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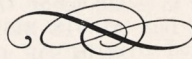
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## FOR PEACE

Eternal God, in whose perfect Kingdom no sword is drawn but the sword of righteousness, and no strength known but the strength of love; so guide and inspire, we pray Thee, the work of all who seek Thy Kingdom, that the nations may find their security not in force of arms but in that perfect love which casteth out fear, and in that fellowship revealed to us by Thy Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## FOR THE SHUT-IN AND ISOLATED

We remember before Thee, O Lord, all who by reason of infirmity or distance are hindered from worship in Thy holy House. Let Thy nearness be their recompense, and lead Thy Church to seek out and visit the lonely, inasmuch as they are Thine. Amen.

## INSTALLATION SERVICE FOR PARISH AUXILIARY OFFICERS\*

The officers who are to be installed, standing at the altar rail, the Past President, or some other person duly appointed, shall say:

Reverend Sir, the members of the Woman's Auxiliary of ..... Church have indicated their faith and trust in these women by electing them as their officers for the coming year. On behalf of the Auxiliary, I present them to you for installation.

Then the Minister shall say to each in turn:

I install you into the office of ..... to which you have been elected; and may God grant you grace and wisdom faithfully to exercise the duties thereof.

### For a President

O God, without whose illumination and guidance we cannot please Thee; withhold not Thy help from those who occupy places of trust in Thy Holy Church; bless especially her who has been chosen to direct and lead the Woman's Auxiliary of ..... Church. Give her plenteously of Thy gentleness and firmness, to so manage the affairs of this organization that it may prosper in all things, according to the manifestation of Thy glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### For Vice-Presidents

Most gracious God, be pleased to bless this woman (these women) who has (have) been appointed to the office of Vice-President of this Woman's Auxiliary; may she (they) serve faithfully and ever be ready to assist or direct as Thou dost call her (them). Grant to her (them) Thy Holy Spirit to enable her (them) to do all things through Him, who is Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

### For Secretary and Treasurer

O Lord, Jesus Christ, who in the days of Thy flesh didst accept the services of faithful women who ministered unto Thee of their substance, be pleased to pour upon this (these) Thy servant (s) entrusted with the office of ..... Thy grace and heavenly benediction. Grant to her (them) the spirit of faith, loyalty and ability to transact the business allotted to her (them); who art with the Father and the Holy Ghost, one God, world without end. Amen.

### For Chairmen of Committees

O Lord, who hast called us all to follow Thee, teach us to serve Thee as Thou deservest; to give and not to count the cost; to fight and not to heed the wounds; to toil and not seek for rest; to labor and not to ask for any reward, save that of knowing that we do Thy will, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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

\*This service may be used at a Corporate Communion of the women of the parish or at an annual meeting. It may be readily adapted for use in a Diocese or a Province.



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# The Bishop's Foreword

One of the nicest things about the Diocese of Lexington right now is its "emphasis on youth". Our Diocese is full of fine young people, both clerical and lay, who are vitally interested in the Church, and are actively involved in its program.

The French have a proverb which runs, "If the young only knew; if the old only could!" But the young may learn, and those who are older can help them. Here in the Diocese of Lexington we have not "warfare" between youth and age, but "partnership"; and that is a very blessed thing.

For a good many years, now, we in the Diocese of Lexington have had what the Quaker would call a "concern" for youth, and it is beginning to pay off. The young people know that the older folks in their Church are interested in them and will help them, and that they will be given vital, satisfying work to do for the Church just as soon as they are ready for it.

Those of us who were at the Cathedral Domain this past June for the Youth Conference had the wonderful experience of seeing nearly an hundred and fifty young folks from all over our Diocese gathered together with their instructors having fun together, and learning about their Church and about their Faith, and loving every minute of it! They were a group to be proud of. As someone said, "Isn't it a thing to make your heart glad to know that we have wonderful young people like this all over our Diocese who love the Church, and who will work to make it live!"

The Cathedral Domain is an important part of that "concern" which we, in our Diocese, have felt for "Youth". It has been a struggle to build it, but it is worth all that it has cost. In building it we have laid a firm grasp on the future. In the Youth Conference, and in the Camps for Boys and Girls, we are building strength for the Church in future years. The Woman's Auxiliary has had a vital part in this. The Cathedral Domain could not have been built without the interest and the help of the Woman's Auxiliary. The women of our Diocese were among the first to understand what might be done for the Church through that place, and the results which are beginning to come are the fruits of their vision, their sympathy, and their work.

At the Domain this past June, leading the young people, were a fine group of young clergymen. They, too, are a fruit of our "concern" for youth. Most of them are sons of our own Diocese who have grown to manhood and to leadership among us. Many of them are graduates, or students, in our own Theological Seminary. You know what this has meant, and will mean, for us. Certainly the people in our Mission Churches and our smaller Parishes know, for more and more of them now have a Minister of their own, attractive, able, interested and hard at work! This would not have been possible without our School of Theology. This year, in a fresh venture of Faith, we are expanding our Staff and our facilities in our Seminary. The sympathy and help of the women of our Church, through the Woman's Auxiliary Branches, will be necessary if our venture is to succeed. We know that you will help us.

Another important area of our "concern" for Youth is our College work. Young men and women from Christian homes are under special stress in University life. Their Church must be there on the Campus with them to help them. It is up to us. Nobody is going to do this for us. And if we are going to have a steady flow of young men for the Ministry, we must pay attention to the Colleges in which the young men we want are getting their basic education. We must be represented on the College Campus in our area in a way not to make us ashamed; and especially we must pay attention to the University of Kentucky, in Lexington. We have a wonderful plan for this work, and we have begun to implement it; but we must remember that what we have done as yet is but a beginning. We look to the women of the Diocese to stand behind us in this vital and necessary work.

Remember these three things! The Cathedral Domain! The Church's work on the College Campus! And our Theological Seminary! Here is work which will bear fruit now, and through all the years ahead! Blessed, praised, worshipped and adored be our God, who has given us such an opportunity, in this day, to build for the coming of His Kingdom!

WILLIAM R. MOODY  
Bishop of Lexington



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## **DIOCESAN PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE**

Dear Auxiliary Women:

In September hundreds of Church men and women will be on their way to Honolulu to attend the Triennial Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary and the General Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church. We are going half way around the world for this great gathering that is to be held for the first time outside of Continental United States and in a missionary field. It will be exciting and inspiring to meet the people of Honolulu and their Bishop, the Rt. Rev. Harry S. Kennedy.

The Theme of the Triennial is "His Witnessing Community."

The Rt. Rev. Everett Holland Jones, Bishop of West Texas, will address the Triennial Meeting at the opening service on Monday morning. Mrs. Theodore O. Wedel of Washington, D. C., will be the presiding officer.

The Corporate Communion and Presentation of the United Thank Offering will be held in the Civic Auditorium at 7:30 o'clock on Thursday morning, September 8 (this time is about 1 p.m. E.S.T.). The Presiding Bishop, celebrant, is assisted in this service by the Church's missionary bishops. This is your offering. Please attend a service in your parish on this morning, and through your prayers and the prayers of your representatives at Honolulu, we will make this a truly United Thank Offering to God.

I am deeply grateful for the opportunity afforded me to attend this meeting, through which I hope the work of the Auxiliary in this Diocese will be strengthened.

Sincerely,

MAE ROBINSON (Mrs. John M.)



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HARRODSBURG, ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH, Short St.: Mr. Samuel Blackard: Auxiliary Meeting, second Tuesday: President, Mrs. Chas. M. Dedman, 1090 Beaumont Ave. (Tel. No. 216); Vice-Pres., Mrs. Blanche Bright, Poplar St.; Rec. Sec'y, Mrs. E. B. Sievwright, Main St., Burgin; Cor. Sec'y, Mrs. Clarence Ross; Treas., Mrs. J. Morgan Soaper, North College St.; Chairmen: Devotional, Mrs. Blanche Bright; U. T. O., Mrs. Wm. B. Howell; Publicity, Mrs. Ivan Taub, Greenville St.

LEXINGTON, CHRIST CHURCH, Church and Market St.: The Rev. W. H. Tyte: Auxiliary General Meeting, third Tuesday, 11 A.M.: President, Miss Curtis Buehler, 225 Sycamore Rd. (Tel. 3-1885); First Vice-Pres., Mrs. Philip Wilson, 748 Montclair Dr.; Second Vice-Pres., Miss Juliet Galloway, 257 N. Broadway; Rec. Sec'y, Mrs. Wilbur Wilson, 405 Culpepper Rd.; Cor. Sec'y, Mrs. J. Howard Fitch, 163 Bassett Ave.; Treas., Miss Maxine Randolph, 1325 E. Cooper Dr.; Chairmen: Devotional, Mrs. Geo. Hunt, 424 W. Second St.; Education, Mrs. Owen S. Lee, 247 Stone Ave.; U. T. O., Mrs. Clinton M. Harbison, 1621 Ashwood Rd.; Christian Social Relations, Mrs. Robert Cook, 812 E. Main St.; Supply, Mrs. Wilbern Neeley, 220 Hillsboro Ave.

LEXINGTON, CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD, East Main and Bell Court: The Rev. Clarke Bloomfield: Auxiliary Meeting, first Thursday: President, Mrs. John M. Colyer, 981 Fincastle Rd. (Tel. 3-1254); Vice-Pres., Mrs. Virgil Proctor, 210 Shady Lane; Rec. Sec'y, Mrs. Douglas Bradley, 1391 Lakewood Dr.; Cor. Sec'y, Mrs. Lewis Pearce, 142 Hamilton Park; Treas., Mrs. Clifford Barnes, 406 Chinoe Rd.; Chairmen: Education, Mrs. R. R. Taliaferro, 1227 Kastle Dr.; U. T. O., Mrs. Donald Shaw, 126 Elam Park; Christian Social Relations, Mrs. A. C. Powell, 809 Cooper Dr.; Supply, Mrs. Robert Bennett, Woodvale Farm, Russell Cave Pike; Church Periodical Club, Mrs. Geo. Parmley, 1004 Slashes Rd.; Bishop Abbott Fund, Mrs. Clifford Barnes; Publicity, Mrs. Frank Johnson, 245 S. Hanover.

LEXINGTON, ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, 110 W. Fourth St.: The Rev. William H. Brown: Auxiliary Meeting, fourth Thursday, 6:30 PM: President, Mrs. Elizabeth Botts, 543 Haskins Dr. (Tel. 3-2211); Vice-Pres., Mrs. Carolyn Shirley, 123 E. 7th St.; Rec. Sec'y, Mrs. Evelyn Black, Route 6, Leestown Rd.; Treas., Mrs. Asa Davis, 210 W. Fifth St.; Chairmen: Devotional, Mrs. James Worthington, 117 W. Fifth St.; U. T. O., Mrs. Mary Boulder, 160 E. Seventh St.; Supply, Mrs. Geo. Miller, 418 E. Fifth St.; Publicity, Mrs. Dorothy Felder, 565 N. Limestone.

MOUNT STERLING, ASCENSION CHURCH, Broadway and High Sts.: The Rev. Calvin Miller: Auxiliary Meeting, fourth Thursday, 7:30 PM: President, Mrs. Laurena Hargraves, 14 Reid Ave. (Tel. 1024); Vice-Pres., Mrs. Calvin Miller, 114 W. High; Rec. Sec'y, Mrs. R. L. Barnard, 210 Clay St.; Treas., Miss Marcella Chiles, 336 W. High; Chairmen: Devotional, Mrs. W. B. White; Education, Mrs. Henry Barnes; U. T. O., Mrs. Stanley Cosden; Supply, Mrs. Mary H. Speer; Publicity, Miss Henrietta Greene; Bazaar, Mrs. Raymond Toms and Mrs. Calvin Miller; Party, Mrs. J. W. Murphy, 232 W. High St.; Rummage, Miss Marcella Chiles.



PARIS, ST. PETER'S CHURCH, 311 High St.: The Rev. J. Perry Cox: Auxiliary Meeting, second Tuesday, 10:30 AM: President, Mrs. Buckner Hinkle, Box 147 (Tel. 1329); First Vice-Pres., Mrs. Robert Turner, Millersburg; Second Vice-Pres., Mrs. Catlett Buckner, Cane Ridge Rd.; Rec. Sec'y, Mrs. Clarence Baldwin, Georgetown Rd.; Treas., Mrs. E. F. Clay, Cynthiana Rd.; Program Chairman, Mrs. J. Perry Cox, Houston Ave.

