Peals for 1985 to 1989

2623

**Cowbridge**, Vale of Glamorgan, 2 Cae Ffermaen

Sat, 05 January 1985 in 2h 29 (13)

**5040 Plain Bob Major**

E M Atkins

1-2 Ruth M Morris

3-4 William Gough

5-6 R Philip Williams

7-8 R George Morris (C)

2624

**Llanfeugan**, Powys, St Meugan

Sat, 12 January 1985 in 2h 52 (12–0–19 in G)

**5024 Bristol Surprise Major**

S J Ivin

1 Michael G Clements

2 Tudor P Edwards

3 Pauline C Champion

4 Gerald C Hemming

5 William E Thompsett

6 John A G Clements

7 Reginald T McKenzie

8 Richard J Clements (C)

2625

**Cadoxton juxta Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catwg

Thu, 24 January 1985 in 2h 30 (7–2–2 in B)

**5040 Minor (4m)**

1 extent Cambridge; 2 each Kent TB, Oxford TB, Plain Bob

1 Benjamin J Williams

2 Linda Davis

3 Michael R Thomas

4 D Geoffrey Kerley

5 Alwyn R Lewis

6 Andrew C John (C)

First as conductor. For St Catwg's Day.

2626

**Blaenavon**, Torfaen, St Peter

Sat, 16 February 1985 in 2h 48 (9–1–0 in A♭)

**5024 Bristol Surprise Major**

S J Ivin

1 William E Thompsett

2 Tudor P Edwards (C)

3 Rebecca A Joyce

4 Elisabeth A G Bowden

5 Christopher J P Scott

6 Patrick J Bird

7 Geoffrey Davies

8 Ian P Hill

150th peal of Bristol - 2.

2627

**Llanfeugan**, Powys, St Meugan

Sat, 16 February 1985 in 2h 50 (12–0–19 in G)

**5040 Stedman Triples**

Dexter's No.2

1 Tudor P Edwards

2 Elisabeth A G Bowden

3 Christopher J P Scott

4 Rebecca A Joyce

5 Ian P Hill

6 Patrick J Bird (C)

7 Geoffrey Davies

8 William E Thompsett

First Stedman Triples - 3. First Stedman Triples on tower bells - 4. Circled the tower - 8.

2628

**Blaenavon**, Torfaen, St Peter

Thu, 21 February 1985 in 2h 44 (9–1–0 in A♭)

**5024 Vyvyan Surprise Major**

A J Cox

1 Catherine A Kemp

2 William E Thompsett

3 Francesca Newman

4 Andrew M Bull

5 Connie A Barter

6 Barry J Hayman

7 Fr John M Hughes

8 Peter S Bennett (C)

Birthday compliment to Mrs Violet Hayman, Barry's mother.

2629

**Mathern**, Monmouthshire, St Tewdric

Thu, 21 February 1985 in 2h 43 (8–2–3 in A♭)

**5040 Plain Bob Minor**

1 Martine E Osley

2 Karen L Wallace

3 C Monnica Williams

4 Stephen Tyce

5 Ian Osley

6 Dudley Surman (C)

First peal: 1, 3, 5 First inside 2. First as conductor. First peal on the bells by a Sunday service band. Farewell compliment to the Rev Dr Keith Denison and his family on leaving the parish to begin a new ministry at Risca.

2630

**Cadoxton juxta Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catwg

Mon, 25 February 1985 in 2h 30 (7–2–2 in B)

**5040 Beverley Surprise Minor**

7 extents

1 David Bounds

2 Alison J Leaker

3 Michael R Thomas

4 Andrew C John

5 D Geoffrey Kerley

6 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

First in method by all. Engagement compliment to Alison Leaker and Ian Lewis.

2631

**Eardisland**, Herefordshire, St Mary the Virgin

Sat, 02 March 1985 in 2h 54 (12–2–26 in G)

**5152 Spliced Surprise Major (23m)**

224 each Yorkshire, Uxbridge, Cornwall, Double Dublin, Bristol, Whalley, Watford, London, Tavistock. Glasgow, Cambridge, Cassiobury, Undum, Superlative, Wembley, Rutland, Jersey, Preston. Ipswich, Cray, Ashtead, Lincolnshire, Pudsey; 160 changes of method, all the work

N Smith

1 Leslie Evans

2 Pauline C Champion

3 Stephanie J Kenton

4 Elizabeth A Orme

5 William E Thompsett

6 Alan Regin

7 Reginald T McKenzie

8 Richard J Clements (C)

Most methods "all the work": 4, 5. Most methods as conductor.

2632

**Tewkesbury**, Gloucestershire, Abbey Church of St Mary the Virgin

Sat, 16 March 1985 in 3h 20 (27–0–5 in D)

**5007 Stedman Cinques**

J E Chilcott

1 Donald G Clift

2 Connie Barter

3 William E Thompsett

4 Peter S Bennett

5 John E Chilcott (C)

6 Andrew Giles

7 Fr John M Hughes

8 Nigel R D Orchard

9 Philip M Saunders

10 Trevor T Lewis

11 Robin R Churchill

12 Philip W Weeks

2633

**Lydney**, Gloucestershire, St Mary the Virgin

Sat, 30 March 1985 in 2h 57 (13–2–7 in F)

**5040 Yorkshire Surprise Royal**

A J Cox

1 Jacqueline S King

2 Donald G Clift

3 Connie A Barter

4 William E Thompsett

5 Gareth Dancer

6 William A M Barter

7 Nigel R D Orchard

8 Trevor T Lewis

9 Peter S Bennett (C)

10 Tudor P Edwards

First on ten: 3. 85th together: 1, 2. 250th for the Association: 2.

2634

**Newport**, Newport, 6, Allt-yr-yn Avenue

Sat, 06 April 1985 in 1h 55 (13)

**5040 Plain Bob Minor**

1-2 Helen Dancer

3-4 Gareth Dancer

5-6 Peter S Bennett (C)

2635

**Caldicot**, Monmouthshire, St Mary

Wed, 10 April 1985 in 2h 52 (12–3–10 in F)

**5024 Bristol Surprise Major**

S J Ivin

1 Tudor P Edwards

2 Clare J Mitchell

3 Andrew J Mitchell

4 David J Hedges

5 Connie A Barter

6 Gareth Dancer

7 Andrew J Watkins

8 Andrew M Bull (C)

First in method: 2, 3, 4 and as conductor.

2636

**Whitchurch**, Cardiff, St Mary

Fri, 12 April 1985 in 2h 58 (12–2–24 in F)

**5040 Grandsire Triples**

Parker's Twelve-Part

1 John T Terry

2 Thomas T Yeomans

3 Barbara Jackson

4 Christine M Lucas

5 Frederick B Jackson

6 M Jack Pryor

7 Rev Paul W Thomas (C)

8 C Rex Redmond

For the centenary of the Church.

2637

**Abergavenny**, Monmouthshire, St Mary

Sat, 13 April 1985 in 3h 27 (25–0–18 in D)

**5040 Cambridge Surprise Royal**

R Baldwin

1 Eric Sutton

2 Andrew Giles

3 Jennifer A Orchard

4 Francesca Newman

5 Kelvin S Clayton

6 Barry J Hayman

7 Marc Hart

8 Allan G Keen

9 Nigel R D Orchard

10 Peter S Bennett (C)

2638

**Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Thomas

Wed, 17 April 1985 in 2h 32 (8–0–2 in A)

**5040 Norwich Surprise Minor**

7 extents

1 Linda Davis

2 W Geoffrey Morgan

3 Andrew C John

4 D Geoffrey Kerley

5 David Bounds (C)

6 Alwyn R Lewis

Compliment to Carol and Colin Chapman on the birth of a daughter.

2639

**Newport**, Gwent, All Saints

Sun, 21 April 1985 in 2h 57 (14–1–17)

**5056 Cambridge Surprise Major**

Johnson's Variation

1 Peter S Bennett (C)

2 Catherine A Kemp

3 Gareth Dancer

4 Lynda A Phillips

5 Connie A Barter

6 Kelvin S Clayton

7 Paul C Phillips

8 Barry J Hayman

First peal: 4. First Cambridge Major: 2, 5,6, 7. For the wedding of Susan Phillips and Leslie Ainscough at this church the previous day.

2640

**Llandaff**, Cardiff, Cathedral Church of St Peter and St Paul

Sat, 27 April 1985 in 3h 3 (20–1–0 in E)

**5000 London No 3 Surprise Royal**

R W Pipe

1 Elisabeth A G Bowden

2 Rev Barry J Fry

3 Rebecca J Cox

4 Mary E Mears

5 Rev John C Baldwin

6 Brian Bladon

7 Anthony J Cox

8 Robert J Crocker

9 Michael E C Mears

10 Timothy F Collins (C)

First London Royal: 4.

2641

**Newport**, Newport, Cathedral Church of St Woolos

Mon, 06 May 1985 in 3h 7 (21–2–20 in D)

**5007 Stedman Caters**

A S Hudson

1 Donald G Clift

2 Tudor P Edwards

3 Helen Dancer

4 Andrew J Watkins

5 Linda A Phillips

6 Gareth Dancer

7 Peter S Bennett (C)

8 William A M Barter

9 William E Thompsett

10 Connie A Barter

First on ten: 5. 21st birthday compliment to Helen Dancer and Francesca Newman, both of the local band.

2642

**Cowbridge**, Vale of Glamorgan, Holy Cross

Sat, 11 May 1985 in 3h 4 (15–3–13 in E)

**5040 St Simon's Bob Triples**

H Hubbard

1 D J Lewis

2 Linda Davis

3 Andrew C John

4 D Geoffrey Kerley

5 W Geoffrey Morgan

6 Alwyn R Lewis

7 David Bounds (C)

8 Norman E Waite

First peal: 8. First on 8: 1. First in the method by all and for the Association.

2643

**Llangynwyd**, Bridgend, St Cynwyd

Mon, 13 May 1985 in 2h 38 (8–0–16 in A)

**5040 Doubles (5m)**

2 extents Rev. Canterbury; 5 each St. Simon's, St. Martin's; 10 each Plain Bob, Grandsire; 5 x 240 Grandsire

1 Cyril Phillips

2 Thomas T Yeomans

3 Rev Paul W Thomas (C)

4 M Jack Pryor

5 D R Lynn Jones

6 William T Petty

First peal on the bells since rehanging. 125th together: 2, 3.  
  
Farewell compliment to the conductor who is moving from this parish to the parish of Huish Episcopi, Somerset. The ringer of the 2nd has now rung 374 peals for the Association - the highest number yet achieved.

2644

**Sully**, Vale of Glamorgan, St John the Baptist

Wed, 15 May 1985 in 2h 30 (6–0–2 in B♭)

**5040 Surprise Minor (7m)**

London, York, Durham, Norwich, Beverley, Surfleet, Cambridge

1 W Geoffrey Morgan

2 D Geoffrey Kerley

3 Andrew C John

4 Robin R Churchill

5 David Bounds

6 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

50th together: 1, 5.

2645

**Whitchurch**, Cardiff, St Mary

Sat, 25 May 1985 in 2h 55 (12–2–24 in F)

**5152 Yorkshire Surprise Major**

C P Starbuck

1 Helen Hampson

2 Margaret S Churchill

3 Robin P D Middleton

4 Wendy J Middleton

5 Susan C Haslam

6 Gary M Haslam

7 Alwyn R Lewis

8 Fr John M Hughes (C)

First S. Major: 1. To celebrate the centenary of this church.

2646

**Usk**, Monmouthshire, St Mary

Thu, 30 May 1985 in 2h 56 (14–1–7 in F♯)

**5040 Grandsire Triples**

Parker's 12-part (7th obs)

1 Lionel Jones

2 Jacqueline S King

3 Christine M Lucas

4 Jack A Long

5 Andrew J Phillips

6 Donald G Clift

7 David J Hughes (C)

8 R E Gordon Wilkinson

250th peal for the Association: 2. 25th and 50th peal respectively on these bells by the ringers of 1 and 6, who learned to ring in this tower almost 60 years ago.

2647

**St Davids**, Pembrokeshire, Cathedral Church of St David

Sat, 22 June 1985 in 3h 22 (24–3–25 in D)

**5120 Kent Treble Bob Major**

A Knights

1 Michael R Thomas

2 Linda Davis

3 George T Medd

4 W Geoffrey Morgan

5 D Geoffrey Kerley

6 Andrew C John

7 David Bounds

8 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

1st TB: 3. First TB inside: 2, 6.

