

In 1917 Mr. Perry left for the European War and Mr. Wellington of Pietersburg took charge of our Parish. Mr. Fawssett still continuing his services when no Priest could come.

In 1920, the Rev. Ernest Prance became Rector of Nylstroom, and came out to us about ten times. In 1923 the Rev. J.M. Short became Rector and took services for us, sometimes the Rev. N.L. Bell Bishop's Chaplain came to us from Johannesburg. Mr. Short was our Rector until the Rev. E.C. Glaisyer came in December 1928.

Mr. Fawssett became very ill and died, Mr. Glaisyer took his funeral on February 13th 1929. Mr. Glaisyer left us in December 1932 when there was a time of depression when we had no permanent Rector.

The Rev. F.G. Clarke and Archdeacon Jenkin took services for us. The Rev. G.H. Cooper of Sunnyside, Pretoria came to dedicate the window of the Good Shepherd in memory of Helen Marion Davidson on May 11th 1933.

In October 1933, the Rev. W. Cawood, Priest in charge of The Good Shepherd Mission in Pretoria, came to give services, when he could not spare the time for the very long journey, Mr. Clarke came from Pietersburg, he also came to take the funeral of Mary Katherine Peacock aged 86 years on May 4th 1935.

Mr. Clarke also came from Potchefstroom Military Camp (assisted by Mr. Gaylard) and took the funeral of Edith Ann Fawssett aged 85 years.

In 1938 the Bishop was in a position to install a permanent Priest for the Waterberg and Nylstroom. The Rev. H.M. Gaylard, he had a parish car and was able to do a great deal of travelling taking services at different places, arranging to come out to Twenty Four Rivers once a month as well as taking many services for the Africans.

When Mr. Gaylard after seven years, was offered the living of Pretoria West, the Rev. R. Park very kindly consented to fill in the gap until the Rev. E. Maggett arrived on July 25th 1947.

Unfortunately Mr. Maggett's health had been undermined by the strenuous time he had spent fire-fighting at Canterbury during the war, and in a few months time he contracted an illness which became so serious that his mother took him to her home in Bulawayo where he died on March 6th 1948.