

THE NORE MEMORIAL CHAPEL (The Chancel)

Stained Glass Windows - Left to Right:

- Nos. 1 and 2 Memorial to King George VI
- No. 3 St. George - The Dunkirk Memorial
- No. 4 A memorial to: HMS Clacton, Martin, Intrepid, Forfar, Marigold, Boadicea, City of Rochester, Dunvegan Castle, Keith, Mashona, Achates, Auricula, Bedouin
- No. 5 A memorial to: HMS Campbeltown, Lark, Sphinx, Hurricane, Cossack, Marmion, Curlew, Veteran, Wakeful, Bleau, Samphire, Grove, Naiad.
- No. 6 A memorial to: HMS Exmoor, Regulus, Firedrake, Salopian, Ivanhoe, Southampton, Whirlwind, Jervis Bay, Leda, Asphodel, Escort, Skipjack, Partridge.
- No. 7 The Five Wounds - A memorial to: HMS Mercury, Calcutta, Encounter, Felixstowe - A kneeling Sailor
- No. 8 Crown of Thorns - A memorial to: HMS Eagle, Bramble, Arbutus, Dunoon, Avenger, Curacao, Hostile, Zinnia, Wryneck, Niger.
- No. 9 (Centre) - The Crucifixion.
- No. 10 Cross - A memorial to: HMS Harvester, Grenade, Sikh, York, Medway, Fitzroy, Gossamer, Ibis, Heythrop, Penzance.
- No. 11 Chalice - A memorial to: HMS Imogen, Gallant, Dragon, Cornwall, Havock, Thanet, Legion, Kipling, Lightning, Kelly
- No. 12 A memorial to: HMS Vimiera, Hurst Castle, Electra, Widnes, Walney, Gardenia, Dasher, Juno, Bath, Princess Victoria, Goodall, Stoke.
- No. 13 A memorial to: HMS Hartland, Pylades, Welshman, Brighton Belle, Pintail, Waverley, Picotee, Tunsburg Castle, Bullen also to Coastal Forces, Landing Craft and Submarines.
- No. 14 St. Margaret of Antioch - A memorial to the W.R.N.S
- No. 15 St. Michael - The North Africa Memorial Window

The windows were designed and made by Mr. Hugh Easton

- Asphodel (D.F.W.)** A corvette sunk 9.3.44 by U.575 off Cape Finisterre.
The badge represents an illustration of this flower of the Lily family.
- Escort** A destroyer torpedoed 8.7.40 by Italian submarine 'Marconi' in Western Mediterranean - ship foundered in tow on 11.7.40
The badge represents a Yeoman Warder, escort of the keys.
- Skipjack** A minesweeper sunk 1.6.40 by air attack off Dunkirk.
The badge shows an illustration of the name.
- Partridge** A destroyer sunk 18.12.42 by U.565 off Oran.
The badge shows an illustration of the name.

WINDOW No. 7

- Mercury** A paddle minesweeper sunk 25.12.40 South of Ireland after hitting one of her own mines.
The badge depicting the sceptre of Mercury/Hermes is that of the RN Signal School, HMS Mercury, designed after the loss of the minesweeper.

The roof of the Chancel apse has been painted in celestial blue and studded with silver stars to convey a sense of the canopy of the heavens.

The Reredos (the carved wooden screen behind the altar) is a memorial to the Fallen of the First World War. It is an oak triptych showing Christ in Glory surrounded by shields, figures of saints and emblems representing the Allies of Great Britain in the First World War together with the countries of the United Kingdom.

The "wings" show shields of the British Commonwealth and Empire.

The Reredos was designed by W.D. Caroe, FSA and was erected in 1916.

The scheme of decoration for the sanctuary, chancel and baptistry is the work of Mr. Ernest Maufe, R.A., who is a leading authority on the construction, internal design and decoration of ecclesiastical buildings and is the architect of Gulltford Cathedral.

The organ was built by Rothwells of Harrow in 1906 and rebuilt by Rushworth and Dreaper of Liverpool in 1974.

