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## CALENDAR FOR 1934

### FEBRUARY

Ash Wednesday .....	14
World Day of Prayer.....	16
Lenten Study Class Begins "Christ and the Modern World."	
Diocesan Corporate Communion .....	23
Bishop Mikell's Class for Woman's Auxiliary.....	23

### MARCH

Bishop Mikell's Class .....	2-9-16-23
Spring Collection "U. T. O."	
Good Friday offering for work in Jerusalem.....	30
Lenten Study Work Completed.	

### APRIL

Easter .....	1
Spring Box Work Completed.	
Diocesan Executive Committee Meeting.	
Pilgrimage to Appleton Church Home.	

### MAY

Diocesan Church School Service at Pro-Cathedral.....	6
Ascension Day .....	10
Whitsunday .....	20
Archbishop of Canterbury offers prayer for the Diocese of Atlanta, Canterbury Cathedral, England.....	30

### JUNE

Study Plans for Meeting of General Convention.	
Make Plans for Summer Reading.	
Camp Mikell.	

### JULY

Summer Porch Meetings of Auxiliary.	
Adult Conference at Kanuga, N. C.....	14-28
Woman's Auxiliary Day at Kanuga.....	21

### AUGUST

The Transfiguration .....	6
Adult Conference at Sewanee, Tenn.....	7-21
Celebration 25th Anniversary.	
Woman's Auxiliary Day at Sewanee.	

### SEPTEMBER

Make Plans for Fall Work.	
Fall Collection "U. T. O."	

### OCTOBER

Fall Collection of U. T. O. Completed.....	1
General Convention at Atlantic City, N. J.....	10-24
Presentation United Thank Offering at 8 A. M. Corporate Communion Atlantic City .....	11

### NOVEMBER

All Saints Day .....	1
18th Anniversary of Bishop Mikell's Consecration.....	1
Quiet Day for Prayer .....	11
Fall Box Work Completed.	
Thanksgiving Day Offering for Appleton Church Home.....	29

### DECEMBER

Annual Reports Compiled and Mailed.....	15
Election of Branch Officers.	
Christmas Plans for Parish and Community.	
Christmas Day .....	25

### JANUARY, 1935

Epiphany .....	6
Diocesan Executive Committee Meeting.....	22
Diocesan Council and Annual Meeting of Woman's Auxiliary at Pro-Cathedral, Atlanta .....	22-23









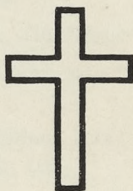
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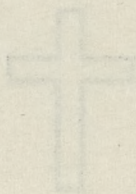
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**DIOCESAN OFFICERS**

*The Bishop of the Diocese*—The Right Rev. H. J. Mikell, D.D., LL.D.,  
108 E. 17th St., Atlanta, Ga.

- ✓ *President*—Mrs. A. H. Sterne, 132 Westminster Drive, Atlanta, Ga.
- ✓ ✓ *Vice-President and Secretary of Missions and Religious Education*—  
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T. Downing, 124 Lafayette Drive, Atlanta, Ga.
- ✓ ✓ *Vice-President and Secretary of Supply Work*—Mrs. C. W. McClure,  
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- ✓ *Secretary and Chairman Diocesan Publicity*—Miss Mary E. King, 736  
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- ✓ *Custodian United Thank Offering*—Mrs. William Parker, Jr., 213 Phil-  
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- Chairman Appleton Church Home Fund*—Mrs. John F. MacDougald,  
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- Chairman Diocesan Negro Work*—Mrs. Geo. P. Weathers, 619 W. Solo-  
mon St., Griffin, Ga.
- Chairman Bishop's Educational Fund*—Mrs. Frank Bone, Milledgeville,  
Ga.
- Chairman Devotional Life and Prayer Partnership*—Mrs. Marshall  
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- Chairman Gift of Life*—Mrs. John E. Talmadge, Jr., 298 Prince St.,  
Athens, Ga.
- Director Church Periodical Club*—Mrs. Stephen B. Ives, 11 Camden  
Road, Atlanta, Ga.
- Executive Secretary*—Miss Grace Lindley, 281 Fourth Ave., New York,  
N. Y.
- Honorary Life President*—Mrs. C. L. Pettigrew.

**DISTRICT CHAIRMEN**

Athens.....Mrs. Lamar Rucker, 126 Dearing St.  
Atlanta.....Mrs. W. P. Nicolson, Sr., 821 Piedmont Ave., N. E.  
Columbus-LaGrange.....Mrs. J. Fearis Caldwell, 1531 2nd Ave., Columbus  
Macon.....Mrs. C. C. Harrold, 550 Orange St.  
Rome.....Mrs. A. E. Young, 201 Walnut St., Cedartown



**AUXILIARY BRANCH PRESIDENTS FOR 1934**

- Athens, Emmanuel*—Mrs. Jno. E. Talmadge, Jr., 298 Prince St.  
*Atlanta, All Saints*—Mrs. E. G. Warner, 917 Juniper St., N. E.  
*All Saints, Y. W. A.*—Miss Elise Shover, 14 Ridgeland Way.  
*All Saints, Henrietta Mikell Jones Auxiliary-Guild*—Miss Sue Brown Sterne, 132 Westminster Drive.  
*Bishop's Branch*—Miss Emily Warren, 357 Richardson St., S. W.  
*Epiphany*—Mrs. W. D. Thomson, 2054 N. Decatur Road, Emory University, Ga.  
*Incarnation*—  
*Our Saviour*—Mrs. L. A. Bailey, 1492 N. Highland Ave., N. E.  
*St. Luke*—Mrs. Willis Callaway, 916 Barnett Place, N. E.  
*St. Luke, Business Women's Club*—Miss Corinne Freeman, 4 Wesley Ave., N. E.  
*St. Philip's Cathedral*—Miss Lucinda Snook, 1202 Cleburne Ave.  
*St. Timothy, Kirkwood*—Mrs. Paul Boyd, 2530 Boulevard Drive, N. E.  
*Austell, Good Shepherd*—Mrs. G. H. Dozier.  
*Cedartown, St. James*—Mrs. Sam Good, East Ave.  
*Clarksville, Grace*—Mrs. Chas. B. Willingham.  
*College Park, St. John*—Mrs. F. C. Doss, 1224 N. Main St.  
*Columbus, Trinity*—Mrs. Carroll Scarborough, 1343 Peacock Ave.  
*Dalton, St. Mark*—Mrs. C. L. Bradley, Gordon St.  
*Decatur, Holy Trinity*—Mrs. W. S. Williams, Church St.  
*Fort Valley, St. Andrew*—Mrs. John R. Crandall, Anderson Ave.  
*Gainesville, Grace*—Mrs. John Woodcock, 57 Boulevard.  
*Griffin, St. George*—Mrs. Robert P. Shapard, Macon Road.  
*LaGrange, Good Shepherd*—Mrs. J. D. C. Wilson.  
*St. Mark*—Mrs. Gordon Smith, 1013 Vernon Road.  
*Macon, Christ Church*—Mrs. B. P. O'Neal, Jr., Rivoli.  
*St. James*—Mrs. Marshall Ellis, 104 Stanislaus Drive.  
*St. Paul*—Mrs. Amalia Slocum, 112 Courtland Ave.  
*Marietta, St. James*—Mrs. Herbert Hague, R. F. D. Powder Springs Road.  
*Milledgeville, St. Stephen*—Mrs. W. B. McKinnon.  
*Mt. Airy, Calvary*—Mrs. Everett Kitchen, Alto, Ga.  
*Rome, St. Peter*—Mrs. Ralph L. Wilson, 103 8th Ave.  
*Talbotton, Mt. Zion*—Miss Virginia Persons.

