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Coming up the Dunany Road from Lachute, just past the Gore West Road, you pass over the rise of a hill and there before you in the vale is Dunany's picturesque little Church. If it is around 8 o'clock on a Sunday evening in the summer, you will find it surrounded by cars. The Service of Evensong will be taking place and you may catch Hugh McCracken's beat as he plays the organ. The Congregation cannot resist it and the Hymn singing is lusty. There is no question that in Dunany, the Church is a landmark and that Dunany residents have a very sentimental attachment to it. In latter years many young couples, with Dunany connections, have chosen it as the place in which to "plight their troth". In the lovely peaceful graveyard, stones of recent cottagers intermingle with those of old settlers. All have become part of the history of this little Church which is now 111 years old.

THE HISTORY OF ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

The history of St. Paul's is inextricably interwoven with that of Holy Trinity in Lakefield, since the Minister of that Church historically served St. John's in Shrewsbury, St. Paul's in Dunany and later St. Aidan's in Louisa. Most of the early settlers in this area belonged to the Anglican Church. The <u>Diocese of Montreal's records</u> are the source of a vast store of information on Births, Marriages and Deaths in this Community. They are almost the only records of the earliest years and it is through them and the writings of visiting Bishops and Missionaries that we have some idea of how the early settlers lived.

In 1985, Louise Johnston, Editor of the Lachute Watchman, compiled and edited a history of Holy Trinity Church in Lakefield to mark its 165th Anniversary, called "Chronicles of a Country Church". This is a particularly lovely memorial and from it have been taken any references to the Dunany Church. Reference has also been made to the tribute to St. John's Church. Shrewsbury, on its 125th Anniversary, written in 1983 by Kathleen Morrison of the Glen. The dates and records of St. Paul's are remarkably similar to those of St. John's.

Mrs. Lebans, Archivist of the Diocese of Montreal, has been most helpful, giving access to the Records of Lakefield Parish, the Register of Services at St. Paul's (1913-1955), and the Vestry Minutes Book (1895-1950). She also provided copies of correspondence in the St. Paul's file, and copies of references to St. Paul's in the Canadian Churchman. Copies of the Deeds, also on file in Diocesan Archives, were obtained from the Registry Office in Lachute. Dorothy Gauley's notes have also been most valuable.

St. Paul's Cemetery graves, prior to 1927 have been documented by <u>Bob Alderson</u> as a project of the <u>Quebec Family History Society</u>. During his visit to Dunany, Bob also visited the Evans graves near the old Evans farmhouse. <u>Copies can be obtained from the OFHS office in Pointe Claire</u>. Clarence Neill has supplied the names of unmarked graves.

In the course of the History of Dunany, there are many personal memories of St. Paul's. It was always a focal point in the life of the Dunany Community.

A census of church membership taken in 1891 in Gore township showed the large following of the Church of England in comparison with other denominations:

Roman Catholic:	17
Church of England:	3 14
Presbyterian:	16
Methodist:	177
Baptist	9

THE BEGINNINGS OF THE CHURCH

Long before a Church was built in Dunany, the records show that Rectors of the Lakefield Church were ministering to the needs of the people of Dunany. The parish records from 1838-1854 were destroyed around 1892. One of the first entries in the subsequent Folio No. 1, is the burial of Frances Watchom in 1859. We know that she was buried on land later owned by Henry Neill, Clarence's father.

A letter written around 1860, describes some of the tribulations and the ultimate success of Rev. Joseph Griffin (1851-1864) in overcoming miserable living conditions, hostility and indifference. "It pleased God to bless his labours, and a numerous congregation was gathered in the centre of the mission, and five stations were opened at different outlying settlements." We can assume that one of these was at Dunany.

THE DEEDS FOR ST. PAUL'S

In 1877, Bishop Oxenden appeared before a notary in Lachute with Robert Stephenson. Their intent was to accept a gift of land for the purpose of erecting a Church for the use of those belonging to the Church of England in that part of Argenteuil. (Deed No. 8615). This land in Lot No. 4, Range 1 of the Gore, was evidently not suitable, since in 1878, Robert Stephenson appeared again before the notary with Rev. L. Armstrong to make an exchange for two parcels of land: One for the Church and one for the Cemetery. This deed also included a right of passage between the two parcels of land. (Deed No. 8616).

Mr. Gmtton Thompson acquired the old Stephenson property and in 1949, he made a further donation of land to the Church (Deed No. 41998). After Mr. Thompson's death, when the land was to be sold by the Estate, there was some questioning of the original Lot Number. A mistake had been made and legal advice was sought. On Oct. 25, 1974, Bishop Kenneth Maguire signed an "Authorization of Correction".