RICHMOND, CHRIST CHURCH, Lancaster Ave.: The Rev. James N. Purman: Auxiliary Meeting, first Monday, 7:30 PM: President, Mrs. Henry L. Meyer, 105 Westfield (Tel. 2523); Vice-Pres., Mrs. Benjamin Robinson, Greenway; Sec'y and Treas., Mrs. Bill Jo Phelps, 210 Lancaster Ave.; U. T. O. Chairman, Mrs. M. C. Kellogg, Collins Apt.

VERSAILLES, ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, North Main St.: The Rev. Addison Hosea: Auxiliary Meeting, last Thursday: President, Mrs. Samuel Wooldridge, High St. (Tel. No. 29); Sec'y, Mrs. Marshall Dawson, 188 Broadway; Treas., Mrs. Mildred M. Staggs, 147 Elm; Devotional Chairman, Mrs. Nelle D'Anna, 169 High St.

WINCHESTER, EMMANUEL CHURCH, West Hickman Ave.: The Rev. Emmett M. Waits: Auxiliary Meeting, first Monday: President, Mrs. S. P. McCracken, Colby Hills (Tel. 2019); Vice-Pres., Mrs. Wm. Rees, 46 Wheeler; Rec. Sec'y, Mrs. Charlotte Marks, 100 Block West Hickman; Treas., Mrs. Robert Crapster, 529 S. Maple; Chairmen: Devotional, Mrs. Geo. Van Meter, 319 S. Maple; Education, Mrs. A. F. McNulty, 330 S. Maple; U. T. O., Mrs. Wm. Rees; Christian Social Relations, Mrs. Robert Crapster; Supply, Mrs. Stephen Reeves, Paris Pike; Church Periodical Club, Mrs. N. F. Cheairs, 24 W. Lexington; Bishop Abbott Fund, Mrs. Clay Park, 27 S. Main; Publicity, Mrs. Charlotte Marks; Membership, Mrs. Robert S. Coney, Bon Haven; Wider Fellowship, Mrs. Ben Purdy, Bon Haven; Cathedral Domain, Mrs. Elizabeth Hutchinson, S. Maple; Margaret Hall School, Mrs. Wm. Hays, Boone at Belmont.

#### MOUNTAIN REGION

CORBIN, ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, East Main St.: Mr. Henry Burton and Mr. Frank Atkins: Auxiliary Meeting, last Wednesday: Cor. Sec'y, Mrs. Waldo Kamman, Box 66; Treas., Mrs. John E. Harris, 205 College St.

CUMBERLAND, ST. LUKE'S CHURCH: President, Mrs. R. N. Wells (Tel. Cumb. 180).

HARLAN, CHRIST CHURCH: Auxiliary Meeting, first Thursday: President, Mrs. F. L. Dupree, 417 Mound St. (Tel. No. 40); Vice-Pres., Mrs. Philip J. Begley, Cumberland Ave.; Rec. Sec'y, Mrs. Wm. Tucker, Tucker Apt.; Cor. Sec'y, Mrs. J. Francke Fox; Treas., Mrs. E. A. Starling; U. T. O. Chairman, Mrs. Dalton Buttermore, Mary Alice, Ky.

HAZARD, ST. MARK'S CHURCH, Walnut St.: The Rev. Frank R. Knutti: Auxiliary Meeting, first Tuesday, 10:30 AM: President, Mrs. Carl Weiss; First Vice-Pres., Mrs. D. E. Watts; Second Vice-Pres., Mrs. F. F. Stewart; Rec. Sec'y, Mrs. Ray Halliwell; Treas., Mrs. Wm. Garrett; Chairmen: Devotional, Mrs. Frank Foreman, Jr.; U. T. O., Mrs. J. V. Hines; Christian Social Relations, Mrs. McKinley Combs, Lothair, Ky.; Supply, Mrs. M. B. Payne; Church Periodical Club, Mrs. Ray Halliwell; Publicity, Mrs. J. V. Hines.

MIDDLESBORO, ST. MARY'S CHURCH, Edgewood Road: The Rev. Robert Estill: Auxiliary Meeting, first Monday: President, Mrs. Clyde Church, 305 Englewood Rd. (Tel. 457); Vice-Pres., Mrs. R. P. Hutchinson, 503 Ilchester; Rec. Sec'y, Mrs. Howard Smith, 200 Petersboro; Treas., Mrs. Gaius Whitfield, 510 Worcester; Chairmen: Devotional, Mrs. Powers Rhodes, 200 Petersboro; Education, Mrs. W. H. Ralston, 2825 Cumberland Ave.; U. T. O., Mrs. Clyde Gibson, 116 Cherry St., Pineville; Supply, Mrs. J. S. Victor, Balmoral Rd.

PIKEVILLE, ST. DAVID'S CHURCH: Mr. Robert W. Smith: Auxiliary Meeting, first Thursday evening: President, Mrs. Katherine L. Hinton (Tel. 612); First Vice-Pres., Mrs. Charles Snowden (deceased); Second Vice-Pres., Mrs. Duran Phillips; Sec'y, Mrs. Olive Proudfit; U. T. O. Chairman, Mrs. Robert Ballard.



# YCDL Is Off The Paper

By

**THE REV. ROBERT W. ESTILL, OML**

**Chairman, Department of Youth, Diocese of Lexington**

Two years ago in the Recreation Hall at the Cathedral Domain a small group of clergy, meeting with the Bishop, began to revise and plan the youth program for the Diocese. Out of this came the organization which is now known as "The Young Churchmen, Diocese of Lexington."

The results of this meeting were carried to the young people themselves, and three officers were elected to serve for the year. These young people, Bill Bailey, President, Jim Harrod, Vice-President, and "Skipper" Morris, Secretary-Treasurer, became a very integral part of the Youth Department and together with the Department's staff set out to put the new plans for the Youth of the Diocese into effect.

A series of Regional Meetings was held, and the Diocesan program was outlined and made applicable to each local situation. Members of the Department and the young officers themselves gave short talks on such problems as "What can you do when your problem is—No Youth?" By the end of the third such meeting there was a definite feeling that the YCDL was now "off the paper" and into the Churches! This was followed by a Christmas Reunion and dance in 1953, which drew the largest crowd of young people ever assembled in the Diocese. Then, at the Blue Grass Conference, another planning session and election of officers for 1954-1955 furthered the impression that the Young Churchmen were "on the way."

The new officers, Jim Harrod, President, Lary Heath, Vice-President, and Nancy Henderson, Secretary-Treasurer, were chosen in a very "spirited" meeting and more than proved their worth in the ensuing year. Once again the regional meetings were packed with delegates, enthusiasm, and ideas, and the Christmas dance broke the record again. But it was not until the Blue Grass Conference of 1955 that the full fruits of the year were felt. For the first time in the history of that Conference, it became necessary to turn away applicants! The YCDL had arrived.

That, in a nut-shell, is the history of the "New look" in the youth work of our Diocese. Its success is due to the prayers and efforts of a great many people, both young and old. So, too, its future depends upon many people and upon many prayers. It is encouraging to note the active support of such other organizations as the Woman's Auxiliary, and the preparatory assistance given by the work of the Mary Breckinridge Camp and the Boys Camp at the Cathedral Domain. One especially looks forward to the time when the renewed efforts of the College Department will carry on the work begun.

A look into the year ahead shows even more "firsts" in store for the YCDL. We are sending a full delegation from our Diocese to the first National Convention of The Youngchurchmen, which will be held in Northfield, Minnesota, late in August. The new officers, Wesley Morris, President, Charles Eddy, Vice-President, and Lynne Smith, Secretary-Treasurer, are of the highest caliber, and they represent all three regions of the Diocese. As was the case with all of the past officers, these



three young people will have a vital place in the planning sessions and meetings of the Youth Department. A look at the regular "Youth Page" in our Diocesan edition of FORTH will show the extent of their duties and contributions in the year ahead.

The most pressing need of the YCDL at present is money. The members of the Department have paid their own travel expenses to and from the many meetings that have been held; and mailing expenses and other administrative costs have been shouldered by individuals and their churches. The gift of \$100 from the Woman's Auxiliary and the additional \$100 added to the Diocesan budget are bright spots in the planning for the year ahead. Our young people are, however, beginning to take their rightful place in the various Provincial Youth Organizations as well as those of the National Church, and travel expenses to these meetings should be met by the Department. Suffice to say that the more we have, the more we can do!

This is not the place to thank, by name, the many people who have done so much to put the YCDL into action, but certainly our beloved Dean, The Very Reverend Francis M. Cooper, OML, should be mentioned. His announcement of retirement as head of the Youth Conference was the one sad part of this past year's picture, and he will be sorely missed by everyone concerned. It is largely due to his work that the conference is such an integral and successful part of our program. One can only hope that his retirement will be a short one and that he will be back with us as soon as possible.

The reward that he should feel for his many years service and for the work he has done might well be mirrored in the reward all of us experienced this past year, as a hundred and fifty young people and youth workers knelt together in our shrine at the Domain worshipping our God together.

## Our Own Camp Mary Breckinridge

by

**BEULAH S. SMITH (MRS. WILLIAM D.)**

**Girls Camp Director, Cathedral Domain**

Camp Mary Breckinridge, a ten day camp for girls from eight to ten at the Cathedral Domain, opened this year on June 2 with a total registration of sixty-four. It was a great success, and I am writing this little chronicle of the 1955 session to try to share with the other members of the Woman's Auxiliary the joy and pride I feel in what we are doing in our Diocese for our young people who come to the Domain. I hardly know what to tell you. There are so many things happening all the time that it is hard to choose. I've a great store of perfectly wonderful stories about camp, enough for a book. Stop by Georgetown some time and ask me about them—if you have half a day to spend! Meanwhile I'll give you a brief glimpse.

The majority of the campers were on the south side of the camp, eight to twelve girls to a cabin with a counselor for each group. One cabin on the "Boys Side" was given to the senior campers, old ladies of twelve, most of whom are four year campers and who are permitted to choose their cabin and counselor the last year.



The first day of camp everyone is awake by five o'clock and eager to explore at once! So for several days the morning activity period after Bible Craft is devoted to hikes to the Cave, Lovers Leap, Wolf Pen, and Patterson.

Swimming is the most popular sport at camp. Each child must pass a swimming test before going in the deep end of the pool. Those who cannot swim have a special swimming class each day. This year there were twenty-five non-swimmers at the beginning of camp, and at the close all but five had passed their test and were swimming in the deep end of the pool. The water in the pool this year was crystal clear, and for much of the time ice cold!

A visitor coming into camp during craft periods might hear almost any amount of noise or a complete silence; depending upon the craft project for the day. The hammered aluminum candy dish required much hammering and was very popular because it made so much noise. A total silence might mean that we were working on braided plastic belts where the "under and over" strips must be kept straight, so deep concentration was needed. Shoe button bracelets and chokers were made and proved most attractive and interesting. Reed baskets were woven for a variety of uses. Anything to wear was immediately worn, and after the first few craft periods it was not at all unusual to see an eight year old attired in blue jeans wearing a shoe button choker and bracelet. One little girl appeared for supper one evening with a newly completed basket on her head!

"The Life of Moses" was the Bible Craft subject and was especially popular this year. It was a source of great joy to the Chaplain when one camper said the period was much too short, and another remarked that she could hardly wait until tomorrow to find out what happened to Moses. Bible Craft in the morning and Vespers after supper were our formal religious services. The theme for Vespers was the phrase, "Open, we beseech thee, our eyes to behold thy gracious hand in all thy works; that rejoicing in thy whole creation, we may learn to serve thee with gladness." Our joy in nature was rewarded with the privilege of watching the feeding, growing up, and flying away of three baby birds in a nest near the altar in the Shrine.

The Great Hall served us well, not only for indoor activities, but also for those activities which were driven indoors by the weather. I remember one rainy day when there were two circles of Dodge Ball going on in the center section; two relay games in one wing; games of Authors, Scrabble, and a Ping-Pong tournament in the other wing.

On closing day one camper departed with fourteen frogs, three lizards, and two turtles, and assured all of us that her mother would be delighted to have them and she would see that they had a good home. Another little girl remarked that she had not been at all homesick but she expected to be "camp-sick" when she got home because it was such a long time until next year.