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**COLORED BRANCHES**

- Atlanta, St. Paul*—Miss Lady Goosby, 97 Boulevard, N. E.  
*Columbus, St. Christopher*—Mrs. A. A. Hewitt, 908 5th Ave.  
*Fort Valley, N. & I. School*—Mrs. H. A. Hunt.  
*Griffin, St. Stephen*—Mrs. Carrie Roberts, East Broad St.  
*LaGrange, St. Elizabeth*—Mrs. E. H. Satterwhite, 303 King St.



**MEMORIAL**

For All the Saints, who from their labors rest,  
Allelulia!

**EMMANUEL—ATHENS**

Miss Marianna Frierson  
Mrs. Geo. W. McDorman

**ALL SAINTS—ATLANTA**

Mrs. Henrietta Mikell Jones  
Miss Helen Marguerite Broome

**ST. PHILIP'S CATHEDRAL—ATLANTA**

Mrs. Philip Shaw

**EPIPHANY—ATLANTA**

Mrs. J. F. T. VonSchlosser

**ST. LUKE—ATLANTA**

Mrs. Edward Gay, Sr.

**TRINITY—COLUMBUS**

Mrs. Richard Slade  
Mrs. Thomas Ingram

**HOLY TRINITY—DECATUR**

Mrs. Donna Lawhon  
Mrs. E. Caruso

**ST. ANDREW—FORT VALLEY**

Mrs. Mary Anderson

**CHRIST CHURCH—MACON**

Mrs. Luther Williams

**ST. JAMES—MARIETTA**

Mrs. Ann Taylor

**ST. STEPHEN—MILLEDGEVILLE**

Miss Agnes Scott  
Mrs. L. Campbell Lindsley

**ST. PETER—ROME**

Mrs. Frances Berrien Coulter  
Mrs. Florence Underwood Eastman  
Mrs. Elaine West Malone



### MINUTES OF THE TWENTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL MEETING

The twenty-seventh annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council of the Diocese of Atlanta was called to order by the President, Mrs. A. H. Sterne, at 11:00 A. M. Wednesday, January 24th, in the Church of the Epiphany, Atlanta, Georgia.

Mrs. Francis Kamper, St. Luke, Atlanta, gave a beautiful opening devotional.

Mrs. W. D. Thomson, President of the Epiphany Woman's Auxiliary, graciously welcomed the delegates and visitors to her parish. Mrs. Ted Lewis, St. Mark, LaGrange, made the response for the delegates.

The President gave her annual address, speaking with encouragement of the work done during the past year, and urging that each one return home determined to become a more compelling witness for Jesus Christ.

Mrs. Lamar Rucker, Emmanuel, Athens, proposed a rising vote of thanks to the President for her untiring services rendered the Auxiliary.

The following committees were appointed by the President:

*Courtesy*—Mrs. Wm. L. Erwin, Chairman; Mrs. Carroll Scarborough, Mrs. Frank West, Mrs. E. G. Warner.

*Resolutions*—Mrs. R. S. Pringle, Chairman; Mrs. Lynn Hudson, Mrs. Edwin Pusey, Mrs. W. B. McKinnon.

*Nominating*—Mrs. F. Robin Graham, Chairman; Mrs. Wm. Parker, Jr., Mrs. E. B. Harrold, Mrs. J. F. Coleman, Mrs. Russell K. Smith.

*Finance*—Miss Bertha Duck, Chairman; Mrs. F. Robin Graham, Miss Mary E. King.

*Revision of By-Laws*—Mrs. F. Robin Graham, Chairman; Mrs. J. F. MacDougald, Miss Lucinda Snook, Miss Mary E. King.

*Sewance 25th Anniversary*—Mrs. John Gilmore, Chairman; Mrs. E. E. Pomeroy, Mrs. Banks Yonge, Miss Lois Parker, Mrs. H. S. Rankin, Miss Palmer Dallis.

Miss Bertha Duck gave the Treasurer's report which had been audited, a gratifying increase in all items was noted. This report was accepted with much appreciation.

The Secretary's report was read by Miss Mary E. King.

The United Thank Offering report was read by the Custodian, Mrs. Wm. Parker, Jr.

Dr. D. A. McGregor, Executive Secretary of Religious Education, gave a most inspiring address on the necessity of Religious Education in the home as the influence there superseded all others in life. At the close of his address, Dr. McGregor conducted Noonday Prayers.

Mrs. F. Robin Graham, Chairman of Missionary and Religious Education, made her report and outlined the course of study for the year, "Christ and the Modern World."

At this time Council joined the meeting to hear the Bishop of Atlanta, the Right Rev. H. J. Mikell, deliver his annual address.

The meeting then adjourned for luncheon in the Epiphany Parish House.

At 2:00 P. M. the meeting reconvened, and Mrs. C. W. McClure made her report for the Supply Work.

Mrs. E. B. Harrold asked that she be allowed to present some of the children of the Appleton Church Home, under their teacher, Mrs. Clary, in some songs. These were greatly enjoyed by all present.



Mrs. W. T. Downing, Chairman of Social Service, then gave her report.

The Roll Call of Branches was made with the following attendance: Emmanuel, Athens, 11; All Saints, Atlanta, 23; Epiphany, Atlanta, 28; Incarnation, Atlanta, 7; Our Saviour, Atlanta, 13; St. Luke, Atlanta, 32; St. Philip's Cathedral, 10; Holy Innocence Mission, Atlanta, 3; Bishop's Branch, Atlanta, 3; St. Timothy, Kirkwood, 3; St. James, Cedartown, 6; Grace, Clarkesville, 1; St. John, College Park, 8; Trinity, Columbus, 4; St. Mark, Dalton, 2; Holy Trinity, Decatur, 16; Grace, Gainesville, 5; St. George, Griffin, 4; Good Shepherd, LaGrange, 1; St. Mark, LaGrange, 6; Christ Church, Macon, 4; St. James, Macon, 10; St. Paul, Macon, 1; St. James, Marietta, 2; St. Stephen, Milledgeville, 1; Calvary, Mt. Airy, 5; St. Peter, Rome, 3; St. Paul, Atlanta, 2; Fort Valley N. & I. School, 2; St. Elizabeth, LaGrange, 1; St. Stephen, Griffin, 2.

The report of the Gift of Life was made by the Chairman, Mrs. Jno. E. Talmadge, Jr.