2648

**Llangybi**, Monmouthshire, St Cybi

Thu, 27 June 1985 in 2h 48 (12–0–25 in F♯)

**5056 Spliced Surprise Major (8m)**

768 Rutland; 704 London; 640 Pudsey, Superlative; 576 Bristol, Cambridge, Lincolnshire, Yorkshire; 119 changes of method; all the work

P G K Davies

1 Catherine A Kemp

2 Connie A Barter

3 Tudor P Edwards

4 Robin R Churchill (C)

5 Fr John M Hughes

6 Andrew M Bull

7 William A M Barter

8 Peter S Bennett

First Spliced Surprise: 2. 100th as conductor. First peal on the bells since the re-hanging of 6 and 7.

2649

**Cadoxton juxta Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catwg

Tue, 23 July 1985 in 2h 28 (7–2–2 in B)

**5040 Stedman Doubles**

42 extents

1 Alison J Leaker

2 Benjamin J Williams

3 Andrew C John

4 Linda Davis

5 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

6 Michael R Thomas

First Stedman: 3,4. First Stedman Doubles: 2. 71st Birthday compliment to ringer of the 2nd.

2650

**Grosmont**, Monmouthshire, St Nicholas

Sat, 27 July 1985 in 2h 35 (7–2–23 in A♭)

**5040 Doubles (10m/v)**

5 extents Rev. Canterbury; 4 each Little Aston, St. David, Royston, Clifford's Pleasure, April Day, Seighford, May Day, Litchurch; 5 Plain Bob

1 Helena Jackson

2 Sheila E M Parry

3 Dianne B Smith

4 Martyn O Jackson

5 Michael V Powell (C)

6 W Roland Watkins

First peal: 1. Most methods 4. For the retirement of the Rev W A McAdam, life honorary member of the Association

2651

**Newport**, Newport, Cathedral Church of St Woolos

Sat, 24 August 1985 in 3h 33 (21–2–20 in D)

**5007 Stedman Cinques**

S J Pattenden (arr)

1 Stephanie J Pattenden

2 Tudor P Edwards

3 David J Sheppard

4 Nicholas W H Simon

5 Christopher S Leach

6 James W Belshaw (C)

7 Neil J Sheard

8 Geraldine R Lea

9 Norman M Brock

10 Paul A Williams

11 Peter S Bennett

12 Raymond East

5 - 1st on 12 and of Stedman. 9 - 1st Cinques. Rung on Wilfred Williams' 80th birthday

2652

**Cadoxton juxta Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catwg

Mon, 26 August 1985 in 2h 31 (7–2–2 in B)

**5040 Cambridge Surprise Minor**

7 extents

1 W Geoffrey Morgan

2 Michael R Thomas

3 Linda Davis

4 D Geoffrey Kerley

5 Andrew C John

6 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

2653

**Llandaff**, Cardiff, Cathedral Church of St Peter and St Paul

Mon, 26 August 1985 in 3h 20 (24–1–15 in E♭)

**5079 Stedman Caters**

R A G Inglis

1 Graham L Nayler

2 Christopher S Caryer

3 Tudor P Edwards

4 Gareth Dancer

5 Nicholas W H Simon (C)

6 David J Sheppard

7 Norman M Brock

8 Geraldine R Lea

9 James W Belshaw

10 Stephanie J Pattenden

Retirement compliment to the Rt. Rev. John Poole-Hughes as Bishop of Llandaff

2654

**Pontypridd**, Rhondda Cynon Taf, St Catherine

Sat, 31 August 1985 in 2h 57 (12–2–21 in F♯)

**5088 Spliced Surprise Major (6m)**

1152 Rutland; 1056 Cambridge; 864 Lincolnshire, Yorkshire; 576 Pudsey, Superlative; 140 com.

M A Coleman

1 Nicholas W H Simon

2 Christopher S Leach

3 Paul J R Daybell

4 Norman M Brock

5 Graham L Nayler

6 David J Sheppard

7 James W Belshaw (C)

8 Stephanie J Pattenden

3 - most Spliced. To mark the 50th anniversary of the death of Hopkin Morgan, the donor of the bells

2655

**St Davids**, Pembrokeshire, Cathedral Church of St David

Sun, 08 September 1985 in 3h 20 (24–3–25 in D)

**5024 Cambridge Surprise Major**

J S Warboys

1 Anthony J Sanger

2 Nicholas W H Simon (C)

3 Andrew C John

4 Malcolm T Johns

5 Bryan Williams

6 Nigel P Doyle

7 Alwyn R Lewis

8 Tudor P Edwards

First Surprise Major: 3, 5.

2656

**Llandaff**, Cardiff, Cathedral Church of St Peter and St Paul

Wed, 16 October 1985 in 3h 4 (20–1–0 in E)

**5000 London No 3 Surprise Royal**

C K Lewis

1 Robin R Churchill

2 Fr John C Baldwin

3 Judith A Baldwin

4 Richard H Burton

5 Robert C Woodward

6 Nicholas W H Simon (C)

7 Trevor T Lewis

8 Peter S Bennett

9 David C Brookes

10 Nigel R D Orchard

1st London Royal: 3, 4, 5. 50th peal: 5. For the 500th anniversary of the building of the Jasper Tower, which houses the bells (Jasper Tudor, an uncle of Henry VII)  
  
Also to welcome Eleanor Sian, daughter of the conductor and Ruth Simon, born on October 9

2657

**Llantilio Crossenny**, Monmouthshire, St Teilo

Tue, 22 October 1985 in 2h 48 (4–2–4 in D)

**5056 Plain Bob Major**

J N Longridge

1 Michael R Thomas

2 Sheila E M Parry

3 Linda Davis

4 Bryan Williams

5 Alison J Leaker

6 Andrew C John

7 Malcolm T Johns

8 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

Associated with this peal was Mr Richard Horsington. Farewell compliment to the ringer of the second, shortly leaving for New Zealand.

2658

**Blaenavon**, Torfaen, St Peter

Wed, 06 November 1985 in 2h 53 (9–1–0 in A♭)

**5040 Stedman Triples**

Thurstans "The Sleeping Beauty"

1 Leslie Evans

2 Adrian Fawcett

3 Robert Hatcher

4 Barbara Salmons

5 Austin T Wingate

6 Robin R Churchill

7 Rev Dale Barton (C)

8 William E Thompsett

2659

**Llandaff**, Cardiff, Cathedral Church of St Peter and St Paul

Sat, 09 November 1985 in 3h 7 (20–1–0 in E)

**5040 Yorkshire Surprise Royal**

J H Fielden

1 William E Thompsett

2 Jennifer A Orchard

3 Judith A Baldwin

4 Alwyn R Lewis

5 Robert C Woodward

6 Andrew Giles

7 Nevil A James

8 Robin R Churchill (C)

9 Fr John M Hughes

10 Nigel R D Orchard

To welcome the new Bishop of Llandaff, Rt Rev Roy Davies. Bishop Davies was consecrated on November 1 and enthroned on November 16.

2660

**Ebbw Vale**, Blaenau Gwent, Christ Church

Sat, 23 November 1985 in 3h 24 (24-3-25 in D)

**5088 Bristol Surprise Major**

S J Ivin

1 Mary J M Littler

2 Andrew Giles

3 Nigel R D Orchard

4 Alwyn R Lewis

5 Robin R Churchill

6 Fr John M Hughes

7 Richard H Burton

8 Tudor P Edwards (C)

25th together: 3, 6

2661

**Llangybi**, Monmouthshire, St Cybi

Sat, 07 December 1985 in 3h (12–0–25 in F♯)

**5152 Spliced Surprise Major (10m)**

672 Rutland. Yorkshire, Uxbridge. 448 Ashtead, Bristol, Cambridge, Lincolnshire, London, Pudsey, Superlative: 160 changes of method, all the work

T G Pett

1 Austin T Wingate

2 Fr John M Hughes

3 Andrew M Bull

4 Peter S Bennett (C)

5 William E Thompsett

6 Richard H Burton

7 Robin R Churchill

8 Nigel R D Orchard

2662

**Llandaff**, Cardiff, Cathedral Church of St Peter and St Paul

Sat, 28 December 1985 in 3h 8 (20–1–0 in E)

**5040 Pudsey Surprise Royal**

Anon (Wratten No 146)

1 Trevor T Lewis

2 David C Brookes

3 Judith A Baldwin

4 Frederick B Jackson

5 Fr John M Hughes

6 Nicholas W H Simon

7 William E Thompsett

8 David J Llewellyn

9 Robin R Churchill (C)

10 Peter S Bennett

2663

**Llantwit Major**, Vale of Glamorgan, St Illtyd

Mon, 30 December 1985 in 2h 48 (11–3–17 in F♯)

**5040 Doubles (2m)**

21 extents Grandsire; 21 Plain Bob

1 Robert B Wheeler

2 D J Lewis (C)

3 W James Goodfellow (C)

4 W Geoffrey Morgan (C)

5 Andrew J T Jones

6 Christopher J Wheeler

Jointly conducted by 2, 3, 4. First peal, first attempt: 1, 5, 6.

2664

**Cardiff**, Cardiff, St John the Baptist

Thu, 09 January 1986 in 3h 8 (25–0–23 in D)

**5040 Cambridge Surprise Royal**

P Border

1 Catherine A Kemp

2 Robert C Woodward

3 Fr John M Hughes

4 Philip J Evans

5 Lynda A Phillips

6 Robin R Churchill

7 Richard H Burton

8 Barry J Hayman

9 Nigel R D Orchard

10 Peter S Bennett (C)

First on 10 - 1. First Royal - 5.

2665

**Newport**, Newport, Cathedral Church of St Woolos

Sat, 11 January 1986 in 3h 16 (21–2–20 in D)

**5042 Yorkshire Surprise Maximus**

R W Pipe

1 W James Goodfellow

2 Christopher W Kipling

3 Frederick B Jackson

4 William E Thompsett

5 Judith A Baldwin

6 Robin R Churchill (C)

7 Fr John M Hughes

8 Andrew M Bull

9 Trevor T Lewis

10 Richard H Burton

11 Nigel R D Orchard

12 Peter S Bennett

First on 12 - 1, 5, 8. First Maximus and 150th peal - 7.

2666

**Caerphilly**, Caerphilly, St Martin

Sat, 18 January 1986 in 2h 50 (13–0–1 in F)

**5184 Spliced Surprise Major (8m)**

768 each Rutland, Lincolnshire, Yorkshire, Pudsey; 576 Bristol, Cambridge, Superlative; 384 London; 143 changes of method

M C W Sherwood

1 James R D Normington

2 William E Thompsett

3 John C Baldwin

4 Judith A Baldwin

5 Alwyn R Lewis

6 Fr John M Hughes

7 Simon A B Wigg

8 Richard H Burton (C)

First 8-Spliced - 4.

2667

**Cadoxton juxta Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catwg

Fri, 24 January 1986 in 2h 40 (7–2–2 in B)

**5040 Minor (4m)**

1 extent each Beverley, Cambridge S; 3 Plain Bob, 2 Kent TB

1 D Geoffrey Kerley

2 Linda Davis

3 Alwyn R Lewis

4 Alison J Leaker

5 Michael R Thomas

6 Andrew C John (C)

50th peal - 6. For the Feast of St Catwg.

2668

**Caldicot**, Monmouthshire, St Mary

Sat, 25 January 1986 in 2h 57 (12–3–10 in F)

**5152 Spliced Surprise Major (13m)**

448 each Bristol, Cambridge, Cassiobury, Lincolnshire, Lindum, London. Pudsey, Rutland, Uxbridge, Yorkshire; 224 each Ashtead, Cornwall, Superlative; 139 changes of method, all the work.

N Smith

1 Austin T Wingate

2 William E Thompsett

3 Christopher W Kipling

4 Andrew M Bull

5 Fr John M Hughes

6 Peter S Bennett (C)

7 Richard H Burton

8 Robin R Churchill

2669

**Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Thomas

Wed, 05 February 1986 in 2h 35 (8–0–2 in A)

**5040 Minor (7m)**

1 extent each Surfleet, Beverley, Kent TB, Oxford TB, Plain Bob, St Clements, Cambridge

1 Andrew C John

2 Linda Davis

3 Alison J Leaker

4 Michael R Thomas

5 D Geoffrey Kerley

6 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

In memory of Peter Lawrence, a regular visitor to this area.

2670

**Blaenavon**, Torfaen, St Peter

Thu, 06 February 1986 in 2h 47 (9–1–0 in A♭)

**5184 January Surprise Major**

P J Flavell

1 Lynda A Phillips

2 Barry J Hayman

3 Adrian Fawcett

4 Fr John M Hughes

5 Nigel R D Orchard

6 Kelvin S Clayton

7 Peter S Bennett (C)

8 Tudor P Edwards

First in the method by all and for the Association.

