

EAST COWES

St James

Parish Records and Registers

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CLASS LIST OF ANGLICAN PARISH REGISTERS AND RECORDS

PARISH REGISTERS

Reference	Description
BAP:	Baptisms
MAR:	Marriages
BUR:	Burials
BAN	Banns
COM:	Combined

PARISH RECORDS

1	POOR RELIEF	A	Rate Books
		B	Account Books
		C	Minute Books
		D	Accounts with Poor Law Union
		E	Correspondence
		F	Appointments
		G	Receipts
		H	Orders
		I	Collecting and Deposit Books
		J	Monthly Statement Books
		Z	Miscellaneous
2	CHURCHWARDENS	A	Rate Books
		B	Account Books
		C	Minute Books
		D	Correspondence
		E	Receipts
		F	Statements
		Z	Miscellaneous
3	HIGHWAY SURVEYORS	A	Rate Books
		B	Account Books
		C	Minute Books
		Z	Miscellaneous

4	SETTLEMENT	A	Registers
		B	Certificates
		C	Orders
		D	Correspondence
		E	Bonds
		F	Examinations
		G	Cases
		Z	Miscellaneous
5	APPRENTICESHIP	A	Indentures
		B	Registers
		C	Bonds
		D	Receipts
		Z	Miscellaneous
6	BASTARDY	A	Bonds
		B	Orders
		C	Examinations
		Z	Miscellaneous
7	CHURCH, CHURCHYARD AND CHURCH HALL	A	Inventories
		B	Faculties
		C	Plans
		D	Title Deeds
		E	Correspondence
		F	Accounts
		G	Subscription Accounts
		H	Orders
		I	Minute Books
		J	Reports
		K	Pew Rentals
		L	Insurance Policies
		M	Minutes
		N	Visitors Books
		O	Dilapidations Assessments
		P	Specifications
		Q	Contracts
		R	Writs
		Z	Miscellaneous
8	PARSONAGE HOUSE, GLEBE, ADVOWSON AND THE LIVING ITSELF	A	Inventories
		B	Faculties
		C	Plans
		D	Title Deeds
		E	Correspondence
		F	Terriers
		G	Reports
		H	Estimates
		I	Deeds of Endowment

**PARSONAGE HOUSE, GLEBE,
ADVOWSON AND THE LIVING
ITSELF (cont.)**

J Orders
K Insurance Policies
L Leases
M Perambulations
N Specifications
Z Miscellaneous

9 **INCUMBENT**

A Personal Correspondence
B Licences
C Sermons
D Insurance Policies
E Financial
F Correspondence
G Certificates
Z Miscellaneous

10 **VISITATION**

A Receipts
B Accounts
C Summonses
D Articles of Enquiry
Z Miscellaneous

11 **SERVICES**

A Registers
B Orders of
Z Miscellaneous

12 **TITHES**

A Maps
B Schedules
C Redemption Certificates
D Correspondence
E Accounts
F Valuations
G Notices
Z Miscellaneous

13 **COMMONS AND ENCLOSURE**

A Maps
B Schedules
C Correspondence
Z Miscellaneous

14 **CHARITIES**

A Briefs
B Leases
C Registers
D Account Books
E Minute Books
F Bank Books and Cheque
Books
G Correspondence
H Trust Deeds
I Title Deeds
J Vouchers

	CHARITIES (cont.)	K L M N Z	Receipts Annual Statements Orders Reports Miscellaneous
15	FRIENDLY SOCIETIES	A B C Z	Minute Books Account Books Correspondence Miscellaneous
16	VESTRY	A B C D Z	Minute Books Account books Reports Poll Books Miscellaneous
17	PAROCHIAL CHURCH COUNCIL	A B C D E F G H Z	Minute Books Account Books Electoral Rolls Correspondence Committee Minute Books Bank and Cheque Books Miscellaneous Financial Reports Statistical Returns Miscellaneous
18	OFFERTORY	A B Z	Registers Account Books Miscellaneous
19	REGISTRATION	A B C D E F Z	Receipts Copies Licences Applications Orders Reports Miscellaneous
20	PAROCHIAL OFFICERS	A Z	Registers Miscellaneous
21	CONFIRMATION	A Z	Registers Miscellaneous
22	SCHOOLS	A B C D	Minute Books Log Books Admissions Registers Attendance Registers

