

STORIES FROM THE RICH PAST OF OUR PARISH

Decorating the church for Christmas 1912, taken from a note by the Rev Ward-Whate, December 27, 1912.

The church was especially beautiful with hand made fir garlands hanging between the pillars. Two large fir trees were placed on either side of the chancel and were decorated with berries and popcorn which were strung in garlands by the young people under the guidance of the women of the Ladies Aid and the Sunday School teachers.

Christmas Eve was especially beautiful with the church being lit by only the oil lamps the electrolier not being used. There were also fir garlands strung to the electrolier in the centre of the nave. In all, the entire aspect was most satisfactory and the parishioners deserve a vote of thanks.

This edifice lends itself very well to this Holy Time of the year.

Note: Two weeks ago I mentioned the photographer involved in the children's Christmas party. I had three calls and it appears to have been Johnny Knickle, the well known local photographer.

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