2671

**Cowbridge**, Vale of Glamorgan, Holy Cross

Sat, 08 February 1986 in 2h 58 (15–3–13 in E)

**5040 Grandsire Triples**

Parker's Twelve-Part

1 Michael W Lewis

2 W Geoffrey Morgan

3 D J Lewis

4 Linda Davis

5 D Geoffrey Kerley

6 Andrew C John

7 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

8 W J Lewis Groom

First peal - 1 aged 14.  
  
First inside - 3. 4 - 25th for the Association .

2672

**Aberdare**, Rhondda Cynon Taf, St Elvan

Fri, 21 February 1986 in 3h 10 (16–0–25 in E)

**5152 Spliced Surprise Major (15m)**

448 each Ashtead, Bristol, Cambridge, Ipswich, Lincolnshire, Rutland, Uxbridge, Yorkshire; 224 each Cassiobury, Cornwall. Cray, Lindum, London, Pudsey. Superlative; 146 changes of method, all the work

N Smith

1 Austin T Wingate

2 Tudor P Edwards

3 William E Thompsett

4 Fr John M Hughes

5 Christopher W Kipling

6 Peter S Bennett (C)

7 Robin R Churchill

8 Richard H Burton

150th tower-bell peal - 4. With best wishes to Catherine Kemp and Barry Hayman on their engagement.

2673

**Marshfield**, Newport, St Mary the Virgin

Thu, 06 March 1986 in 2h 44 (10½ in A♭)

**5184 Rutland Surprise Major**

C Forster

1 Peter S Bennett (C)

2 Catherine A Kemp

3 Lynda A Phillips

4 William E Thompsett

5 Adrian Fawcett

6 Kelvin S Clayton

7 Barry J Hayman

8 Nigel R D Orchard

First Rutland - 2, 3, 5, 6. Specially arranged as a compliment to Catherine Kemp and Barry Hayman on their engagement.

2674

**Whitchurch**, Cardiff, St Mary

Fri, 07 March 1986 in 2h 52 (12–2–24 in F)

**5152 Spliced Surprise Major (19m)**

448 Cambridge, Cassiobury, Lincolnshire, Rutland; 224 Ashtead, Bristol, Cornwall, Cray, Double Dublin, Glasgow, Ipswich, Lindum. London, Pudsey, Superlative, Uxbridge. Wembley, Whalley, Yorkshire; 153 changes of method, all the work

N Smith

1 F Clare Mason

2 Tudor P Edwards

3 William E Thompsett

4 Fr John M Hughes

5 Christopher W Kipling

6 Peter S Bennett (C)

7 Robin R Churchill

8 Richard H Burton

2675

**Usk**, Monmouthshire, St Mary

Thu, 13 March 1986 in 2h 44 (14–1–7 in F♯)

**5040 Grandsire Triples**

Parker's Twelve-Part (7th obs)

1 Jackie Cooper (13)

2 Jacqueline S King

3 Kenneth Phillips

4 Austin T Wingate

5 Donald G Clift (C)

6 David J Hughes

7 Ian M Holland

8 Andrew J Phillips

First peal: 1. Circled tower: 8. The 99th peal on the bells Birthday compliment to 3 Farewell compliment to Ian Holland and family, leaving Usk to reside at Ely, Cambridge, the Usk ringers wishing them every success in their new surroundings.

2676

**Bedwellty**, Caerphilly, St Sannan

Sat, 22 March 1986 in 2h 47 (14–0–14 in F♯)

**5024 Bristol Surprise Major**

A N Tyler

1 Tudor P Edwards

2 Andrew Giles

3 Mary J M Littler

4 James R D Normington

5 G Nigel Williams

6 Alwyn R Lewis

7 Robin R Churchill

8 Richard H Burton (C)

First Bristol: 3 and 4.

2677

**Cadoxton juxta Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catwg

Sat, 29 March 1986 in 2h 26 (7–2–2 in B)

**5040 Minor (3m)**

3 extents Plain Bob, 2 each Kent TB, Cambridge

1 Susan Thomas

2 Benjamin J Williams

3 Ellis N Thomas

4 Andrew C John

5 D Geoffrey Kerley

6 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

2678

**Llandaff**, Cardiff, Cathedral Church of St Peter and St Paul

Mon, 31 March 1986 in 3h 7 (20–1–0 in E)

**5040 Yorkshire Surprise Royal**

A J Cox

1 Judith A Baldwin

2 Robin R Churchill (C)

3 Joy E Kipling

4 Fr John M Hughes

5 W James Goodfellow

6 Frederick B Jackson

7 Nevil A James

8 Anthony E Davies

9 David J Llewellyn

10 Christopher W Kipling

150th peal on the bells.

2679

**Usk**, Monmouthshire, St Mary

Thu, 24 April 1986 in 2h 49 (14–1–7 in F♯)

**5040 Grandsire Triples**

Parker's Twelve-Part (7th obs)

1 Jackie Cooper

2 Lionel Jones

3 Jacqueline S King

4 Donald G Clift (C)

5 Philip M Saunders

6 Andrew J Phillips

7 David J Hughes

8 Kenneth Phillips

In honour of H.M. the Queen's 60th birthday. The 100th peal on the bells, and rung on the 60th anniversary of the first (April 24th, 1926) conducted by the late A J Pitman, and which marked the birth of a daughter to their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of York. The ringers of 2 and 4 have now been ringing for 60 years.

2680

**Sully**, Vale of Glamorgan, St John the Baptist

Sat, 26 April 1986 in 2h 37 (6–0–2 in B♭)

**5040 Cambridge Surprise Minor**

R Bailey

1 W James Goodfellow

2 Rev John C Baldwin

3 Judith A Baldwin

4 Margaret S Churchill

5 Dennis A Perry

6 Robin R Churchill (C)

First peal - 5.

2681

**Cadoxton juxta Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catwg

Wed, 30 April 1986 in 2h 29 (7–2–2 in B)

**5040 Doubles (25m/v)**

1 extent each St Remigius, Church Greasley, Horsley, Winchendon, St Miles, St John , St Nicholas, St Giles, Lapley, St Osmund, St Ambrose, St Ninian, St Martin, St Alban, St Paul, St Leonard, St Simon, Eynsham , Southrepps, Clifford's Pleasure, Kennington, April Day; 10 Grandsire; 5 each Plain Bob, Rev Canterbury

1 Andrew M Muir

2 Alwyn R Lewis

3 Linda Davis

4 David Bounds (C)

5 Andrew C John

6 Michael R Thomas

First peal - 1. 50th together - 2, 4.

2682

**Llandaff**, Cardiff, Cathedral Church of St Peter and St Paul

Sat, 10 May 1986 in 3h 8 (20–1–0 in E)

**5040 London No 3 Surprise Royal**

C K Lewis

1 Rev John C Baldwin

2 Jennifer A Orchard

3 David C Brookes

4 Judith A Baldwin

5 Fr John M Hughes

6 Richard H Burton

7 Trevor T Lewis

8 Marcus A G Williams

9 Robin R Churchill (C)

10 Nigel R D Orchard

2683

**Cadoxton juxta Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catwg

Tue, 13 May 1986 in 2h 33 (7–2–2 in B)

**5040 Cambridge Surprise Minor**

R Bailey

1 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

2 D Geoffrey Kerley

3 Linda Davis

4 Alison J Leaker

5 Andrew C John

6 David Bounds

50th peal - 2.

2684

**Newport**, Newport, Cathedral Church of St Woolos

Sat, 24 May 1986 in 3h 5 (21–2–20 in D)

**5007 Stedman Caters**

A S Hudson

1 Catherine A Kemp

2 William E Thompsett

3 Adrian Fawcett

4 Gareth Dancer

5 Lynda A Phillips

6 Paul C Phillips

7 Peter S Bennett (C)

8 Barry J Hayman

9 Nigel R D Orchard

10 Kelvin S Clayton

First Stedman Caters: 1,3. First on ten: 6. Especially arranged as a wedding compliment to Catherine Kemp and Barry Hayman, to be married at Byfield, Northamptonshire, on 31st May.

2685

**Cadoxton juxta Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catwg

Fri, 06 June 1986 in 2h 33 (7–2–2 in B)

**5040 Surprise Minor (7m)**

1 extent each London, Cambridge, Wells, Beverley, York, Surfleet, Durham

1 Michael R Thomas

2 Andrew C John

3 Alwyn R Lewis

4 Adrian Fawcett

5 Fr John M Hughes

6 Peter S Bennett (C)

2686

**Cardiff**, Cardiff, St John the Baptist

Thu, 12 June 1986 in 3h 4 (25–0–23 in D)

**5039 Grandsire Caters**

A M Tyler

1 Richard H Burton (C)

2 James R D Normington

3 Mary J M Littler

4 Niall T Roberts

5 Judith A Baldwin

6 Gaynor E Winter

7 F Clare Mason

8 Tudor P Edwards

9 Simon A B Wigg

10 Fr John M Hughes

First on ten and of Grandsire: 2, 3, 4. First Grandsire caters - 6, 7.

2687

**Llanfeugan**, Powys, St Meugan

Sat, 14 June 1986 in 2h 53 (12–0–19 in G)

**5024 Bristol Surprise Major**

S J Ivin

1 Richard J Clements

2 Tudor P Edwards (C)

3 Michael G Clements

4 Jill Hansford

5 Fr John M Hughes

6 William E Thompsett

7 Neil Bennett

8 Richard H Burton

2688

**Aberavon**, Neath Port Talbot, St Mary

Thu, 19 June 1986 in 3h 5 (16–1–2 in F♯)

**5152 Spliced Surprise Major (23m)**

224 each Ashtead, Bristol, Cambridge, Cassiobury, Cornwall, Cray, Double Dublin, Glasgow , Ipswich, Jersey , Lincolnshire, Lindum, London, Preston, Pudsey, Rutland, Superlative, Tavistock, Uxbridge, Watford, Wembley, Whalley, Yorkshire; 160 changes of method, all the work

N Smith

1 F Clare Mason

2 Tudor P Edwards

3 Fr John M Hughes

4 William E Thompsett

5 Christopher W Kipling

6 Peter S Bennett (C)

7 Robin R Churchill

8 Richard H Burton

First peal of 23 methods all-the-work rung by resident members of the Association. With best wishes to Richard Burton, who is leaving Cardiff.

2689

**Llanfeugan**, Powys, St Meugan

Fri, 20 June 1986 in 2h 51 (12–0–19 in G)

**5056 Yorkshire Surprise Major**

M S Bruce

1 William E Thompsett

2 James R D Normington

3 Niall T Roberts

4 Mary J M Littler

5 F Clare Mason

6 G Nigel Williams

7 Richard H Burton (C)

8 Marcus A G Williams

2690

**Eardisland**, Herefordshire, St Mary the Virgin

Wed, 25 June 1986 in 2h 51 (12–2–26 in G)

**5056 Pudsey Surprise Major**

A J Cox

1 Leslie Evans

2 James R D Normington

3 Niall T Roberts

4 William E Thompsett

5 Mary J M Littler

6 Gaynor E Winter

7 F Clare Mason

8 Richard H Burton (C)

First Pudsey - 2, 3, 5, 6, 7.

2691

**Ebbw Vale**, Blaenau Gwent, Christ Church

Sat, 28 June 1986 in 3h 4 (24–3–25 in D)

**5040 Grandsire Triples**

Parker's 12 part (7th obs)

1 Donald G Clift (C)

2 Lionel Jones

3 Jacqueline S King

4 Ralph E Bucknell

5 Kenneth Phillips

6 Andrew J Phillips

7 Phillip W Weeks

8 William E Thompsett

Circled tower-8. 100th as cond. A tribute of respect to the memory of Wilfred Williams.1905 -1986. Forty years ago he called the first peal of Major on these bells,the treble ringer taking part in that peal. Also 58 years ago,he called the first peal of triples for the ringers of 1 and 2 using the same composition.

2692

**Pontypridd**, Rhondda Cynon Taf, St Catherine

Fri, 11 July 1986 in 2h 50 (12–2–21 in F♯)

**5088 Pudsey Surprise Major**

R J Parker

1 Andrea S Wallace

2 Philip J Evans

3 Fr John M Hughes

4 Helen Hampson

5 Stuart A Aitken

6 Robin R Churchill (C)

7 Stephen Avery

8 Andrew Giles

First peal: 1. First Surprise: 7. First Surprise inside: 4. First in method: 2, 5. Wedding compliment to Stephen and Fae Avery; also congratulations for success in exams to 1 and 4.