	SCHOOLS (cont.)	E F G H I J Z	Correspondence Account Books Title Deeds Plans Insurance Policies Trust Deeds Miscellaneous
23	VALUATION RECORDS	A Z	Registers Miscellaneous
24	READING ROOMS AND LIBRARIES	A Z	Minute Books Miscellaneous
25	PARISH BOUNDS	A Z	Surveys Miscellaneous
26	BELLS AND BELLRINGERS	A Z	Minutes Miscellaneous
27	PARISH SOCIETIES	A Z	Minute Books Miscellaneous
28	CURATES	A Z	Licences Miscellaneous
29	CHAPELS	A B C D E Z	Accounts Subscription Lists Service Registers Licences Deeds Miscellaneous
30	POLICE	A Z	Rate Books Miscellaneous
31	WOMEN'S INSTITUTES	A B C D Z	Minute Books Committee Minute Books Account Books Financial Records Miscellaneous
32	PARISH MAGAZINES	A Z	Magazines Miscellaneous
33	PETTY CONSTABLE	Z	Miscellaneous

34	BISHOPS BRIEFS	A B Z	Briefs Bonds Miscellaneous
35	SUNDAY SCHOOLS	A Z	Class Registers Miscellaneous
36	CHOIR	Z	Miscellaneous
99	CIVIL PARISH RECORDS	Z	Miscellaneous
100	MISCELLANEOUS		

EAST COWES

St James



St James' Church

Illustrations Collection Reference: ECWS191

The church of St Mildred at Whippingham served the residents of East Cowes until the 1830s, when a growing population led to the establishment of a separate church. St James was consecrated in 1833 and subsequently enlarged in 1868 and 1870.

Parish Registers

Key

BAP: Baptisms
MAR: Marriages
BUR: Burials
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Reference	Date	
ECWS/REG/COM/1	1834 – 1866	Bap
	1836	Mar
	1836 – 1866	Bur
ECWS/REG/BAP/1	1866 – 1899	
ECWS/REG/BAP/2	1899 – 1915	
ECWS/REG/BAP/3	1915 – 1934	
ECWS/REG/BAP/4	1934 – 1956	
ECWS/REG/BAP/5	1957 – 1987	
ECWS/REG/MAR/1	1844 – 1904	
ECWS/REG/MAR/2	1904 – 1917	
ECWS/REG/MAR/3	1918 – 1933	
ECWS/REG/MAR/4	1933 – 1938	
ECWS/REG/MAR/5	1938 – 1951	
ECWS/REG/MAR/6	1951 – 1971	
ECWS/REG/MAR/7	1971 – 1984	
ECWS/REG/BUR/1	1867 – 1926	
ECWS/REG/BUR/2	1926 – 1952	
ECWS/REG/BUR/3	1952 – 1966	
ECWS/REG/BAN/1	1942 – 1951	
ECWS/REG/BAN/2	1951 – 1959	
ECWS/REG/BAN/3	1959 – 1984	

Parish Records

Reference	Date	Description
CHURCH, CHURCHYARD AND CHURCH HALL		
ECWS/APR/007A/001	1933	Handwritten inventory of documents, ornaments, utensils, furniture etc. belonging to St James' Church
ECWS/APR/007A/002	1967- 1983	Printed inventory of documents, ornaments, utensils etc. belonging to St James' Church
ECWS/APR/007D/001	1899	Transcript of conveyance of freehold land at East Cowes with a building [ie. parish hall] thereon 19 Sep 1899; and accompanying letter from Portsmouth Diocesan Board of Finance to W.B. Osborne, Honorary Secretary of St James P.C.C. 16 May 1930
ECWS/APR/007E/001	1898- 1900	Letters from Sir Fleetwood Edwards on behalf of Queen Victoria to Revd. Burnaby, Vicar of St James, re the tuition of Ronald Jackman, an organist
ECWS/APR/007E/002	1926- 1956	Correspondence with Lloyds Bank Ltd., Cowes, concerning securities held by the Bank on behalf of St James' Church
ECWS/APR/007E/003	1971- 1982	Correspondence with Portsmouth Diocesan Board of Finance re financial matters

