

Servises Sailors Home Cherry St Cannons  
Held after Epiphany Jan'y 16, 1853. <sup>407</sup> till an hour

The meeting of the Congregation of  
the Society of St John from London as far  
as they were advertized took place  
and the religious Services of the  
day, at 10 $\frac{1}{2}$  AM and at 3 P.M. were  
held at the Reading Room of the  
Sailors Home in Cherry St -

where I preached in the morning to  
about 70 persons. on the text  
Is thy God whom thou serveest continually  
able to deliver thee from the mouths  
of the Lion - The organ was played  
by a gentleman sent by Mr. Hedham  
the Organist of the Society of St  
John from London. The Chants were sung  
by two females singers & Miss Argham  
was present & sang -

In the afternoon I again officiated at  
the same place & preached on the text  
He shall cover thee with his feathers, under  
his wings shall thou rest - The congregation  
was about half as large as in the morning -

Monday, June 17, 1853. 20 men were at  
work all day, in the extremely cold weather  
attempting to raise the floating log of  
one Sawing in and made no progress.

Tuesday June 18. One side of the Church  
was raised. 5 feet out of the water  
So as to bring the boats on an even  
Keel. which was the side next to the  
Sawing dock. One Sloop in sawing was left

the other side  
Wednesday, June 19. Two small  
Sloops of 60 tons each - were hauled  
along side and raised the church  
on the north side <sup>with the ropes</sup> within two feet &  
a half of the ground but could proceed  
no farther. without sinking the  
Sloops or capsizing them as the tables  
were made fast to their main heads.  
This eve the Church had to be  
lowered again to the original <sup>about</sup> <sup>level</sup> <sup>with</sup> the water 2 feet.

January 19

and the Edifice was left in all the next day

Thursday

January 20, until a brig than on the screw dock undergoing repairs could be obtained

Friday

January 21, by which to raise the north side, the guys on the reverse dock on the South side being wholly sufficient to lift the South side to any elevation -

January 21 <sup>Friday</sup> <sup>out of the water</sup> The church was this day raised to within one foot of the quays, and the men were all day engaged in lashing oil casks under the quays, & on Saturday

January 22, at 12 o'clock 48 oil casks were lashed under the quays &

the two long timbers or booms which had been used in Snowary.

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The Church were also fastened there  
At one o'clock Two Steamboats were  
in readiness and towed the Church  
which was then floating with the gale  
2 feet under water - out of the  
dock to the Seasonal Dock at the  
Foot of Clinton St on the East River  
near or a half mile from foot of  
Pine St. and she was lifted  
out of the water - Saturday Morning

Jan'y, 22, at 8 o'clock <sup>A.M.</sup> and examined  
at 12 o'clock by the Surveyors,  
who are appointed by the Chamber  
of Commerce, - who in their report  
state that the Church was caused  
to sink by the violence of the gale  
straining the timber heads, <sup>to which the chains (moorings) were</sup> and <sup>made fast</sup>  
making one of the boats to leak  
by the standing of some planks  
while a very heavy body of water

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snow had accumulated on the south  
side of the roof -

On Saturday Ev'g the Copper was all  
stripped off by the workmen &  
the upper sheathing of the boards of  
plank, was removed at the upper  
works.

The superintending Committee met  
at 3 P.M. to whom was committed  
by the Board of managers of the Church & the  
the repairing of the Church & the  
business of dealing with the under  
writers - and they committed the whole  
subject with power, to the sole  
Committee of their own body - who  
were a <sup>standing</sup> Committee on repairs -

Funeral of a man killed G. Wilson

On Thursday, July 20, 1853.

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at 2 P.M., at his residence, 577 Grand

St. I attended the funeral of Christian  
Wilson AET 35, a Swede who was

killed by a giprey <sup>block</sup> on board a new  
Ship in Westervelt's ship yard yesterday  
He was struck on the head and his  
skull was fractured — —

It was a melancholly spectacle and  
distressing scene that had to pass  
through. with the widowed wife &  
orphan children and friends in  
a small room in the fourth story  
of a house 577 Grand St. — The services,  
were all performed at the house.