2693

**Llanfeugan**, Powys, St Meugan

Sat, 19 July 1986 in 2h 55 (12–0–19 in G)

**5184 Superlative Surprise Major**

A J Cox

1 Timothy M Payne

2 Mary J M Littler

3 Christopher Ridley

4 Niall T Roberts

5 Marcus A G Williams

6 Fr John M Hughes

7 Richard H Burton (C)

8 Malcolm Murphy

2694

**Llanfeugan**, Powys, St Meugan

Sat, 19 July 1986 in 2h 52 (12–0–19 in G)

**5056 Spliced Surprise Major (8m)**

768 London, Rutland, 640 Bristol, 576 each Cambridge, Yorkshire, Pudsey, Lincolnshire, Superlative

N Smith

1 Niall T Roberts

2 Mary J M Littler

3 Christopher Ridley

4 Fr John M Hughes

5 Malcolm Murphy

6 Tudor P Edwards

7 Timothy M Payne

8 Richard H Burton (C)

First Spliced - 2.

2695

**Llangynwyd**, Bridgend, St Cynwyd

Mon, 21 July 1986 in 2h 42 (8-0-16 in A)

**5040 Doubles (5m)**

St Martin, St Simon, Reverse Canterbury, Plain Bob, Grandsire.

1 Cyril Phillips

2 Richard W Johns

3 Andrew C John

4 W Geoffrey Morgan

5 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

6 D R Lynn Jones

To welcome Revd E Bernard Thomas as Vicar and Revd Roger Jones as Curate in this parish.  
  
Circled the tower twice: 6.

2696

**Usk**, Monmouthshire, St Mary

Wed, 23 July 1986 in 2h 54 (14–1–7 in F♯)

**5040 Grandsire Triples**

Parker's Twelve-Part (2nd obs)

1 Jackie Cooper

2 David J Hughes (C)

3 Lionel Jones

4 Kenneth Phillips

5 Jacqueline S King

6 Donald G Clift

7 Andrew J Phillips

8 Peter Minchin

Circled tower - 4.

2697

**Cadoxton juxta Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catwg

Fri, 25 July 1986 in 2h 29 (7–2–2 in B)

**5040 Cambridge Surprise Minor**

7 extents

1 D R Lynn Jones

2 Benjamin J Williams

3 Linda Davis

4 D Geoffrey Kerley

5 Andrew C John

6 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

For the marriage of HRH Prince Andrew to Miss Sarah Ferguson at Westminster Abbey on 23 July 1986.

2698

**Monmouth**, Monmouthshire, St Mary the Virgin

Sun, 27 July 1986 in 2h 59 (16–3–1 in E♭)

**5040 Grandsire Triples**

Holt's Ten-Part (2nd obs)

1 Jaqueline S King

2 Carol L Jamieson

3 Sheila E M Parry

4 Roger Shea

5 George T Cousins

6 Philip J Evans

7 Peter S Bennett (C)

8 Andrew Giles

Rung for the Royal wedding of HRH Prince Andrew and Sarah Ferguson.  
  
Also to mark the centenary (on 1st July) of the first peal on the bells, which was the same composition, also rung in 2h 59m. First peal on the bells since rehanging.

2699

**Llandaff**, Cardiff, Cathedral Church of St Peter and St Paul

Sat, 09 August 1986 in 3h 8 (20–1–0 in E)

**5040 Lincolnshire Surprise Royal**

R W Pipe

1 Donald G Clift

2 Ruth Simon

3 Judith A Baldwin

4 Andrew Giles

5 Fr John M Hughes

6 Neil J Sheard

7 Nicholas W H Simon (C)

8 Tudor P Edwards

9 David J Llewellyn

10 Christopher W Kipling

First Lincolnshire S Royal: 3, 4, 5.

2700

**Abergavenny**, Monmouthshire, St Mary

Sat, 16 August 1986 in 3h 20 (25–0–18 in D)

**5075 Stedman Caters**

R E J Dennis

1 Donald G Clift

2 Ruth Simon

3 Arthur C Berry

4 John E Chilcott

5 Nicholas W H Simon (C)

6 Philip M Saunders

7 Christopher M Povey

8 Gerald C Hemming

9 Tudor P Edwards

10 David J Llewellyn

75th birthday compliment to Donald G Clift from some of his many friends.

2701

**Cadoxton juxta Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catwg

Fri, 22 August 1986 in 2h 32 (7–2–2 in B)

**5040 Doubles and Minor (2m)**

4 extents PB Minor, 3 720s Grandsire Doubles, called alternately

1 Andrew M Muir

2 Benjamin J Williams

3 Alison J Leaker

4 Linda Davis

5 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

6 Andrew C John

100th peal on the bells for the Association, also Birthday compliment to Tom Scott.

2702

**Aberdare**, Rhondda Cynon Taf, St Elvan

Sat, 20 September 1986 in 3h 12 (16–0–25 in E)

**5152 Yorkshire Surprise Major**

J S Warboys

1 Michael R Thomas

2 Catherine A Hayman

3 D Geoffrey Kerley

4 Andrew C John

5 Fr John M Hughes

6 Philip J Evans

7 Tudor P Edwards (C)

8 Alwyn R Lewis

50th peal for the Association - 3, 4.

2703

**Ebbw Vale**, Blaenau Gwent, Christ Church

Sat, 27 September 1986 in 3h 27 (24–3–25 in D)

**5024 Bristol Surprise Major**

S J Ivin

1 Andrew J Hartley

2 Eric Sutton

3 Fr John M Hughes

4 Brynley A Shackleton

5 John A G Clements

6 Philip W Weeks

7 Alan E Hartley

8 Richard J Clements (C)

Wedding compliment to Glyn Ackerman and Janet Owen, married this day at St Cadoc's, Caerleon, Gwent.

2704

**Cadoxton juxta Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catwg

Fri, 03 October 1986 in 2h 31 (7–2–2 in B)

**5040 London Surprise Minor**

2 different 2160s and 1 extent

1 Robin R Churchill (C)

2 Nigel P Doyle

3 Andrew C John

4 Alwyn R Lewis

5 Fr John M Hughes

6 Rev David C Brookes

500th peal - 1. First London Minor by all except the conductor.

2705

**Chepstow**, Monmouthshire, St Mary

Sat, 25 October 1986 in 3h 6 (16–1–24 in E♭)

**5040 Grandsire Triples**

Parker's Twelve-Part

1 Jack A Long

2 Jacqueline S King

3 Sheila E M Parry

4 Kenneth Phillips

5 Donald G Clift

6 David J Hughes (C)

7 Andrew J Phillips

8 Jack Hoskins

By his friends in the Monmouth Branch as a tribute of respect to the memory of Austin Wingate of Hereford.

2706

**Caerphilly**, Caerphilly, St Martin

Sat, 15 November 1986 in 2h 39 (13–0–1 in F)

**5040 Plain Bob Doubles**

1 Yvonne R Davies

2 Philip J Evans

3 David J Marshall

4 Neil J Sheard

5 Peter M Jones (C)

6 G Andrew Hurd

First peal: 1. First as conductor. By a local band for the 75th anniversary year of the installation and dedication of the bells.

2707

**Blaenavon**, Torfaen, St Peter

Sat, 29 November 1986 in 2h 35 (9–1–0 in A♭)

**5040 Stedman Triples**

Dexter's 8-part variation of Thurstans

1 Fr John M Hughes

2 Margaret A Swain

3 Christopher P Wilton

4 Brynley A Shackleton

5 William E Thompsett

6 Philip W Weeks

7 Eric Sutton (C)

8 Noel H Anderson

First Triples in method - 3, 8. Thanksgiving peal for the life of Austin T Wingate by some of his fellow-ringers.

2708

**Cadoxton juxta Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catwg

Sat, 29 November 1986 in 2h 38 (7–2–2 in B)

**5040 Plain Bob Minor**

7 different extents

1 Andrew C John

2 Linda Davis

3 Andrew M Muir

4 D R Lynn Jones

5 D Geoffrey Kerley

6 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

First inside - 3.

2709

**Penhow**, Newport, St John the Baptist

Sat, 06 December 1986 in 2h 30 (5–2–16 in B♭)

**5040 Minor (2m)**

4 extents Kent TB; 3 Plain Bob; 5 callings

1 Donald G Clift (C)

2 Jacqueline S King

3 David Taylor

4 Jack A Long

5 Kenneth Phillips

6 Andrew J Phillips

First in two methods - 3, 5, 6.

2710

**Abergavenny**, Monmouthshire, St Mary

Sat, 13 December 1986 in 3h 20 (25–0–18 in D)

**5039 Grandsire Caters**

A M Tyler

1 Sheila E M Parry

2 Lynda A Phillips

3 Helen Dancer

4 W James Goodfellow

5 Rowland H Gwillim

6 Adrian Fawcett

7 Barry J Hayman

8 Peter S Bennett (C)

9 Nigel R D Orchard

10 Fr John M Hughes

First Grandsire Caters - 2. First inside and first on ten - 5. An Association Masters' peal.

2711

**Usk**, Monmouthshire, St Mary

Sat, 13 December 1986 in 3h 1 (14–1–7 in F♯)

**5040 Grandsire Triples**

Holt's Original

1 Donald G Clift (C)

2 Lionel Jones

3 Judith M Corby

4 John S Mason

5 John W Smith

6 Don C Exell

7 D Paul Smith

8 Ralph G Edwards

Specially arranged as a 71st birthday compliment to 5. Also for the Golden Wedding of Mr and Mrs Len Bowen, cousin of 2, and great friends of the Usk band of ringers. Also to celebrate Victorian Day in Usk.

2712

**Llandaff**, Cardiff, Cathedral Church of St Peter and St Paul

Sat, 27 December 1986 in 3h 7 (20–1–0 in E)

**5007 Stedman Caters**

J W Belshaw

1 David J Llewellyn

2 Ruth Simon

3 Juliet Lawrence

4 Robin R Churchill

5 Thomas Lawrence

6 Nicholas W H Simon (C)

7 Nevil A James

8 Nigel R D Orchard

9 Christopher W Kipling

10 Fr John M Hughes

Circled tower three times - 1. Circled tower - 4. Annual Christmas Peal.

2713

**Chepstow**, Monmouthshire, St Mary

Thu, 01 January 1987 in 3h 5 (16–1–24 in E♭)

**5021 Grandsire Caters**

A M Tyler

1 Donald G Clift

2 Ruth Simon

3 Jacqueline S King

4 Tudor P Edwards

5 Kenneth Phillips

6 Andrew J Phillips

7 Nicholas W H Simon (C)

8 Philip M Saunders

9 Peter S Bennett

10 Gareth Dancer

First on 10: 5, 6.

2714

**Penhow**, Newport, St John the Baptist

Fri, 23 January 1987 in 2h 33 (5–2–16 in B♭)

**5040 Spliced Surprise Minor (14m)**

(1) Lightfoot, Wearmouth; (2) Rossendale, Stamford; (3) Berwick, Hexham; (4) London, Wells; (5) Cambridge, Ipswich; (6) York, Durham; (7) Beverley, Surfleet)

1 Fr John M Hughes

2 Andrew C John

3 Adrian Fawcett

4 Nigel P Doyle

5 Alwyn R Lewis

6 Peter S Bennett (C)

In memory of Bernard Middleton of Whitchurch, who died suddenly whilst ringing at Llandaff on 18th January.

2715

**Aberavon**, Neath Port Talbot, St Mary

Fri, 13 February 1987 in 3h 6 (16–1–2 in F♯)

**5120 Spliced Surprise Major (8m)**

768 Rutland, Lincolnshire, Yorkshire, Pudsey; 576 Cambridge, Superlative; 512 Bristol; 384 London; 142 changes of method

M C W Sherwood

1 Michael R Thomas

2 Juliet R Lawrance

3 Andrew C John

4 Fr John M Hughes

5 Adrian Fawcett

6 Robin R Churchill (C)

7 Alwyn R Lewis

8 Peter S Bennett

First Spliced S Major - 3, 5.

2716

**Newport**, Newport, Cathedral Church of St Woolos

Sat, 14 February 1987 in 3h 13 (21–2–20 in D)

**5039 Grandsire Caters**

A M Tyler

1 Helen Dancer

2 Peter S Bennett (C)

3 Catherine A Hayman

4 Adrian Fawcett

5 Nicholas W Jones

6 Michael R Thomas

7 Kenneth Phillips

8 David J Hughes

9 Barry J Hayman

10 Andrew J Phillips

First peal - 5. 21st birthday compliment to Gareth Dancer.

