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Dedication of the Memorials

(Chancel Screen and Tablet)

Erected in the Parish Church,

In Grateful Remembrance Of the Men of Alfreton who fell in the Great War, 1914-1918,

On Whit-Sunday, 1921, at 6.30 p.m.,

By The Right Reverend The Lord Bishop of Southwell.

And also the Dedication of the Chapel Altar in Memory of the late Rev. E. O. Read, M.A., C.F., sometime Assistant Curate of Alfreton.

And also the Dedication of the Communion Rail in memory of the late Mr. J. G. Wilson.

MEMORIAL SERVICES on Whit-Sunday,

A.S. 1921.

Holy Communion, 7.0 o'clock. Holy Communion, 8.0 o'clock. Holy Communion, 11.0 o'clock (Sung to Merbecke's Setting).

Evensong and Dedication Service, 6.30.

• Anthem : "Blessed are the Dead" (From the new Oratorio, "Jerusalem."

Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis and Psalm XXIII.

Composed by C. H. Lloyd

Magdalen College Responses.

Hymns: 156 (Processional)

"God of our fathers" (Words by Kipling)

A. and M., 438.

The Collections on Whit-Sunday will be for the Memorial Fund, which will require about £40 more for the completion of the work.

Form of Service.

Evensong to 3rd Collect: Special Psalm: XXIII. Special Lessons: 1st, Wisdom, III, i-vi. 2nd, I. Thess., IV., xiii. to end.

The Grace.

The Vicar, standing on the Chancel step, shall say:

Dearly beloved in the Lord, we are gathered together to night to remember before God those who gave their lives for their country, to thank Him for their example of devotion to duty, and to Dedicate this Chancel Screen and Tablet to their lasting memory. Wherefore I ask you secretly in your prayers to remember them, for which prayers there shall be silence kept for a space.

All shall kneel and pray in silence.

Then shall the Bishop say the following:

Let us pray:

Lord have mercy upon us,

Christ have mercy upon us,

Lord have mercy upon us.

O UR Father, which art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy Name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth As it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, As we forgive them that trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation; But deliver us from evil. Amen.

The Bishop: Enter not into judgment with Thy servants O Lord; Response: For in Thy sight shall no man living be justified.

The Bishop: The souls of the righteous are in the hands of God:

Response: And there shall no torment touch them.

The Bishop: He shall deliver their souls from falsehood and wrong; Response: And dear shall their blood be in His sight. (Inscription on Tablet.)

The Bishop; Grant unto them O Lord eternal rest; Response: And let light perpetual shine upon them.

The Bishop: God accept them;

Response: Christ receive them. Amen.

The Bishop: May the souls of the faithful through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

A LMIGHTY God, we commend to Thy loving kindness the souls of Thy servants who have given their lives to defend their country. Accept, O Lord, the offering of their sacrifice, and grant to them, with all Thy faithful servants, a place of refreshment and peace, where the light of Thy countenance shines for ever, and where all tears are wiped away; through Jesus Christi our Lord. Amen.

O HEAVENLY Father, Whose Blessed Son Jesus Christ didst weep at the grave of Lazarus His friend; look, we beseech Thee, with compassion upon those who have been bereaved of their dear ones; comfort them, O Lord, with Thy gracious consolation, and make them to know that all things work together for eternal good to them that love Thee: through the same Jesus Christ our Lord, Who with Thee and the Holy Ghost the Comforter, liveth and reigneth ever one God, world without end. Amen.

UNTO Thy loving kindness, O Lord, we commend all those who are stricken and suffering by reason of the war: the wounded and the overstrained, the disabled and the blinded, and all whose faith in Thee has been shaken by what they have seen and suffered. Strengthen them, O Lord, with Thy Holy Spirit and give them courage and hope; for the sake of Him Who bore for us the pain and desolation of the Cross, Thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

ANTHEM.

SERMON.

At the conclusion of the Sermon the congregation shall stand,

and the Bishop shall proceed to Dedicate the Chancel Screen,

with the words following:

O ALMIGHTY Father, Lord of Heaven and earth, vouchsafe, we beseech Thee, to accept this offering at our hands in remembrance of our brothers departed, and to consecrate this gift to Thy Glory and ourselves to Thy service; for Jesus Christ's sake. Amen.

 \mathbf{I}^{N} the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

TO the Glory of God and in grateful memory of those who gave their lives for their country we + bless and dedicate + this Memorial. May all who look upon it realize the peace of sins forgiven, the joy of faithful service, and the power of endless life, to which God vouchsafe to bring us all; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

And then shall the Bishop proceed to Dedicate the Roll of Honour, with the words following:

 $\prod_{\substack{ \text{Mensel N} \\ \text{Amen.}}}^{N} \text{ the faith of our Risen Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ we } \clubsuit \text{ bless and } \\ \frac{1}{2} \text{ dedicate } \clubsuit \text{ this Roll of Honour to the undying memory of the glorious } \\ \frac{1}{2} \text{ dead}; \text{ in the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost.} \\ \text{Amen.} \end{cases}$

Then the Bishop and Clergy shall proceed to the High Altar from whence the names of the fallen shall be read, the Congregation standing.

Then shall follow the HYMN :

OD of our Fathers, known of old, Far-called our navies melt away,-Lord of our far-flung battle line, Beneath whose awful hand we hold Dominion over palm and pine, LordGod of Hosts, be with us yet, Lest we forget-lest we forget !

The tumult and the shouting dies,-The captains and the kings depart, Still stands Thine ancient sacrifice, An humble and a contrite heart, LordGod of Hosts, be with us yet, Lest we forget-lest we forget!

On dune and headland sinks the fire, Lo, all our pomp of yesterday Is one with Nineveh and Tyre! Judge of the Nations, spare us yet, Lest we forget-lest we forget!

For heathen heart that puts her trust In reeking tube and iron shard,-All valiant dust that builds on dust, And guarding calls not Thee to guard Forfrantic boastandfoolish word, Thy mercy on Thy people, Lord! Amen.

During the last verse the Bishop and Clergy shall proceed to the restored Chapel (which is to be known, as formerly, as the Chapel of S. Thomas, A. & M.) and the Bishop shall hallow the Altar and its furniture in memory of the Reverend Eric Oswald Read, M.A., C.F., and the Tablet on the wall near by, with the words following :

N the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

TOUCHSAFE, O Lord God, to bless, & hallow, & and consecrate & this Altar to Thine Honour and for the perpetual Memorial of the one Oblation once offered upon the Cross through Jesus Christ our Lord, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the Holy Ghost, One God, world without end. Amen.

Then shall follow the HYMN, A. & M. 438.

During the singing of this Hymn the collection shall be taken. The Bishop and Clergy shall proceed to the Sanctuary, and after the collection has been offered, shall dedicate the Communion Rail in memory of Joseph George Wilson, with the words following:

N the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

LORD God, Who hast commanded every man to offer unto Thee of O LORD God, who has commanded every man to bler from Thine Thine own gift and who dost abundantly require them from Thine eternal bounty, accept this offering made unto Thee, which we dedicate to Thy Glory and in memory of Thy servant Joseph George Wilson; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Bishop: Let us pray.

ETERNAL Lord God, Who holdest all souls in life, we beseech O ETERNAL Lord Cod, who houses an Saradise and on earth the Thee to shed upon Thy whole Church in Paradise and on earth the bright beams of Thy light and heavenly comfort; and grant that we, following the good examples of those who have served Thee here and are at rest, may with them at length enter into Thine unending joy, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Blessing.

"And dear shall their blood be in His sight."

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Vivatis in pace et petite pro nobis.