Mrs. Marshall Ellis gave her report as Chairman of Devotional Life and Prayer Partnership.

The Negro Fund Chairman, Mrs. Geo. P. Weathers, gave her report asking co-operation in some literature she expected to circulate.

Mrs. J. F. MacDougald made her report as Chairman for the Appleton Church Home Fund, and told of Miss Duvall's illness and inability to attend the meeting.

The Church Periodical Club Chairman, Mrs. Stephen B. Ives, introduced Mrs. G. T. Springman, Trinity, Columbus, who gave the report and explained the functioning of the Club.

At this time Mrs. Graham introduced Dr. John D. Manget, of Atlanta, who gave a talk on the Christian's Responsibility to the Jew. At the close of his address, Dr. Manget introduced Mrs. Gartenhaus, a converted Jewess, who invited the ladies to attend the bi-monthly meetings of the Friends of Israel.

A comprehensive report from the Provincial Synod was given by Mrs. Norman Nickerson, of Emmanuel, Athens, and Mrs. Woolsey E. Couch, of St. John's, College Park.

Mrs. C. L. Pettigrew, All Saints, Atlanta, our Honorary Life President, had a word of greeting, expressing her joy on her return to the Diocese after several years absence.

The President called on the Chairman of the Resolutions Committee, Mrs. R. S. Pringle, to present the following resolutions from the Executive Committee:

1st. Resolved that the Offering for the Corporate Communion on the 2nd Friday in Lent be designated for the Provincial Gift, this to be used for the Rev. Robert Fletcher and his work among the deaf. This Offering to be sent to the Diocesan Treasurer.

2nd. The Executive Committee recommends that a fund of \$500.00 be raised for Advance Work. This to be designated for the running expenses of the Hudson Stuck Memorial Hospital, Fort Yukon, Alaska.

3rd. The Executive Committee recommends the following budget (see page 16):

Upon a motion by Mrs. Freeny, it was decided to vote on the items separately.

On the first. Moved by Miss Lucinda Snook, seconded by Mrs. Herbert Hague. Carried.



On the second. Moved by Mrs. Robert Alston, seconded by Mrs. Stephen B. Ives. Mrs. John Gilmore spoke of the wonderful work done by the Hospital and of the great need of assistance. The question asked, the motion carried.

On the third. Moved by Mrs. J. F. MacDougald, seconded by Mrs. R. S. Pringle. Carried.

The Rev. G. C. Hinshelwood, of Trinity, Columbus, asked permission to read a resolution to the National Council just passed by Council, upon the great need of awakened interest in the Program of the National Council, and asking that active missionaries on furlough be sent throughout the country to inspire people in missions.

Mrs. Graham moved that we thank Mr. Hinshelwood, and assure him the Auxiliary would support his Resolution. Seconded by Mrs. W. P. Nicolson. Carried.

Mrs. Lamar Rucker moved that the Secretary send words of greeting to the Gift of Life Women from our Diocese: Miss Louise Goldthorpe, Miss Louise Schilling, and Miss Billy Linthicum. Seconded by Mrs. Jno. E. Talmadge, Jr. Carried.

The meeting adjourned with special prayers for the President, Franklin Delano Roosevelt, led by Mrs. Marshall Ellis.

On Thursday, January 25th, the meeting was called to order by the President at 9:30 A. M., and prayers were said by the Rev. Russell K. Smith.

Miss Louise Starr read a letter from Miss Billy Linthicum on the inspiration received at Sewanee and expressing the value of Summer Conferences to all.

Mrs. Marshall Ellis gave a brief report on the Conference at Kanuga.

Mrs. F. R. Graham then read the memorial, the members standing as the names of those who had passed into Eternal Life were read.

The four District Chairmen present gave brief reports of the Districts:

Mrs. Lamar Rucker for the Athens District.

Mrs. W. P. Nicolson for the Atlanta District.

Mrs. Jno. Young for the Columbus-LaGrange District.

Mrs. A. E. Young for the Rome District.

Our Student Secretary at the University of Georgia, Miss Louise Starr, gave an interesting talk on her work in its various phases.

The Bishop of the Diocese, the Right Rev. H. J. Mikell, D.D., then honored the meeting by giving a short talk, expressing his deep appreciation to the ladies for their co-operation. He explained in detail the two funds we contribute to: the Educational Fund and the Negro Fund, and told of the absolute necessity for aid from the Auxiliary.

The Branch Presidents then gave three-minute talks on their outstanding work during the past year.

Mrs. Stephen B. Ives moved that a resolution be sent President Roosevelt, expressing our deep appreciation of his work, and telling of our desire to co-operate in his efforts to bring our country to her own again.

The Secretary was asked to send a letter of condolence to Mrs. R. R. Claiborne, of Marietta, and letters of greeting to Mrs. H. J. Mikell, Mrs. C. K. Nelson, and Mrs. J. N. Talley.

The President then read the names of the District Chairmen for 1934:

Mrs. Lamar Rucker for the Athens District.



Mrs. W. P. Nicolson for the Atlanta District.

Mrs. J. Fearis Caldwell for the Columbus-LaGrange District.

Mrs. C. C. Harrold for the Macon District.

Mrs. A. E. Young for the Rome District.

The President called for any further resolutions and the following was presented by Mrs. R. S. Pringle, Chairman:

The Executive Committee, feeling that a spirit of fellowship is created in both delegates and entertaining Parish, recommends that the Woman's Auxiliary entertain their delegates to the annual meeting hereafter, as far as possible. This has nothing to do with Council.

Mrs. Herbert Hague moved that this be adopted, Mrs. John E. Talmadge, Jr., seconded. Carried.

The Registration Committee reported 232 registered in all. 79 delegates and 153 visitors.

The report of the Courtesy Committee was made by Mrs. E. G. Warner, as follows:

On behalf of the Woman's Auxiliary Diocese of Atlanta, here assembled, we wish to express our great appreciation to the Woman's Auxiliary of the Church of the Epiphany for the cordial welcome, gracious hospitality and ceaseless consideration extended to us collectively and individually. We thank the choir for the music so well rendered. To our Bishop, also to Dr. McGregor, the Rev. Mr. Hinshelwood, the officers and chairmen of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese, and the little girls and their teacher from the Home, we are gratefully indebted for an abiding inspiration and spiritual uplift, thus rendering this gathering a helpful and happy memory.

Miss Lucinda Snook proposed a rising vote of thanks to the officers for a most inspiring meeting.

Miss Snook then made a closing prayer, after which the meeting adjourned, the ladies again being entertained at luncheon in the Parish House.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY E. KING,  
Secretary.

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**PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS TO THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY  
DIOCESE OF ATLANTA  
JANUARY, 1934**

Friends and Co-Workers of the Woman's Auxiliary, we bid you welcome to this our 27th Annual Meeting, and pray God's blessing upon it, and upon us, here assembled. Especially do we welcome those here representing the branches organized since our last meeting.