THE BUILDING OF THE CHURCH

In 1878, the Church was built under the aegis of Rev. Armstrong. In 1910, at the time of the Consecration, William Smith of Gore and John Evans of St. Jerusalem, both attested that they had been part of the Building Committee. The Cemetery was first used then also. The oldest gravestone is that of Matthew Hammond, who died Sept. 1879, aged 24.

THE CONSECRATION

In 1909, St. Paul's was visited by a Bishop for the first time. A petition of Consecration of the Church was drawn up, "to be presented to the Bishop on his approaching visit." (Minutes of July 25, 1910). On July 29, 1910, the Church and graveyard were consecrated by Bishop John Farthing. A copy of the Sentence and Decree of the Consecration of St. Paul's Church, Dunany, and of the Burial Ground, written in Bishop Farthing's hand-writing is amongst documents in the Archives.

At the same time, the Bishop confirmed and ratified Deed No. 8616, notarized in 1883, (but without a Bishop's presence) "in every respect and that the properties, pieces, or parcels of land therein mentioned were accepted and had been in the possession of the Church since."

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At a Vertry meeting held in St Pauls Church Dunany, in the Mission of effort fore Diverse of Montual, on the 25th day of July in the year A.D. 1910, We the undersigned Incumbent and Church wardens, of The atom mentioned church of St Paul. here authorized, to petition the ford Bishops of the Divere to considerate the Said Church of D. Paul Which was creeked comedime in the search d. 1848. and which is now and has too some years the from deti; and properly furnished We the undersigned insumbent and Church hardens also are suthoused thetition the Eord Bishop of the Sircese, to consecute the portion of land deeded to the Phurch, and lord during the part thirty years as a cometruly in connection with the above church of it Paul Dunany,

Signed this 25th day of July at Sunany Auchwardens { George M Smith

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Petition for Consecration, July 25, 1910

1907 VISITING LIST

ANGLICANS:	William Smith	George and Margaret Smith
	Robert Copeland	Henry Carruthers
	Arthur McClusky	James Boyd
	William Parker	John Evans
	William Conlin	Ernest Kerr
	Stewart Boyd	William Gain
	Richard Stephenson	Fred Gain
	J. Gain	Wm. John Lister

VISITED	Phineas MacVicar	Oscar MacDougall
	Duncan MacDougall	M. Payne
	Miss L. Porter	John Murphy



St. Paul's prior to the building of the porch and belfry.

SAMPLING OF MINUTES FROM VESTRY MEETINGS 1894-1987

Vestry meetings were usually held in the spring. Minutes began in 1895 when a register was bought. This was no doubt at the urging of Rev. A. E. Mount, who served from 1894-1899. During the incumbency of Rev. Mount, improvements were made to the Church The Chancel was carpeted (cost of carpet \$1.44), and an organ was bought and paid for. Lamps were supplied and the horseshed was bought and paid for.

THE FIRST MEETING: May 25,1895

The Annual Vestry Meeting in connection with St. Paul's Church, was held May 25, 1895. Rev. A. E. Mount in the Chair. The meeting opened with prayer. Minutes read by Mr. George Smith, Minister's Warden.

Moved by Wm. Smith, seconded by Wm. Conlin that Mr. Jos. McClusky be appointed Peoples' Warden. Canied. Moved by Wm. Smith, s. by Mr. Jos. McClusky, 'That all who have dead in the Cemetery be asked to supply eight boards each to help repair the fencing."

Receipts fo	r the year:	\$6.86
Expenses:	Insurance	\$6.00
•	Register	.50
	Balance	\$.36

Moved by Mr. WmSmith, s. by Mr. Wm. Conlin that Mr. Jos. McClusky be appointed Delegate to Synod. Carried. A hearty vote of thanks was then tendered Mr. Wm. Smith for attending to fires etc.

MOTIONS IN THE MINUTES: (and some other pertinent matters):

1896- That Mr. F. Gain be given \$1.75 for repairing fence. He to supply nails and boards. It was agreed to pay Wm. Conlin 75 cents for sawing and piling the firewood

1897- That all available Vestry funds be used towards paying for the shingles for the horseshed. A hearty vote of thanks to be passed to Mrs. Wm. Conlin (Rachel Neill) for her faithful interest in and care of the Church Building.

1898- Report on the encouraging state of **finances**. Moved that each man willing to do his share towards shingling the horseshed be asked to give a day and should this leave the shingling unfinished, the remainder be done by contract. Mrs. WmConlin and family thanked for kind and faithful offices in connection with keeping the Church warm and clean. Also, that in future, she receive the sum of \$2.00 in payment for her services.

1899 - Finances a little in arrears. Moved that Wardens be given authority to have board fence around Church repaired and if necessary to call for a special collection to aid in meeting the expense.

