

S. Smyth drove into Portora to fetch
Mother & Miss Butler from Bishop's House
& S.S.G.

Sunday } 7.30 Sung Mass.

Advent III } Miss Kitchener came for the day
or his lunch. & her sister came for
tea. The visiting sisters left.
Evening at 6.30 - or to be so in
future - Sister & visitors began
meal in Recreation Room.

Monday } no mass. Miss Brazier came
to stay for a week. ^{S. E. & S. G. came from S.S.G.} Very hot.

Tuesday } 7.15 Mass. S. Smyth took Mother
15th } S.A.P. S. Smith & Miss Butler into
town in the car in the morning.

Paul letters sent off in the afternoon
on account of Dingman's Day on
Wednesday. Mr. Cleve came
out to inspect the work on
Mother's.

S. Adelaide in bed all day
with bad heart. Storm at night

Wed. 16th } 7.15 Mass. no mass & post
O Sapisuchi } or telephone owing to public holiday.

Xuzasani, Soc. } Miss Kitchener came for a few
hours visit. Mr. Eaton came
to stay at the Roundabout for a
few days. Retreat began his ad-
-tion. S. Adelaide letter & darning

Thurs: 17th } 7.15 Mass. Large mail received.
Very hot. Storm at supper time.
Mrs. Gordon came for the day.

Fri: 18th } 7.15 Mass. (Fr. Clark) S. Smyth
took Mother & Miss Madden & the

by car at 9.50. Mother gave an
instruction to Christ Church Lake.
S.E.I. S.A.R. went in by van but
returned in the car. ~~Said came~~
~~back by train.~~ S.A.R. as well as
went to bed after dinner.

Sat. 19th 7.15 Mass. Mr Eaton left.
Church packages despatched to E. London
& Cuthbert's. S.A.R. in bed not going

Sunday 20th } 7.15 Sung Mass. Solemn Solemnity
Advent 1st } at 6.30. Mr & Mrs Gilfillan -
the children came over at tea time.
Various other visitors connected with
the Home. Mrs Rice & the children
arrived in the evening.

S.A.R. went to bed after Mass
breakfast.

Monday 21st } 7.15 Mass. S. Mayne - the 2
& Thome } School Sisters went into town by
van. Various other passengers.
Miss Brazier left. Miss Abbott. Saint
came for children.

Tue. 22nd 7.15 Mass. The Bishop came
at 4.0. & had tea with Mother.
At 5.0 he confirmed Miss
Polkinghorne & one girl (Ada).
S.A.R. went to town by van
shopping.

Wed. 23rd 7.15 Mass. The Dean &
Miss Gordon came to call before
leaving for their holiday.
First Communion of the newly
confirmed.

Thurs 24th } 7.15 Mass. Great preparations
Chm. Eve }

more shopping by S.P.C. & S. Sta.
Same hours & arrangements as last
year. Fr. Woz C.R. stayed with the
nuns & a sister at midnight mass.

Christmas Day

Gorgeous night & early morning.
S. Rosemary - S. D. G. had to take
a gut into hospital at 4.30 ^{am.}
A good party of old girls stayed
at the home.

Two Sisters & S. Rosemary went to
Township mass at 7.30.

Dinner in the new Room at
6.30 p.m. Very successful.
Compline 8.15.

Sat. 26th

& Stephen

Sun. 27th

& John

7.30 mass. Two at 7 p.m.
after supper - Evening 5.30.
7.30 Sung mass. (Fr. Woz C.R.)
Miss G. Wray came for the
day & stayed the night.

S. Sta left for Capetown.
No Evensong but Bethlehem
tableaux at 7 p.m. in Chapel.
Very beautiful & good audisnes.

Mon. 28th

S. Laurent

7.30 mass. S. Esyllt took
Mother & S. Rennie to town by car
in the morning & they brought
back S. & K. who had gone to
D.S.G. by Van.

7.0. China Supper at Messery.
Mother - several Sisters went.

Tue. 29th

& Thomas

7.30 mass.
Miss Cole arrived from Lebono
for holiday. Miss Parthen
came to stay during the night.

absence. Dr Mary Lugman & Mrs. Coley came for me visit. Miss McDonald came for 2 or 3 days.

Entertainment instead of evening after supper a great seeing of J. & G. in into for Lugman. Car. Van a walking party; went to the station. Katrina; baby (Christine) born.

Wed: 30. 10.30 Mass - Dr. of Lugman Miss Coley left. Thunder but not much rain. S. M. C. - S. T. had "day off". S. Margant's had their entertainment after supper. v. good indeed. Mrs. Dunston the daughter Mary came to it.

Thurs: 31. 7.30 Mass. to the S. S. G. had the day off. Van load of shoppers & went into town. Miss McDonald left in the evening also S. T. Miss Abbott. Smith went for their visit.

Miss Kirkaldie & Miss Williams came to stay.