Also within the Nore Memorial Chapel is a copper plaque: a memorial to Robert England Watson.

- Calcutta** A cruiser sunk 1.6.41 by air attack North of Alexandria.
The badge shows part of the Arms of the City of Calcutta.
- Encounter** A destroyer sunk 1.3.42 by Japanese squadron in the Java Sea.
One meaning of encounter is - "to meet in hostile fashion".
- Felixstowe** A minesweeper sunk 18.12.43 by a mine off Sardinia.
The badge design uses part of the Arms of the Town of Felixstowe.
- WINDOW No. 8**
- Eagle** An aircraft carrier sunk 11.8.42 by U.73 in Western Mediterranean.
The design of the badge illustrates the name.
- Bramble** A minesweeper sunk 31.12.42 by the German cruiser "Admiral Hipper"
The badge design illustrates the name
- Arbutus (D.F.W.)** A corvette sunk 5.2.42 by U.136 in North Atlantic.
Badge illustrates the flower's name.

THE MEMORIALS

The North Aisle (from the West End)

Large Brass Roll of Honour to Officers, Petty Officers and Men who died 1914/18

Cast Bronze Plaque: Commemorating the Men of HMS Welshman
Stained Glass Window 1: St. Barbara - donated by R.N. Gunnery School

Cast Bronze Plaque: Commemorating the Men who died in HM Submarine Truculent

Stained Glass Window 2: St. Christopher - in memory of Stoker Petty Officer William Henry Hunt of HMS Curacoa 1942

Brass Plate: Commemorating HMS Bulwark and HMS Princess Irene
Stained Glass Window 3: St. Andrew - in memory of Leading Seaman Kenneth Bernard Jones of HMS Vernon 1941

Brass Plate: Commemorating William Edward Munday of HMS Brilliant 1911

Copper Plaque: Commemorating those who gave their lives on HMS Jervis Bay, 5th November 1940

Stained Glass Window 4: St. Oswald - a memorial to the Officers and Men of HM Tug St. Genny 1930.

Fumed Oak Plaque: In memory of the Officers and Men of HMS Kelly, 1940 and 1941

Circular builders' plaque commemorating HMS Shearwater

Stained Glass Window 5: St. Patrick - In memory of the Officers and Men of HM Submarines H47 and L12 1929

Cast Bronze Plaque: Commemorating the Scott Antarctic Expedition 1912 (Capt. Scott, Dr. Wilson, Capt. Oates, Lieut. Bowers and PO Evans)

Brass Plaque: Attached to pillar - telling history of Battle Ensign of HMS Havock 1942

Stained Glass Window 6: St. David - In memory of AB Harry Park-Temple 1929.

Marble Tablet: In memory of the Officers and Men of HMS Calypso

Stained Glass Window 7: St. George - Donated by Commodore H.S. Shipway

Brass Plaque: To commemorate donation of 3 bells -No 1. from HMS Birmingham as memorial to Vice Admiral Maurice Fitzmaurice, Petty Officer Alfred Mitchell and Engine Room Artificer Clifford Bristow Nos. 2 and 3 The Commodore, Officers and Men of Royal Naval Barracks, Chatham

The window recesses of Stained Glass Windows Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 contain badges of HMS Curacoa, Welshman, Encounter, Mercury, Grenade, Kipling, Picotee, Boadicea, Calcutta and Wolfhound.

North Clerestory (from the East End)

Shield 1 (corner): A memorial to HMS Bedford 1910

Stained Glass Windows 1, 2 and 3: A memorial to King George V (Depict - 1, St. George, 2, St. Nicholas, 3, St. Edmund)

Shield 2: A memorial to HMS Inflexible 1914/18

Shield 3: A memorial to HMS Mars 1915/16

Stained Glass Window 4: Christ Walking upon the Waters - A memorial to those who died in HMS Electra 1942

Shield 4: A memorial to HMS Penelope, 1914/16

Shield 5: A memorial to HMS Chatham 1912/16

Shield 6: A memorial to HMS Llewellyn 1914/17

A memorial to HMS Strongbow 1917

A memorial to HMS Zulu 1916