1900- Rev. L. Foulkes. \$40.00 donated for Hymn Books. Church in need of repairs. Foundation at East end having given way, it was decided to hold several entertainments. \$20.00 was raised towards this end. Archdeacon Mills preached sermon and said he was pleased to see "work done so well, and to hear that the bills was settled". Moved that Mr. Conlin look after Church and provide wood for the sum of \$4.00/year. That the graveyard be fenced. Carried.

1902- Moved that gates be procured for the Churchyard and we provide wood for the Church. Mr. Wm. Conlin \$2.00 for the lighting of fires.

1904 - No Incumbent, stormy weather, offerings small.

1905- Rev. A.E. Mount returned. Repair Fund \$11.05. Expenses for Repairs \$4.35. Stipend in arrears for two years at \$20.00/year. Those present promised to give for stipend as follows: Mr. Wm. Smith, \$5.00, Mr. Geo. Smith, \$3.00, Mr. John Evans, \$4.00, Mr. RStephenson \$2.00, Mr. W. Conlin, \$2.00.

1906- Special Meeting. Arrears \$1.58. Only \$7.00 paid into stipend account. Considerable discussion arose regarding the placing of a fence in front of the Church, but nothing practical resulted.

1907- Moved that one-half of insurance premium be taken from General Expense Account and half from Church Repair Account Discussion on fact that members had put down their names for subcription to stipend fund and had not fulfilled their obligations. The Incumbent strongly expressed the opinion that many would contribute most cheerfully if only they were called upon by a collector. (See Visiting List, 1907).

1908 Oct. 18- Owing to unprecedented storms, Dunany was completely cut off from intercourse with Lakefield so that quite often the Clergyman was unable to possibly get through the impassible roads of the winters of '07 and '08. It was no fault of the Incumbent that the Vestry meeting could not be held near Easter 1908, nor indeed of the people either. The meeting most despondent about Guarantee to Synod and impossibility of raising \$50.00 per annum. Mrs. Conlin appointed Sexton.

1910- Rev. Wm. Garner. Rev. Allan Mount to Bedford. July 25, No meeting since Oct. 19, 1908. Dunany in arrears. The year 1909 closed with only \$7.00 of agreement having been met, \$8.00 being left as debit balance. Arrears to be met in 1910. Wardens George and William Smith signed guarantees for \$5.00 and \$20.00, half their guarantee for 1908.

Services held fortnightly with fair congregations. Quarterly administration of Holy Communion. Petition of Consecration of Church prepared. To be presented to the 'Bishop on his approaching visit, "The Church of St Paul, though erected and paid for in 1878 has not been Consecrated, and only once, in 1909, been visited by a Bishop."

Nov. 10 - Emergency Meeting at Mr. Wm. Smith's. Moved that Wardens forward \$23.00 to Synod immediately, and that a system of quarterly collection with envelopes be distributed by Incumbent. He to use any means he feels best to insure punctual payment quarterly to Synod of \$5.00. Mrs. Conlin to be paid for cleaning and heating the Church, \$8.00, said sum covering the past three years. Wardens to arrange to heat and maintain cleanliness of Church. Sum in hand earmarked "Building Fund" be appropriated to cover cost of Church Consecration.

Adherents and promised contributiona Wm. Smith, \$6.00, Geo. Smith, \$4.00, Jim Evans, Robert Copeland, \$2.00, Duncan MacDougall, \$2.00, Wm. Parker, \$2.00, Stewart Boyd, \$1.00, Wm. Gain, R. Gain, \$1.00, R. Stevenson, Jas. Boyd, J.Murphy \$1.00:

1913- Mr. James Morrison elected Peoples' Warden on resignation of Mr. Wm. Smith. Repairs to the Church and Shed.

1917- Rev. A. H. Lupton. No Incumbent for two years. Mr. Wm. Smith to fix fence so that cattle cannot get into Cemetery. Mr.' Smith to attend to heating etc. of Church during cold weather. Balance on Hand \$3.76. (1915) offerings to date \$25.60, Expenses \$5.83. Balance of Guarantee Fund \$2.00. Mr. Wm. Smith spoke of the desirability of exchanging a portion of the Cemetery which has not been used for another portion to the north of the western end of the present enclosure. As the existing enclosure is consecrated, nothing definite accrued.

1918- First Vestry Meeting recording presence of womerr Mrs. Stewart Boyd, and Mrs. Lupton. Moved that the graveyard fence be fixed and letters written to people living elsewhere who had relatives buried here and who did not help in anyway. They would be asked for a subscription towards a Maintainance fund to keep the graveyard fence in good order. It was thought to be scarcely right to dig graves without consulting the Wardens. Thanks were expressed to Mr. James Morrison for his untiring interest in the Church life of this place.

Rev. Lupton said that the interior appearance of the Church could be improved by having vitrophane placed on east and west windows, the Communion rails cut so as to allow a gateway to the centre; a better organ to replace the one in use, which needed much repairs. Also that we have our own "Communion Service". Also the bell fixed to give the time of service. This suggestion was not agreed to however.