2717

**Cadoxton juxta Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catwg

Mon, 23 February 1987 in 2h 37 (7–2–2 in B)

**5040 Doubles (14m/v)**

2 Stedman; 4 each Winchendon, St Nicholas, St Martin, St Simon; 6 each Rev Canterbury, Plain Bob, Grandsire; 1 each St John, Lapley, St Leonard, Eynsham, Clifford's Pleasure, April Day

1 D R Lynn Jones

2 Linda Davis

3 Alison J Leaker

4 Andrew C John

5 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

6 David Culpan

Half-muffled after the funeral of W J Thomas, aged 81, being a regular ringer at this church since 1919 (sadly missed in the tower)

2718

**Grosmont**, Monmouthshire, St Nicholas

Wed, 11 March 1987 in 2h 30 (7–2–23 in A♭)

**5040 Doubles (6m)**

20 extents Grandsire; 14 Plain Bob; 2 each Southrepps, St Simon's, Kennington, Rev Canterbury

1 W Rowland Watkins

2 Sheila E M Parry

3 Dianne B Smith

4 Roland Gwillim

5 Stephen Avery (C)

6 Philip J Watkins

First as conductor. Silver Wedding compliment to Martyn and Helena Jackson, members of this tower.

2719

**Llantarnam**, Torfaen, St Michael and All Angels

Wed, 11 March 1987 in 2h 23 (4–2–14 in D)

**5040 Spliced Surprise Minor (21m)**

(1) Chester, Munden;(2) Lightfoot, Wearmouth, Netherseale; (3) Rossendale, Stamford, Annable's London; (4) London, Wells, Cunecastre; (5) Beverley, Surfleet, Berwick, Hexham, York, Durham; (6) Primrose, Norfolk; (7) Cambridge, Ipswich

1 Helen Dancer

2 Andrew C John

3 Adrian Fawcett

4 Robin R Churchill

5 Alwyn R Lewis

6 Peter S Bennett (C)

700th peal - 6. Birthday compliment to Barry Hayman of St Woolos.

2720

**Aberavon**, Neath Port Talbot, St Mary

Sat, 21 March 1987 in 2h 57 (16–1–2 in F♯)

**5056 Plain Bob Major**

J R Pritchard

1 Andrew M Muir

2 Michael R Thomas

3 Linda Davis

4 D Geoffrey Kerley

5 Alwyn R Lewis

6 Philip J Evans

7 Fr John M Hughes

8 Andrew C John (C)

First on 8:1. First on 8 as conductor. 40th wedding anniversary compliment to John and Nancy Thomas of Aberavon.

2721

**Llanarth**, Monmouthshire, St Teilo

Sat, 21 March 1987 in 3h 8 (12–2–4)

**5120 Cambridge Surprise Major**

F Dench

1 Mandy J Gibbs

2 Sheila E M Parry

3 Helen Dancer

4 Dianne B Smith

5 Barry J Hayman

6 Peter S Bennett

7 Robin R Churchill

8 John E Harrold (C)

First Major on the bells.

2722

**Newport**, Newport, Cathedral Church of St Woolos

Sat, 28 March 1987 in 3h 14 (21–2–20 in D)

**5055 Stedman Caters**

R Dennis

1 William E Thompsett

2 Robin R Churchill

3 Catherine A Hayman

4 Helen Dancer

5 Philip J Evans

6 Peter S Bennett (C)

7 Barry J Hayman

8 Christopher W Kipling

9 David J Llewellyn

10 Nigel R D Orchard

A thanksgiving for the life and ministry of Bishop Derrick Childs, former Bishop of Monmouth and Archbishop of Wales, who died on 18th March, 1987.

2723

**Pontypridd**, Rhondda Cynon Taf, St Catherine

Sat, 28 March 1987 in 2h 53 (12–2–21 in F♯)

**5184 Pudsey Surprise Major**

E A Barnett

1 Malcolm T Johns

2 Brynley A Shackleton

3 Eric Sutton

4 Alan E Hartley

5 Andrew J Hartley

6 Fr John M Hughes

7 Christopher P Wilton (C)

8 Philip W Weeks

40th birthday compliment to Mrs D Thomas, local ringer and wife of the incumbent.

2724

**Nash**, Newport, St Mary

Fri, 03 April 1987 in 2h 38 (7–3–18 in B♭)

**5040 Spliced Surprise Minor (27m)**

27m: (1) Chester, Munden, (2) Alnwick, Newcastle; (3) Cambridge, Primrose, Ipswich, Norfolk, Bourne, Hull, King Edward, Queen Mary; (4) London, Wells, Cunecastre; (5) Lightfoot, Wearmouth, Netherseale; (6) Rossendale, Stamford, Annable's London; (7) Beverley, Berwick, Surfleet, Hexham, York, Durham)

1 Catherine A Hayman

2 Andrew C John

3 Adrian Fawcett

4 Robin R Churchill

5 Alwyn R Lewis

6 Peter S Bennett (C)

20th wedding anniversary compliment to Marion and Peter Bennett.

2725

**Chepstow**, Monmouthshire, St Mary

Sat, 04 April 1987 in 3h 20 (16–1–24 in E♭)

**5040 Cambridge Surprise Royal**

C K Lewis

1 William E Thompsett

2 Barbara Wylde

3 Karina A Lenton

4 Marc Hart

5 Andrew J Hartley

6 Allan G Keen

7 Eric Sutton (C)

8 Brian J Wylde

9 Christopher P Wilton

10 Philip W Weeks

First Cambridge Royal - 2, 3. First in method as conductor and 50th peal as conductor.

2726

**Cadoxton juxta Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catwg

Sun, 19 April 1987 in 2h 34 (7–2–2 in B)

**5040 Cambridge Surprise Minor**

1 Andrew M Muir

2 Linda Davis

3 D Geoffrey Kerley

4 Richard W Johns

5 Alwyn R Lewis

6 Andrew C John (C)

First Surprise 1.  
  
First Surprise as conductor.  
  
For Easter

2727

**Kentchurch**, Herefordshire, St Mary

Wed, 22 April 1987 in 2h 47 (7–2–5 in B♭)

**5040 Grandsire Doubles**

42 extents

1 W Roland Watkins

2 Dianne B Smith

3 Helena Jackson

4 Stephen Avery

5 Michael V Powell (C)

6 Philip J Watkins

First inside - 3. First Grandsire Doubles - 4. Birthday compliment to 4.

2728

**Cadoxton juxta Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catwg

Wed, 27 May 1987 in 2h 31 (7–2–2 in B)

**5040 Spliced Surprise Minor (28m)**

28m: (1) Chester, Munden; (2) Alnwick, Newcastle; (3) Lightfoot, Wearmouth, Netherseale; (4) Rossendale, Stamford, Annable's London; (5) London, Wells, Dearne Valley, Cunecastre; (6) Cambridge, Primrose, Ipswich, Norfolk, Bourne, Hull, King Edward, Queen Mary; (7) Beverley, Surfleet, York. Durham, Berwick, Hexham

1 D Geoffrey Kerley

2 Andrew C John

3 Adrian Fawcett

4 Helen Dancer

5 Alwyn R Lewis

6 Peter S Bennett (C)

2729

**Llantilio Crossenny**, Monmouthshire, St Teilo

Thu, 04 June 1987 in 2h 31 (4–2–4 in D)

**5040 Doubles (3m)**

12 extents Rev Canterbury; 15 each Grandsire, Plain Bob

1 Sheila E M Parry

2 Andrea S Wallace

3 Brian Werry

4 R E Gordon Wilkinson

5 Stephen Avery (C)

6 Michael V Powell

First inside - 2. First Doubles - 3. First Wedding anniversary compliment to Stephen and Fae Avery.

2730

**Llanishen**, Cardiff, St Isan

Wed, 10 June 1987 in 2h 19 (3–3–20 in E♭)

**5040 Spliced Surprise Minor (20m)**

(1) Lightfoot, Wearmouth, Netherseale, Rossendale, Stamford. Annable's London; (2) as (1); (3) Cambridge, Primrose, Ipswich. Norfolk, Bourne, Hull, King Edward, Queen Mary; (4) as (3); (5) Beverley, Surfleet, Berwick, Hexham, York, Durham; (6) as (5); (7) Cambridge, Ipswich

1 Christine M Lucas

2 Andrew C John

3 Adrian Fawcett

4 Robin R Churchill

5 Alwyn R Lewis

6 Peter S Bennett (C)

2731

**Caerphilly**, Caerphilly, St Martin

Sat, 20 June 1987 in 2h 57 (13–0–1 in F)

**5056 Plain Bob Major**

T B Worsley

1 Anne E Price

2 Andrea S Wallace

3 Douglas G Davison

4 Dennis Perry

5 Simon J Gordon

6 Andrew Giles

7 Alwyn R Lewis

8 Philip J Evans (C)

First peal: 1, 5. First on 8 inside: 2. First for 20 years: 3. First on 8: 4. 150th peal: 6. 50th together: 6, 7. Farewell to 5 on leaving for Cadoxton. Compliment to Rev M Short (Rector) on 25 years as a priest.

2732

**Llandaff**, Cardiff, Cathedral Church of St Peter and St Paul

Sat, 20 June 1987 in 3h 12 (20–1–0 in E)

**5040 Yorkshire Surprise Royal**

J Clatworthy (No. 2c)

1 Margaret S Churchill

2 Tudor P Edwards

3 Ruth Simon

4 Christopher W Kipling

5 David J Llewellyn

6 Nicholas W H Simon (C)

7 Trevor T Lewis

8 Rev Neil J Sheard

9 Nigel R D Orchard

10 Robin R Churchill

With best wishes to those soon to be ordained in this Cathedral, particularly Rev David C Brookes, a ringer here.

2733

**Blaenavon**, Torfaen, St Peter

Wed, 24 June 1987 in 2h 41 (9–1–0 in A♭)

**5024 Bristol Surprise Major**

S J Ivin

1 Michael R Thomas

2 Alwyn R Lewis

3 Catherine A Hayman

4 Helen Dancer

5 Andrew C John

6 Barry J Hayman

7 Peter S Bennett (C)

8 Tudor P Edwards

First Bristol - 3, 5.

2734

**Cadoxton juxta Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catwg

Sun, 19 July 1987 in 2h 30 (7-2-2 in B)

**5040 Minor (7m)**

Nicholaston, Single Oxford, Double Oxford, Heatherslade, Gower, St Clements College Bob, Plain Bob.

1 Richard W Johns

2 Linda H Davies

3 Michael R Thomas

4 Andrew C John

5 D Geoffrey Kerley

6 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

2735

**Llanishen**, Cardiff, St Isan

Sat, 01 August 1987 in 2h 7 (3–3–20 in E♭)

**5040 Plain Bob Doubles**

1 Andrea S Wallace

2 Christine M Lucas

3 Helen Hampson

4 Philip J Evans

5 Andrew Giles (C)

6 Anne E Price

Fastest peal on the bells.  
  
Compliment to the Vicar, the Rev N G Jones, on completing 25 years in the priesthood. 30th Birthday compliment to Andrea Wallace.

2736

**Blaenavon**, Torfaen, St Peter

Thu, 13 August 1987 in 2h 51 (9–1–0 in A♭)

**5056 Plain Bob Major**

J R Pritchard

1 Catherine A Hayman

2 Peter S Bennett (C)

3 Helen L Thomas

4 John A Freaney

5 Kelvin S Clayton

6 William E Thompsett

7 Adrian Fawcett

8 Barry J Hayman

First Bob Major inside: 3. First on eight bells: 4. By ringers from St Woolos' Cathedral, to celebrate the wedding of Helen Thomas and David Mould, on 15th August; also to welcome Bethan Marie Phillips, born on 12th August.

2737

**Llanfeugan**, Powys, St Meugan

Sat, 15 August 1987 in 3h 4 (12–0–19 in G)

**5040 Grandsire Triples**

Parker's 12-part (7th obs)

1 Jackie Cooper

2 Donald G Clift

3 Lynda Davies

4 Alison J Leaker

5 Alwyn R Lewis

6 David J Hughes

7 Andrew J Phillips (C)

8 Kenneth Phillips

First attempt as conductor. 550th peal: 2. Arranged and rung as a compliment, and with the best wishes of the band to Alison Leaker for her forthcoming marriage (Messrs. Hughes and Clift would like to pay tribute to Andrew Phillips for the manner in which he conducted his first peal. He could not be faulted in any way, and called it like a veteran.)

2738

**Barmouth**, Gwynedd, St John

Sat, 05 September 1987 in 3h 12 (22–0–15 in E)

**5024 London Surprise Major**

R Baldwin

1 Noel H Anderson

2 Ruth M Border

3 Margaret A Swain

4 Philip M Saunders

5 Peter S Bennett

6 Tudor P Edwards

7 Philip J Rothera

8 Peter Border (C)

First peal in the method on the bells.