Living together for ten days makes all of us feel that we are a part of a great family. As all the joys are shared, the troubles of each are shared also, and one camper said, "This place just makes you love everybody, doesn't it?"

The adult staff members are known as the "Big Wheels" and the counselors as the "Little Cogs," but we all know that even with wheels and cogs it is still the motor that counts, and the campers fill that position. The counselors see that the program moves along and do a wonderful job, so the "wheels" just steer.



# Canterbury at the University of Kentucky

by SONIA SHINE

*EDITOR'S NOTE: Facing the campus home of the President of the University of Kentucky is Canterbury House, a small white cottage which is Episcopal headquarters for the students at our state university. During the college year many young men and women come there to make friends over a cup of coffee or a coke while they exchange ideas, and some attend the religious services. Most of them are the sons and daughters of Woman's Auxiliary members in this Diocese or elsewhere. They should become leaders in the Episcopal Church of tomorrow. Here is a message from them to us.*

Canterbury, which is a national organization of the Episcopal Church, provides Church activity for the University students. Our particular Canterbury at the University of Kentucky has four main objectives. They are worship, religious study, service, and a local building project for our own expansion. Since the entire state is widely represented in our association, let me acquaint you with Canterbury's functions and future plans.

Worship is a very important activity for the maturing Christian. Therefore, Canterbury at the University of Kentucky had a very full worship schedule during 1954-1955. Our Chaplain held Holy Communion every Wednesday morning and Saint's Day, and regularly on Sunday mornings. Corporate Communion breakfasts followed the Sunday services. On Thursday nights a small group met for a short prayer cell. This group made wonderful progress. It is in the corporate life of Canterbury that we develop a bond of kinship in our faith in God.

Learning and studying religion stimulate our spiritual growth. With religious learning in mind, our Canterbury group planned its programs to include Bible study sessions, inter-faith discussions, and religion in married life panels. Canterburians participated in the campus-wide "Religious Emphasis Week." This program was tremendous in its scope and stimulated ideas for weeks to come even off campus. Confirmation classes at Canterbury presented nine new Episcopalians.

Service is the result of Christian teachings, and one of our objectives. Actually, this proved to be our weakest point. However, Canterburians gave a very successful Christmas party for the crippled children. Some Canterburians volunteered hours to the Negro Orphans Home. Books were bought and given to the children there.

Our fourth concern revolves around new plans for a modern memorial chapel. Canterbury at the University of Kentucky is a growing organization. Since 1954-1955 we have occupied a "little white house" which has been managed by the students. We hope, however, the house soon won't hold the increasing numbers. Out of two hundred registered Episcopal students on the campus, more than one tenth were faithful every Sunday. This is very good progress; and we are perhaps ahead of some of the longer established religious groups on our campus.

Certainly Canterbury has bigger and better plans for the future. The incoming students will contribute new ideas for our improvement. The school term of 1955-1956 will be one of excitement and expansion in Canterbury under its capable President, Ralph Wolff, from Fort Thomas. Ralph has always been in Church activities. He was present at the organization of the Cathedral Domain. He has served in the choir and as acolyte in his home parish of St. Andrew's. In Canterbury, he was editor of our newspaper in 1954-1955, and on the intramural sports team. The Vice President, Sonia Shine, of Lexington, has also been an active Canterburian and sings in the choir of Christ Church. Our Secretary, Marvyn Horton, from Louisville, is a second time officer. She is a senior. Our new Treasurer, Bob Bates, a sophomore also from Louisville, will undoubtedly know everyone shortly after registration. These are the officers who will serve Canterbury in the coming year.

Whether Canterbury succeeds depends not only on students, but on parents and friends as well. Can Canterbury count on you in the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of Lexington for your prayers, your interest, and your support?



## 1955 CONFERENCE AND RETREAT FOR WOMEN

Cathedral Domain, May 18-21

### PROGRAM

#### WEDNESDAY, May 18th

5-5:30 p.m.—Registration

7:30-8:30—"Chapters in Church History," Dr. Nelle Bellamy, Instructor in Church History, Lexington Seminary

9:00—Compline

#### THURSDAY, May 19th

8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion

9:30-10:30—"Mission and Missions," Mrs. Burton Rogers, Pine Mountain, Ky.  
Former Church of England Missionary to India

10:30-11:30—"Chapters in Church History"

11:30-12:30—Fellowship Hour

1:30-2:30—"Mission and Missions"

2:30-3:30—"Chapters in Church History"

3:30-5:30—Recreation—Guided hikes, reading and loafing

7:30-8:30—"Mission and Missions"

9:00—Compline

Beginning of Retreat, Bishop Moody, Leader. Schedule to be announced.

#### FRIDAY and SATURDAY—Retreat

Registrars: Mrs. Howard Feldmann, Mrs. John H. Clay

Program Chairman: Mrs. Cecil Cantrill

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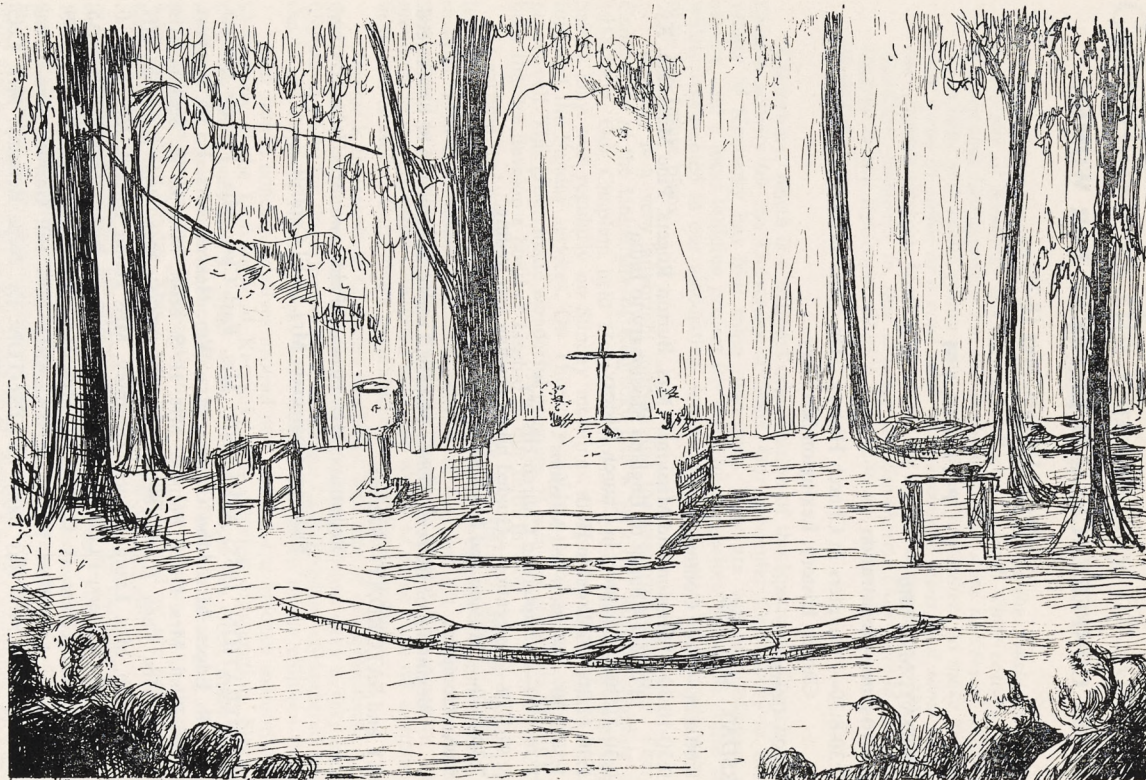


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by  
MARY ROGERS



The artist is Mrs. Burton Rogers, wife of the Director of the Pine Mountain Settlement School, Harlan County, Kentucky. She was a speaker at the 1955 Woman's Auxiliary Conference.



## **SUGGESTIONS AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR WOMAN'S AUXILIARY PARISH OFFICERS**

### **HOW TO BE A GOOD PRESIDENT**

You have been elected by your group to serve as its leader; this is a joyous privilege, not an unhappy chore.

Be a good leader—plan your meetings.

Give generously of your time and talents.

Arrange to have a Communion Service preceding the monthly meetings.

Open meetings with Prayer and Scripture reading, and close all meetings with the Benediction. Use the prayers in the Manual.

Read the Bishop's Foreword in the Manual at your first fall meeting.

Welcome all newcomers into your Branch.

Follow the program of study as outlined by the Diocesan Educational Secretary.

Prepare a report of work that is planned for the year and present it at the Regional meeting. Through new thoughts, new ideas, the work of the Auxiliary will grow.

The MANUAL should be your guide, make use of it and see that all Officers and Chairmen have a copy.

Know your Fair Share and what it stands for. See that it is paid promptly.

Attend the Annual Meeting, Regional Meeting and the Conference and Retreat.

Encourage your members to attend these meetings. Promote parish activities for good fellowship.

Your Diocesan officers are anxious to be of help to you, do not hesitate to call upon them.

MAE ROBINSON (Mrs. J. M.)  
Diocesan President

### **VEEPS CAN BE USEFUL**

Do not look upon the office of Vice-President as just an honor. If you take your job seriously you can be one of the most valuable officers in the Auxiliary. Attend all the meetings and be familiar enough with the work to take over the President's duties at any time. Volunteer to try out new and special projects. Support the plans made by the other officers and interpret them to the rest of the group. Your example and loyalty will strengthen every part of the work.

CORDIE LEE MOODY (Mrs. William R.)  
Diocesan Vice-President

### **RECORDING AND CORRESPONDING SECRETARIES**

The secretary's job calls for faithfulness, promptness, and accuracy. No previous experience is necessary if she puts her mind on the task. The Corresponding Secretary writes letters as directed by the President. Copies should be given to the President. Attending all meetings and keeping well informed on all parts of Auxiliary work enable one to take care of this correspondence more efficiently. The Recording Secretary should look upon her minutes as the history of the Auxiliary which she is writing month by month, and remember that in future years her records may decide important matters. Recording Secretaries: please send a list of new Parish Branch officers to the Diocesan Recording Secretary immediately so that she, too, may keep an accurate record.

EMILIE DARNEILLE KEITH (Mrs. John D.)  
Diocesan Recording Secretary  
DOROTHY P. ROTH (Mrs. George)  
Diocesan Corresponding Secretary

### **TREASURERS: WATCH YOUR FAIR SHARE**

In studying the 1955-56 Budget of \$3100.00, you will be interested in the pro rata sheet for your Branch. It gives you the exact amount your Branch is contributing to each item of our budget and represents your Fair Share in detail. The Fair Share plan is based on the current expenses of each Parish, percentagewise. Please note these complete figures under "Fair Shares" in this MANUAL. They literally explain themselves.



Our Auxiliary year runs from May 1 to April 30. The Fair Shares can be paid in full or in part, but the entire amount must be paid by April 30, the end of the Auxiliary year. Please ask your Branch to give the Fair Share its first consideration so the Diocesan program depends upon your prompt payment. Branches may send in any extra money they wish, earmarking it for a special fund.

AGNES K. FELDMANN (Mrs. Howard)  
Diocesan Treasurer

### FOR PARISH DEVOTIONAL CHAIRMEN

Your office is a most important one. Does your Auxiliary always have well planned, timely, adequate opening devotions at each meeting? Does it ever let the devotions be crowded out if it is to be a busy meeting or when a speaker is present? See that this does not happen.

Read devotional books yourself and get others to read them. Form a prayer group. Attend the Retreat at the Cathedral Domain and urge others to attend.

Let us all pray daily and at our Communion for the Domain and for the Seminary.

Faithfully yours.

ALICE F. JACKSON (Mrs. Maurice)  
Diocesan Devotional Chairman

### LETTER TO EDUCATION CHAIRMEN

Dear Chairmen:

By the time this reaches you no doubt you will be wanting to plan an education program and wondering what help you will receive from your Diocesan Chairman. So first of all I am going to let you know what to expect.