1919- Present: Venerable Archdeacon Robinson, Rev. A. H. Lupton.

Open Offerings \$48.07. plus balance \$11.99. This was the most prosperous year, financially, in the history of the Church. The Incumbent urged that the Church be reroofed and vestry or vestries provided Outside woodwork to be painted to replace the coat of paint put on originally when the Church was built in the year 1878. Also that the brickwork at the northwest comer be attended to in a proper manner, as the whole corner was giving way, and the bricks were loose. The organ, purchased during the winter, was not at all satisfactory and was to be returned to Willis of Montreal.

The Incumbent desired that mention be made in the Minutes of the possession by this Congregation of a silver-plated Communion set, and a fair white linen Cloth, and a Corporal. The Communion Set consisting of Chalice, Paten, and large Dish, the whole set, together with the linen, obtained as a gift from the Parish of St. Paul's, Abbottsford. The Archdeacon then spoke of the joining of St. Aidan's, Louisa, with this present Mission, and of the desirability of the stipend guarantee being sent in a little earlier in the year than was the custom.

Rev, AH Lupton and his wife arrived June 3,1917, immediately after his ordination. His Incumbency lasted three years, less one month and he reported that he and his wife had a busy life in which all **expenses** had been paid and all improvements paid for. He also reported on the following improvements and additions to St. Paul's:

A new shingle roof replaced the shingle roof which had done service during all the time since the Church had been built in 1878. Total Cost \$43.00 and the free labour of the men of the Congregation. Vestries were put up and matching inside sheathing of the Church. Total cost about \$60.00. A Communion Table was made and given by Mr. Nat Copeland. A new Frontal and Cover for the Communion Table was obtained from the Church at St. Andrew's East by the Incumbent.

Mr. Lupton, in his final report wrote, "In closing, the Incumbent would suggest to his successors that the work at Dunany be more energetically maintained. It would not be encouraging for us, if the Presbyterians, or another Communion, opened up a Mission for the sake of the many Presbyterians (and others) who are building residences around the Lakes, but who are very sympathetic with our work there and can be relied upon for their interest and assistance in many ways."

THE FIRST CONFIRMATION in its history, took place at Dunany in 1919. The Candidates were Nat Boyd and Eva Chapman. St. Aidan's, Louisa, was attached to the Parish of Lakefield July 1919. A vote of thanks was proposed by Mr. Nelson Morrison to Mr. James Morrison for his work and interest in the Church.

1921- Caretaker: Mr. N. Woods. <u>Mr. Jas. Morrison to be responsible for **buildings porch** and belfry and for painting of the woodwork of the Church and to secure material to repair the Church Shed. Mr. Woods and Mr. Parkes thanked for efforts in securing a bell for the Church.</u>

1922- Coming loss by the removal of Mr. Alfred Parker. Mr. N. Copeland and Wardens appointed to look after building the Porch.

1923- Present Rev. D. J. Lummis, Incumbent. WmSmith, James Morrison, Robert Copeland, Nat Boyd, Ernest Boyd, Nathanie1 Boyd appointed Secretary

1924- Leonard Gain appointed Secretary of the Meeting. Nat <u>Boyd appointed Clergyman's Warden</u>. **Peoples'** Warden James Morrison.

Vote of thanks to Miss 0. Farmer for services at the organ.

1927- Clergyman's Warden: Leonard Gain. Peoples' Warden: Melvin Boyd_

1933-Rev. A. E. Mount. Deep loss expressed at the passing of the late <u>Mr. Stewart Boy</u>d. Noted East wmdow has been stippled, neat new Altar, rich sanctuary carpet, new altar linen and vessels. Appreciation expressed for the ready and practical help given by the men in the excavation of a cesspool for the parsonage in Lakefield.

1934- Graveyard fencing supplied by Major Ed. Smith of Lachute.

1935- Amongst expenditures noted Box stove and pipes - \$17.90, Two gasoline lanterns - \$14.00, gasoline and coal oil - 52 cents.

1936 - First meeting chaired by Rev. C. Baugh.

1937-50 During these years the Minutes are very terse and limited essentially to statements of finances. in 1950 it was noted that the Wardens, Leonard Gain and Melvin Boyd "gave porch and outside lights.

1950-73. The Minute Book for these years has not been located.

1963- Mr. and Mrs. A. Straessle gave a new bell, specially forged in England and weighing 250 pounds. (To this day, it is rung before each service.)

1966 Last Service taken by Canon C. Baugh on Feb. 27, 1966. Death of Leonard Gain. Gifts in his momory: from Minnie Gain: an Organ plaque, leather Hymnal and Endowment of the Leonard Gain fund Anonymous Donor in Leonard Gain's Memory: Four dozen Hymn Books.