Blessed evening. No Procession owing to a storm

1932

1932 Jan. 1. 7.30 Sung Mass. Dr. Clark assisting. Miss Phillips & Miss Wodehouse & Circumcisa came over for the day. Miss de/agor came a morning pupil

Jan: 2nd
Oct. & Stephen
7.30 Mass - Gith. Daven in the evening (a. b. ^{with} our flocks let on & treking, & head gear.)
to Evening.

Sunday
Jan. 3rd
Oct. & John
7.15 Sung Mass. Thunderstorm in evening. No priest for Evening as the Chaplain was at Llanymedoch. Miss Williams was in Retreat. Mrs Mitchell arrived in the evening from London.

Monday
Jan. 4th
Oct. H. (unn.)
7.30 Mass.
Miss Kirkcaldie left. Several went to town by van. Baby born at Llanymedoch - (Stella)

Tues:
Jan 5th
Svs of Epiph.
7.15 Mass. Chaplain came for Confessions instead of the priest. Friday - Solemn Vespers & Procession 6.45. Mrs Gordon came for the day. Mrs Payne sister Mrs Daniel, came for a week in ev. Miss Madden returned

Wed: 6th
Epiphany.
7.15 Sung Mass. S.A.R. & P.R. P. Sossylt & Mrs Mitchell went to P. Stone by car for shopping. Heavy storm - hail &c. during afternoon & evening. Solemn Vespers & instruction

Thurs: 7th
7.15 Mass. Miss Butler sent away for the week end. Miss Williams to P. Stone for day. Both went by the early train. Miss Booth took

a guest with Hospital for travel operation
(Kathleen). Miss Weston came
to spend the afternoon. Cool
day after the storm. Steve's had a day's

Friday. 8th

7.15 Mass. S. L. K. in retreat.
S. Claudia to town by van. Miss Booth
took an R.C. girl into town by
early train, so that she could get
to Mass. Later go into Hospital
She McDonald, Miss Friday -
Isobel Miller came at tea time
to see Wesley & Home. S. C. & Th. by van.

Sat. 9th

7.15 Mass.
Hot day. The Van Dyke family
came from Wash. D.C. in the
morning

Sunday in D.C.
Jan. 10.

7.30 Long Mass. S. Claudia
went to Johnnie Long for part
of Missionary Conference at
Rosedale. to return on Tue. evng.
Miss Williams went with her.
Mrs Thron & her two calls
during the afternoon on their
way to General Saruto's farm.
Potson & Wenzon 6.30.

Jan. 11. Mon.

to Mass. S. L. K. of E. went
to spend day at D.S.G. going by
van & returning in the evening.
Miss Booth sent girl to
Hospital & brought her & another
back. Mrs Mitchell spent
the day in Portoria. Miss
Butler returned in the evening.
Miss Lawrence & Miss Lane

came to fetch S.A.B. for a visit
to his home, Ekutukui Bishop's
House Phoenixburg.

Very hot.

Jan-12. 7.15 Mass. S. E. K. went to the
S.S.G. for the new term. Girl (Joey) went
to Mrs Bull at P'burg to be fitted for her
new wooden leg.

Jan-13. Wed. 7.15: Mass - V. small mass as it
October day. was posted on at home Eve.

Miss Butler went away for a week
Miss Rayne & Mrs Daniel went out for
the day. Some rain in the
evening. Very hot day again.
Two old girls - Charlotte - Matron
Daisy had an evening out in the
garden.

Miss Van Zyl, the new postmistress,
called after Vesper.

Jan-14. 7.15. Mass of Requiem for Founder &
Thurs: Warden. Crib was taken down.
Friday 15th to Mass. Mother had breakfast
in bed. S. Ad. went to town by
Jav.

Mr March (Miss Rayne's sister) came
for the day to see Mrs R & Mrs Daniel.
Miss Walwood came for the night.
Mrs Playll came for 6 days.

Great wind - O. Let.

Jan-16th 7.15 Mass of our Lady. Miss
Sollastor came to dinner & tea.
Miss Todd & Miss Walker came
at 2.30 S. A. R. also returned
then. Baptisms at 10.45.

Two days papers came to see children.
S. Adelaide not very well.

Sunday
Spiph¹¹
17th } 7.30 Sung Mass - Miss Booth
playing hymns. 6. pm Evening
- the Chaplain was leaving for
Huddersport for Retreat that evening.
V. hot - Windy at times

Mon. 18th } 7.30 Mass - though Fr. Lee came
up before 7.30 to find out if we
were expecting him. Mother
went in by Van & spent the day
at D.S.G. keeping Dedication time
with them. S. A. R. & S. Boylston went
to town on train in the afternoon
& went to D.S.G. for tea & Vesper -
then brought Mother home.

Slight storm at night.