The Learning Friend Society &  
the Keepers of the House Capt. Lyman  
and Mr. Sherman — to hold our services  
with our Church shall be again  
in a state to be comfortably occupied

Sunday after the Epiphany Jan'y 23, 1853.

In the morning I preached during  
a very heavy rain storm at the  
Trinity Ch. of the Holy Comforter in an  
exchange with Rev. S. V. M. Johnson.  
and preached on the text about  
60 persons. <sup>unto you that fear my name</sup>  
~~And does dreamed a~~  
~~dream that to a ladder set upon~~  
~~the earth~~ healing in his wings:-

Rev. Mr. Johnson preached in the  
morning for me and performed our  
services at the Sailors Home -  
190 Cherry St. where we have  
been invited by the President  
of the Seamen's Friend Society &  
the keepers of the House Capt. Sayre  
and Mr. Sherman - to hold our services  
with our Church shall be again  
in a state to be comfortably occupied.

R.M., Sunday July 23, 1853

In the afternoon I officiated at  
the Saviour Home in Cherry St

and preached to about 70 persons

<sup>on the text a ladder set up on the earth & the top of it</sup>  
was <sup>reaches to the case</sup> informed this day by our organist

Mr. Redham who has occupied his  
station 4 1/2 years at our Church

that he will resign his situation  
after the next Sunday.

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THE FLOATING CHAPEL for Seamen, which was sunk, at the foot of Pike-street, during the late storm, has been raised, and is now undergoing repairs, on the Sectional Dock, at the foot of Clinton-street. It is expected that she will be at her old berth, and opened for divine service, on Sunday next.

*NY Sun Jan 22, 1853*

Jan'y 28/52

The Floating Church of our Saviour  
remained on the Sectional Dock at  
the Foot of Chilton 6 days from  
Saturday, Jan'y 22/52 to Friday at 4  
P.M. Jan'y. 28/52 - when about 3 days  
of their time the boats were under  
going repairs & the other 3 days  
waiting the award of the underwriters,  
which was finally accepted as  
a compromise - for the injury by  
the committee being the sum  
of 1500 Dollars. - The copper taken  
from the boats - brought 630 Dollars  
which of course belonged to the  
Board of Managers for Society. It  
was very thick being 28 oz to the  
Square foot. The committee instead  
of putting on new copper to the boats  
concluded to have them sheathed  
with felt &  $\frac{3}{4}$  inch pine boards after

Jan'y 28/53

the seams had been thoroughly caulked, Stingers were put upon the gunwales of the boats - and supporting timbers to the guards - and two heavy 4 inch plank pinned one under the keel near the bow, and the other under the keel near the stern post to keep the boats in their relative position <sup>to one another</sup> & to render them stiff in that position

The chapel had been most thoroughly washed out by the hose pipe of the croton water being applied nearly one whole day to every part of the insides of the boats -

At 4 P. M Friday Jan'y, 28/53 I was present at the bulk head at the foot of Pike St Shp when the chapel in tow of <sup>Pike St</sup> Hoop Steam Barges came into the Shp

from the Lecternial dock where the  
bunty had been taken out of  
the water and <sup>water</sup> repaired.  
In half an hour of 6 o'clock the chapel  
was again safely moved in the  
bark in which it had floated the  
last 9 years, by the Chams.

It was that Eve on examination by  
Mr. Night and myself, determined to  
hold our Services the next Sunday  
in the burling - though then it was  
a little damp, but as the three stoves  
were now in place & lighted with  
good fires it was thought it might  
be dry by Sunday.

