. The Canon said Mass.
Mrs Saunders to stay.

18th The assistant drove Patten to get the plans
for the new Chaplain's house parcel & signal
Very cold. No Mass

19th The assistant drove Patten to an 'E.K.' meeting
Fr Ferris came for two nights

20th Fr L. said Mass gave an address -
~~said A.~~ & heard confessions here and at
the School

21st S. Joan - en route from Bloemfontein -
came to breakfast & was shown before
Fr Ferris left for J'burg. S.O.F. - retired

1st No Mass - S. H. Clare - retired
S. Ethne returned from E. L. via Waverley.
S. Mary's Anne and S. Kathleen Mary
stayed to tea. N. Pilkington to stay.

2nd We went to Mass at church - Charlotte
Plawlowe - retired.

3rd Fr Bevan said Mass in chapel.

4th Mass - Chapel. - all busy preparing for

the Fete

5th + 6th No Mass.

7th Mass in Chapel - Great preparations for the Fete. Fr. Whittinal came for the night and so was here for Mass on the following day

8th Mass at 6:15 am followed by Term instead of usual Thanksgiving. Sect. + Nona affia. breakfast. We left for the Fete at 7:45 am! The last of us returned at 7:15 pm!! All a great success in spite of the desperate attempts to throw in spanners! Over 4000 sand taken. 6 girls ran away but were

9th Father Bauer ^{returned by the police!} came from the Cathedral and sang Mass of Our Lady - lovely -

10th A day of reckoning! but - we had a Mass at the Rectory ~~black~~ but, arrival.

11th The Schools reopened Mass in Chapel

12 Mrs Darwood came and brought the Corp left over from the Fete. S. D. Raphael explained in a mixed assembly why we were going to burn a candle - pray for unity on Thursdays

13 The Rector said Mass. Fr. Lennin gave an

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