After careful thought the book chosen is "The Episcopal Church and Its Work" by Powell Mills Dawley. It has been several years since we have studied the organization and program of our church and this will fit in very well with the exciting reports we expect to have from members of our Diocese and perhaps others who have attended the Triennial in Hawaii for it is at these conventions that the plans are formulated. In addition to this, your Diocesan President has asked me to order and distribute to you or to the Devotional Chairman a Calendar of Prayer for Missions to be used throughout the year. This last will supplement our study as we shall be praying by name for those who labor in His vineyard in far-flung places under the auspices of our Church. Since we are not able to supply you with two study books, I shall not be sending the book chosen for interdenominational study, and this is regrettable. But I do want you to know the subjects that other communions will be considering and perhaps you may want to add this to your program later on. These subjects are "The Christian Mission in a Revolutionary World" (sounds so interesting that it was hard to pass it by) and "Indian Americans," both published by Friendship Press. Also, I want to mention a few other publications which caught my eye as I scanned the mimeographs and catalogues this summer. For twenty-five cents you can get biographies of colorful and important figures in our church, past and present. For instance, "Bravid Washington Harris in Liberia," "Lucien Lee Kinsolving in Brazil," "Jackson Kemper in the Northwest," "Philander Chase in Ohio," "Michael Yashiro of Japan," and others. These can be ordered, as well as those listed above, from the Book Store, 281 Fourth Ave., New York, N. Y. And along with these were listed "With All Our Hearts," by Christine Fleming Heffner—eleven complete services designed to be used in the devotional period of any group meeting, "Man's Need and God's Action" by Reuel L. Howe, "Our Christian Vocation" by John Heuss, the This-is-Our-Business Series whose sub-titles are Christian Citizenship, and Social Responsibility, The U.N., "Human Rights and Basic Freedoms, Christian Living in our Community and others. Then, and this should be interesting and important to us education chairmen, there is a series of single programs. These have been carefully worked out and could take care of your programs-for-meetings problem. There are nine separate subjects and I think that a dollar sent to the Book Store would buy a set of these and might prove a wonderful investment.



There is a sort of mass movement these days toward studying prayer and its techniques. Perhaps you read Madame Chiang Kaishek's article in the August Reader's Digest about her prayer groups on Formosa. It is an inspiring story and symptomatic of what is going on everywhere and very noticeably in the United States. I can recommend "Prayer and the Common Life" by Georgia Harkness and there are the several books by Mrs. Shoemaker, who has visited this Diocese and is an authority on prayer. There are many such books available. Could you not purchase several in your branch and pass them around? They might inspire the organization of a prayer group if you do not already have one.

Please always remember, any of you who read this, that the Woman's Auxiliary has long carried the torch for Christian adult education in our Church. Indeed, there was one sterile period when the only adult education was through this organization. We rejoice that the Church has in the past six or eight years laid such heavy emphasis on Christian Education; but never let it be said that the Auxiliary has not always done its part in the study of God's word and His work on earth. Make the coming season one of study and you will find your spiritual and religious life deepened and strengthened.

A good and blessed year to you all.

Faithfully yours,

FLORENCE S. CANTRILL (Mrs. Cecil)  
Diocesan Education Chairman

### OUR GROWING U. T. O. WORK

It is **important** that each Custodian acquaint herself with the distribution of the monies derived from the United Thank Offering. This information may be secured from the National Council Office in New York or from time to time in church publications.

It is **important** that each custodian try to see that every woman in the parish has and uses her Blue Box and that a report of the number of boxes used accompany the check representing the United Thank Offering collection. This will enable us to have a really accurate report of the growth and progress of the United Thank Offering.

Please read the annual report of the United Thank Offering in the MANUAL. Notice the increase in both offering and Blue Box users. Let us then resolve to put a little more prayer and effort in this great part of our Church program.

The fine work you have done in the past is truly appreciated, and our prayers and hopes are high for the coming collections and the work of the United Thank Offering.

JANE COBB (Mrs. T. Everett)  
Diocesan U. T. O. Custodian

### LET US BE GOOD NEIGHBORS

In a letter to you Christian Social Relations Chairmen several years ago I reminded you that this work covers every phase of our life—the home, business, school, political and civic life, and the church. I urged the formation of study groups in each parish on Social Relations. Since then I have urged you to keep a record of the work you are all doing in the field of social service and to report it to me. It has been most gratifying to know that our Diocese is making progress in these areas.

Nevertheless, the policies of our national Church challenge us to further efforts as we face the grave issues of our times. Let us remember that, in the words of Bishop Dun, "our neighbors need much besides basic economic necessities; they need truth, education, play, joy, beauty, order, protection from the aggressive egotism of fellow men, just laws, hospitals, and good government."

Let us try in a humble spirit to enlarge our vision, for without the vision the people perish.

MARGARET PRESTON JOHNSTON (Mrs. Preston)  
Diocesan Christian Social Relations Chairman



## ARE YOU TAKING PART IN SUPPLY WORK?

This is ostensibly a note to the Supply Chairmen of each parish in our Diocese, but their jobs would be impossible without the help of the hundreds of women who participate in this missionary work each year. So I am addressing it also to every woman in every branch. If, for some reason, you have been unable in the past to take an active part in filling the assignment sent to your branch, perhaps this year you too will have a share in this most rewarding experience.

Our assignment for 1954-1955 was completed very successfully with all parishes and missions, except three, participating in the work. Thirty-two boxes of new and good used clothing and household supplies were sent to St. Joseph's Mission in Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico, with an estimated value of \$650.00. This wonderful achievement was made possible by the careful planning and purchasing of all the parish Supply Chairmen and the women who helped them. My sincere thanks to each of you! The financial report for Supply will be found elsewhere in the MANUAL.

At this writing our new assignment has not been received, but I'm sure that when you hear from me in September there will be the same excellent response that we've had in the past. Instructions will be enclosed with your assignments, and if there are any questions, please let me know and I'll try to answer them.

It has been a real joy to work with you, and I'm looking forward to the coming year!

MARY ANDREWS PLATT (Mrs. Waddill)  
Diocesan Supply Chairman

## EACH YEAR A BETTER YEAR

Perhaps a good motto for the Bishop Abbott Fund for Diocesan Missions would be "Every Year a Good Year." Or sometimes it might be: "Each Year a Better Year." That latter sentence fits 1955 very well.

This year we did not go beyond 1954 in the amount of our check to Bishop Moody, but we did reach our goal of two thousand dollars and with that we are satisfied and grateful. The thing that pleases your Chairman was the splendid and, I believe, unanimous response to the now accepted plan of bringing an offering from each branch to the Annual Meeting in May for the Bishop Abbott Fund. This year it was \$430.75. We are all proud and happy with such a response.

Bishop Moody did not tell the Annual Meeting what he would do with the 1955 offering, but indicated that there was a real place for it. Recently he has announced what has been done with it, and I am sure every Auxiliary member will be thrilled to know. He used the check to pay for the lumber needed to build the "Great Hall" at the Domain. This large building to be used for services and assemblies is nearing completion and is beautiful as well as useful. We are proud that our endeavors can be used in such an admirable way. Perhaps we may be able to help more in completing this excellent project.

May I say through our MANUAL that I thank each and every branch for its cooperation in the work for the annual Bishop Abbott Fund offering, especially the May offering of this year. Let's make "Each Year a Better Year."

ELIZABETH KING SMITH (Mrs. Charles Judson)  
Diocesan Chairman Bishop Abbott Fund

## CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB WORK GROWING

Church Periodical Club work in this Diocese has been greatly facilitated by the activities of the C. P. C. Regional Secretaries. All parish branches should make contact with them. Here are the names: Ohio Valley Region C. P. C. Secretary: Miss Mary F. Driggs, RFD #1, Covington; Blue Grass Region C. P. C. Secretary: Mrs. J. A. McIntosh, R #1, Pisgah Rd., Versailles; Mountain Region C. P. C. Secretary: Mrs. F. G. Foreman, Jr., 104 Craig St., Hazard.

During the past year, more of our parishes have made gifts of money for our C. P. C. Books Fund, for which I am most grateful. Just to give you an idea of how important the work is, here are a few of the places that have been supplied by the national fund: PHILIPPINE ISLAND: Mrs. Kue-en-Huang, a teacher in St. Stephen's Chinese School, Manila—Books for use in her work. CUBA: Rev. Milton



LeRoy, Matanzas, Cuba—Church School Material. LIBERIA: St. Philip's Boys School, Holy Cross Mission, Sierra Leone—Textbooks. Dr. H. Bolling-Robertson, St. John's School, Cape Mount—Interpreter's Bible. INDIA: Dr. Helen Adiseshiah, Lady Irwin College, New Delhi—Books. BRUGLER HOUSE, GREENWICH, CONN.: Brugler House is on the grounds of Seabury House and is used by missionaries on furlough. ALASKA: Rev. Norman Elliott, Fairbanks—Intelligence Digest. JAPAN (Space does not permit giving the entire list): St. Luke's International Hospital, Tokyo, American Journal of Roentgenology, Radium Therapy and Nuclear Medicine, Roetgen Diagnostics. Bishop Peter S. Yanagihara, Osaka—Interpreter's Bible. Rev. Paul M. Suzuki, Setagaya-ku, Tokyo (Prof. of Systematic Theology at St. Paul's University)—Theology Books.

My sincere thanks to all you faithful people. Keep up the good work, and may God help us all to do more in 1955-1956.

NANCY M. AUSTIN (Mrs. Walter G.)  
Diocesan C. P. C. Director

### TENTH ANNIVERSARY OF CATHEDRAL DOMAIN

Bishop Moody's tenth anniversary and the tenth anniversary of the Cathedral Domain coincide this year. This is no fortuitous coincidence as we all know that the creation of the Cathedral Domain out of a property long owned by the Diocese was our Bishop's idea. Into this idea he has breathed life and we, the members of his Diocese, have found it a good thing. Our prayerful thanks are here offered to the Bishop and to you for your response to his idea.

**Accomplishments this year:** The installation of a pine ceiling and twelve ceiling lights in the Dining Hall completes this room. For the last four years our projects have centered on the Dining Hall, where the floor, paneling of walls, ceiling and stone fireplace have been provided by your generosity. A modest amount of planting was done last fall around the pond and the Bishop's palace (iris, daylilies, and flowering peach trees).

**Contributions:** Twenty-two parish branches contributed to make this year's project possible. Our thanks to you all, and special thanks to those who gave an extra gift to make up the needed sum.

**Conference and Retreat:** Fifty-three women attended the Conference and Retreat in May with eleven branches represented. It is notable that the number of very young women who attended increased this year.

**Suggestion:** A number of parish branches held one of their monthly meetings at the Cathedral Domain this year, with services in the outdoor Chapel (weather permitting). This is a good way to get to know your Domain.

**Needs:** (1) Kitchen and dining room equipment (consult Glenn Adkins for specific items). One hundred and fifty young people attended the Blue Grass Youth Conference in June so you can imagine the equipment needed to feed such a large group. (2) Books: for the Domain Library (religious books only, please). (3) Plants: Please get in touch with me early in the fall if you have any suitable plant material.

You will be hearing from me in September about our project for next year. In the meantime, thank you for your loyal support of the Cathedral Domain this past year.

DOROTHY NORTON CLAY (Mrs. John H.)  
Diocesan Cathedral Domain Chairman

### GOOD PUBLICITY

Few parish branches have Publicity Chairmen, and we sometimes think of the MANUAL, the articles in Forth Magazine, and occasional newspaper notices as the only channels through which we let the public know about the Woman's Auxiliary. Actually, however, the widest publicity the Auxiliary gets is through the individual members as they carry on their daily lives in their communities. What we ourselves say and do about the Auxiliary is what makes a real impact on those about us. Let's make the personal accounts we give to others of our Auxiliary as accurate, as honest, and as enthusiastic as the printed publicity.