1974 - Rev. N. Guinness. Resignation of Rector's Warden - Mort Morrison and Peoples' Warden - Bev Neill. Appointment of Bob Hay as Rector's Warden and Tolbert Gauley as Peoples' Warden.

1975- Death of Tolbert Gauley. Deep sympathy expressed to Dorothy and family.

1979- Theft of Cross, Communion Service, and Alms' Plates. These were recovered, but vandalized. A Cross was given by the Church of St. John the Evangelist, Montreal. Alm's Dishes were given in memory of James Crooks, and a Communion Service, in memory of Tolbert Gauley, were given to the Church by their families. Candlesticks were given by Anthony and Barbara Hungerbuhler.

1984- Death of Bev Neill. St. Paul's Church now allied to St. Simeon's in Lachute. Three thousand feet opened up in the Cemetery. Bushes and trees planted. Three fans and two electric heaters given to the Church by Dorothy and Wels Marshall. Thanks expressed to Minnie Gain for her continued loving care of the Altar.

1985- New gates to the Cemetery consecrated in memory of Bev Neill, a gift from the Neill family and many friends.

1987-Once again the Church was robbed. Taken The Cross, Communion Vessels, Candle Sticks, Alma Dishes, Flower Vases, Altar Frontal.

The present Cross is a gift from St. Matthew's Church, Hampstead. Additional names, mentioned in the Minutes, of those who have been actively involved in St. Paul's since 1974 are: Stan Cornell, Stuart and Warren Neill, Brian and Dale Gauley, Robert Leggett, Mrs. Florrie Yeomans, Peggy Farquharson, Wels Marshall, Alex MacGibbon, and Dayton Hammond.

CANON BAUGH

Canon Baugh ministered to St Paul's for thirty years, from 193646. He was a remarkable man and had a profound effect on those with whom he came in contact. He was kindly, but he could say some outrageous things. Stories about him are legendary. Above all, he was dedicated, indomitable and courageous, determined against all odds to bring the Gospel to his parish. He was an excellent preacher with well-prepared Sermons.

He was fortunate to have good health. He needed it, and stamina, to travel the back roads by horse and buggy in all weathers. He was comfortable with rich and poor. Although extremely well-read, there was an earthiness about him which made him an excellent rural priest.

He was very sincere in his worship, but sometimes his eye would be caught by something, or some thought would pop into his mind, which he would interject into the Service. Sometimes it was hard not to laugh, and everyone knows, if you start giggling in Church, it is very difficult to stop. Margaret Everson Campbell remembers this agony when she was part of an informal girl choir in the forties. It included any of her friends who were visiting, and Dorothy Sutherland, Betty Hodgson and Ruth Brennian. Mrs Everso was very concerned that Margaret and her friends should behave properly, and that their motives for attending Church should not be questioned.

Keith Morriso remember one Service i Shnewsbur when Canon Baug would deeriodically sa "Shoo-shoo" towards the back of the Church. Upon turning around, they discovered that Canon Baugh's horse was loose and cropping the flowers around the Church steps.

Mrs. Baugh was a dear soul, an alway dready to help her husban. If ever the Organist was not available, she would readily fill in.

Oldest Active Anglican Serves Four Churches

Retire? Bah! Snorts Canon Baugh

By: GLORIA Stieger Star Staf fReporter Star Staf fReporter LACHUT E- Rev. Canon C. W. P. Baugb will h 92 on Manday - and the problem has been to find time t ando brate.

brate. Tomorrow, Canada' oldest active Anglican clergyman ha sto take fou service in his rural paris nda r here and, as most of his large fam-ily must be St work Monday. the formalities were finally arranged for today.

the formalities were finally arranged for today. The four-servic experation is norma procedure for this high-spirited, energeti nono genarian: he's been doing it sinc e- well a long time. Not only that, hut he ha a full schedule of christenings, weddings and funerals and on just about any weekday or each a Sae deirer

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"Ge t a car." someone said three years ago an d he grudgingly sol hils horse and di d So. "Faster, Ti his as-sessment now, "hut a lot more expensive" - expecially as he has to hire a chauffeur. Canon Baugh's charg in eludes th communic pf eludes the communitie of Lakefield where he lives. Schrewsbury D unn n y and Louisa – all within a radius of abou 25 miles from this Laurentian centre His son. Rev. Horace Baugh, attends to the needs of three parishes centred o Mori nHeights.