Saturday July 29/53. This day glaziers  
were at work in the Chapel mending the  
glass. The sculptor of the Font had sent  
a man to replace it & remove from it  
the marble slab of the Communion table  
any blemishes that they might have  
rescued and carpenter

July 29/53

in rehangin<sup>g</sup> the doors & stopping  
up the auger holes made in the floor  
to let out the water when the Chapel  
was raised, from the deep and  
also holes made in the guards  
when 49 oil casks were lashed  
under them to ~~float~~ keep the edifice  
afloat when carried to the Section  
dock to be lifted out of the water.  
A woman with the sexton was also employed  
to wash down the pews & clean the  
chancel & pulpit things in order  
preparatory to holding Divine Service  
in the Chapel tomorrow

Jan. 30. 1853. Septagesima Sunday. 1421

Collections in Poper at Chapel

For the poor. 74

For Books. £98

without an organ & desk, Bible & prayer books  
In the morning, without carpets on the  
floor and <sup>an</sup> otherwise uncomortable  
state on account of the dampness  
in the building, Divine services  
were held here this day in the Chapel  
again after it had been sunk and  
an intermission of <sup>the</sup> services there  
the last two Sundays. 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday after  
Epiphany & Septagesima Sunday.  
The congregation was double in number  
from what I expected - and quite  
a number of seamen were present  
I preached on the text. Thine beam  
shall be a voice saying this  
is the way. walk ye in it.

Sevagessima Sunday July 30. 1853.

P. M.

<sup>Before</sup> the commencement of the singing of the Psalm, Mr. G. S. Parker had brought in from Miss Bagley's residence, her Seraphina and the music was very much improved by the accompaniment it afforded to the voices which had sung two of the Chants of the Morning Services unaided by any instrument, the organ of the Church being now at the organ Factory of Mr. Jardine undergoing repairs (need from injury from dampness while the Chapel was sunk in the water to the depth of the organ loft -

In the afternoon I preached to a much larger congregation than in the morning and after the service many sailors came & received Books.

I preached on the text - Hold thou me up and I shall be safe.

The singing with the Seraphina accompaniment & prayed by our organist Mr. Redham whose last day engagement with our Society expires today & the 2 female voices of the Misses Bagley & Mr. George S. Parker assistance was uncommonly good.

In the evening I married at my house at Dorloch George Vassar of Headington and Catherine Devine of County

- Witnesses
- France Parker
- Anne Devine
- Thos Wicks
- Mary Wicks
- Ann Wicks.

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Monday, Jan'y 31, 1853. at 4 P.M.  
this day at house no. 148 Mission  
St.

I baptized a sick & apparently  
dying child 6 weeks old of

John Nathaniel Painter infant

of Reuben Painter  
of parent Devonshire, Eng<sup>land</sup>

his wife whose maiden  
name was

Sponsor Elizabeth Frye of Devonshire

The Parents England

Saturday Ev Feb'y 5, 1853

I married at my house at 9 o'clock

Thos Wicks of Shepherd Norfolk  
England

and  
Ann Devine of County Meath  
Ireland

Witnesses  
{ Francis Parker  
  Catherine Passer  
  George Passer  
  E. W. S. Plafzgraf

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Read Monday at 9 AM. a letter from  
Bishop Doane arrived yesterday from  
Shanghai, China in ship Witchcraft  
107 Days, requesting me to take two charge  
6 Manila Men of the crew who came  
with him & put them to a good boarding  
house. In 20 minutes after I got  
his letter I was on board the ship at  
Ludds Wharf East River. but the  
Men the night before had been  
enticed by some Shark of a  
landlord and had gone on shore!!!

Saturday Feb. 5. 1853. At Stamford  
Vermont brookstone this day I met Lieut  
Crawen of the U.S Navy now commanding  
U.S Steamer Carwin fitting at Fulton  
N.Y. for a cruise on the Florida Coast  
for a cruise in the Florida Coast  
in three weeks. He handed me a  
contribution of 22 \$ from every one (20  
in number) of his crew now on board  
for the benefit of B. A. Johnson. made  
on reading my appeal in his behalf.  
the Churchman of the last week  
promised to send the crew a library of  
good books before they sailed which he said  
he would see they enjoyed

Marriage

no entry for 13000  
Communion

Quinquagesima Sunday Feb 6, 1853

Collection in Boxes at Chapel <sup>very rainy</sup> all day

For the Poor ~~to~~ 20

" Books of 46 + 34 = 66 or 67  
43 boxes 1 for the 13/53  
91 boxes 3

In the morning without organ now at Jardines  
under repairs I officiated to about 70  
persons and preached on the text  
unto you that believe he is precious -