ECWS/APR/007F/001	1953- 1971	Annual account book of income and expenditure
ECWS/APR/007F/002	1956- 1983	Annual statements of accounts 1956, 1958 - 1973, 1976 - 1982
ECWS/APR/007F/0024	1966- 1969	Monthly account book of Income and expenditure
ECWS/APR/007F/003	1956- 1966	Monthly account book of income and expenditure
ECWS/APR/007F/005	1969- 1972	Monthly account book of income and expenditure
ECWS/APR/007F/006	1973- 1981	Monthly account book of Income and expenditure
ECWS/APR/007F/007	1959- 1961	Daily account book of income and expenditure
ECWS/APR/007F/008	1962- 1965	Daily account book of income and expenditure
ECWS/APR/007F/009	1965- 1967	Daily account book of income and expenditure
ECWS/APR/007F/010	1967- 1970	Daily account book of income and expenditure
ECWS/APR/007F/011	1970- 1974	Daily account book of income and expenditure
ECWS/APR/007F/012	1974- 1976	Daily account book of income and expenditure

ECWS/APR/007L/001	1930s- 1970's	Insurance policies and accompanying papers: incl. policies with Alliance Assurance Co. Ltd. and Ecclesiastical Insurance Office 5 July 1932, 23 Dec 1936, 16 Feb 1937, 20 Jun 1939, 28 Dec 1939, 26 Oct 1954
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INCUMBENT

ECWS/APR/009E/001	1842	Grant (copy) by rector of Whippingham of £50 p.a. to perpetual curate of St James
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ECWS/APR/009F/001	1978- 1981	Correspondence and papers mainly concerning claims for expenses by the rector, Revd. W.J. Scott
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SERVICES

ECWS/APR/011A/001	1868- 1871	Register of preachers, readers, collections etc.
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ECWS/APR/011A/002	1871- 1875	Register of preachers, readers, collections etc.
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ECWS/APR/011A/003	1875- 1878	Register of preachers, readers, collections etc.
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ECWS/APR/011A/004	1878- 1881	Register of preachers, readers, collections etc.
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ECWS/APR/011A/005	1881- 1885	Register of preachers, readers, collections etc.
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ECWS/APR/011A/006	1886- 1893	Register of services
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ECWS/APR/011A/007	1907- 1913	Register of services
ECWS/APR/011A/008	1913- 1916	Register of services
ECWS/APR/011A/009	1916- 1919	Register of services
ECWS/APR/011A/010	1919- 1922	Register of services
ECWS/APR/011A/011	1922- 1926	Register of services
ECWS/APR/011A/012	1926- 1931	Register of services
ECWS/APR/011A/013	1935- 1942	Register of services
ECWS/APR/011A/014	1942- 1946	Register of services
ECWS/APR/011A/015	1946- 1952	Register of services
ECWS/APR/011A/016	1953- 1958	Register of services
ECWS/APR/011A/017	1958- 1968	Register of services
ECWS/APR/011A/018	1968- 1980	Register of services

ECWS/APR/011A/019	1981- 1988	Register of services
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PAROCHIAL CHURCH COUNCIL

ECWS/APR/017A/001	1947- 1955	P.C.C. minute book
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ECWS/APR/017A/002	1956- 1966	P.C.C. minute book
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CONFIRMATION

ECWS/APR/021A/001	1882- 1914	Confirmation register
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SCHOOLS

ECWS/APR/022F/001	1857- 1870	Account book
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ECWS/APR/022G/001	1900 approx	Transcripts and summaries of title deeds re East Cowes National Schools
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ECWS/APR/022G/002	1953	Receipt issued by Diocesan Education Committee for title deeds re 'East Cowes Old Church of England School' received from East Cowes P.C.C. 18 March 1953
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ECWS/APR/100/001	1963	Declaration by Bishop of Portsmouth that for a period of 5 years vacancy in benefice of St Paul, Barton, is not to be filled and the Patron is not entitled to exercise his right of presentation
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