We are again gathered to give an account of our stewardship for the past year and to assume privileges and responsibilities for the coming year.

May we feel grateful to our Heavenly Father for this opportunity to be Co-Workers with Him.

1933 is a year long to be remembered, for at the time of our last meeting, we were in the depths of the depression, but, because we dared to go forward, believing that God had not "given us the spirit of fear, but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind," we are today offering a report that shows progress has been made in many lines, several new projects fulfilled, and a number of women throughout the Diocese have for the first time caught the vision and have joined our



ranks. For all of this we are truly grateful to each and every one of you for your splendid loyalty and helpful co-operation. Especially are we grateful to the Executive Board which has served so untiringly, to our District Chairmen who have gone to no end of trouble to advance the work and to whom we attribute the success of the Quiet Day of Prayer on November 11th, to our Parish Presidents who have stimulated all our endeavors, and, finally, to the whole body of our women who have helped make it all possible.

The Chairmen will give reports of the splendid work accomplished by their different departments and will also bring suggestions from Miss Lindley for ways in which we may all help make Jesus Christ a reality in this modern world.

Some of our Parish Presidents will tell of the splendid help given them by Mrs. Taber in the reorganizing of their groups into one, thereby bringing to all a larger vision of their responsibilities and privileges as church women.

From our colored branches we hope to hear of the interest stimulated by Miss Esther Brown's visitation.

Through splendid efforts of our District Chairmen, we held most enthusiastic and enjoyable meetings in Gainesville, LaGrange, Decatur and Cedartown.

Letters have been received by several of us, telling of the splendid service our beloved Miss Louise Schilling is rendering in one of the Mission Schools in Changchow, China.

Reports of the Sewanee and Kanuga conferences will be given, this Diocese having been well represented at both.

We will also hear from the Synod. Again this Diocese led in number of women attending, twenty-one having registered.

Your President has been most fortunate in the contacts made during the year with our sister Dioceses. By invitation she was privileged to attend the Bi-Centennial Celebration held at Christ Church, Savannah, and to be present at the Annual Meeting of their Auxiliary, at which time greetings were conveyed from this Diocese.

While visiting in Mobile, Alabama, through the gracious hospitality of Mrs. H. F. Schroeter, wife of the minister of Trinity Church, and sister of our own Miss Louise Schilling, a tea was given me to which all officers of all the Auxiliaries were invited and at which ideas were exchanged and much inspiration gained.

At Sewanee last summer, while acting as Dean of Women during the adult conference, many contacts were made that have redounded to the good of this Diocese in many ways. To this we owe the presence here today of Dr. McGregor. After hearing him, and realizing that his dynamic personality with the message he would bring was the thing we needed to stimulate us in our study of Christ in the modern world, we left no stone unturned until we had his promise to come to us for we were determined to share with you some of the good things that had come to us.

In October, on St. Simons' Island, the women of the Diocese of Georgia held a Retreat Conference, to which we were invited to take part. The conference was so impressive that we will not be content until we can arrange a similar one for our Diocese. Imagine the effect on us of two or three days set aside in a quiet place, solely for spiritual development. Surely, that is a wonderful way to make Christ real in this modern world.

The contacts made while attending the Synod in Montgomery, Alabama, were most helpful. From our Provincial President, Mrs. Cain, and our own Miss Lindley, we were given a new and enlarged



vision of our task. You can see that we have been busy gaining here and there much information and inspiration during the year.

In making plans for our forward work, we realize that most of the work we are now doing is mainly for our own Diocese, but as we think of Christ in the world today, we want to have a share in sending Him also to places far away, so it has been suggested that the Hudson Stuck Hospital in Fort Yukon, Alaska, greatly needs our assistance and when the budget for 1934 is presented to you and all of it explained, I beg of you to give prayerful consideration to it and let's dare again to "attempt great things for God."

There are other matters as Christian women that we should be even more concerned about than raising our budget. First, the putting of Jesus Christ into the hearts and souls of men and women. Friends, there never has been a time when people were more desperately in need of Him than they are today, and the sad part is that most of them are totally unaware of it. One would think that in times like these many would be turning to the Church, but that is not the case. Isn't there some reason? Does it occur to you that maybe the fault lies in you, and in me? Are we, as Christian women, setting such a Christlike example of a way of living that others are drawn to Him? Are we able and prepared to show them a way out of their tragedies and difficulties? If not, why not?

In order that we may become compelling witnesses for Jesus Christ, are you willing to get on your knees, alone with God, praying, first that He make you conscious of your faults, willing to confess them, willing to repent of them, so that any coldness or aloofness you may be guilty of, may be turned to sympathy and understanding, that any selfishness be turned to thoughtfulness and consideration of others so you will be in no way a stumbling block to any who are seeking Him? Are you willing to use all of your influence to make war a thing of the past, to do all you can to stamp out lynching forever, to try to raise the moral laxity into which we have fallen to a higher plane of living, to hold our Christian standards high, and to make the Golden Rule a reality in business and every day life? If we are willing to do these things, our stewardship as Christian women will prove most effectual.

So as we go back to our different Parishes and take up our work, may we be ever mindful of the goal we would attain, seeking ever to know the will of God and His great purpose for the world. May we be sincere in our desire to be used of Him, being willing to renew our minds, to be changed ourselves in order to be able to change conditions, realizing that:

"New occasions teach new duties; time makes ancient good uncouth;

They must upward still and onward, who would keep abreast of truth;

Lo, before us gleam her campfires; we, ourselves, must pilgrims be,

Launch our Mayflower and steer boldly through the desperate winter sea—

Nor attempt the future portal with the Past's bloodrusted key."

SUE B. STERNE.



# WOMAN'S AUXILIARY, DIOCESE OF ATLANTA REPORT OF THE TREASURER

## RECEIPTS: (\*)

Diocesan Expense Fund—	
Balance on Hand January 1, 1933.....	\$ 208.43
Receipts .....	\$ 247.95
Appleton Church Home Fund.....	1,098.10
Bishop's Educational Fund .....	1,010.00
Diocesan Negro Fund .....	449.50
Rosa Woodberry Memorial .....	130.00
Literature for the Blind.....	11.00
Provincial Gift .....	14.00
Offering at Annual Meeting for Work of Provincial Missionary to the Deaf (Rev. Robt. C. Fletcher) .....	36.30
Bishop's Special (**) .....	110.12
Caroline Memorial Work in China.....	50.00
Total Receipts .....	3,156.97
Total Available .....	\$3,365.40