I then administered the Communion to 16 persons

In the afternoon it being very rainy  
I again officiated to about 80 persons  
most of them Seamen & preached  
on the text (partly Extemporary)  
We are men of like passions with you  
Exhort you to turn from these vanities  
unto the living God who made heaven &  
earth and the things that are therein

In the Even at no 68 Corner Howarth & Hudson St  
I married at house of J Murphy his partner in business  
Henry Mc Court of Warne Point County Ireland

Sarah Mc Ewen of Rathfriland Ireland

- Andrew Mc Ewen
- John Murphy
- Maria Murphy
- Tullay Mc Ewen
- William Mc Cusker
- John Johnson
- Catherine Johnson

The Witnesses were the following

Sunday in Lent July 12, 1853

Collection in Dover at Chapel

For the Poor 23

Books. 45 58.

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In the morning I preached and  
preached to a small congregation  
(weather being raining) on the text

Who is he that will harm you if  
ye be followers of that which is good.

In the afternoon I preached again  
preached to a large congregation  
(the weather having cleared up.)

on the text

So shall my word be, that goeth  
forth out of my mouth.

In the evening I preached to a  
small congregation of about 40 persons  
at Floaking Ch from Saviors on the text  
Let a mark on the foreheads of the men that sigh.

Ch of Holy Trinity  
Lent. Feby 20, 1853 - 27

Collection in Cooper's Chapel

For Books. 1.32  
Poor - 1.61  
2.93

In the morning, I officiated to a tolerably good congregation - though not so full as usual. (Church had just been painted in pew & organ just brought back after the sinking of the Chapel dome being repaired) - heard preached on the text

Trust in the Lord with all thine heart He is not to blame our understanding

In the afternoon officiated to a very good congregation for numbers and preached on the text - Their rock is not as our rock

In the eve I exchanged with Rev. D. W. Johnson for one at Flushing Ch of our sermon & I preached for him at the Flushing Ch of the Holy Comforter & preached on the text Their rock is not as our rock

Monday, 4 P.M. July 21/53  
at the Commercial Hotel  
Murray St. I performed funeral  
services over the remains  
of John Moulton 1st 57 formerly  
of my parish in Woodstock 10 years ago  
whom I had not seen since I left  
there in 1842.

The body was next day carried by  
railroad to Randolph Vermont  
for burial.

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Sunday in Lent Feb 27, 1853 <sup>Marshall</sup> <sup>Manual</sup> <sup>crisis</sup>

Collection in Popes Chapel Baptism

For the Poor 1.06  
Books 86 1.92

In the morning I officiated to a pretty good congregation for numbers and preached on the text

Awake thou that sleepest and arise from the dead and Christ shall give thee light.

In the afternoon I again officiated and preached to a quite large congregation on the text:

When He is come he shall reprove the world &c.

In the Evg divine services were held at the ~~meeting~~ <sup>meeting</sup> Ch of our Saviour where I read my Prayer & Rev Ralph Hoyt preached to a congregation of about 50 persons.

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July 27/53

At the conclusion of the 2<sup>d</sup> lesson  
I baptized

infant 2 months old of

Peter Scott of  
Ellsenburgh Sweden

Sponsors:  
Miss St. Thompson  
Rose Mc Carr  
James Pennington

his wife whose  
maiden name was  
Sarah Drewnear  
Co Carron Ireland  
being now at No -

also after Divine services & the  
books had been given out to learners

I baptized

Mary Jane - Rowe infant 5 weeks  
old of Joseph Rowe of  
Fayall - This wife  
whose maiden name  
was Mary Harris  
County Carron  
Ireland -

Baptism

Wednesday March 2<sup>d</sup>, at the house of  
George Thorburn 421 Cherry St  
at 3 P.M. I baptized

George Thorburn - infant 17 months  
old of George Thorburn of  
New York and his  
wife whose maiden  
name was Adeline  
Van Steenburg of  
Poughkeepsie  
Spoke the parents -

March. 2, 1853. at 3 P.M. this day  
I visited E. Sipherly cabinetman & young  
Schultz, leather dealer in Beekman  
Swamp. - living 140 West 20<sup>th</sup> St but  
now in a dying condition. He was  
buried with his wife in our Church  
when living on the side of the city some  
year since



March 6, 1853. 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Lent Evening. 437

In the Evg I read the Evg Service to about 40 persons and Rev. David Keene of St. Johns Church. Milwaukee preached. Rev. R. Hoyt with G. S. P. at organ, in the choir.