Mrs . Baug h plays at Canon's services

Canon Baugh has lived in fore Canon Baugh arrived in Lakefleid for 30 year — sat the world, replaced a wooden Present in a house facing Holy one which stood on the site Trinity Church. for 30 years. Trinity is still This weathered Ston Heate dby two potbellied old church. built Seven years be cast-ion stores-but it has

an electric **ogn** The latter is the gift of . wealthy Vancouver man who was bapized by Canon Baugh An d i's especially fitting be-cause Mrs. Baugh, a mere 82 some tire ago found manipu-lating the pump organs so common to small country churchea abilit more than she can manaee.

churchea bint more than she can manage. Canon Baug waa shorn in England and studied at Bis-hops College i Lincolnshine He came t & anad in 1905 and the next year wa or-dained win til his brothers Horace and William, wh re-ceived charges in the Diocese of Niazara. or-s - 0 of Niagara.

ceived charges in the Diocese of Niagara. It goe swithout saying that the Canon doesn' bisken in retirement and be's keeping a wary ey on a General Synod resolution that clergymen will be considere b have done so at 70. "This has to he con-firmed It all depends on the bishop s he says. Mearwhile, he's proud of the fact he's never take, a preaching on only Shout four sundays because of illness. Six of the Baugha' seven children arc still alive a nd they and th 16 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren today' scelebrations Then? Back ta work of

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On e hope sthe bishops will mul l over that retirement ruling for a long time.

Article from the Montreal Star, July 24, 1965

ST. PAUL'S REGISTER OF SERVICES 1913- 1955

From the Diocese of Montreal Archives. In fly leaf "I only know I cannot drift beyond his love and care". (Handwriting, Rev. C. Baugh)

Entries were straightforward. Comments noted below:

- 1913 Services from May 25-31, every three weeks. Rev. Naughton. Congregation averaged 12-15. Highest number 25. Lowest number, 4 on a WET day. Highest offering 53 cents. Comments: Aug. 3, Funeral of Mr. Stephenson, Aug. 31, Funeral of Mrs. Copeland. Dec. 27. Roads Impassible.
- 1914 Total offerings for year \$7.95. Special \$2.88.
- 1915 July, Visit of Bishop (John Montreal) 20 members. Nov 28, Arrived 3 pm. No one present. Roads bad.
- 1916 Special Donations. \$60.00 for Hymn Books
- 1917 Jan 2, Lots of snow and cold. Much "grippe".
 July 22, Rev. A. H, Lupton HOT!!!
 Dec. 30, COLD!!!
 Dec. 24, \$1.00 on Christmas Tree for Clergyman.
- 1918 Jan 13, No service, roads blocked Mar 24, Mr. William Parker's funeral, Church packed. Dec. I, \$.54 for Social Service Dec 29, Christmas offering for Clergyman \$1.40 (\$1.00 + loose change).
- July 14, First Confirmation in St. Paul's Church. Reported in Montreal Churchman. Present: Bishop John Farthing.Offering \$3.00, Congregation numbered 40.

Total offerings for year \$21.61. Christmas, \$1.50 for Clergyman. Comment: On account of having had Louisa Parish attached to Lakefield Mission since July 1/19 there have been services here only once or twice every three weeks.

- 1921 Jan 30, China Famine offering \$6.00. Regular Offertory, \$.30
- May 7, Russian Famine Appeal May 21, \$1.00 for Russian Relief. Congregation growing: Average 18-34. Offering average \$1 - \$2.00
- Jan 3, \$4.00 special offering for Priest, Rev. A. Mount.June 30, Bishop John Farthing. Congregation: 34. Offering: \$7.26 Total for year \$43.10. Total Budget for Parish \$187.82
- 1927 July 31, 44 attended Scout Service. Offering: \$4.05 Aug 2 1, Loyal Orange Lodge Parade, Louisa.
- 1928 Mar 25 to May 27, No Services owing to bad roads.
- 1929 Feb. 10, No Service. Persons had been subjected to contagion from Small-Pox. April 1, No Service. Roads breaking up and impassible.

1932- From the Canadian Churchman The little congregation of St. Paul's, Dunany, have placed a very nice new Altar in their church They are showing much interest in the Church's work. There were eight candidates confirmed Rev.Allan Mount is to be congratulated upon the work here and at Louisa where there were also eight confirmed.

- 1933 Total Budget \$19.40. Mr. Parkes \$20.00 for services at the organ.
- 1935 June 16, Trinity Sunday, First Service with Rev. Cyrus Baugh. (Congregations "jumped", due to summer visitors).July 14, 63 persons in the Congregation. (Fall average 15-20)

1936 August: Horace Baugh, student, relieved his father. Service Records indicate that Rev. Horace Baugh took the Services at Dunany on several occasions when he was a student Minister, He has a special affection for St. Paul's, and conducted the Service and Vestry Meeting as late as Sept. 1988. He de&mined to be a Priest when he was very young, and applied at the Diocesan College when he was 15, and was accepted when he was sixteen and a half. Asked if he had been influenced by his father, he replied, "Undoubtedly, my father influenced me, but it was a Presbyterian Minister in Valleyfield, who seemed to me, at the time, to be the greatest force behind my choice." Two of Canon Baugh's other sons, Howard & John Baugh, relieved him on occasion.