2739

**Welshpool**, Powys, St Mary

Sat, 05 September 1987 in 3h 2 (12–0–12 in F♯)

**5280 Rutland Surprise Major**

M Maughan

1 Ruth M Border

2 Tudor P Edwards

3 Margaret A Swain

4 Noel H Anderson

5 Philip M Saunders

6 Peter Border (C)

7 Peter S Bennett

8 Philip J Rothera

First in method - 4.

2740

**Cadoxton juxta Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catwg

Fri, 11 September 1987 in 2h 32 (7–2–2 in B)

**5040 Minor (7m)**

Beverley, Surfleet, Cambridge, Oxford TB, Kent TB, St Clements, Plain Bob

1 Andrew M Muir

2 Linda Davis

3 Michael R Thomas

4 Andrew C John

5 D Geoffrey Kerley

6 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

75th peal: 4. With the best wishes of the band and a compliment to Alison Leaker and Ian Lewis on their marriage on 12th September.

2741

**Ebbw Vale**, Blaenau Gwent, Christ Church

Sat, 19 September 1987 in 3h 21 (24–3–25 in D)

**5056 Spliced Surprise Major (8m)**

768 London, Rutland, 640 Bristol, 576 Cambridge, Lincolnshire, Superlative, Pudsey, Yorkshire; 142 changes of method

N Smith

1 I Alan Evans

2 Barbara Wylde

3 Peter S Bennett

4 Fr John M Hughes

5 Neil Bennett (C)

6 Robin R Churchill

7 David J Llewellyn

8 Brian J Wylde

First 8-Spliced: 2. Specially arranged to mark the 50th anniversary (this day) of the dedication of the bells. The band would like to associate Bill Thompsett with this peal, as he was prevented from taking part by illness, and wish to thank the Vicar and local ringers for their hospitality after the peal.

2742

**Grosmont**, Monmouthshire, St Nicholas

Mon, 28 September 1987 in 2h 28 (7–2–23 in A♭)

**5040 Surprise Minor (7m)**

1 extent each London, Wells, York, Durham, Beverley, Cambridge, Surfleet

1 Sheila E M Parry

2 William E Thompsett

3 Adrian Fawcett

4 Andrew C John

5 Peter S Bennett (C)

6 Alwyn R Lewis

A belated compliment to Sheila Parry on the completion of her year as Master of the Association.

2743

**Bristol**, Bristol, Cathedral Church of the Holy and Undivided Trinity

Sat, 10 October 1987 in 3h 2 (21–0–1 in E♭)

**5040 Stedman Triples**

Dexter's No.2 Variation

1 John E Chilcott

2 Catherine A Hayman

3 Helen Dancer

4 Adrian Fawcett

5 Barry J Hayman

6 William A M Barter

7 Peter S Bennett (C)

8 William E Thompsett

First Stedman Triples - 2, 3, 5. 75th peal - 5.

2744

**Blaenavon**, Torfaen, St Peter

Mon, 12 October 1987 in 2h 36 (9–1–0 in A♭)

**5088 Lincolnshire Surprise Major**

C P Starbuck and S Humphrey

1 William E Thompsett

2 Andrew C John

3 Catherine A Hayman

4 Adrian Fawcett

5 Nicholas W Jones

6 Peter S Bennett (C)

7 Barry J Hayman

8 Tudor P Edwards

First Lincolnshire - 2, 3, 4. First on eight and first Surprise - 5.

2745

**Llanelly**, Monmouthshire, St Elli

Wed, 28 October 1987 in 2h 45 (10 in G)

**5160 Doubles (4m)**

2 extents Stedman; 16 Grandsire, 12 Rev Canterbury Pleasure; 13 Plain Bob

1 Dianne Smith

2 Sheila E M Parry

3 Frances D Gilbert

4 Stephen Avery

5 Andrew J Watkins (C)

6 Brian Werry

In memory of George T Cousins, by some of his friends.

2746

**Bassaleg**, Newport, St Basil

Thu, 12 November 1987 in 2h 41 (7–1–26 in A♭)

**5040 Doubles (10m)**

42 extents: 4 each Plain Bob, St Simon's, St Martin's, St Osmund, Rev Canterbury Pleasure, St Nicholas, Winchendon Place, St Remigius; 8 Grandsire; 2 Stedman

1 Yvonne Fox

2 Peter S Bennett (C)

3 Nicholas W Jones

4 Barry J Hayman

5 Adrian Fawcett

6 Gareth Dancer

Half-muffled in memory of Bob Bale, ringer at this church for many years. Honorary Life Member of the Association, whose funeral took place this day.

2747

**Abergavenny**, Monmouthshire, St Mary

Sat, 14 November 1987 in 3h 14 (25–0–18 in D)

**5040 Plain Bob Royal**

H J Tucker

1 Christine M Lucas

2 Helen Dancer

3 Yvonne Fox

4 Jonathan A Hiscox

5 Andrew C John

6 Adrian Fawcett

7 Philip J Evans (C)

8 D Geoffrey Kerley

9 Alwyn R Lewis

10 Andrew Giles

Masters' Peal. First on 10: 4, 5. First on 10 inside: 3. First Royal: 8. In memory of Bob Bale (Bassaleg, Life Member) and George T Cousins (Ross-on-Wye), recently deceased.

2748

**Blaenavon**, Torfaen, St Peter

Thu, 19 November 1987 in 2h 40 (9–1–0 in A♭)

**5184 Superlative Surprise Major**

A J Cox

1 Helen Dancer

2 Adrian Fawcett

3 Nicholas W Jones

4 Peter S Bennett (C)

5 Catherine A Hayman

6 Barry J Hayman

7 William E Thompsett

8 Tudor P Edwards

First Superlative - 2, 3, 5, 6. Birthday compliment to Nicholas Jones and Marion Bennett.

2749

**Usk**, Monmouthshire, St Mary

Sat, 05 December 1987 in 2h 52 (14–1–7 in F♯)

**5040 Spliced Triples (2m)**

2520 each Oxford Bob and Grandsire, 84 changes of method.

A J Pitman

1 Jackie Cooper

2 Donald G Clift

3 Philip J Huxley

4 Philip M Saunders

5 Kenneth Phillips

6 Andrew J Phillips

7 Peter S Bennett (C)

8 Peter Minchin

25th peal: 6. First Spliced Triples for all except 4. The first time this composition has been rung in South Wales since the composer called it for the first time at Bridgend on January 27th, 1927. A get well compliment for Jacqueline King.

2750

**Blaenavon**, Torfaen, St Peter

Mon, 07 December 1987 in 2h 38 (9–1–0 in A♭)

**5024 Pudsey Surprise Major**

J S Warboys

1 Alwyn R Lewis

2 William E Thompsett

3 Andrew C John

4 Catherine A Hayman

5 Adrian Fawcett

6 Barry J Hayman

7 Peter S Bennett (C)

8 Tudor P Edwards

First Pudsey - 3, 4, 5, 6.

2751

**Newport**, Newport, Cathedral Church of St Woolos

Sat, 19 December 1987 in 3h 13 (21–2–20 in D)

**5007 Stedman Cinques**

Frank E Darby

1 Donald G Clift

2 W James Goodfellow

3 Catherine A Hayman

4 Philip Rogers

5 Gwen Rogers

6 Adrian Fawcett

7 Nevil A James

8 William E Thompsett

9 Peter S Bennett (C)

10 Barry J Hayman

11 David J Llewellyn

12 Tudor P Edwards

First Cinques: 2. First on 12: 3, 6. 350th peal for the Association: 9. Compliment to Philip Mason of the local band, who has been a regular Sunday service ringer at St Woolos for 50 years.

2752

**Llantwit Major**, Vale of Glamorgan, St Illtyd

Mon, 28 December 1987 in 2h 53 (11–3–17 in F♯)

**5040 Plain Bob Minor**

1 W James Goodfellow

2 Christopher J Wheeler

3 Peter E R Brennan

4 Andrew J T Jones

5 Robin R Churchill

6 David J Llewellyn (C)

First peal - 3. First inside - 2. First Minor - 2, 4. 75th peal - 1.

2753

**Llandaff**, Cardiff, Cathedral Church of St Peter and St Paul

Wed, 30 December 1987 in 3h 14 (20–1–0 in E)

**5040 Cambridge Surprise Royal**

R W Pipe

1 Joy E Kipling

2 Rev John C Baldwin

3 Rev David C Brookes

4 Robert C Woodward

5 Robin R Churchill (C)

6 W James Goodfellow

7 Nevil A James

8 Frederick B Jackson

9 David J Llewellyn

10 Christopher W Kipling

By members of the Llandaff Cathedral Guild as a farewell to Jenny and Nigel Orchard, staunch and valued members of this Guild for 10 years, and with best wishes for their new life in Kent.

2754

**Cowbridge**, Vale of Glamorgan, Holy Cross

Sat, 02 January 1988 in 3h 5 (15–3–13 in E)

**5040 Grandsire Triples**

J J Parker

1 W James Goodfellow

2 Andrew C John

3 D Geoffrey Kerley

4 Michael R Thomas

5 Peter G Mayle

6 Andrew Giles

7 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

8 W J Lewis Groom

First Triples inside: 5. 50th peal on the bells. A compliment to John B Russell, churchwarden, on receiving the OBE in the New Year's Honours List.

2755

**Radyr**, Cardiff, Christ Church

Sat, 02 January 1988 in 2h 54 (12–0–15 in G)

**5040 Plain Bob Minor**

1 Campbell A Smart

2 Peter E R Brennan

3 Robert B Wheeler

4 Christopher J Wheeler

5 Andrew J T Jones

6 Robin R Churchill (C)

First peal - 1. First inside and of Minor - 3.

2756

**Aberdare**, Rhondda Cynon Taf, St Elvan

Fri, 08 January 1988 in 3h 7 (16–0–25 in E)

**5040 Plain Bob Triples**

R Bailey

1 Christine Pugh

2 Michael R Thomas

3 Bryan Williams

4 D Geoffrey Kerley

5 Simon Gordon

6 Alwyn R Lewis

7 Andrew C John (C)

8 W J Lewis Groom

First peal - 1. First Triples - 5. First Triples as conductor.

2757

**Tredunnock**, Monmouthshire, St Andrew

Thu, 21 January 1988 in 2h 48 (8–3–3 in A)

**5040 Minor (4m)**

1 extent Oxford TB; 2 each Kent TB, St Clements, Plain Bob

1 Donald G Clift

2 David J Hughes

3 Andrew J Phillips

4 Kenneth Phillips

5 Tudor P Edwards

6 Peter S Bennett (C)

First in four methods: 2,3,4. To mark the 60th anniversary (21/1/28) of the first peal on these bells, the treble ringer ringing the same bell on both occasions. The peal is dedicated to the memory of John Anthony Haining, a member of a prominent Tredunnock family; also in thanksgiving for the life of the Rev. R L Lyle, the previous rector of this parish, who died recently.

2758

**Llandaff**, Cardiff, Cathedral Church of St Peter and St Paul

Sat, 23 January 1988 in 3h 11 (20–1–0 in E)

**5040 Cambridge Surprise Royal**

C K Lewis

1 Juliet Lawrance

2 William E Thompsett

3 Nicholas W Jones

4 Robin R Churchill (C)

5 Andrew C John

6 Fr John M Hughes

7 Andrew Giles

8 Alwyn R Lewis

9 Peter S Bennett

10 David J Llewellyn

First Royal: 3. First Surprise Royal: 5. Farewell compliment to Juliet Lawrance, returning from Cardiff to her native Northumberland.

2759

**Cadoxton juxta Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catwg

Sun, 24 January 1988 in 2h 30 (7–2–2 in B)

**5040 Doubles (42m/v)**

1 extent each Stedman, Grandsire, St Cecilia, Uphill, Horsley, St Remigius, Church Gresley, St Crispin, Ryton, St John , Winchendon, St Miles, St Mary, Shareshill, Capley, St Nicholas, St Giles, St David, Little Aston, Clifford's Pleasure, Reverse Canterbury, Southrepps, St Austell, St Felix, St Ninian, St Ambrose, St Osmund, St Laurence, Austrey, St Leonard, St Paul, St Martin, St Jude, Elford, Eynsham, St Alban, St Simon, Litchurch, Seighford, April Day, Kennington, Plain Bob

1 Andrew M Muir

2 Linda Davis

3 Alison J Lewis

4 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

5 Andrew C John

6 Simon J Gordon

On St Catwg's Day

2760

**Abergavenny**, Monmouthshire, St Mary

Wed, 27 January 1988 in 3h 10 (25–0–18 in D)

**5039 Grandsire Caters**

A M Tyler

1 Peter S Bennett (C)

2 Leslie Evans

3 Sheila E M Parry

4 Catherine A Hayman

5 Andrew J Watkins

6 Stephen Avery

7 Adrian Fawcett

8 Barry J Hayman

9 Martin J Whiteley

10 John F I Turney

First on ten - 6. Specially arranged and rung as a 50th Birthday compliment to Sheila Parry by some of her many friends.