Mrs. Duff: 32 1/2 Catherine St. Broad Church this day.

Prayer offered for E. L. Peeples dangerously sick

Healed in 3 days after he was

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March 10, 53. recd. this morning a  
letter from Capt Shirley C Turner of  
the ship South Carolina 3000 Tons who  
lies very dangerously sick at 117 East  
Broadway, East Broadway House requesting  
me to visit him

He says he if the note I have often  
heard you preach on different  
only etc of the Holy Bible & I  
need not say how much pleasure  
it will give me to have an inter-  
view with you today

Near death's door he thus sent for me  
& I visited & prayed with him &  
conversed with him every day  
after for 3 weeks when he removed  
to the Astor House room No 118  
where on Sunday Ap. 3/53 with  
himself alone I administered  
to him the holy Communion  
The first time he ever received it  
He was then fast recovering & he  
return to Charleston S.C. next Saturday Ap. 10/53

March 13, 1853. 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Lent 439

Collection in Boxes at Chapel

The poor	1.32		
Book	- 90	1.73	
		<u>2.22</u>	

In consequence of a severe attack of Bronchitis I was unable to articulate or speak at all in public - a cold in my whole system having much aggravated the disease. In the morning Revd Mr. Remington preached & read the Mass at large, preached & read the services - to about 150 persons.

In the afternoon Mr. Huntington a student of the Theological Seminary read the prayers and sermon <sup>to 125 persons</sup> from 15<sup>th</sup> of Job of Bishop McSwaine sermons of English discourses by Bishop Sumner.

In the eve. Revd Mr. Reynolds of Church Williamsburg read the services and preached to about 30 or 40 persons.

6<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Lent April 20, 1853

Collection in Poper at Chapel

For the Poor	1.73	
Books	1.24	<u>2.97</u>

In the Morning Revd Mr Remington read the Services (I the ante Communion) & preached to a full congregation ~~in~~ my affection in the throat still disabling me from speaking in public a full congregation

In the afternoon I read the Service with much difficulty & preached on the text Jesus saith I am the way the truth and the life. There was large congregation

In the Ev. Revd B. C. Cutler DD of St Ann's Ch Brooklyn read the Services & preached to about 50 persons. In the afternoon Services I broke down & was obliged to take only two of three heads of my sermon my voice failing

27. of March Easter Sunday 1853

Collection in Boxes at Chapel

The poor, 2173

Books 86

In the Morning by the Mary & Goodrich  
of God I was enabled to read the  
Services & preach on the text -  
Death where is thy strip - grave  
where is thy Victory - on the Resurrection

of A. - There was quite a full  
Congregation

I then administered the Communion  
to 45 persons with that on found  
the Communion this day & several  
Men who did not give me their  
names

In the afternoon I again preached  
preached on the text If ye then  
we rise with ye and see those things  
that are above to a very full  
a congregation

Communion 13 years

Every day  
I visited Capt Sharon C Turner  
at Broadway House till Apr 17/53  
from March 10, 1853, when he removed  
to the Aster House & was on the recovery

This Ev. Sunday Apr. 3, 1853 I administered  
to him the Holy Communion  
along with room. No 118 Aster House

of 1 - there was quite a full  
congregation  
when administering the Communion  
to the person with the Aster House  
the Communion was given  
then who had not long  
before of the afternoon  
prescribed on the text of 1 Cor  
we were made to look these things  
that we were to a very full

Sunday after Easter April 3, 1853

Collection in Popper at Chapel.

For the poor 1.43  
Books 1.13

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In the morning I exchanged with Revd  
Charles Reynolds of Christ Ch Williams-  
burg, who preached for me on the Sabbath  
at the Flushing Ch from Lazarus while  
I preached for him on the text Thou  
shalt not as our rock

The congregation was large at the Flushing  
Ch.