June 28 (From the Canadian Churchman)." The Bishop dedicated the West Window, the figure of St. Paul, a memorial of the late Samuel Smith and his wife, Mary Macdonald, and of their deceased children, given by the executors of the Smith Estate. He also dedicated a Hymn Board given by Mr. Nelson Morrison, and a pair of brass Vases, given by Mrs. Patterson, wife of Dr. Patterson."

Rev. Horace Baugh recalls that he went with his father to the Art Gallery in Montreal where they made stained-glass windows. The man in charge told them, "We have six heads for St. Paul, the other part of the window does not matter so much, but the head is important". Canon Baugh said, "Horace, you figure it out." Horace says that the expression on the face helped him make his choice. (And a fine one it was too. As a Congregation we are fortunate to have this outstanding window of the Patron Saint of St. Paul's).

1938 From the Canadian Churchman A new organ in the little church at Dunany was dedicated on 27th June.

1939 Apr 23	No Service - Roads too soft for horse.
1940 Mar 10	\$3.60 for Western Relief sent to Synod. Summer Congregations 25-50 persons.
1942 Nov 14	Sermon. 7. pm. "The Soldier". (One of only two references to the war.)
1945 May 13	7.pm. Victory Service. No offering.
1950 Nov 26	No Service, as all roads blocked with fallen trees.
1955 June 9	Funeral, Mrs. Mount.

PEOPLES' WARDEN

WARDENS OF ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

PRIEST'S WARDEN

1895 1904 1913 1920 1922 1924 1927 1937		Jos. McClusky William Smith James Morrison James Morrison James Morrison Melvin Boyd Melvin Boyd
1974 1975 1977 1978 1987	Mort Morrison Robert Hay Robert Hay Earl Clifford Dorothy Marshall Joyce McCracken Joyce McCracken	Bev Neil1 Tolbert Gauley Tony Hungerbuhler Tony Hungerbuhler Tony Hungerbuhler Stuart Neil1

INCUMBENTS WHO HAVE SERVED ST. PAUL'S SINCE 1878

1877-9	L. 0. Armstrong	1880-86	C. Boyd
1886- 7	James Senio - r	1888-94	Richard Irwin
1895-99	Alla nMount	1900-2	L. Foulkes
1904-5	L. G. Miller	1905-9	Allan Mount
1909-12	William Garner	1912- 5	Willia mNaughton
1916-7	Alla n Mount	1917-20	Albert Lupton
1920-4	James Lummis	1924-7	Alla nMount
1928-31	Richard Fiander	1931-5	Alla nMount
1935-66	Cyrus Baugh	1966-70	Ian Dodd
1970-2	Nigel Scotland	1974-6	Robin Guinness
1975	David Yarrow	1976-7	Jacques Smith
1978	Peter Prosser	1979-82	Philip Santram
1982-4	Glenn Coates	1984	Trevor Jones
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1985-8	Eric Beresford	1988-	



Cemetery gates consecrated in 1987 to the memory of Beverly Neill.