## DISBURSEMENTS:

Diocesan Expense Fund—	
National      Woman's      Auxiliary	
Dues .....	\$ 15.00
Provincial      Woman's      Auxiliary	
Dues .....	25.00
Federated Church Women of Ga.	
Dues .....	5.00
Central Conference on Women's Church Work, Eng. ....	1.00
Speaker at Annual Meeting—Expense .....	10.00
Printing 1932 Annual Report (or 1933 Year Book) .....	66.00
Envelopes for Same .....	2.75
Woman's Auxiliary Stationery.....	13.95
Diocesan Officers' Expense .....	49.91
1932-33 Reserve (In Savings Bank) for Triennial Delegate Expense .....	100.00
Federal Tax on Bank Checks.....	1.02
	\$ 289.63
Appleton Church Home Fund.....	1,098.10
Bishop's Educational Fund .....	1,010.00
Diocesan Negro Fund .....	449.50
Rosa Woodberry Memorial:	
Miss Louise Starr, Student Worker Univ. of Ga. ....	\$100.00
Woman's Auxiliary Delegate to Seawanee Summer Conference ....	28.00
	128.00



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Literature for the Blind.....	\$ 11.00
Provincial Gift .....	14.00
Missionary to the Deaf (Rev. Robt. C. Fletcher) .....	36.30
Bishop's Special .....	110.12
Caroline Memorial Work in China.....	50.00
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Total Disbursements .....	\$3,196.65
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Balance on Hand December 31, 1933.....	\$ 168.75
Diocesan Expense Fund .....	\$166.75
Rosa Woodberry Memorial ....	2.00
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Respectfully submitted,

BERTHA DUCK,  
Treasurer.

Examined and certified correct:

ARTHUR H. THOMAS, Auditor,  
January 12, 1934

- (\*) For Itemized Receipts from Branches, see Statement, Page 14.  
 (\*\*) Offerings at Woman's Aux. Lenten Corporate Communion.



1933 ITEMIZED RECEIPTS FROM W. A. BRANCHES	Diocesan Expense Fund	Appleton Church Home Fund	Bishop's Educational Fund	Diocesan Negro Fund	Rosa Woodberry Memorial	Literature for the Blind	Provincial
Athens, Emmanuel.....	\$ 16.00	\$ 15.00	\$ 15.00	\$ 10.00	\$ 26.00	\$ .50	\$
Atlanta, All Saints.....	21.20	150.00	250.00	75.00	20.50	.50	
Atlanta, All Saints, Y. W. A.....	4.80	5.00	2.50	5.00	.....	.50	
Atlanta, All Saints, H. M. Jones Auxiliary-Guild .....	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Atlanta, Epiphany .....	10.00	25.00	25.00	15.00	1.00	.50	
Atlanta, Incarnation .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.50	
Atlanta, Our Saviour.....	5.00	20.00	10.00	5.00	.....	.50	
Atlanta, St. Luke.....	25.00	250.00	250.00	75.00	25.00	.50	
Atlanta, St. Luke, Business Women's Club .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Atlanta, St. Paul.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Atlanta, St. Philip's Cathedral.....	8.80	70.00	50.00	50.00	10.00	.50	
Atlanta, St. Philip's, Y. W. A.....	10.00	15.00	15.00	25.00	5.00	.50	
Atlanta, St. Timothy, Kirkwood..	2.00	2.00	1.00	1.00	.....	.50	
Austell, Good Shepherd.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Cedartown, St. James.....	8.80	15.00	5.00	6.00	1.00	.50	
Clarksville, Grace.....	1.20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
College Park, St. John.....	.....	6.00	5.00	2.00	.....	.50	
Columbus, St. Christopher.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Columbus, Trinity .....	28.00	109.60	90.00	50.00	5.00	.50	
Dalton, St. Mark.....	4.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	.....	.....	
Decatur, Holy Trinity.....	20.00	30.00	15.00	10.00	10.00	.50	
Fort Valley, N. & I. School.....	2.35	.....	4.50	3.50	.....	.....	
Fort Valley, St. Andrew.....	2.40	3.00	1.00	.....	1.00	.50	
Gainesville, Grace.....	6.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	.....	.....	
Griffin, St. George.....	11.60	60.00	36.00	6.00	.....	1.00	
LaGrange, Good Shepherd.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
LaGrange, St. Mark.....	9.60	.....	.....	.....	3.00	.....	
Macon, Christ Church.....	10.00	100.00	75.00	50.00	5.00	.50	
Macon, St. James.....	6.00	50.00	20.00	15.00	2.50	.50	
Macon, St. Paul.....	6.00	35.00	35.00	15.00	.....	.50	
Marietta, St. James .....	10.00	60.00	50.00	10.00	10.00	.50	
Milledgeville, St. Stephen.....	5.60	5.00	5.00	1.00	.....	.....	
Mt. Airy, Calvary.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Rome, St. Peter.....	10.00	60.00	40.00	10.00	.....	.50	
Talbotton, Mt. Zion.....	1.60	2.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Other Sources, Atlanta and Marietta Lenten Commission	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
St. James and St. Paul, Macon, Lenten Commission....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Offering at W. A. Annual Meeting, Athens.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Donation .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.00	.....	
Total.....	\$247.95	\$1,098.10	\$1,010.00	\$449.50	\$130.00	\$ 11.00	\$



Blind	Provincial Gift	Rev. R. C. Fletcher, Missionary To the Deaf	Bishop's Special (1932)	United Thank Offering	Christian Social Service	Value Appleton C. Home Clothing	Value Supply Boxes	Branch Specials	Caroline Memorial Work in China	Total
.50	\$ 3.00	\$	\$ 21.40	\$ 116.12	\$ 240.00	\$ 45.11	\$ 30.50	\$ 38.77	\$	\$ 577.40
.50	3.00			250.00	40.00	25.00	48.11	159.00		1,042.31
.50				8.15	90.00	39.14	15.88			170.97
						25.00				27.00
.50				27.10	74.25		85.66	236.00		499.51
.50				10.07						10.57
.50				45.16	163.50		12.78	375.69		637.63
.50	5.00			228.48	293.00	100.00	66.69	66.00		1,384.67
				9.50						9.50
							2.20	61.76		63.96
.50	1.50			16.60	127.30		21.15			355.85
.50				35.00	97.99	50.00	10.00	52.80		316.29
.50			5.00	15.00	26.51	3.50	14.30			70.81
.50	.50			25.64	99.01	35.00	6.00			202.45
										1.20
.50				14.10	200.00		16.00	66.00		309.60
				1.00	20.00		2.40			23.40
.50			1.75	55.04	304.09	52.00	30.00	8.00	50.00	783.98
				12.03	4.76	25.00	10.00			70.79
.50			6.50	52.59	12.90	70.00	26.17	479.88		733.54
			3.89	6.56	21.34	1.00	16.85			59.99
.50				1.30			15.72	36.60		61.52
			1.40	23.30		25.00	60.00			130.70
1.00			10.45	63.07		6.00				194.12
				3.02						3.02
			1.50	15.36	14.25	33.75	7.83			85.29
.50	1.00		5.50	43.95	219.00	14.00	17.88	12.00		553.83
.50				36.97	153.80	14.00	38.56	155.06		492.39
.50				49.25		5.60	10.39			156.74
.50				40.55	40.00	49.50	21.65			292.20
			2.48	15.62	130.00	15.00	3.00	185.00		367.70
.50				31.50	120.00	46.00	45.00	319.55		682.55
				2.00		1.00				7.10
			45.00							45.00
			5.25							5.25
		36.30								36.30
										5.00
1.00	\$ 14.00	\$ 36.30	\$ 110.12	\$1,254.03	\$2,491.70	\$680.60	\$634.72	\$2,251.11	\$ 50.00	\$10,470.13