In the afternoon I preached to a  
very large congregation at the Flushing  
Church from Lazarus where were  
many sailors and preached on

the text Last of all he was

seen of me  
I gave out books to several groups  
to Australia & to a Black woman & an  
steward and stewardess from some destination

At the end of 2d Lesson I baptized  
the following persons

X Harriet Augusta Walton 14 years

X daughter of Thos Walton 536 grand  
St New York, presented by Mrs. McKean  
living now at No 12 Oliver St

also Emeera Frances Thorburn

3 1/2 years 3 months old infant

child of Capt Thos Thorburn of New York  
and his wife whose maiden  
name was Adeline Van Steenburg of

Poughkeepsie NY living 421 Cherry St

also Marguette Ann Hull 10 days old

infant of William Hull a sailor

living No 4 Catherine St and his

wife whose maiden name

was Mary Martin.

In the Evg lined Apr 3 1853 I

at Garrison St Capt Shirley

Turner at room No 118 Astor House

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Apr 3, 1853

He has so far recovered from his late  
 pleurisy fever as to be able easily  
 to converse & expressed his strong  
 desire to have the Holy Communion  
 administered to him in before the  
 next Sunday he will ~~leave~~ <sup>be</sup> on his way  
 way to New Orleans by way of New  
 South Carolina where his family reside,  
 to join his ship - ~~formerly~~ <sup>propeller</sup>  
 of 3000 Tons called the South Carolina  
 Under deeply impressive circumstances  
 alone with this convalescent man  
 I administered the holy communion  
 in his room this Ev -

Capt Sumner returned home to Charleston by  
 the ship James Oger - <sup>April 9, 1853</sup> On Wednesday  
 I received a very sweet & warm  
 letter from his wife thanking me  
 for my kind & warm consolation &  
 counsel to her husband -

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the crew of the ship  
was to be able to  
work in the  
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The security of the crew at present  
is on foot is such that for a whole week  
they have not in the mean while for ever

40 dollars was paid to the

at his boarding house yesterday

as monthly wages of 2 men to

complete the crew of one of our

Liverpool ships

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at Sand after Easter April 10, 1853

Collection in Poper at Chapel

Poor 1.58

Books 97

Worship 53

by 2 in time of  
distribution of papers  
Portuguese Books 1.09

In the morning I officiated and  
preached to a large congregation  
of seamen & they on the text

The Spirit of God moved on the  
face of the waters.

In the afternoon I again officiated  
& preached to a fully good congregation  
for numbers on the text

If ye forsake him he will  
forsake you.

2<sup>d</sup> Sund after Easter Apr 10 1853  
at the end of the 2<sup>d</sup> Lesson P.M.

I baptized

Margaret Minaturn infant 4 weeks  
old of Morris Minaturn  
formerly of County  
Limerick Ireland living

Sponsors  
Henry James  
& the mother

living # 239. 18th St  
This wife whose maiden  
name was Mary  
Harpin of the same  
place

also  
Helen James

infant 4 weeks old of  
Henry James residing  
living 266 Water St  
formerly of London England

Sponsors James Paul  
& parents

This wife whose maiden  
name was  
Eliza Paul formerly of  
Limerick Ireland

also  
Mary Stephenson infant 3 months old  
of Joseph Stephenson living

Sponsor Mary Duffie  
John Appleton

216 Cherry St - Ship Harbor  
This  
wife whose maiden name  
was Helen Green  
formerly of Liverpool

Thursday Apr. 14/53. Visited Mr. Ketchum corner  
of Scammel & Thumvest Sick of bilious  
intermittent, am to baptize his child when he  
gets well - also in same house visited  
Mr Doane, whose husband is on the  
Screw Jack & sings at the church on  
Church - also visited Capt Dearborn  
on board of his Steam tug of 600 tons  
to sail on Wed. morn with his wife  
for Shanghai -

Apr 15 Friday Visited Mrs Ford at Connecticut  
Hotel Mowbray St whose son formerly  
of Woodstock, whose son conversed with her  
daughter on subject of confirmation  
At 5 P.M. was visited by Alfred  
Gardner English cabin boy whose  
father goes to church with his  
wife & child, lives 18 Broome St  
conversed with him on subject  
of confirmation

Marriage

April 16, 1853

Saturday Evg at 1/4 before 9 at  
my house I married

Robert Kingman Sheppard  
of the village of West Lydford  
County of Manchester  
and England now residing  
at 71 Norfolk St  
N.Y.