REBECCA SMITH LEE (Mrs. Owen)  
Diocesan Publicity Chairman



## WHERE DIOCESAN W. A. GETS ITS MONEY

### "FAIR SHARES" DUE FROM BRANCHES

| W.A. Branch                    | Total Parish Expenditures | Fair Share Per Cent | W.A. Diocesan Fair Share |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|
| Ashland .....                  | \$ 12,069.34              | .06738              | \$ 208.88                |
| Beattyville .....              | 1,599.17                  | .00893              | 27.68                    |
| Bellevue-Dayton .....          | 2,578.86                  | .01440              | 44.65                    |
| Corbin .....                   | 1,070.38                  | .00598              | 18.54                    |
| Covington .....                | 23,288.30                 | .13001              | 403.03                   |
| Cumberland .....               | 235.76 est.               | .00131              | 4.06                     |
| Danville .....                 | 5,324.23                  | .02972              | 92.13                    |
| Frankfort .....                | 8,262.96 est.             | .04613              | 143.00                   |
| Ft. Thomas .....               | 12,724.30                 | .07104              | 220.22                   |
| Georgetown .....               | 2,166.84                  | .01210              | 37.51                    |
| Harlan .....                   | 4,968.24                  | .02774              | 85.99                    |
| Harrodsburg .....              | 1,485.76                  | .00829              | 25.70                    |
| Hazard .....                   | 1,748.81                  | .00976              | 30.26                    |
| Latonia .....                  | 1,851.00                  | .01033              | 32.02                    |
| Lexington, Christ Church ..... | 42,967.37                 | .23988              | 743.63                   |
| Lexington, Good Shepherd ..... | 17,302.92                 | .09660              | 299.46                   |
| Lexington, St. Andrew's .....  | 944.74                    | .00527              | 16.34                    |
| Maysville .....                | 6,707.20                  | .03744              | 116.06                   |
| Middlesboro .....              | 4,994.93                  | .02789              | 86.46                    |
| Mt. Sterling .....             | 1,794.17                  | .01002              | 31.06                    |
| Newport .....                  | 6,736.97 est.             | .03761              | 116.59                   |
| Paris .....                    | 5,987.97                  | .03343              | 103.63                   |
| Pikeville .....                | 578.16                    | .00323              | 10.01                    |
| Richmond .....                 | 1,258.55                  | .00703              | 21.79                    |
| Versailles .....               | 6,972.37                  | .03892              | 120.65                   |
| Winchester .....               | 3,504.50                  | .01956              | 60.65                    |
|                                | <b>\$179,123.80</b>       | <b>1.00000</b>      | <b>\$3,100.00</b>        |

## HOW DIOCESAN W. A. SPENDS ITS MONEY

### BUDGET

May 1955 — May 1956

|   |                   |
|---|-------------------|
| Bishop Abbott Memorial for Mountain Missions (Auxiliary Special) .....                                | \$1,500.00        |
| Bishop Burton Memorial Gift (Margaret Hall Scholarship) .....   | 100.00            |
| Supply Work .....   | 600.00            |
| Administrative Expenses: Printing Year Books, Programs, Mimeographing, Stationery, Postage, etc. .... | 335.00            |
| President's Traveling Expense .....   | 100.00            |
| President's Triennial Fund .....  | 50.00             |
| Lexington Seminary .....  | 125.00            |
| Education Fund .....  | 50.00             |
| Christian Social Relations Fund .....   | 25.00             |
| National Dues .....   | 35.00             |
| Provincial Dues .....   | 35.00             |
| Provincial Gift .....   | 25.00             |
| The United Church Women of Kentucky .....   | 10.00             |
| Department of Youth .....   | 100.00            |
| Periodical Club .....   | 10.00             |
|   | <b>\$3,100.00</b> |

#### Not included in the Budget:

Bishop's Discretionary Fund  
Leper Fund



## FIFTY-NINTH ANNUAL MEETING WOMAN'S AUXILIARY, DIOCESE OF LEXINGTON

### MINUTES

The Fifty-ninth Annual Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary, Diocese of Lexington, was held in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Lexington, on May 3, 1955. The Right Reverend William R. Moody, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Clarke Bloomfield and the Rev. Mr. Wilbur Tyte, celebrated the sacrament of Holy Communion, and delivered an inspiring address on the theme of making the forthcoming year of Auxiliary work acceptable to the Lord. The offering for the Bishop Abbott Fund for Diocesan Missions was \$420.75.

The business meeting was opened by Mrs. John M. Robinson, the Diocesan President. Mrs. Virgil Proctor, President of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Church of the Good Shepherd, welcomed the ladies to the Diocesan Meeting. Mrs. Robinson responded, and thanked the women for their cooperation during the year and for the excellent registration at the meeting.

The minutes of the previous meeting were dispensed with, as they had been printed in the 1954-1955 MANUAL. The vote was unanimous for this motion.

Mrs. Howard Feldmann, Diocesan Treasurer, then gave the treasurer's report, which was approved. She then presented the budget for 1955-1956, and moved it be adopted. Mrs. Moody seconded the motion, which was carried.

Mrs. Cecil Cantrill, Educational Chairman, gave her report on the Woman's Auxiliary Conference and Retreat to be held at the Cathedral Domain from May 18 to 21, announcing a fee of \$15 to attend both.

Mrs. Charles Judson Smith, Chairman of the Bishop Abbott Fund for Diocesan Missions, presented to Bishop Moody a check for \$2,000 from the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese. He thanked the Auxiliary members warmly, and went on informally to discuss our "growing pains" at the Cathedral Domain, where the facilities have been enlarged to accommodate 150 persons.

Noonday prayers were led by the Rev. Mr. Bloomfield.

Mrs. Robinson then introduced the speaker, Mrs. Charles P. Taft, of Cincinnati, Ohio, a member of the Committee on Displaced Persons, who titled her address "United Church Women, What We Must Do." Mrs. Taft stressed the need for united Christian effort in all fields, citing especially the success of the Church of South India, and the work for Displaced Persons in the United States. She finished by declaring that all of us together as Christians with God's help can do most anything.

Mrs. Moody was called to take the chair while Mrs. Robinson presented to the meeting the new Radio Program, entitled "Another Chance," which has been produced under the direction of Mrs. Caroline Rakestraw, Executive Secretary of the Episcopal Hour in the Fourth Province. Each Diocese is asked to give \$500 toward the cost of production and materials. Branch presidents were urged to present this radio program to their Boards and decide what portion of the cost they would assume, and report to Mrs. Robinson by June 1.

The meeting then adjourned to the Boiling Springs Country Club for a very delicious luncheon, after which Mrs. Robinson introduced the rectors and their wives. She then called upon the members of the Diocesan Board for their reports:

The Regional Vice Presidents of the Ohio Valley, Blue Grass and the Mountain Regions gave excellent reports from each of their parishes. In the absence of Mrs. R. N. Wells, her report was read by Mrs. Arnold, of Christ Church, Harlan.

Mrs. George Roth, Corresponding Secretary: No report.

Mrs. Maurice Jackson, Devotional Chairman: No report.

Mrs. Cecil Cantrill, Educational Chairman, told of speaking at 18 parish meetings and several other organizations during the past year.

Mrs. Preston Johnston, Christian Social Relations Chairman, stated that the Bishop's Address and Mrs. Taft's talk explained her work clearly.

Mrs. Owen Lee, Publicity Chairman, expressed the hope that we will have more copies of the MANUAL printed this year.

Mrs. Waddill Platt, Supply Chairman, thanked all of the branches for the fine cooperation given her in the supply work this past year.

Mrs. T. Everett Cobb, United Thank Offering Custodian, stated that in 1954 the offering was \$4,591.22 with 1,179 boxes, and stressed the reporting of the number of



the boxes collected. Last fall the sum for the next Triennial was \$11,213.26. The 1955 spring offering from 12 branches is \$1,545.37. Mrs. Cobb announced that the offering at the Triennial in Honolulu will be on September 8th at 7:30 A.M.

Mrs. Robinson then called on The Rev. Canon Edward W. Baxter, who has been named chairman for the arrangements for the tenth anniversary of the consecration of The Rt. Rev. William R. Moody, Bishop of the Diocese of Lexington.

Mrs. Charles Judson Smith, Chairman Bishop Abbott Fund for Diocesan Missions. Her report has been previously recorded in these minutes.

Mrs. John Harris Clay, Cathedral Domain Representative, expressed her pleasure regarding parochial reports about supporting the Domain. There was \$740.00 given this past year from 21 branches.

Mrs. George Scott then gave the report of the Courtesy Committee which has been attached to the end of these minutes.

Mrs. Walter G. Austin, Church Periodical Club Director: In the absence of Mrs. Austin, Mrs. John D. Keith gave her very good report.

Mrs. John M. Robinson then announced that the 1956 Diocesan Convention will be held in St. Mary's Church, Middlesboro.

There being no further business, the President asked Mrs. Maurice Jackson to close the meeting with prayer.

EMILIE D. KEITH (Mrs. John D.)  
Diocesan Recording Secretary

## REGIONAL REPORTS

### OHIO VALLEY REGION

The 1954 Ohio Valley Regional Meeting, held at St. Paul's Church in Newport on October 14, opened with Holy Communion, with Bishop Moody as celebrant. Later he addressed us on the state of the Diocese, and then reports were given by the Diocesan President, Parish Presidents, and Board Members. Mrs. Virgil Ormsby gave "First Impressions of the Conference and Retreat." After lunch in the Parish House Mrs. Cecil Cantrill and Mrs. Preston Johnston gave their accounts of the recent World Council of Churches in Evanston from the point of view of an accredited visitor and of an observer, each talk complementing the other so that a well rounded picture was given.

**Ashland, Calvary Church**—Worship has been stressed in corporate communion at monthly meetings and prayer groups. Study has been emphasized by Diocesan Chairmen as speakers and by a new Parish Library. Service includes giving six tables for Parish Hall, scholarship for Y.P.S.L. at Domain, two scholarships to Women's Conference and Retreat, Easter offering to Building Fund, cassock for Mr. H. I. Burton, our Parish's Seminarian, World Community Day offering, contributions to Parish choir, rectory kitchen, and many community projects. Fellowship has increased at Sunday morning coffee hours, a Centennial tea, and in church calling. Financial projects were Supply work plus extra donations, local hospital and charity work, and successful money raising sales and parties.

**Covington, Trinity Church**—A successful study group twice monthly with Communion and special speakers. An interesting plan of having six regular chapters each study a special phase of W. A. National Program and then follow it up with work project; i. e., needs of the Parish (choir, library, etc.); community projects (mental health, cerebral palsy); our Diocese (Cathedral Domain, etc.); national work of Church (Indian missions, for example); and W. A. work in world (gifts to Tokyo). Each chapter took charge of a general meeting to let the rest know what it was doing. Two Thrift Sales, several coffee hours, six Lenten dinners, and clothing to Tennessee missions.

**Fort Thomas, St. Andrew's Church**—Active participation in regular meetings, studying "The Work of the Church" and in several special chapters: Clerical, Educational, and Junior, also a Social Group meeting four times yearly. Social entertainments include cooperating with St. Paul's in tea for Seminarians, breakfast for returning college students, tea for Ft. Thomas teachers and Board of Education, and coffee hours. Contributions to Frontier Nursing Service, Episcopal Service for Youth, St. Andrew's Mission in Lexington, and other projects. Sent delegate to Woman's Conference. Raising money for Multilith machine for Parish.



**Latonia, St. Stephen's**—Average attendance of 11 at monthly meetings. Contributed to Church Army, ordination gift for the Rev. Mr. Kephart, and for church vestments. Penny Drill given to Altar Guild. Contributed linoleum, waxer, new sign, etc., to Parish House. Gifts and flowers at Christmas to ill and deceased. Dinners during Lent and other times. Christmas Bazaar, magazines to local sanatorium, and cards to members who were ill.

**Maysville, Church of the Nativity**—Twenty regular meetings beginning with Communion, ten for business and ten for study. Two rummage sales and Christmas Bazaar. Seven young people to Blue Grass Conference. Donations to Tom Browning Boys' Club, Red Cross, Community Crib, and Mr. Pollett in Benevolent Home. Purchased hot water heater, refrigerator, range and ceiling lights for Parish kitchen; gave projector with sound track and screen for Church use, and five hundred dollars toward Church bell. Have started carpet fund for Church. Donated three alms basins and two sets altar hangings to the Bishop to be used where most needed. Subscription National Geographic to Alaskan Mission and boxes of clothing, etc., to needy people.

**Newport, St. Paul's Church**—Sent yearbooks to all women of Parish, special occasion cards to all members, and Christmas and Easter gifts to parish shut-ins and elderly members. Host to 1954 W. A. Regional Meeting; Silver Tea (with St. Andrew's) for Seminarians. Successful annual bazaar and rummage sale. Purchased for Parish House a large Frigidaire and dishes, etc., also donated to choir and Altar Guild and made new altar hangings. Bake Sale for Campbell County Orphans' Home; Red Cross work; bandages and scarves for the lepers, and six boxes sent to Shoshone Indians. Supported book review at Grace Mission, Florence, to help their building fund.

