

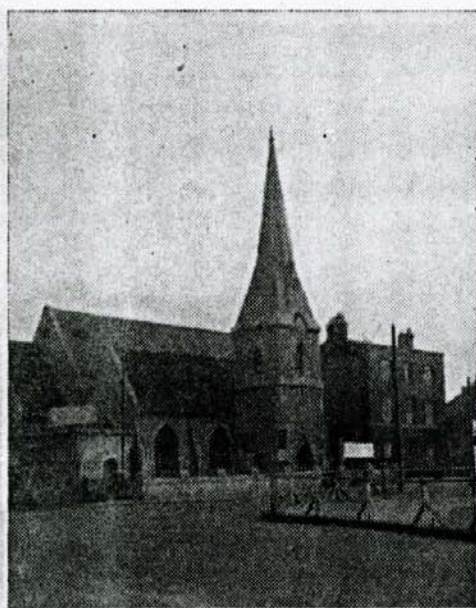
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# **Centenary Celebrations**

**11th—18th MAY, 1952**

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**Vicar**

**THE REVEREND H. RESEIGH, A.K.C.**

**Churchwardens**

**Mr. J. W. H. EVANS · Mr. A. J. CARTER**

# Services and Preachers

## Sunday, 11th May—

- 8 a.m. Holy Communion  
11 a.m. Morning Prayer. The Rev. D. A. Rooke, M.A.,  
Vicar of St. John's, Stratford  
6.30 p.m. Evening Prayer. The Rt. Rev. The Lord Bishop  
of Colchester

## Monday, 12th May—

- 3 p.m. Service for Women. The Rev. W. D. Topping,  
Rector of Magdalen Laver  
8 p.m. Service for Youth. The Rev. T. H. Hollingdale,  
A.K.C., Vicar of St. Peter's, Colchester

## Tuesday, 13th May—

- 7.30 p.m. District Guide and Brownie Parade. The Rev. H.  
H. Griswell, Rector of Wivenhoe

## Wednesday, 14th May—

- 3 p.m. Darby and Joan Club Service. The Rev. J. J.  
Wright, B.D., A.K.C., Vicar of Emmanuel,  
Forest Gate

## Thursday, 15th May. Our Centenary Day—

- 10 a.m. Holy Communion  
8 p.m. Service of Thanksgiving. The Rt. Rev. The Lord  
Bishop of Chelmsford

## Friday, 16th May—

- 8 p.m. "Overseas" Service. The Rev. J. B. H. Britter,  
A.L.C.D., Vicar of St. John's, Walthamstow

## Saturday, 17th May—

- 7 p.m. Centenary Reunion Social in Cooper Hall.

## Sunday, 18th May—

- 8 a.m. Holy Communion  
11 a.m. Morning Prayer. The Rev. E. H. Stéele, Vicar of  
St. Paul's, Stratford  
3.15 p.m. Service for Children. The Rev. H. J. Marshall,  
Vicar of Chadwell Heath  
6.30 p.m. Evening Prayer. The Rt. Rev. The Lord Bishop of  
Barking  
Dedication of Memorial to the late Canon Bertin

# More Information about Centenary Week

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Please remind as many as you can about our Centenary Week, and come as often as you are able.

Further copies of this leaflet can be obtained from the Vicar on request.

Although some of the services have been arranged in connection with specific organisations, you will still want to attend, even though you may not be a member. **We hope you will.**

We are arranging a short reception in the Cooper Hall after each mid-week service and this will give you a further opportunity of meeting old friends.

On the occasion of the Centenary Day itself, May 15th, arrangements are being made to relay the service outside the Church for the benefit of overflow congregation.

**Centenary Social.** Tickets are 1/- each and application should be made to Mr. J. W. H. Evans, 53 Leyspring Road, Leytonstone, E. 11, by May 5th, if you wish to attend.

To mark the occasion, a Bible will be presented to every baby born on Centenary Day, May 15th, 1952, to parents who reside within the parish boundaries of Christ Church, Stratford. Please send any claims to the Vicar.

Collections throughout the Week will be used to defray the cost of the celebrations.

It is hoped to have a small Centenary History of Christ Church on sale during the Week. Please look out for this.

Keep a look out for the large posters outside the Church and those in local shops. Details of the Week will also appear in "The Stratford Express" and "Christ Church Herald." Further information will be gladly supplied by the Vicar or any Church Officers.

Special Competition for all children who live within the Parish boundaries:—

For those under 8. Make a drawing or painting of the *outside* of Christ Church.

For those between 8 and 11. Write a short essay on "Why I like Christ Church," *or* make a painting of the *outside* of Christ Church.

For those between 11 and 15. Write a short essay on "My most enjoyable service at Christ Church—when and why," *or* make a drawing or painting of the *interior* of Christ Church.

Marks will be given for neatness as well as subject material, and all entries (which must be unaided), should be handed or sent to the Vicar by Sunday, 11th May. Prize-winners will be announced as soon as possible. Do not forget to include your Name, Age and Address.

We hope to place a new Lectern Bible in Christ Church to the memory of the late Canon R. B. Bertin, who was Vicar of Christ Church from 1923—1932. Many friends will wish to participate in this, and donations may be sent to the Vicar or Churchwardens. The Bible will be dedicated at the closing service of the Centenary on Sunday, 18th May, by the Lord Bishop of Barking.

All enquiries or correspondence may be addressed to the Vicar, Christ Church Vicarage, 22 Earlham Grove, Forest Gate, E. 7. Telephone Maryland 2993.