

BROMLEY PARISH CHURCH

ST.PETER & ST.PAUL

FELLOWSHIP ANNUAL REPORT 2017

“There is nothing on this earth more to be prized than true friendship” (Thomas Aquinas)

This quotation is so true of our Group. Immortalised by the Ven. Peter Lock in his sermon 20 years ago.

WARMTH, WELCOME, FAITH, FRIENDSHIP

Fellowship meets regularly on the 2nd & 4th Thursday every month except August.

This has been continuous for 60 years. This will be my final Report since taking over from Margaret Thompson in 2009, a position never intended! The years have been filled with mixed emotions – sadness and happiness.

Our numbers are dwindling due to age and infirmity, but the cheerful group of about 30 is always a pleasure to behold.

We have had three parties

- The Vicarage Garden Party with the Valley School band, which was excellent.
- The Summer Party, with Musical Entertainment, which was most enjoyable.
- The Christmas Party was fun, as the Chairman made a muddle of the quiz! The members all received hyacinths for Christmas. Sophie cut the cake and was introduced as our Anna Chaplain. The singing by Paula and four friends accompanied by Frank Roddy and Garvin was amazing. We hope they will return.

My thanks during my term of office go to a loyal Committee, members past and present, numerous Speakers and David Elvin for setting up and clearing tables.

Finally I wish Fellowship continued survival in spite of difficulties.

Margaret Writer

Chairman