**Florence, Grace Church**—Since January, 1955, the Auxiliary has met once a month. Constitution and by-laws have been approved. Mrs. Robinson, Diocesan President, Mrs. George Roth, Sr., and Mrs. George Roth, Jr., have met with the Auxiliary to help with organization. Mrs. Cobb spoke on U. T. O., Mr. Lee Wilson on altar flowers and decorations, and Mrs. Kephart on her summer with the Indians at Arizon Mission. Auxiliary women have sponsored social hours following two confirmation classes. Forward Day by Day booklets have been distributed.

GEORGENE MATHEWSON (Mrs. Joseph H.)  
Vice-President Ohio Valley Region

### BLUE GRASS REGION

The Annual Meeting of the Blue Grass Region was held at Trinity Church, Danville, on October 13, opening with Holy Communion celebrated by Bishop Moody, and continuing with an inspiring program featuring Mrs. Cecil Cantrill and Mrs. Preston Johnston who spoke on the World Council. All groups have contributed their fair share allotments and have contributed to the Cathedral Domain as well as meeting their Supply quotas and collecting their U. T. O. offerings.

**Beattyville, St. Thomas' Church**—At Christmas this group sponsored supper for parents and children. Throughout the year their main projects have been cleaning, polishing brass and caring for the church linens.

**Danville, Trinity Church**—Hosts to the Blue Grass Regional Meeting in October. Monthly meetings have had average attendance of fifteen with excellent speakers. Have had several dinners for the men's group. Carried on extensive program of social service work at the State Hospital. Have had very successful year which will end with their annual birthday party.

**Frankfort, Church of the Ascension**—This group justly proud of having given a stained glass window "The Resurrection" to their church as a memorial to the Woman's Auxiliary. Also they contributed five hundred dollars toward a brick wall for the church property. One hundred copies of the MANUAL were distributed to members and "Know Your Diocese and National Council" was stressed. A Christmas Bazaar netted this group twelve hundred dollars. Active in social service work and a number of dinners and luncheons served.



**Georgetown, Holy Trinity Church**—Sponsored an educational program conducted by the Vicar, the Rev. W. D. Smith, on "The Litany and Penitential Office," "Morning and Evening Prayer," and "Sacraments of the Church." Conducted services for the County Home. Gave Christmas and Thanksgiving baskets to the needy. Sponsored Girl Scout Troop and Camp Scholarship. Completed payment of two notes, one on church organ and one on the rectory. Rummage sales, Christmas Bazaar and Food Sale.

**Harrodsburg, St. Philip's Church**—Had a busy year with a spring and fall rummage sale and food sale. Gave Christmas basket for a needy family and sold nine dozen aluminum and steel knives. Took part in World Day of Prayer program. Sent a check for five hundred dollars to Bishop Moody, reducing his loan to St. Philip's.

**Lexington, Christ Church**—This group had a very successful year. Contributed half towards the purchase of large dishwasher for parish house kitchen. Contributed to Eastern State Hospital and sewed for Community Easter Pageant. Contributed to college work and gave monthly gift to the Rev. Aaron's mission work in India. The work of the visiting committee has been stressed. A Couple's Club is now being organized. The educational has centered on the study of Prayer.

**Lexington, Church of the Good Shepherd**—Among projects were a tea given at the rectory, style show and luncheon, rummage sale, and sale of Betty Crocker cake mix. Luncheons served at Cardinal Hill Hospital for out-patients, a party given at Manchester Street Library, a tea at Florence Crittenton Home, and one at Old Ladies Home. A play was given for the World Day of Prayer. Dinners served at the Business and Professional Women and to Youth Choir. Hosts to the 1955 W. A. Annual Meeting and Diocesan Convention.

**Lexington, St. Andrew's Church**—The chief interest for the year was planning for the new Parish Hall, especially the furnishings for the Sunday School room and the kitchen. Excellent collections for U. T. O., both fall and spring. One member donated an afghan, the sale of which netted about one hundred dollars.

**Mt. Sterling, Ascension Church**—Two successful food sales, a rummage sale, a card party, and a Christmas Bazaar given. Contributed five hundred dollars to the Parish Hall, installed an iron railing beside the church steps, and gave inlaid linoleum for the vestibule. Contributed to Men's Altar Guild. Assisted with Youth's Progressive Dinner held in various churches.

**Paris, St. Peter's Church**—Spring and fall rummage sales, a garden party, and Christmas Bazaar. Contributed to Church Building Fund, and are redecorating the Chapel. Their Lenten study was "Under Three Flags." Have done sewing for the Bourbon County Hospital and State Tuberculosis Hospital. Christmas baskets for needy families, clothing to Eastern State Hospital, Good Will, and Colored Orphanage. Hosts to Regional Youth Meeting in December.

**Richmond, Christ Church**—Held a successful Christmas Bazaar and spring rummage sale. Donated chairs and table to the Parish Room, and lamp and table to the Seminary House. Christmas baskets were sent to needy families and boxes of clothing to a mission.

**Versailles, St. John's Church**—Followed the Unified Program of the National Council of Churches, stressing what was best for the whole Church rather than stimulating only an interest in the Auxiliary. In this way every woman had a part in the Worship, Study, and Service of the whole. Large sums of money were given to the National, Diocesan, and Parish Church to promote Christian teachings. The women of St. John's were bound together by their common love of God, concern for the welfare of mankind, and the spreading of the Gospel.

**Winchester, Emmanuel Church**—Had a very successful booth in the Mary Farmer Guild Bazaar, sold twenty-five boxes of Cathedral Christmas cards, the proceeds being turned over to Bishop Moody. Contributed to the maintenance of their Church. At April meeting Mrs. Cecil Cantrill and Mrs. Preston Johnston gave a program on Prayer.

ELIZABETH McLEOD STEED  
Vice-President Blue Grass Region



## MOUNTAIN REGION

An exceptionally good Regional Meeting was held at Christ Church, Harlan, on October 11, with Bishop Moody as celebrant at the Holy Communion and principal speaker. Mrs. Robinson, Diocesan President, and other Board members were present, including Mrs. Cecil Cantrill and Mrs. Preston Johnston, who spoke on the World Council at Evanston. An inspiring address was given by Mrs. Burton Rogers, former missionary to India, and wife of the Principal of the Pine Mountain Settlement School, Harlan County, Kentucky.

**Corbin, St. John's Church**—In spite of illness among the rather small membership the Fair Share was paid and a contribution made to the Bishop Abbott Fund. Members made two dossal hangings and a set of green altar hangings.

**Cumberland, St. Luke's Mission**—Although still in the organizational stage, the women plan to have a branch of the Auxiliary in the near future. They have had a share in laying the foundations, literally, for the new church building, and in the worship and services which have been held for over two years in a private residence.

**Harlan, Christ Church**—Average attendance of eleven at twelve regular meetings and several called meetings to sew on church linens and hangings. Two rummage sales, two food sales, and a Christmas Bazaar which netted over six hundred dollars. In addition to Diocesan contributions sent clothing to Korean War Orphans, Christmas box to Frontier Nursing Service. Sent birthday candles to new babies in Parish, and flowers to sick. Assumed responsibility of cleaning the Church building each week; had Parish Hall floor waxed; now working to establish fund for a rectory. Farewell party to the Rev. Mr. Taylor. Host to 1954 W. A. Regional Meeting, and to Young Churchmen's Meeting in December. All members assist in local social services. Lenten talks by Mr. Ducker on Church and Ministerial Vestments.

**Hazard, St. Mark's Church**—With ten of the sixteen women in the Parish active members, the Auxiliary raised \$359 by rummage sales, benefits, etc. Three members attended the 1954 Women's Conference and Retreat, six the Regional Meeting at Harlan, and six the Ordination Ceremonies at the Seminary. Five teach in the Sunday School and one directs the choir. Besides Diocesan pledges gifts were sent to the Salvation Army, Frontier Nursing Service, the poor at Thanksgiving and Christmas, etc. Members active in community social service. Study for the year centered in "The Worship of the Church" with individual members reporting on assigned chapters at each meeting.

**Middlesboro, St. Mary's Church**—Ten monthly meetings, with study focussed on Kean's "The Christian Gospel and the Parish Church" and Addison's "The Episcopal Church in the U. S. A." Ten members attended Regional Meeting at Harlan. Auxiliary served luncheon following ordination of William H. Ralston, Jr., to the Diaconate, and was host to World Day of Prayer in Middlesboro. Daily treats for annual Vacation Bible School were served, and Sunday night supper to the Y. P. F. September through May. Purchased refrigerator and coat racks for Parish Hall, also choir robes and acolyte vestments, and re-upholstered sofa and chair. Three rummage sales and Christmas Bazaar, bake sale and Silver Tea. Donations to Washington Cathedral, Frontier Nursing Service, and American Federation for Overseas Blind.

**Pikeville, St. David's Church**—With a rather small membership the Auxiliary has maintained its organization and held regular meetings. The Fair Share was paid, and the Supply assignment fulfilled. One member attended the Woman's Conference and Retreat.

MARCIA EVANS WELLS (Mrs. Robert N.)  
Vice-President Mountain Region



# FINANCIAL REPORTS, 1955 ANNUAL MEETING

## TREASURER'S REPORT

Woman's Auxiliary, Diocese of Lexington

### BUDGET

May 1, 1954—May 1, 1955

| Branch                              | Fair Share | Paid       |
|-------------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Ashland .....                       | \$ 204.50  | \$ 204.50  |
| Beattyville .....                   | 21.67      | 21.67      |
| Bellevue-Dayton .....               | 50.64      | 50.64      |
| Corbin .....                        | 14.74      | 14.74      |
| Covington .....                     | 353.87     | 353.87     |
| Cumberland .....                    | 4.21       | .....      |
| Danville .....                      | 97.79      | 97.79      |
| Frankfort .....                     | 147.69     | 147.69     |
| Ft. Thomas .....                    | 212.38     | 212.38     |
| Georgetown .....                    | 39.17      | 39.17      |
| Harlan .....                        | 104.25     | 104.25     |
| Harrodsburg .....                   | 18.95      | 18.95      |
| Hazard .....                        | 24.05      | 24.05      |
| Latonia .....                       | 18.47      | 18.47      |
| Lexington, Christ Church .....      | 686.01     | 686.01     |
| Lexington, Good Shepherd .....      | 267.53     | 267.53     |
| Lexington, St. Andrew's .....       | 15.24      | 15.24      |
| Maysville .....                     | 94.94      | 95.00      |
| Middlesboro .....                   | 82.90      | 82.90      |
| Mt. Sterling .....                  | 31.46      | 31.46      |
| Newport .....                       | 120.41     | 120.41     |
| Paris .....                         | 106.06     | 106.06     |
| Pikeville .....                     | 13.16      | 13.16      |
| Richmond .....                      | 16.27      | 16.27      |
| Versailles .....                    | 150.71     | 150.71     |
| Winchester .....                    | 67.93      | 67.93      |
|                                     | <hr/>      | <hr/>      |
|                                     | \$2,965.00 | \$2,960.85 |
| Cash Received for 498 Manuals ..... |            | 49.80      |
|                                     |            | <hr/>      |
|                                     |            | \$3,010.65 |

### DISBURSEMENTS

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Bishop Abbott Fund for Diocesan Missions<br>(Auxiliary Special) ..... | \$1,500.00 |
| Bishop Burton Memorial Gift<br>(Margaret Hall Scholarship) .....      | 100.00     |
| Lexington Seminary .....  | 100.00     |
| Supply Work .....   | 600.00     |
| Administrative Expenses:  |            |
| Keystone Printery—Manuals .....                                       | \$ 276.95  |
| Mrs. Owen Lee, Expense on Manuals .....                               | 13.53      |
| Postage and Supplies .....  | 8.61       |
| Mimeographing Treasurer's Report .....                                | 2.25       |
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| Christian Social Relations Chairman .....                             | 25.00      |
| Educational Chairman .....  | 14.90      |
| Periodical Chairman .....   | 10.00      |
| Youth Chairman .....  | 25.00      |
| National Dues .....   | 35.00      |
| Provincial Dues .....   | 35.00      |



|                                       |            |            |
|---------------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Provincial Gift .....                 | 25.00      |            |
| United Church Women of Kentucky ..... | 10.00      |            |
| President's Traveling Expense .....   | 100.00     |            |
|                                       | <hr/>      |            |
|                                       | \$2,881.24 |            |
| President's Triennial Fund .....      | 50.00      |            |
| Balance, May 1, 1955 .....            | 79.41      | \$3,010.65 |
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## GENERAL FUND