**BUDGET FOR 1934**

Diocesan Expense Fund (40c per member)	
Appleton Church Home Fund.....	\$1,200.00
Bishop's Educational Fund .....	1,200.00
Diocesan Negro Fund .....	500.00
Rosa Woodberry Memorial	
Salary Miss Louise Starr, Univ. of Ga.....	\$100.00
Expense Delegates to Summer conferences.....	50.00
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	150.00
Provincial Gift, Work of Rev. Robt. Fletcher, Provincial Mis-	
sionary to the Deaf .....	50.00
Literature for the Blind .....	10.00
Hudson Stuck Memorial Hospital, Ft. Yukon, Alaska.....	500.00
United Thank Offering	
Christian Social Service	
Supply Boxes	
Clothing Appleton Church Home Girls	

**Budget in the Fields of Service****PARISH—**

Co-operate with all phases of parish program

**COMMUNITY—**

Christian Social Service in co-operation with Welfare Agencies  
and Institutions  
Interdenominational activities

**DIOCESE—**

Diocesan Expense Fund  
Appleton Church Home Fund  
Bishop's Educational Fund  
Diocesan Negro Fund  
Rosa Woodberry Memorial  
Clothing Appleton Church Home Girls

**NATION—**

Provincial Gift-Work Among Deaf  
Literature for the Blind  
Supply Boxes  
United Thank Offering

**WORLD—**

Hudson Stuck Memorial Hospital  
Supply Boxes  
United Thank Offering



**CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY OF  
THE DIOCESE OF ATLANTA****ARTICLE I—NAME**

The name of this association shall be the Atlanta Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council.

**ARTICLE II—OBJECT**

The object of this association shall be to promote within and without the Diocese the great aims of Christian service in Missions and Church Extension, in Religious Education, and Social Service.

**ARTICLE III—MEMBERSHIP**

1. The Bishop and clergy of the Diocese shall be ex-officio members.
2. Any baptized woman whose declared intention is to actively engage in any branch of the work of this organization shall be eligible to membership.
3. Others on vote of the organization may be admitted as associates and known as Auxiliary Co-Workers.

**ARTICLE IV—ORGANIZATION**

1. This association shall be organized with departments along the lines of the National Council.
2. The officers shall be a President, three Vice-Presidents who shall be Department Chairmen, a Corresponding and Recording Secretary, a Treasurer, a United Thank Offering Custodian.
3. There shall be a Diocesan Board of Directors composed of the officers, the Department Chairmen and Parish Presidents, and past Diocesan Presidents. This Board shall have power to organize departments along the lines of the work of the church at large. Each department shall make an annual report.

**ARTICLE V—ELECTIONS**

1. All officers shall be elected at the Annual Convention for three years, and shall not be eligible for re-election to the same office.
2. Nominations shall be made by a nominating committee, appointed by the President, and the election shall be made by ballot.
3. The Secretary of the Convention shall notify in writing all officers and chairmen of their election immediately after adjournment.

**ARTICLE VI—REPRESENTATION**

Each parish and mission shall be entitled to two delegates and its president.

No person may have more than one vote and no proxies are allowed.

**ARTICLE VII—MEETINGS**

1. The Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary shall meet annually on the day preceding the meeting of the Diocesan Council.

The Executive Committee shall meet at least three times a year, preferably in January, October, and preceding the Annual Convention.

The Auxiliary Board of Directors should meet preceding the Annual Convention.



A quorum of the Executive Committee shall be five. A quorum of the Board of Directors shall be 10.

#### ARTICLE VIII—FINANCES

1. The fiscal year shall be from January 1st to January 1st.
2. The Diocesan assessment for Expense Fund shall be forty cents per capita annually on each member, this assessment to be collected and provided for by the auxiliary branch rather than from the individual members.
3. The Executive Committee shall order the disbursement of funds, subject to the action of the Annual Convention.
4. The several departments may hold and disburse funds acquired for their specific work. They shall make an itemized statement of receipts and expenditures at the Annual Convention.

#### ARTICLE IX

This Constitution may be amended at any Annual Convention by a majority vote, provided due notice has been sent every branch of the proposed amendment, and a copy of the same.



# Year Book



## YEAR BOOK

### Suggestions for Leaders

1. Open every meeting with devotions. Have a devotional chairman. She should select different leaders to give the devotionals. Arrange this at least two weeks in advance. The devotional is worship and should be carefully and prayerfully prepared, correlated with the subject of the Program.
2. Every Branch should appoint a committee to arrange a program for the year adapted to their own needs. A well balanced program will include Worship, Study, Work and Gifts. By gifts we mean, Gifts of Self in service and prayer as well as money.
3. Study Class Leaders should be well informed before beginning the lessons. Promote discussions as much as possible. Don't be discouraged, all will not want to take part, but encourage those who will talk. The Mission Study Courses are to be used weekly during Lent or at any time or in any way as best suits the individual Branch. We have included no outlines for "Christ and the Modern World" as we felt that Leaders would have already worked out their own plans before this book could be published. The material in this book is only suggested, and intended to help the Leaders work out well balanced programs according to the individual needs of their Branches.

### SUGGESTED OUTLINE FOR MEETINGS

Call to order

Devotions:

Hymn, said or sung

Selected Scripture reading (with or without comment)

Prayers

Business:

Roll Call

Reading of Minutes

Communications from Diocesan Officers

Reports of Branch officers, standing committees and special committees

Unfinished business

New business

Educational Program

Closing prayer and benediction

Social feature

### PROGRAM I—CALL TO SERVICE

"Ye have not chosen me. I have chosen you."

"Who is willing to consecrate his service this day unto the Lord?"  
I Chron. 29:5.

The Answer: "And here we offer and present unto thee, O Lord, our selves, our souls and bodies, to be a reasonable, holy, and living sacrifice unto thee."

Hymn No. 268: "Jesus Calls Us."

Bible Reading: St. Luke 19:12-26.

Prayer: O God our Heavenly Father, grant us by thy Holy Spirit to hear evermore clearly thy Voice calling us to a deeper devotion to thy service. Give us grace to answer with our whole heart that



we may be found willing and ready to give thee our best. We ask it for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Suggestions for program: Before making the outline for the year's work see that every woman in the parish is visited, and her co-operation enlisted in some one of the activities planned. Present a very definite outline of work, if possible, have mimeographed copies of same distributed, ask members to check their interests and return.

A short talk from your Rector telling of any special co-operation he wants from you. This might be followed by a social cup of tea.

Mrs. Cain's message is "GO FORWARD" and some one has said that to "BELIEVE IS TO ACHIEVE."

### PROGRAM 2—RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Hymn No. 366.

Bible Reading: St. Luke 2:52.