Tues. 19th } 7.15 Mass. (Fr. Lee). Fr. Lee
came & saw Mother during the
morning. Miss Venetis left & go
to his hand at Helderess.

S. A. R. & S. W. in Retreat. Excellent
exam. results at D.S.G. news of Sp. Cori's death.
Cable re. havelles arrival.

Wed. 20th } 7.15 Mass. (Fr. Lee). Heavy storm
& Sebastian - } rain during the night -
again after Vesper.

Thurs. 21st } 7.15 Mass. (Fr. Lee) Mother &
& Agnes. } S. Rosemary in Retreat. Miss
Butler returned from Phannenberg
S. Boylston & S. A. R. with Miss Hadde
on Miss Playle went to town by
car during the morning.

Friday 22nd } 7.15 Mass (Fr. Lee). S. C. went
& Vincent } to town by van. Mrs. by the

Miss Thompson - Miss Rawson all came to stay, the two latter to make a Retreat. Miss Walker in bed all day with malaria.

The new benches came for the Rec. Room. ✓ Suid was in Retreat.

Sat. 23^d

7.15. Mass (Fr. loc) Requisition for Sp. Evng. Miss Butler, Miss Thompson & Miss Rawson in Retreat.

The Chaplain returned for Evensong. Miss Walker better & up

Sunday 24th

LXX.

7.30 Sung Mass. (Fr. loc). No priest for Evensong. Miss Thompson - Miss Rawson left after tea. Miss Kirkcaldie came for the day. ✓ Suid took child (Margaret Pinnar) to join the Parish choir escort at Germiston then went on to Johannesburg to visit the Observatory Home, returning at 8.25. Change of afternoon timetable possible.

Mon. 25th

Coast: 9th P.

7.15. Mass of the feast. Miss Stone & Miss Seth-Smith came for the day returning with Miss Wadden after his visit to Dr Ellis at (burg). Solemn Evensong. (the Chaplain) Miss Keightley came for a few days. ✓ A.R. went to town by van.

Tue: 26th

& Polycarp

7.15 Mass. Choir practice at 6.45 - 7.15 pm. instead of Evensong or Singing class. Miss Butler was away all day. Miss Lither came to stay

a few days, before returning to her post.
S. G. C. - S. Smyllt were in Retreat.

Tues: 27th to Mass.

Rev. Keightley left.

Thurs: 28th

7.15 Mass. S. Renee - S. Claudia
in Retreat. S. G. C. had her girls' "meeting".

Fri: 29th

7.15 Mass. Requisition of the monks.
Miss Butler left in the afternoon,
S. Smyllt driving her Mother to
Bishop's House, the Talbots having
returned that morning. After tea
there S. Smyllt & Mother returned
Miss Walker gave the Missionary
Circles a talk about Detroit.

A yoke of Oxen was purchased
for work on the farm instead
of a lorry.

Sat: 30th

to Mass. Conditional Baptism
at 10.45 (St. Rood). Miss Wilkes
left. Miss Mutham arrived. The
Wilson family came up in
two detachments after tea &
say Goodbye. S. A. R. went to
bed early with lumbargo.

Sunday 31st
Sexagesima

7.30. Sung Mass. Large Congrega-
tion. Mr Rupert Middleton came
to see his grandmother who by the
way had been with her.

Feb: 1st

to Mass. to visit at F. & F.

Monday.

Quatuor kept. Great preparation
for Candlemass. S. E. T. returned
11.54. Mother & S. Smyllt went
to meet her, Mother calling.

Collection Number: AB1751

COMMUNITY OF ST MARY THE VIRGIN 1903-1976

PUBLISHER:

Publisher:- **Historical Papers, University of the Witwatersrand**

Location:- **Johannesburg**

©2012

LEGAL NOTICES:

Copyright Notice: All materials on the Historical Papers website are protected by South African copyright law and may not be reproduced, distributed, transmitted, displayed, or otherwise published in any format, without the prior written permission of the copyright owner.

Disclaimer and Terms of Use: Provided that you maintain all copyright and other notices contained therein, you may download material (one machine readable copy and one print copy per page) for your personal and/or educational non-commercial use only.

People using these records relating to the archives of Historical Papers, The Library, University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, are reminded that such records sometimes contain material which is uncorroborated, inaccurate, distorted or untrue. While these digital records are true facsimiles of paper documents and the information contained herein is obtained from sources believed to be accurate and reliable, Historical Papers, University of the Witwatersrand has not independently verified their content. Consequently, the University is not responsible for any errors or omissions and excludes any and all liability for any errors in or omissions from the information on the website or any related information on third party websites accessible from this website.

This document is part of a private collection donated to the South African History Archives and Historical Papers at The University of the Witwatersrand.

DOCUMENT DETAILS:

Document ID:- **AB1751-Aa1-3-3**

Document Title:- **Holy Cross, Irene Homes Log Book: Sisters Vol.3 March 1931 - April 1932**