

HOLY TRINITY CURATES BIOGRAPHIES

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FREDERICK GEORGE JOURDAIN 1857

He graduated from Christ's College, Cambridge in 1857, gaining his MA in 1860. He was deaconed in 1857 and priested in 1858. After Holy Trinity his only other recorded position, after a gap of 5 years was Curate of Charlton Kings (near Cheltenham) from 1862 to his death in the March quarter of 1866, at the age of 31.

CHARLES DOUGLAS 1860

This gentleman is in the Bishop's Registers, but not even in the 1865 Crockfords

ALEXANDER EWING 1863

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WILLIAM CAKEBREAD 1866

In 1872 he is noted as Curate of Carlisle, St. John & then Curate of St. Mark, Tollington Park, Islington, London from 1873. No other details are available and he appears to have died by 1885.

WILLIAM GABBOTT 1868 to 1871

He trained at the London College of Divinity, was deaconed in 1868 and priested in 1869. On leaving Holy Trinity he became Vicar of St. John Beckermert in 1870 for the rest of his ministry (the appointments seem to have overlapped by a year). The parish then had a population of 459, and part of the tithe was impropriated to Haile & Lowther School. By 1885 the population was 623, and 669 in 1908. He retired in around 1917, died on 19th February 1919 and was buried at Beckermert (from Holme View) at the age of 78, on 22nd February. There is a full account of his funeral on page 6 of the Whitehaven News of 27th February 1919.

GEORGE WHITE 1871 to 1874

He trained at the London College of Divinity, and was deaconed in 1871. In 1874 he has not yet been priested, and is living at 5 Scotch Street. He appears to have died by 1885.

WILLIAM MUSKETT 1873 to 1874

He graduated from St. Johns College, Cambridge in 1871, gained his MA in 1875, was deaconed in 1872 and priested in 1873. His first curacy was at Ulverston where he was also Workhouse Chaplain. After Whitehaven he was Curate in Charge of Hinderclay (Suffolk) from 1874 to 1875 and Curate of Halliwell St. Paul (Lancashire) from 1875 to 1876 before becoming Vicar of Nenthead from 1876 to 1877. He was then Curate of Garrigill from 1877 to 1880 and then Rector of Crackenthorpe (population 139) from 1880. He died, at the age of 56, in the December quarter of 1886.

PATRICK MORRISON FLINN 1874 to 1876

He graduated from Trinity College, Dublin in 1877. He was deaconed in 1874 by the Bishop of Carlisle and priested in 1876 by the Bishop of Manchester. From Whitehaven he went to All Saints, Chorlton-on-Mersey (Manchester) 1877 to 1878, Holy Trinity, Blackburn 1878 to 1879 and was then Rector of Shaftesbury from 1879 to 1882. In 1884 he became Curate of St. Stephen, Brighton. He had died by 1908.

JAMES ANDERSON 1876

See Vicar's Biographies

OLIVER MYLES JACKSON **1888 to 1889**

He trained at St. Bees Theological College in 1886, was deaconed in 1888 by the Bishop of Carlisle and priested in 1889 by the Bishop of Ripon. After his first curacy at Whitehaven he was Curate of Girington (Yorkshire) from 1889 to 1891, and then went to China with the Church Missionary Society, to their mission at An-hsien (Mien-Cheo) in Western China. He was still there in 1908 and appears to have died by 1929.

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