May 1, 1954—May 1, 1955

### RECEIPTS

|   |           |            |
|---|-----------|------------|
| Budget Receipts .....                                   |           | \$3,010.65 |
| Bishop Abbott Fund for Diocesan Missions                |           |            |
| Annual Meeting Offering .....                           | \$ 332.59 |            |
| Mountain Regional Offering .....                        | 26.75     |            |
| Blue Grass Regional Offering .....                      | 57.00     |            |
| Ohio Valley Regional Offering .....                     | 66.00     | 482.34     |
|   | <hr/>     |            |
| Special Funds:  |           |            |
| Covington, Bishop's Discretionary Fund .....            | \$ 50.00  |            |
| Ft. Thomas  |           |            |
| Cabin Maintenance .....                                 | 93.91     |            |
| Episcopal Service for Youth .....                       | 5.00      |            |
| Frontier Nursing .....                                  | 10.00     |            |
| Lexington, Christ Church                                |           |            |
| Bishop's Discretionary Fund .....                       | 120.00    |            |
| Middlesboro, Leper Fund .....                           | 5.70      | 284.61     |
|   | <hr/>     |            |
| Cathedral Domain Dining Room Fund                       |           |            |
| Lexington, Christ Church .....                          |           | 90.00      |
| Cathedral Domain Dining Room Ceiling and<br>Lights Fund |           |            |
| Ashland .....   | \$ 55.00  |            |
| Bellevue-Dayton .....                                   | 10.00     |            |
| Corbin .....  | 5.00      |            |
| Covington .....   | 100.00    |            |
| Danville .....  | 20.00     |            |
| Frankfort .....   | 50.00     |            |
| Ft. Thomas .....  | 100.00    |            |
| Georgetown .....  | 10.00     |            |
| Harlan .....  | 25.00     |            |
| Harrodsburg .....                                       | 5.00      |            |
| Latonia .....   | 5.00      |            |
| Lexington, Christ Church .....                          | 50.00     |            |
| Lexington, Good Shepherd .....                          | 50.00     |            |
| Maysville .....   | 100.00    |            |
| Middlesboro .....                                       | 10.00     |            |
| Mt. Sterling .....                                      | 5.00      |            |
| Newport .....   | 50.00     |            |
| Paris .....   | 25.00     |            |
| Richmond .....  | 10.00     |            |
| Versailles .....  | 50.00     |            |
| Winchester .....  | 5.00      | 740.00     |
|   | <hr/>     |            |
| Supply Chairman Refund .....                            |           | 326.66     |
| Conference and Retreat Registrations .....              |           | 462.00     |
| Offering at Conference and Retreat .....                |           | 306.25     |
|   |           | <hr/>      |
|   |           | \$5,702.51 |



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|---|--------|
| Balance in Kitchen Fund, May 1, 1954 .. | 206.89 |
| Balance in Conference Fund .....        | 43.64  |
| President's Triennial Fund .....        | 100.00 |
| General Fund Surplus .....              | 688.36 |

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\$6,741.40

#### DISBURSEMENTS

|   |            |            |
|---|------------|------------|
| Budget Items .....  | \$2,881.24 |            |
| Annual Meeting Speaker .....  | 17.00      |            |
| Conference Speaker Expense .....                                    | 50.00      |            |
| Bishop Moody, Conference and Retreat Offering ..                    | 306.25     |            |
| Glenn Adkins, Conference and Retreat .....                          | 474.00     |            |
| Mrs. Clay, Adkins Wedding Gift .....                                | 40.00      |            |
| Bishop Moody, Balance in Dining Room Fund .....                     | 90.00      |            |
| David Hunt, 50 Prayer Books, 50 Hymnals .....                       | 51.00      |            |
| Standard Furniture, Bishop's Chair .....                            | 67.85      |            |
| Mrs. R. S. Ordway, for Korean Student .....                         | 50.00      |            |
| John G. King, Jr., Deposit for Mrs. Robinson's<br>Reservation ..... | 50.00      |            |
| Wm. Workman, Scholarship Aid .....                                  | 50.00      |            |
| Bishop Moody, Dining Room Ceiling and Lights ..                     | 740.00     |            |
| Bishop Abbott Fund for Diocesan Missions .....                      | 482.34     |            |
| Special Funds .....   | 284.61     |            |
|   | <hr/>      |            |
|   | \$5,634.29 |            |
| Balance in Kitchen Fund, May 1, 1955 ..                             | 206.89     |            |
| President's Triennial Fund .....                                    | 150.00     |            |
| General Fund Surplus .....  | 750.22     | \$6,741.40 |

#### MEMORANDUM

|  |    |        |
|--|----|--------|
| Margaret Hall Scholarship Fund:            |    |        |
| Balance in Fund, May 1, 1954 .....         | \$ | 665.19 |
| Bishop Burton Memorial Fund (Budget) ..... |    | 100.00 |
| Dividends:                                 |    |        |
| American T. & T. ....                      | \$ | 72.00  |
| Proctor & Gamble .....                     |    | 42.60  |
| Mary E. Harrison Trust Fund .....          |    | 59.28  |
|  |    | <hr/>  |
|  | \$ | 939.07 |
| To Margaret Hall Scholarship, July, 1954   |    | 250.00 |
|  |    | <hr/>  |
|  | \$ | 689.07 |
| Uninvested Fund .....                      |    | 49.57  |
| <b>Investments</b>                         |    |        |
| 8 Shares American T. & T.                  |    |        |
| 12 Shares Proctor & Gamble                 |    |        |
| Mary E. Harrison Trust Fund                |    |        |

AGNES FELDMANN (Mrs. Howard F.)  
Diocesan Treasurer

#### ANNUAL REPORT OF THANK OFFERING, 1954

|                      | Spring 1954 | Boxes | Fall 1954 | Boxes | Total 1954 |     |
|----------------------|-------------|-------|-----------|-------|------------|-----|
| Ashland .....        | \$ 159.08   | 64    | \$ 200.56 | 50    | \$ 359.64  | 114 |
| Beattyville .....    | 12.83       | 5     | No Report |       | 12.83      | 5   |
| Bellevue-Dayton .... | 26.26       | 18    | 28.16     | 19    | 54.42      | 37  |
| Corbin .....         | 25.00       | 10    | 28.00     | 21    | 53.00      | 31  |
| Covington .....      | 546.69      | 149   | 604.50    | 138   | 1,151.19   | 287 |
| Danville .....       | 89.16       | 25    | 100.04    | 22    | 189.20     | 47  |



|                       |            |      |            |      |            |       |
|-----------------------|------------|------|------------|------|------------|-------|
| Ft. Thomas .....      | 222.64     | 84   | 141.25     | .... | 363.89     | 84    |
| Frankfort .....       | 84.23      | .... | 68.67      | .... | 152.90     | ....  |
| Georgetown .....      | 18.97      | .... | 33.76      | .... | 52.73      | ....  |
| Harlan .....          | 25.21      | .... | 25.66      | .... | 50.87      | ....  |
| Harrodsburg .....     | 17.80      | .... | 16.15      | 9    | 33.95      | 9     |
| Hazard .....          | 18.75      | 8    | 20.61      | .... | 39.36      | 8     |
| Latonia .....         | 45.25      | 29   | 37.50      | .... | 82.75      | 29    |
| Lexington             |            |      |            |      |            |       |
| (Christ Church) ..... | 283.86     | 140  | 344.00     | .... | 627.86     | 140   |
| (Good Shepherd) ..... | 114.45     | 48   | 87.66      | 38   | 202.11     | 86    |
| (St. Andrew's) ....   | 33.14      | 26   | 22.60      | .... | 55.74      | 26    |
| Maysville .....       | 85.60      | 24   | 90.00      | .... | 175.00     | 24    |
| Middlesboro .....     | 21.15      | 11   | 22.40      | 15   | 43.55      | 26    |
| Mt. Sterling .....    | 32.00      | 13   | 19.50      | .... | 51.50      | 13    |
| Newport .....         | 113.63     | 52   | 112.16     | 50   | 225.79     | 102   |
| Paris .....           | 54.30      | 14   | 151.16     | 19   | 205.46     | 33    |
| Richmond .....        | 11.88      | 5    | 12.88      | .... | 24.76      | 5     |
| Versailles .....      | 77.33      | 24   | 110.15     | 31   | 187.48     | 55    |
| Winchester .....      | 17.00      | .... | 22.22      | .... | 39.22      | ....  |
| Total .....           | \$2,135.91 | 757  | \$2,299.59 | 422  | \$4,435.50 | 1,179 |
| Interest .....        | 66.45      |      | 89.27      |      | 155.72     |       |
|                       | \$2,202.36 |      | \$2,388.86 |      | \$4,591.22 |       |

JANE COBB (Mrs. T. Everett)  
Diocesan U. T. O. Custodian

## ANNUAL REPORT DIOCESAN SUPPLY FUND

Sept. 1, 1954—May 15, 1955

### RECEIPTS

|                                     |          |
|-------------------------------------|----------|
| From Wiocesan W. A. Treasurer ..... | \$600.00 |
| Total .....                         | \$600.00 |

### DISBURSEMENTS

|  |          |
|--|----------|
| New clothing purchased and shipped .....     | \$161.27 |
| Frankfort .....                              | 10.26    |
| Good Shepherd, Lexington .....               | 32.28    |
| Ft. Thomas .....                             | 24.04    |
| Paris .....                                  | 16.29    |
| Harrodsburg .....                            | 3.12     |
| Georgetown .....                             | 7.81     |
| Latonia .....                                | 6.20     |
| Mt. Sterling .....                           | 5.85     |
| Middlesboro .....                            | 8.88     |
| Christ Church, Lexington .....               | 22.26    |
|  | \$298.26 |
| Balance returned to Diocesan Treasurer ..... | 301.74   |
| Total .....                                  | \$600.00 |

These Branches completed assignments and requested no refund be made to them: Ashland; Bellevue-Dayton; Covington; Danville; Harlan; Hazard; St. Andrew's, Lexington; Maysville; Newport; Pikeville; Richmond; Versailles; Winchester.

MARY ANDREWS PLATT (Mrs. Waddill)  
Diocesan Supply Chairman



## CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY OF THE DIOCESE OF LEXINGTON

Revised May 1954

ARTICLE I. This branch shall be known as the Lexington Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Presiding Bishop and National Council and to the Bishop of Lexington.

ARTICLE II. Its purpose shall be to forward in every way the interest and plans of the Presiding Bishop and National Council and those of the Bishop of Lexington.

ARTICLE III. Its membership shall be composed of the Parish and Mission branches within the Diocese.

ARTICLE IV. Its officers shall be a President, Vice-President, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary and Treasurer. These officers shall constitute an Executive Committee which shall meet at the call of the President. Three shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

ARTICLE V. Upon the regular election of a new president she shall, with the approval of the Executive Committee, appoint the following Departmental Chairmen: 1. Devotional; 2. Christian Education; 3. United Thank Offering Custodian; 4. Christian Social Relations; 5. Supply; 6. Personnel; 7. Bishop Abbott Memorial Fund for Mountain Missions; 8. Church Periodical; 9. Wider Fellowship; 10. Cathedral Domain; 11. Publicity.

ARTICLE VI. These with the three Regional Vice-Presidents, elected in their respective Regions, and the Executive Committee shall constitute a Board of Management, which shall meet not less than twice a year. Seven shall constitute a quorum.

ARTICLE VII. The President shall call all meetings and preside over them and with the Board of Management shall consider and plan the affairs of the organization.

ARTICLE VIII. The Vice-President shall perform the duties of the President in her absence or disability. Each regional Vice-President shall have entire charge of the work in her region under the direction of the President and shall preside when a meeting is held in her region.

ARTICLE IX. The Recording Secretary shall keep a list of all parish officers. She shall take notes and keep a record of the proceedings of the Board and of the Annual meeting and shall read the same at the next meeting.

ARTICLE X. The Corresponding Secretary shall send out notices of meetings and take care of all other correspondence of the organization under the direction of the President.

ARTICLE XI. The Treasurer shall receive all moneys except the United Thank Offering and shall make such disbursements as are approved by the Board. She shall make a report at each meeting of the Board of Management and at the Annual meeting.