ST. PAUL'S CEMETERY - DUNANY 1985

- 1. WOODS: In memory of Dorothy E. Woods, 1917-1972, wife of James E. Crooks.
- 2. WOODS: In memory of Norman R. Woods, 1884-1967. His wife Mabel E. Cole 189 5-1967
- **3.** GAIN: In memory of Robert A. Gain 1887-194 4 and his wife Maud C Carlin 1890-1919, and his wife, Edith E. Morrison 1900-,1978.
- 4. STEPHENSON In memory of James A. Stephenson. Born Jan 21, 1883, died Aug. 2, 1913. Richard Stephenson, Born Dec. 3, 1845, Die Oct 27, 1926.
- 5. SIEVENSON: In memory of Catherin Scarkett wife of Richard Stevenson, Died Mar. 11,1897, Aged 50 years, 140s and 6 days and Rachel R., daughter of R & C. Stevenson, Died Mar 5, 1897, Aged 15 yrs. 1 thos and 6 days. In memory of Rachel Watchom, wife of James Stevenson, Died Feb. 14, 1901. Aged 88 yrs. and 10 months.
- GAIN: In memory of George Gain, Died Feb. 10, 1894, Aged 26 years. Henry Gain, Died Jan 7, 1896. Aged 18 years. William Gain, Died Feb. 8, 1906, Aged 90 years. His wife, Sarah Wood, Died Feb. 24, 1922, Aged 84 yrs. (Erected by Fred Gain).
- 7. Stone overturned. Sacred to the memory of Matthew, Died Mar. 18, 1888. Aged 65 years.
- NEILL: In memory of Willie, Born Aug. 28, 1898, Died Sept. 6, 1898, infant son of Henry and Mary Neill. Arthur, Died Jan. 9, 1911, Stanley J., Died May 8, 1913, Infant sons of Henry and Mary Neill.
- 9. NEILL: John Neill, Born in King's County, Ireland, 1803. Died 1850. Also his wife, Maria Cruise, Died April 13, 1912. Aged 91 years, six months.
- 10. WATCHORN: Edith Watchorn, Born Nov. 1885, Died July 1886.
- 11. PAYNE: In memory of Wm. Michael Payne, Died Aug. 21, 1912, Aged 27 years.
- 12. HOLMES: Norm MacCurle yHolmes, 1982.
- 13. HAMMOND In memory of Matthew Hammond. Died Sept. 2, 1879, Aged 24 year , seven months. s
- MILLER: In memory of Isabella Edgar, Beloved wife of George Miller. A native o Donegal, Ireland Died Feb. 3, 1881, Aged 83 years. Her end was peace. And George Miller, Died Feb. 6,1883, Aged 79 years Native o Donegal Ireland .Dearest parents you have left us, but your loss we deeply feel. It was God who hath bereft us, He can all our sorrows heal.
- 15. BROWN: Daniel Brown, Nov. 19, 189 Dec.24, 1982.
- 16.PARKER In memory of William Parker, died Marc 22,1918 ,aged 68 years His wife, MARIA BOYD, died Jan. 18, 1921, aged 72 years.
- 17. SMIT H William Smith, Born Mar. 29, 1842, Died Oct. 10, 1930. Also hi wife Mary A. Miller, Born Sept. 30, 1842, Died Feb. 25, 1924. In memory of Lieut. Wm. J. Smith, only and beloved son of Wm. and Mary A. Smith, Died Nov. 11, 1900, aged 25 years 11 mos. and 26 days.

- 18.SMITH : In affectionate memory of Samuel Smith who departed this life June 18, 1898, Aged 92 years. Margaret MacDonald, wife of Samuel Smith, Died Sept 4, 1904, Aged 95 years. This monument was erected by his daughter, Sarah, in loving memory of Father.
- 19. SMITH: In loving memory of Margaret Smith, Born March 11, 1836, Died March 14, 1921. In memory of George M. Smith, Born Feb. 5, 1853, Died March 13, 1921.
- 20. CRUISE In memory of Robert Cruise. Died Apr 21,1881 ,Aged 55 years, 11 months, 3 days. The light is from our household gone, The voice we loved is stilled. The place is vacant in our home, Which never can be filled.
- 21. MACVICAR In memory of Joh ManVicar Died Jun 14,1882, Aged 50 years. Also his wife, Sarah Smith Died May 18, 1900. Aged 56 years. At Rest.
- 22 PORTER In memory of Hugh Porter, Jr., Died Dec. 25, 1889. Hugh Porter, Sr., Died Feb. 5, 1902. Also his beloved wife, Annie M. Pierce, Died Dec. 23, 1891. Jane Porter, wife of I. Sillick, Died April 28, 1916. Annie Porte, wife of J Riddell ,Died June 30, 1917.
- 23. LEGGETT: Dorothy E. Leggett, 1899-1980
- 24. LEGGETT: Reginald V. Leggett, 1917-1975.
- 25. PARKES: James Stowell Parkes Died Jul 19,194 3in his 77th year. His wife Eva B Allard ..Died July 29, 1963 in her 93rd year.
- 26. HALDIMAN DAnne L. Fotheringham 1895, 1965 Beloved wife of Percy M. Haldimand 1892-1974.
- 27. HUNTER: In loving memory of Bruce R. Hunter, 1906-1971, dearly beloved husband of Ida Greening.
- 28. MORRISON: Morton M. Morrison 1911 1979, beloved husband of Mary D. Andrew.
- 29. NEIL: James Knox Neil, May 1, 190 OCT6.7, 1979.
- 30. CONNELL In memory of Adelaide Gray, 1875-1952, wife of Thoma Connell. s
- 31. GARLIC K Kenne ht Edwar Garlic kOct 26, 1911 Sep t 5, 1980.
- 32. ENGELHARDT Ellen V Budberg Born in Latvia, Aug 14, 1886. Died Nov. 22, 1971

UNMARKED GRAVES IN TH DUENAN YCEMETERY

This information was given by Clarence Neill.

North West Corner:	Henry CARRUTHERS and his wife (Seale.)
North East Corner:	HOLYOKE - grandparent of James Holyoke, formerly of Grace Park
	area.
West of Grave of Norma Holmes:	THOMAS CONLIN
Possibly:	CARRUTHERS Catherine, widow of John Carruthers, died in Gore,
	1897, buried in Dunany (Records)