Prayer: Almighty God our Heavenly Father, who hast committed to thy holy Church the care and nurture of thy children; enlighten with thy wisdom those who teach and those who learn, that rejoicing in the knowledge of thy truth, they may worship thee and serve thee from generation to generation; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Program: Is Religious Education the effort to develop right attitudes toward God, towards man, towards life in all its relationships? Is it the conscious effort to provide opportunities for spiritual growth stimulated by worship, study and work? Discuss. Have a Church School Meeting, inviting Church School Teachers to Auxiliary meeting, and have Superintendent give talk on Home co-operation. Know something about the Y. P. S. L. and the aims and plans of Camp Mikell.

Our Student Worker at Athens: Try to assist her in her work, let her suggest how best you can reach the student in your community. Student work an opportunity for Service.

The Bishop's plan for aiding Theological students. How many in training? Discuss Bishop's Educational Fund.

### PROGRAM 3—HUDSON STUCK MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, FORT YUKON, ALASKA

Hymn No. 490: "Go labor on, spend and be spent."

Bible Reading: St. Luke 5:18-26.

Prayer: Almighty God, whose blessed Son Jesus Christ went about doing good and healing all manner of sickness and disease among the people; continue, we beseech Thee, His gracious work among us in the hospitals of our land; (especially do we pray for the Hudson Stuck Memorial Hospital), console and heal the sufferers, grant to the physicians and surgeons wisdom and skill, and to the nurses diligence and patience. Prosper this work, O Lord, and vouchsafe Thy blessing to all who give of their substance for their maintenance; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Program: Talk—Brief outline of Missionary District of Alaska, see Church Program p. 49. Use map if possible, locate Ft. Yukon within Arctic Circle at junction of Porcupine and Yukon River. Hospital established 1914 by Archdeacon Stuck, name changed from St. Stephen's to Hudson Stuck Memorial Hospital after his



death Oct. 10, 1920. Briefly tell of the work of Archdeacon Stuck. Tell of varied character of work of hospital, solarium for tubercular patients, etc. Tell of Dr. Grafton Burke, surgeon in charge since its founding. Tell of Mrs. Burke, and her work for homeless and orphan children. Hudson Stuck says of her in History of the Alaskan Missions: "A missionary's wife is not technically a missionary, yet few women who have served as missionaries in Alaska have been of more abundant and gracious usefulness than this self-sacrificing capable lady."

### Plan No. 2

Program: Rent Lantern Slide Lecture on Alaska. Make plans to include all groups and organizations in the parish. Take a free will offering for the Auxiliary pledge for the hospital.

For further help write Mrs. F. R. Graham, 1228 Spring St., Atlanta, Ga.

### PROGRAM 4—SOCIAL SERVICE

"Infinite pity is needed for the infinite pathos of human life."—Short-house.

Hymn No. 379—"O Jesus I have promised."

Bible Reading: St. Matt. 25:31-45. "Who are the blessed?"

Prayer: Blessed be God even the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies and the God of all comfort, who comforteth us in all our tribulations. Grant that we may be able to comfort them which are in any trouble, by the comfort wherewith we ourselves are comforted of God. (St. Paul's prayer as found in II Cor. 1:3-4.)

Program: Local needs presented by Welfare Worker. To what extent does your parish co-operate to alleviate distress and raise standards in accordance with Christian ideas?

Some timely topics being considered by our National Board.

1. What the garment label means to women.
2. The Parish House and the new leisure.
3. The Ratification of the child labor bill.

Let us be informed. Send to the Church Missions House for pamphlets. They have been prepared for your information. Don't neglect the articles on Christian Social Service appearing monthly in the Spirit of Missions.

### PROGRAM 5—INTERRACIAL CONTACTS

*With God it wasn't Race that counted, but Righteousness.  
"Think not to say we have Abraham to our Father."*

Hymn No. 249: "Lead Us, O Father, in the Paths of Peace."

Bible Reading: St. Luke 10:30-37.

Prayer: O loving Father who hast made the small and the great, and carest for all alike, we pray thee for those who bear rule and responsibility, and for the backward and the ignorant. Teach us to live together in peace and friendliness remembering our common Fatherhood.

Program: Send to the Church Missions House for a pamphlet, "Interracial Relations." Obtain information about the condition of



negroes in your community, sanitary conditions, housing, recreation facilities, justice in courts, and press, school and hospital provision.

Question: What is our Church doing in regard to them?

As Bishop Reese, of Georgia, has well said, "The negro is entitled to make under God, the best of himself of which he is capable." Are we helping or hindering?

The Atlanta office of the Interracial Commission is 703 Standard Bldg. They will give you all the help you need.

In view of the fact that Bishop Mikell tells us that the appropriation to our own colored churches has been necessarily reduced, there is probably great need for our interest and help.

### PROGRAM 6—UNITED THANK OFFERING

Hymn No. 504: "Holy Offerings Rich and Rare."

Bible Reading: St. Matt. 28:11-20.

Prayer: O, Lord, our Heavenly Father, we pray Thee to send forth more laborers into Thy harvest, and to grant them Thy special grace for every need. Guard and guide the workers in the field, and draw us into closer fellowship with them. Dispose the hearts of all women everywhere to give gladly as Thou hast given to them. Accept, from grateful hearts, our United Thank Offering of prayer and gifts and joyful service; and bless it to the coming of Thy Kingdom, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Program: Do you know:

What is the purpose of the United Thank Offering?

Where are the training centers in which the women of the Church are interested and with which the U. T. O. is closely connected?

How many workers in the field the U. T. O. supports?

How many in the U. S.? How many in domestic and foreign fields?

How many helped by retirement fund?

Who decides about U. T. O. buildings?

How many U. T. O. in this Diocese? Where?

How many in your Parish are helping by gifts and prayers?

How many Blue Boxes?

That the next offering will be presented October 11th at 8 A. M. in Atlantic City, N. J.

How are you planning to share in this great event?

Closing Prayers for Thank Offering Workers, Prayer Partners and Volunteers.

### PROGRAM 7—SUPPLY WORK

Hymn: "Christ for the World."

Bible Reading: II Cor. 9:6-12.

Prayer: Heavenly Father, look with favor we beseech Thee upon the box work of Thy Church, especially in this Diocese. Fill the hearts of each one of us with a sense of responsibility for these our workers. May we give joyfully and understandingly and so may we too be "doers of the word, and not hearers only." We ask it in the name of Him who taught us to say Our Father.

Program: It is essential that we study and know about the fields where our allotments are sent. Get in touch with your Diocesan Supply Secretary, who will gladly furnish you with material. Information will assuredly lead to Inspiration.

Let us not send our boxes to a place, but to a person.



Have articles on display, so that all may share in the project, and write a personal, friendly letter to the recipient.  
Plan it ahead of time, so that interesting papers may be prepared.

**PROGRAM 8—OPPORTUNITIES FOR DEVELOPING SPIRITUAL  
LIFE THROUGH DEVOTIONAL PROGRAM, PRAYER  
PARTNER, GIFT OF LIFE**

Hymn No. 500.