ARTICLE XII. The United Thank Offering Custodian shall furnish the women of the parishes with United Thank Offering boxes and leaflets, and bring to their attention in other ways the purpose of the United Thank Offering. She shall instruct Parish Custodians to arrange with rector or priest in charge for conduct of services and have Corporate Communion with special hymns and address if possible. She shall keep a list of contributions and shall make semi-annual collections and shall immediately send the offerings to the Treasurer of the National Council.

ARTICLE XIII. The Devotional Chairman shall promote and forward the spiritual life and well being of the organization, and shall cooperate with Altar Guild work in the Diocese.



ARTICLE XIV. The Educational Chairman shall interest herself in the training of Church leaders of Study Classes. She shall cooperate in the foregoing with the Educational departments of the National Woman's Auxiliary in all their plans and shall urge the branches to follow as closely as possible the study courses recommended by National. She shall serve as Chairman of a Committee on Missionary Information.

ARTICLE XV. The Christian Social Relations Chairman shall cooperate with all Branch chairmen in their work, seeking to coordinate and to bring to their attention such social service needs as she discovers in the Diocese and as directed by the National Board.

ARTICLE XVI. The Publicity Chairman shall have charge of all publications of the Diocesan Auxiliary and shall be responsible for the dissemination of information concerning its activities.

ARTICLE XVII. The Chairman of the Bishop Abbott Memorial Fund for Mountain Missions shall be responsible for the promotion and advancement of this work throughout the Diocese.

ARTICLE XVIII. The Supply Chairman shall receive from the National Supply Secretary all Diocesan assignments and allot them to the parishes.

ARTICLE XIX. The Chairman of Personnel shall contact and interest young women of the Diocese in seeking and preparing themselves for professional service in the Church.

ARTICLE XX. Sec. 1. The Fair Share Plan and Budget shall be drawn up annually by the Executive Committee and upon being approved by the Board of Management shall be presented by the Treasurer to the voting body at the Annual meeting.

Sec. 2. The Budget shall provide for all the Administrative expenses of the organization including an allotment for the President's expenses not to exceed \$100.00 annually.

Sec. 3. The privilege of voting at the Annual meeting shall be contingent upon the payment of the sum assigned by the Fair Share Plan.

ARTICLE XXI. Sec. 1. There shall be one annual meeting held in May for the election of officers and for transaction of business. Each branch shall be entitled to send two voting delegates in addition to its President in person. These, in addition to the members of the Board of Management present, shall constitute the voting body. Other members attending shall have the privilege of the floor except when otherwise ordered by the meeting.

Sec. 2. The President shall be elected at the Annual Meeting held during the year preceding the year of Triennial Meeting. The President shall appoint the Corresponding Secretary.

Sec. 3. The Vice-President, Recording Secretary, and Treasurer shall be elected at the Annual Meeting held during the year following Triennial Meeting.

ARTICLE XXII. Sec. 1. Each officer and chairman shall serve for a term of three years and shall be eligible to succeed herself for one additional term. Vacancies on the Board of Management shall be filled by the President, with the approval of the Executive Committee.

Sec. 2. Nominations for President, Vice-President, Recording Secretary, and Treasurer shall be presented by a committee which shall be appointed at a Board meeting held not less than two months prior to the Annual meeting and such nominations shall be made to the committee by ballots sent to the branches a reasonable time before elections. Nominations shall also be received from the floor and election shall follow in the customary manner.

Sec. 3. Delegates to Provincial Synod meetings and General Convention meetings of the Woman's Auxiliary shall be appointed by the President with the advice and consent of the three Regional Vice-Presidents.

ARTICLE XXIII. Robert's Rules of Order shall be the book of reference on Parliamentary questions.

ARTICLE XXIV. This Constitution and By-Laws may be amended at any Annual meeting by a two-thirds vote of the delegates present.



## **PRAYERS**

**(Suitable for Parish Branch Meetings)**

### **WOMAN'S AUXILIARY PRAYER**

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 Saviour and their King, through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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### **FOR THE SICK**

O Lord, look down from heaven, behold, visit, and relieve this Thy servant. Look upon him with the eyes of Thy mercy, give him comfort and sure confidence in Thee, defend him in all danger, and keep him in perpetual peace and safety; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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### **A NEW UNITED THANK OFFERING PRAYER**

Accept, O Father, this joyful sacrifice of thanksgiving and praise, and bless these gifts to the setting forward of Thy Kingdom, that as we have gratefully received the benefits Thy bounty has bestowed, so we may cheerfully share them with Thy children in all the world, for His sake whose life and death and rising to life again were a song of praise to Thee, O Thou Most Holy, our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

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### **FOR MISSIONS**

Almighty God, help us, we pray Thee, to shed abroad the light of Thy Church in all the world. Give us greater zeal for Thy Kingdom, that we may offer abundantly our prayers, our work, and our gifts; so that the earth may be filled with the knowledge of Thy glory, as the waters cover the seas; through Thy Son, Jesus Christ. our Lord. Amen.

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### **FOR CHRISTIAN EDUCATION**

O God, inspirer and teacher of men, who are the truth Thou lovest, send out Thy light and illumine us. Give us a deep and clear knowledge of ourselves. Help us to a growing knowledge of our world. Confirm in us the holiness of true reason. Strengthen in us the aspiration toward noble and spacious thinking, and in Thy good time bring us to Thy holy hill, where lifted above the clouds of prejudice and the mists of passion, we shall think Thine own thoughts after Thee, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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### **CHRISTIAN SOCIAL RELATIONS PRAYER**

Jesus, our Master and Friend, who claimest our service through the needs of our neighbors, grant to us to see Thy image in all our fellow creatures that in serving mankind we may minister to Thee, the Living Saviour of the world, who art, with the Father and the Holy Ghost, one Lord, world without end. Amen.

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### **PRAYER FOR THE SUPPLY WORK**

Almighty God, who hast taught us by Thy Son, Jesus Christ, that it is more blessed to give than it is to receive, look with favor, we beseech Thee, upon the supply work of Thy Church, especially in this Diocese. Touch our hearts with compassion for the poor, the sick, and homeless, and make us strong to lift their burdens with our ready gifts and service; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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### **CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB PRAYER**

Bless, O Lord, we pray Thee, the Church Periodical Club that it may be an instrument of service in Thy hands. Grant to its officers wisdom and patience, to its members perseverance and the spirit of sharing that asks no return. Bring our gifts and those who receive them to the enriching of individual lives and to the growth of Thy Kingdom, throughout the world, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.



## FOR PEACE

Eternal God, in whose perfect Kingdom no sword is drawn but the sword of righteousness, and no strength known but the strength of love; so guide and inspire, we pray Thee, the work of all who seek Thy Kingdom, that the nations may find their security not in force of arms but in that perfect love which casteth out fear, and in that fellowship revealed to us by Thy Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## FOR THE SHUT-IN AND ISOLATED

We remember before Thee, O Lord, all who by reason of infirmity or distance are hindered from worship in Thy holy House. Let Thy nearness be their recompense, and lead Thy Church to seek out and visit the lonely, inasmuch as they are Thine. Amen.

## INSTALLATION SERVICE FOR PARISH AUXILIARY OFFICERS\*

The officers who are to be installed, standing at the altar rail, the Past President, or some other person duly appointed, shall say:

Reverend Sir, the members of the Woman's Auxiliary of ..... Church have indicated their faith and trust in these women by electing them as their officers for the coming year. On behalf of the Auxiliary, I present them to you for installation.

Then the Minister shall say to each in turn:

I install you into the office of ..... to which you have been elected; and may God grant you grace and wisdom faithfully to exercise the duties thereof.

### For a President

O God, without whose illumination and guidance we cannot please Thee; withhold not Thy help from those who occupy places of trust in Thy Holy Church; bless especially her who has been chosen to direct and lead the Woman's Auxiliary of ..... Church. Give her plenteously of Thy gentleness and firmness, to so manage the affairs of this organization that it may prosper in all things, according to the manifestation of Thy glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### For Vice-Presidents

Most gracious God, be pleased to bless this woman (these women) who has (have) been appointed to the office of Vice-President of this Woman's Auxiliary; may she (they) serve faithfully and ever be ready to assist or direct as Thou dost call her (them). Grant to her (them) Thy Holy Spirit to enable her (them) to do all things through Him, who is Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

### For Secretary and Treasurer

O Lord, Jesus Christ, who in the days of Thy flesh didst accept the services of faithful women who ministered unto Thee of their substance, be pleased to pour upon this (these) Thy servant (s) entrusted with the office of ..... Thy grace and heavenly benediction. Grant to her (them) the spirit of faith, loyalty and ability to transact the business allotted to her (them); who art with the Father and the Holy Ghost, one God, world without end. Amen.

### For Chairmen of Committees

O Lord, who hast called us all to follow Thee, teach us to serve Thee as Thou deservest; to give and not to count the cost; to fight and not to heed the wounds; to toil and not seek for rest; to labor and not to ask for any reward, save that of knowing that we do Thy will, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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

\*This service may be used at a Corporate Communion of the women of the parish or at an annual meeting. It may be readily adapted for use in a Diocese or a Province.



## In Memoriam

### Calvary Church, Ashland

Mrs. Heloise Gunnell

Mrs. Nellie E. Martin

Mrs. Harriet W. Wolfe

### Trinity Church, Covington

Mrs. Naomi Griffin Schnelle

### St. Andrew's Church, Fort Thomas

Martha Ellen Stevenson

### Church of the Ascension, Frankfort

Anne Hord Brown

Mrs. Hiram Rodman

Mrs. Ruth Stokeley

### Holy Trinity Church, Georgetown

Mrs. Kathryn Gatewood Hambrick

Mrs. Margaret Downing Herring

Mrs. Zelma Brown Lippincott

### St. Stephen's Church, Latonia

Mrs. Martha Miller

### Christ Church, Lexington

Dora Graves Berkley

Mrs. Amanda Moshier James

Mrs. Mattie Kelley Dorman

Dee Long

Mrs. Dorothea Myer Elsee

Mrs. Lula Sutherland McCoy

Mrs. Mildred Isabel Hoos

Mrs. Amanda Williamson McGrath

Mrs. Patsy Ann Parker

### St. Andrew's Church, Lexington

Mrs. R. N. Bonner

Mrs. Herbert Harris

### Ascension Church, Mount Sterling

Mrs. J. O. Greene

### St. Paul's Church, Newport

Mrs. Harry Armstrong

Mrs. Harry Porter

Alice Dalton

Mrs. Winters

### St. David's Church, Pikeville

Mrs. Charles Snowden

### St. John's Church, Versailles

Mrs. Cicely de Graffenried Bowmar

Mrs. Louise Heck Woollam



## **WOMAN'S AUXILIARY CALENDAR 1955-1956**

### **SEPTEMBER**

4-15: Woman's Auxiliary Triennial, Honolulu, Hawaii.

4-15: General Convention, Honolulu, Hawaii.

Parish Treasurers: Is your Fair Share paid? If not, please give it priority.

Parish Supply Chairmen: Acknowledge receipt of assignments.

### **OCTOBER**

UTO Chairmen: Send Fall Offering to Diocesan UTO Custodian.

10th: Mountain Regional Meeting, St. Mary's Church, Middlesboro.

12th: Blue Grass Regional Meeting, Ascension Church, Mt. Sterling.

13th: Ohio Valley Regional Meeting, Church of the Nativity, Maysville.

### **NOVEMBER**

CPC Chairmen: Send reports to Regional CPC Secretaries.

Parish Presidents: Have reports of Regional Meeting in your Branch.

### **JANUARY**

Diocesan Board Meeting (date to be announced).

### **FEBRUARY**

Parish Supply Chairmen: Complete your assignments this month.

### **MARCH**

Parish Presidents: Send annual reports to your Regional Vice-President.

### **APRIL**

1st: Board Members: Send annual reports to Diocesan President.

All Parish officers and chairmen: Send reports to Diocesan Chairmen.

15th: UTO Chairmen: Send Spring Offering to Diocesan UTO Custodian.

Parish Presidents: Arrange at your April meeting for Offering to Bishop Abbott Fund. Also, send list of Annual Meeting delegates to your Regional V-P.

25th: Regional V-P's: Send in list of Annual Meeting delegates.

### **MAY**

8th: Annual Meeting of Woman's Auxiliary of Diocese, St. Mary's Church, Middlesboro.

8th-9th: Annual Convention of Diocese, St. Mary's Church, Middlesboro.

16th-19th: Conference and Retreat for Women, Cathedral Domain.

### **JUNE**

Diocesan Board Meeting (date to be announced).