2761

**Newport**, Newport, Cathedral Church of St Woolos

Sat, 06 February 1988 in 3h 20 (21–2–20 in D)

**5042 Superlative Surprise Maximus**

R W Pipe

1 Brian Bladon

2 Eric J Sutton

3 Marc Hart

4 Jenny M A Astridge

5 David W Alecock

6 Deryk R Bugler

7 Michael J Hobbs

8 Paul K Williamson

9 John R Schmidt

10 Peter S Bennett

11 D John Hunt

12 Timothy F Collins (C)

First in method for all except 1, 11, 12.

2762

**Blaenavon**, Torfaen, St Peter

Mon, 08 February 1988 in 2h 37 (9–1–0 in A♭)

**5088 Wembley Surprise Major**

J W Washbrook

1 Andrew C John

2 David J Llewellyn

3 Adrian Fawcett

4 Nicholas W Jones

5 Alwyn R Lewis

6 William E Thompsett

7 Peter S Bennett (C)

8 Tudor P Edwards

First in method: 1, 3, 4, 5, 6. 200th as conductor for the Association, being the first person to reach that total: 7. In honour of the award of the Queen's Gallantry Medal to Major Robbie Hall, son-in-law of the ringer of the 6th.

2763

**Penarth**, Vale of Glamorgan, St Augustine

Sat, 13 February 1988 in 2h 56 (12–2–9 in F♯)

**5152 Superlative Surprise Major**

A J Cox

1 Andrew Giles

2 Michael R Thomas

3 Alwyn R Lewis

4 Dennis Perry

5 Andrew C John

6 Robin R Churchill (C)

7 Fr John M Hughes

8 David J Llewellyn

First S Major: 4. Get-well compliment to Jim Goodfellow who, but for illness, would have rung in this peal.

2764

**Cadoxton juxta Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catwg

Sun, 14 February 1988 in 2h 36 (7–2–2 in B)

**5040 Surfleet Surprise Minor**

1 Simon J Gordon

2 Linda H Davies

3 Richard W Johns

4 Andrew C John

5 D Geoffrey Kerley

6 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

75th Peal for the Association 4.

2765

**Usk**, Monmouthshire, St Mary

Thu, 10 March 1988 in 2h 42 (14–1–7 in F♯)

**5040 Little Bob Major**

N J Pitstow

1 Dianne B Smith

2 Sheila E M Parry

3 David J Hughes

4 Andrew J Phillips

5 Kenneth Phillips

6 Philip M Saunders

7 Tudor P Edwards

8 Peter S Bennett (C)

First Little Bob Major: 2 ,3 ,4, 5. Specially arranged and rung to celebrate the 25th anniversary of the induction of the Vicar, Rev R L Davies, with best wishes to Don Clift who was prevented from taking part by illness. David Hughes also rang in the peal to welcome the Vicar in 1963

2766

**Radyr**, Cardiff, Christ Church

Sat, 19 March 1988 in 2h 54 (12–0–15 in G)

**5120 Spliced Surprise Major (8m)**

896 Rutland; 704 Lincolnshire, Yorkshire, 640 Cambridge, 576 London, Pudsey, Superlative, 448 Bristol. 87 changes of method, all the work

P G K Davies

1 Catherine A Hayman

2 Fr John M Hughes

3 Andrew C John

4 Barry J Hayman

5 Andrew Giles

6 Peter S Bennett

7 Robin R Churchill (C)

8 David J Llewellyn

2767

**Blaenavon**, Torfaen, St Peter

Mon, 21 March 1988 in 2h 41 (9–1–0 in A♭)

**5088 Lessness Surprise Major**

S Jenner

1 Kelvin S Clayton

2 Nicholas W Jones

3 Adrian Fawcett

4 Barry J Hayman

5 Helen Dancer

6 William E Thompsett

7 Tudor P Edwards

8 Peter S Bennett (C)

50th different S Major method to a peal - 8. First in the method by all the band.

2768

**Cowbridge**, Vale of Glamorgan, Holy Cross

Mon, 04 April 1988 in 3h 4 (15–3–13 in E)

**5024 Rutland Surprise Major**

Norman Smith

1 D Geoffrey Kerley

2 Michael R Thomas

3 Nigel P Doyle

4 Andrew C John

5 Andrew Giles

6 Adrian Fawcett

7 Fr John M Hughes

8 David J Llewellyn (C)

Golden Wedding compliment to Mr and Mrs Thomas E Hiddins of Bridgend.

2769

**Cadoxton juxta Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catwg

Sun, 17 April 1988 in 2h 34 (7–2–2 in B)

**5040 Cambridge Surprise Minor**

7 extents

1 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

2 Andrew M Muir

3 Alison J Lewis

4 Linda Davis

5 D Geoffrey Kerley

6 Andrew C John

First Surprise inside - 2.

2770

**Usk**, Monmouthshire, St Mary

Fri, 29 April 1988 in 2h 56 (14-1-7 in F#)

**5152 Heptonstall Surprise Major**

Anthony J Cox

1 Elisabeth A G Bowden

2 D John Hunt

3 John P Loveless

4 Peter J Sanderson

5 Cyril A Wratten

6 Howard W Egglestone

7 James L Towler

8 George H Campling (C)

To welcome Stephen Alexander Cox, born 29th April 1988.  
  
Rung by an East meets West band.

2771

**Llandaff**, Cardiff, Cathedral Church of St Peter and St Paul

Sat, 30 April 1988 in 3h 9 (20-1-0 in E)

**5040 London No. 3 Surprise Royal**

C Kenneth Lewis

1 Joanna M Ainsworth

2 Elisabeth A G Bowden

3 Ian G Campbell

4 Brian Bladon

5 John P Loveless

6 Cyril A Wratten

7 James L Towler

8 Peter J Sanderson

9 Howard W Egglestone

10 D John Hunt (C)

Rung by an East meets West band.

2772

**Newport**, Newport, Cathedral Church of St Woolos

Sat, 30 April 1988 in 3h 20 (21-2-20 in D)

**5184 Bristol Surprise Maximus**

Roger Baldwin

1 Cyril A Wratten

2 Joanna M Ainsworth

3 Elisabeth A G Bowden

4 Howard W Egglestone

5 Brian Bladon

6 Peter J Sanderson

7 Ian P Hill

8 D John Hunt

9 John P Loveless (C)

10 George H Campling

11 Ian G Campbell

12 James L Towler

500th peal: 6.  
  
Rung by an East meets West band.

2773

**Ebbw Vale**, Blaenau Gwent, Christ Church

Mon, 02 May 1988 in 3h 37 (24-3-25 in D)

**5280 London Surprise Major**

Roger Baldwin

1 Joanna M Ainsworth

2 Brian Bladon

3 Elisabeth A G Bowden

4 Ian G Campbell

5 Cyril A Wratten

6 Peter J Sanderson (C)

7 Peter S Bennett

8 John P Loveless

Compliment to the Vicar Rev John Rogers, on his installation as a Canon of St Woolos' Cathedral.  
  
Rung by an East meets West band.

2774

**Swansea**, Swansea, St Mary

Mon, 02 May 1988 in 3h 26 (20-2-12 in E)

**5216 Bristol Surprise Major**

Anthony J Cox

1 John P Loveless

2 Elisabeth A G Bowden

3 Joanna M Ainsworth

4 Brian Bladon

5 Cyril A Wratten

6 Ian G Campbell

7 George H Campling

8 Howard W Egglestone (C)

Rung by an East meets West band.

2775

**Chepstow**, Monmouthshire, St Mary

Thu, 26 May 1988 in 3h 11 (16–1–24 in E♭)

**5040 Cambridge Surprise Royal**

Marcus C W Sherwood

1 William E Thompsett

2 Catherine A Hayman

3 Tudor P Edwards (C)

4 Nicholas W Jones

5 Adrian Fawcett

6 Andrew C John

7 Alwyn R Lewis

8 Barry J Hayman

9 Robin R Churchill

10 David J Llewellyn

First Cambridge Royal - 2, 5. To mark the opening of the new road bridge over the Wye at Chepstow.

2776

**Llanelly**, Monmouthshire, St Elli

Thu, 16 June 1988 in 2h 32 (10 in G)

**5040 Doubles (8m/v)**

5 extents each St Nicholas, Winchendon Place, Rev Canterbury, Grandsire, St Simon's, St Martin's; 2 April Day; 10 Plain Bob

1 Andrew J Watkins

2 Frances D Gilbert

3 David C Powell

4 Brian Werry

5 Stephen Avery (C)

6 Douglas G Davison

50th for Association: 1. Most m/v: 3 . Wedding compliment to Catherine Elizabeth Ellis and Alan John Jones

2777

**Cowbridge**, Vale of Glamorgan, Holy Cross

Sat, 18 June 1988 in 3h 10 (15–3–13 in E)

**5056 London Surprise Major**

Roger Baldwin

1 Michael R Thomas

2 Andrew Giles

3 Adrian Fawcett

4 Alwyn R Lewis

5 Andrew C John

6 Peter S Bennett

7 Robin R Churchill (C)

8 Fr John M Hughes

First London Major: 3, 5.

2778

**Kingstone**, Herefordshire, St Michael and All Angels

Sat, 25 June 1988 in 2h 59 (12–0–22 in G)

**5040 Plain Bob Triples**

R Bailey

1 Anne E Price

2 Judy M Gay

3 Stuart A Aitken

4 Simon J Gordon

5 Stephen Avery

6 Andrew Giles

7 Fr John M Hughes (C)

8 Ian Hoskins

First peal: 8. By former members of the band from Llanbradach (with guest conductor) to welcome the bells to their new home.

2779

**Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Thomas

Sun, 26 June 1988 in 2h 34 (8–0–2 in A)

**5040 Minor (5m)**

1 extent each Kent TB, Oxford TB, St Clements; 2 each Cambridge, Plain Bob

1 Andrew M Muir

2 Linda Davis

3 Simon J Gordon

4 Andrew Giles

5 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

6 Andrew C John

2780

**Grosmont**, Monmouthshire, St Nicholas

Thu, 30 June 1988 in 2h 28 (7–2–23 in A♭)

**5040 Minor (6m)**

7 extents: 2 of Cambridge, 1 each Oxford TB, Kent TB, St Clements, Plain Bob, Double Oxford

1 Martyn O Jackson

2 Sheila E M Parry

3 Peter S Bennett (C)

4 Dianne B Smith

5 Adrian Fawcett

6 Barry J Hayman

First peal including TB methods: 1. To mark the 20th anniversary (this day) of the dedication of the bells after rehanging.

2781

**Aberdare**, Rhondda Cynon Taf, St Elvan

Fri, 01 July 1988 in 3h 3 (16–0–25 in E)

**5040 Grandsire Triples**

Parker's Twelve-Part

1 Andrew M Muir

2 Andrew C John

3 Malcolm T Johns

4 Michael R Thomas

5 D Geoffrey Kerley

6 Simon J Gordon

7 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

8 W J Lewis Groom

First Grandsire - 6. 25th peal on the bells.

2782

**Aberavon**, Neath Port Talbot, St Mary

Sat, 09 July 1988 in 2h 56 (16–1–2 in F♯)

**5056 Cambridge Surprise Major**

Johnson's variation of Middleton's

1 Linda Davis

2 Peter S Bennett (C)

3 Alison J Lewis

4 Michael R Thomas

5 Barry J Hayman

6 Nicholas W Jones

7 Andrew C John

8 Alwyn R Lewis

First Cambridge Major: 3,6. To mark the 800th anniversary of the Journey of Gerald of Wales, a local walk taking place during the ringing of the peal.

2783

**Baglan**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catharine

Sun, 10 July 1988 in 2h 47 (12–3–8 in G)

**5040 Doubles (8m)**

4 extents each Stedman, St Simon, St Martin, Winchendon, St Nicholas; 8 each Rev. Canterbury, Plain Bob; 6 Grandsire

1 Michael R Thomas

2 Alison J Lewis

3 Linda Davis

4 Andrew C John

5 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

6 W J Lewis Groom

50th peal: 2. 25th peal on the bells. 90th Birthday compliment to Miss Lucy Thomas, a former ringer at this church. First peal on the bells for over 20 years.

