Short Activity Report - 2015

During the year 2015, a total of 60 services were held, of which 53 were services of Holy Communion, including the midnight service on Christmas Eve. Throughout 2015 services were held on a weekly basis starting at the time of 10:30 on Sunday morning.

Throughout the year the most of the services were taken by our Chaplain Rev. Alja Tollefsen. During the year four Sunday morning Eucharist services were taken by locums: Rev. Steve Collis and Sam Van Leer. Four services of Morning Prayer were taken by Simone Yallop as Reader in Training.

On 31 May 2015 there was a Eucharist with the baptisms of Maria and Scipio, the grandson of Joyce Wigboldus. In January the Wladimirkoor sang at the Sunday morning Eucharist. In September during the Castle Fair there was an Evensong in the chapel.

The average attendance at services in 2015 was 46 (50 in 2014) and the average number of communicants was 39 (41 in 2014). For 2015 all the services have been taken into account when computing averages. The results show that the average attendance is slightly lower than in 2014. However, 2014 had a higher than usual average attendance due to a couple of special services with the Bishop and the Archdeacon.

This year a Sunday School for the children was again held on a regular basis.

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