Elizabeth Garbutt formerly of Manchester  
England. Now  
living at same  
place

Witnesses

Francis Parker

Emma W. D. Pfalzgraf

Thos Brown

Margaret Bainbridge

friends of  
the families

April, 17, 1853. 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Easter

Collection in Boxes at Chapel  
For the Poor.

Booths. very stormy day  
of rain

In the morning I officiated to a  
small congregation, on account of the  
rain, & preached on the text  
The doctrine of baptism & laying on  
of hands.

In the afternoon, the weather still showery,  
every half hour, I preached to about  
half the usual number of persons  
on the text.

But they made light of it and went  
their ways.

In the evening I attended the public Anniversary  
Meeting of the Prot. Epis. Ch. Missy Society to  
be held at St. George's Ch. 13<sup>th</sup> St. where Mr  
Rev. Bishop Wainwright presided & Rev. Dr.  
Neville preached the sermon. Dr. Price Read Mr. Eighley  
& Dr. Campbell & Dr. Young, assistant performing service  
collection 361 \$

On Tuesday, Apr. 19/53 at 1. P.M.  
The Sloop Advocate, a stone lighter  
belonging to a man by the name of  
Mott, building an extension of pier  
foot of Rosevelt St came into  
jet flying into Pike's Slip and  
over her bowsprit into the South  
East corner of the Chapel as far  
as two feet front on the side of  
the pulpit bursting in the end of  
the Church 6 feet from the corner  
kettress - damage about 100/6.

On Friday had another conversation  
with Mrs Ford their daughter, or  
baptism & confirmation -

Baptism of Mrs Ford & 2 daughters rainy day

Sunday after Easter, Apr. 23, 1853

Collections in Poper at Chapel  
For the poor 1.26  
Books 1.03

Mrs H. Rogers, J.B. Cunningham

In the morning it rained hard & but few persons were present. I officiated and preached on the text Behold this dreamer cometh.

In the afternoon the rained ceased though the weather was cloudy. I officiated and read prayers and at the end of the 20 Lesson

I baptized Mrs Harriet Ford, formerly a constant attendant at my ministry at Woodstock from 1832 to 1839.

Her two daughters, Julia Olivia Ford, and now wife of Saml Ford Keeper of the Commercial Hotel Chambers St N.Y. & Maria Elizabeth Ford, daughter of John Martin whom I buried from that house 2 months since. 1847 17 & 16 years.

Winegar, Mrs Oliver, Mrs B.C. Parker, Isaac Frye, J.B. Cunningham - The large breakage in the end of the Chancel by the storm last week was boarded with rough boards - & covered inside by a sheet - suspended over it. It is to be repaired next week

April 23, 1863 Sunday

After Ev. Service I preached on  
the text

He looketh upon men if any say  
I have sinned and perverted that which  
was good & it profiteth me not.. he shall  
save his soul alive  
after services books were given to  
persons going to sea

The following persons are candidates for  
the holy rite of Confirmation

<u>Mr Samuel Ford</u>	} Commercial Hotel Delaware St
<u>Julia Olivia Ford</u>	
<u>Marion Elizabeth Ford</u>	
<u>Mr Jane Garner</u>	} 18 Brome St wife of of Matthew Garner. Seaman on board Schooner <u>Harold</u> sailed 3 weeks since for H. Palatka's Co
<u>Alfred Garner</u>	
<u>Thomas Sharp</u> 646 Water St	
<u>Franklin Squires</u> 7 Orchard St	
<u>Capt. Phatley, C. James</u>	

H. J. Malbran 536 Grand