Bible Reading: St. Matt. 26:6-13, or St. John 12:1-7.

Prayer: Almighty God, who hast poured us the new light of thine incarnate word; grant that the same light enkindled in our hearts may shine forth in our lives; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Program: Have a yearly devotional program which includes a Corporate Communion, Day of Prayer, Study of Prayer or Prayer Group.

Have a Branch project either Bible or Prayer Book Class, Calendar of Daily Bible Readings used.

Sponsor a religious service in a Community Home, Hospital, Jail, etc.

Have a Devotional at every meeting prayerfully and carefully prepared, the aim being—St. Luke 2:19.

Find out what a Prayer Partnership involves.

Know something about your Prayer Partner, her work and problems. How you may be of greatest service to her.

Know what the Gift of Life is. Invite your Diocesan Chairman to your meeting. Find out what three times you are expected to use the Gift of Life prayer. Seek opportunities to present the need for volunteers.

Closing Prayers for Prayer Partner and Gift of Life.

**PROGRAM 9—APPLETON CHURCH HOME**

Hymn No. 355: "Saviour Like a Shepherd Lead Us."

Bible Reading: St. Luke 2:40.

Prayer: O Lord Jesus Christ, we ask Thy blessing on all children everywhere, especially these in our Appleton Church Home. Keep them from evil, may each one of them seek to find out what Thou wouldst have them to do in life, and earnestly strive to follow Thee, who in Thy boyhood didst choose to do Thy Father's business.

Program: Find out something about the purpose and aim of the Home. How supported?

Invite the Executive Secretary, Miss Fannie Duvall, to address your Auxiliary, or your Diocesan Chairman, Mrs. J. F. MacDougald.

Make plans to attend the Pilgrimage to the Home in April.

Adopt one of the girls to clothe.

Discuss ways and means of bringing the girls at the Home in closer contact with the girls in our church schools.

Have members take part in the Thanksgiving Offering for the Home.

Plan to interest others who are not members of the Auxiliary in the Home.



**PROGRAM 10—EVALUATION MEETING**

Hymn No. 245: "He Leadeth Me! O Blessed Thought!"

Bible Reading: Psalm 24.

Prayer: O, Heavenly Father, who knowest all our needs, bless the women of all nations, especially the women of this Parish. Give us strength for the new burdens which have been laid upon us in this time. Increase Thy gifts of knowledge and understanding, of council and strength that we may walk worthy of our vocation through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Program: What has been of most value in your year's work?

What have been your problems?

What changes would you suggest? Send in your suggestions to your Diocesan Chairman.

What have your gifts meant to you?

What do you consider your best piece of work during the year? Why?

In what way can your Diocesan officers be of more service to you?

Elect delegates to annual meeting; ask them to be prepared to make a report to the Branch at the next meeting.



**A LITANY OF THANKSGIVING**

Almighty God, our Heavenly Father, from Whom cometh every good and perfect gift, we call to remembrance Thy loving kindness and Thy tender mercies which have ever been of old, and with grateful hearts we would lift up to Thee the voice of our thanksgiving.

For all the gifts which Thou hast bestowed upon us and our race,  
For the life Thou hast given us, and the world in which we live;

We praise Thee, O God,

For the work we are enabled to do, and  
For the truth we are permitted to learn;  
For whatever of good there has been in our lives,

For all the hopes and aspirations which lead us onward to better things;

We praise Thee, O God,

For all the comforts and gladness of life;  
For our homes and all our home-blessings;  
For our friends and all the pure pleasures of social intercourse;  
And most of all and above all:

For the gift of Thy Son Jesus Christ, and all helps and hopes which are ours as His disciples;

We praise Thee, O God,

For communion with Thee, the Father of our spirits;  
For the light and peace that are gained through trust and obedience to Thy laws;  
For the desire and power to help others;  
For every opportunity of serving our generation according to Thy will, and manifesting the grace of Christ to men;

We praise Thee, O God,

For all the discipline of life;  
For the tasks and trials by which we are trained to patience, self-knowledge and self-conquest;  
For all the circumstances which bring us into closer sympathy with our suffering brethren;  
For troubles which have lifted us nearer Thee and drawn us into deeper fellowship with Jesus Christ;

We praise Thee, O God,

God of all grace and love, we have praised Thee with our lips;  
Grant that we may also praise Thee in consecrated and faithful lives,  
to Thy honour and glory, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

—(Adapted from J. Hunter.)

**PRAYERS****For the Woman's Auxiliary**

O Lord Jesus, who art the way, the truth and the life, grant to all members of the Woman's Auxiliary increase of knowledge, obedience and love; give them a clear vision of Thy will and purpose for the whole world, and help them to do their part in calling back Thy church to simpler discipleship, readier obedience, and more loving service; for thine own name's sake. Amen.

Almighty God, our Heavenly Father, bless we pray Thee, our work for the extension of Thy Kingdom, and make us so thankful for the



precious gift to us of Thy beloved Son, that we may pray fervently, labor diligently and give liberally to make Him known to all nations as their God and Saviour. We ask this for His dear sake. Amen.

#### **Noonday Prayer for Missions**

Blessed Saviour, who at this hour didst hang upon the Cross, stretching forth Thy loving arms, grant that all mankind may look unto Thee and be saved; through Thy mercy and merits, who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Ghost ever one God, world without end. Amen.

#### **For the Thank Offering**

O, Lord, our Heavenly Father, we pray Thee to send forth more laborers into Thy harvest, and to grant them Thy special grace for every need. Guard and guide the workers in the field, and draw us into a closer fellowship with them. Dispose the hearts of all women everywhere to give gladly as Thou hast given to them. Accept, from grateful hearts, our United Thank Offering of prayer and gifts and joyful service; and bless it to the coming of Thy Kingdom, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### **For the Parish or Mission**

Bless, we beseech Thee, our Heavenly Father, the Rector and members of this Parish with a greater vision of the Christ in His beauty, that in the strength of this vision we may labor without haste but without ceasing, and make Thy great love known among all Thy children; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### **For the Diocese**

O Lord Jesus Christ, who hast promised to be with Thy Church unto the end of the world; look with mercy, we beseech Thee, upon the Church in this Diocese. Bestow Thy blessing upon Bishop, priests and people. Supply all their needs Lord, increase our faith, faith that shall dare, faith that shall share, faith that shall give men, money and life for the upbuilding of Thy Kingdom; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

#### **Prayer Partners**

Almighty God, who didst call holy women to be helpers and workers in Thy service; bless, we pray Thee, Thy servants and prosper them in the work to which Thou hast called them. Grant them sufficient wisdom for every task, Thy gracious help in time of trouble, the sense of Thy presence in loneliness and the power to accomplish whatever has been begun in Thy name and for Thy glory; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

#### **Closing Prayers**

May God bless us all with a loving sense of His near presence, to guide us, to protect us, and to help us, and may we know what it is to walk close with Him all our life long. Amen.

The Grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Ghost be with us all evermore. Amen.

—II Cor. 13:14.















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