2784

**Sully**, Vale of Glamorgan, St John the Baptist

Sat, 16 July 1988 in 2h 40 (6–0–2 in B♭)

**5040 Plain Bob Minor**

1 Peter E R Brennan

2 Andrew J T Jones

3 Christopher J Rogers

4 Nicholas H Wheeler

5 Clive R Sheppard

6 Robin R Churchill (C)

First peal - 3, 4.

2785

**Pendoylan**, Vale of Glamorgan, St Cadoc

Mon, 22 August 1988 in 2h 33 (8½ in A)

**5040 Minor (3m)**

(1) Plain Bob; (2) St Clements; (3) Double Oxford; (4) Plain Bob; (5) Plain Bob, St Clements; (6) St Clements, Double Oxford; (7) Double Oxford, Plain Bob

1 Michael W Lewis

2 Alwyn R Lewis

3 Michael R Thomas

4 Nicholas W Jones

5 Adrian Fawcett

6 Peter S Bennett (C)

2786

**Cowbridge**, Vale of Glamorgan, Holy Cross

Sat, 27 August 1988 in 3h 6 (15–3–13 in E)

**5072 Plain Bob Major**

M A Coleman

1 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

2 Judith B Harris

3 Michael R Thomas

4 Christine Pugh

5 Peter E R Brennan

6 Nigel P Doyle

7 Andrew Giles

8 Andrew C John

First inside: 2. First Major: 4, 5.

2787

**Dolgellau**, Gwynedd, St Mary the Virgin

Sat, 03 September 1988 in 2h 48 (14–2–23 in F)

**5024 Rutland Surprise Major**

N Smith

1 Noel H Anderson

2 Margaret A Anderson

3 William E Thompsett

4 Ruth M Border

5 Gareth Dancer

6 Tudor P Edwards

7 Philip J Rothera

8 Peter Border (C)

2788

**Porthmadog**, Gwynedd, St John Div

Sat, 03 September 1988 in 2h 44 (11–2–19 in G)

**5088 Lincolnshire Surprise Major**

W Barton

1 Peter Border (C)

2 Ruth M Border

3 Margaret A Anderson

4 William E Thompsett

5 Gareth Dancer

6 Noel H Anderson

7 Tudor P Edwards

8 Philip J Rothera

2789

**Cardiff**, Cardiff, St John the Baptist

Fri, 21 October 1988 in 3h 5 (25–0–23 in D)

**5039 Grandsire Caters**

A M Tyler

1 W James Goodfellow

2 Christine M Lucas

3 Nicholas W Jones

4 William E Thompsett

5 Michael R Thomas

6 Tudor P Edwards

7 Andrew C John

8 Adrian Fawcett

9 Peter S Bennett (C)

10 Barry J Hayman

For the 95th anniversary of the Association  
  
7 : first Caters

2790

**Llandaff**, Cardiff, Cathedral Church of St Peter and St Paul

Wed, 26 October 1988 in 3h 10 (20–1–0 in E)

**5040 London No 3 Surprise Royal**

C K Lewis

1 Tudor P Edwards

2 David J Llewellyn

3 Andrew C John

4 Nicholas W Jones

5 Robin R Churchill (C)

6 Robert C Woodward

7 Rev David C Brookes

8 Adrian Fawcett

9 Christopher W Kipling

10 Peter S Bennett

First London S. Royal: 3,4, 8. A tribute to Rt. Rev. John Poole-Hughes. former Bishop of Llandaff, who died the previous day.

2791

**Haverfordwest**, Pembrokeshire, St Mary the Virgin

Sat, 29 October 1988 in 2h 56 (19–3–16 in E♭)

**5040 Grandsire Triples**

12-part

J J Parker

1 Eldon Lingard

2 Nicholas W Jones

3 Christine Pugh

4 Andrew C John

5 H Sidney Wilson

6 Adrian Fawcett

7 Peter S Bennett (C)

8 Michael R Thomas

First Grandsire Triples: 2, 6. First Triples inside: 3.

2792

**Usk**, Monmouthshire, St Mary

Sat, 29 October 1988 in 2h 49 (14–1–7 in F♯)

**5040 Stedman Triples**

Dexter's 8-part variation

Thomas Thurstans

1 William E Thompsett

2 Alison J Lewis

3 Linda Davis

4 Kenneth Phillips

5 Andrew J Phillips

6 David J Hughes

7 Eric Sutton (C)

8 Philip W Weeks

First Triples in the method: 2, 3. A belated birthday compliment to Rev R L Davies; also a Silver Wedding compliment to Ken and Pat Phillips.

2793

**Cowbridge**, Vale of Glamorgan, Holy Cross

Sat, 05 November 1988 in 3h 5 (15–3–13 in E)

**5088 Yorkshire Surprise Major**

N J Pitstow

1 Christine Pugh

2 Nigel P Doyle

3 Margaret S Churchill

4 Andrew Giles

5 Michael R Thomas

6 Clive R Sheppard

7 Andrew C John (C)

8 Robin R Churchill

First TB: 1. First S Major as conductor and circled the tower: 7.

2794

**Newport**, Newport, Cathedral Church of St Woolos

Sat, 12 November 1988 in 3h 17 (21–2–20 in D)

**5040 Stedman Cinques**

R Dennis

1 Albert M Tyler

2 Andrew Giles

3 John C Baldwin

4 John E Chilcott

5 Robin R Churchill

6 Jack R Worrall

7 Adrian Fawcett

8 Trevor T Lewis

9 Peter S Bennett (C)

10 David J Llewellyn

11 Tudor P Edwards

12 William E Thompsett

Specially arranged and rung to mark the 40th anniversary of the first peal on the 12 bells, with best wishes to Don Clift who arranged the peal, and was prevented from ringing by illness.

2795

**Abergavenny**, Monmouthshire, St Mary

Sat, 19 November 1988 in 3h 17 (25–0–18 in D)

**5040 Abergavenny Surprise Royal**

C J Sedgley

1 Catherine A Hayman

2 Andrew C John

3 Fr John M Hughes

4 William E Thompsett

5 Andrew Giles

6 Peter S Bennett (C)

7 Barry J Hayman

8 Christopher W Kipling

9 David J Llewellyn

10 Paul A Williams

To mark the 40th anniversary of the first peal on the bells. Believed to be the first peal in the method.

2796

**Radyr**, Cardiff, Christ Church

Sat, 03 December 1988 in 2h 58 (12–0–15 in G)

**5056 Plain Bob Major**

J R Pritchard

1 W James Goodfellow

2 Fr John M Hughes

3 Peter E R Brennan

4 Nevil A James

5 Nicholas H Wheeler

6 Richard Woodley

7 Robin R Churchill (C)

8 David J Llewellyn

First peal - 6. First on eight - 5.

2797

**Llangynwyd**, Bridgend, St Cynwyd

Wed, 07 December 1988 in 2h 37 (8–0–16 in A)

**5040 Doubles (4m)**

2 extents St Simon; 20 Grandsire; 10 each Reverse Canterbury, Plain Bob

1 Raymond J Mayle

2 Andrew Giles

3 D R Lynn Jones

4 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

5 Andrew C John

6 Cyril Phillips

25th peal on the bells. To commemorate the 400th anniversary of translating the Bible into Welsh by Bishop William Morgan.

2798

**Cadoxton juxta Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catwg

Fri, 09 December 1988 in 2h 38 (7–2–2 in B)

**5040 Minor (7m)**

1 extent each Beverley, Surfleet, Cambridge, Kent TB, Oxford TB, St Clements, Plain Bob.

1 Andrew M Muir

2 Linda Davis

3 Francesca Newman

4 Andrew C John

5 D Geoffrey Kerley

6 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

2799

**Usk**, Monmouthshire, St Mary

Mon, 26 December 1988 in 2h 55 (14–1–7 in F♯)

**5040 Stedman Triples**

Dexter's

1 David J Llewellyn

2 William E Thompsett

3 Andrew C John

4 Gareth Dancer

5 Andrew J Phillips

6 Nicholas W H Simon

7 Tudor P Edwards (C)

8 Kenneth Phillips

For Christmas; also to wish Mr Donald Clift a speedy recovery after his recent illness.

2800

**Llandaff**, Cardiff, Cathedral Church of St Peter and St Paul

Wed, 28 December 1988 in 3h 12 (20–1–0 in E)

**5040 Lincolnshire Surprise Royal**

Anon (Composition 500, p56)

1 Trevor T Lewis

2 Robert C Woodward

3 Robin R Churchill (C)

4 Rev David C Brookes

5 Clive R Sheppard

6 Nicholas W H Simon

7 Nevil A James

8 Fr John M Hughes

9 Christopher W Kipling

10 David J Llewellyn

First Royal: 5. First Lincolnshire Royal 2, 4, 7. Circled tower: 4. Completes standard 8 S Royal as conductor.

2801

**Penarth**, Vale of Glamorgan, St Augustine

Wed, 28 December 1988 in 3h 4 (12–2–9 in F♯)

**5040 Cambridge Surprise Minor**

1 Cathy Kacal

2 Susan Browne

3 Christine Corfield

4 Dr M Batten

5 C Rogers

6 D A Jacklin (C)

First peal - 1, 2, 4. First Surprise for all. In memory of Ernest Ivanhoe Avon, a kind benefactor to this tower.

2802

**Monmouth**, Monmouthshire, St Mary the Virgin

Mon, 02 January 1989 in 2h 58 (16–3–1 in E)

**5040 Stedman Triples**

Arranged by Frederick H Dexter (8-part)

Thomas Thurstans

1 Tudor P Edwards

2 Linda H Lewis

3 Kenneth Phillips

4 William E Thompsett

5 Andrew J Phillips

6 Nicholas W H Simon (C)

7 Peter S Bennett

8 Gareth Dancer

Rung with best wishes to Donald G. Clift for a speedy recovery and return to ringing.

2803

**Llanishen**, Cardiff, St Isan

Fri, 27 January 1989 in 2h 26 (3-3-20 in Eb)

**5040 Surprise Minor (7m)**

One extent each Beverley, Cambridge, London, Norwich, Surfleet, Wells, Westminster

1 Christine M Lucas

2 David J Llewellyn

3 Robert C Woodward

4 Clive R P Sheppard

5 Robin R Churchill (C)

6 Rev David C Brookes

Most Surprise Minor - 3. 50th peal for the Association - 6.

2804

**Blaenavon**, Torfaen, St Peter

Sat, 28 January 1989 in 2h 48 (9-1-0 in Ab)

**5088 Yorkshire Surprise Major**

Roger Baldwin

1 Dianne B Smith

2 Sheila E M Parry

3 Catherine A Hayman

4 Frances D Gilbert

5 Nicholas W Jones

6 Adrian Fawcett

7 Andrew J Watkins

8 Peter S Bennett (C)

Rung at the request of the local ringers to mark the 40th anniversary of the dedication of these bells on January 29th 1949.

2805

**Cadoxton juxta Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catwg

Mon, 06 February 1989 in 2h 42 (7-2-2 in B)

**5040 Cambridge Surprise Minor**

1 Linda H Lewis

2 Andrew M Muir

3 Alison J Lewis

4 Francesca Newman

5 Andrew C John

6 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

Rung by members of the local band.

2806

**Usk**, Monmouthshire, St Mary

Thu, 02 March 1989 in 2h 54 (14-1-7 in F#)

**5088 Kenninghall Surprise Major**

Peter S Bennett

1 Robin R Churchill

2 Catherine A Hayman

3 David J Llewellyn

4 Andrew C John

5 Barry J Hayman

6 Adrian Fawcett

7 Peter S Bennett (C)

8 Tudor P Edwards

First in the method for all the inside ringers. The conductor has now 'completed the alphabet'.

2807

**Nash**, Newport, St Mary

Sat, 04 March 1989 in 2h 50 (7-3-18 in Bb)

**5040 Plain Bob Minor**

1 Peter E R Brennan

2 Barbara A Jones

3 John M Hughes

4 Christine M Lucas

5 Christopher D V Jones

6 Robin R Churchill (C)

First peal - 2, 5. 150th for the Association - 6.

2808

**Newport**, Newport, Cathedral Church of St Woolos

Sat, 04 March 1989 in 2h 57 (9–2–24 in G)

**5056 Plain Bob Major**

John R Pritchard

1 Catherine A Hayman

2 Mark C Bennett

3 Helen Dancer

4 Nicholas W Jones

5 William E Thompsett

6 Adrian Fawcett

7 Barry J Hayman

8 Peter S Bennett (C)

First Peal- 2. 50th Peal 6.

2809

**Cadoxton juxta Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catwg

Wed, 19 April 1989 in 2h 34 (7-2-2 in B)

**5040 Oswald Delight Minor**

Seven extents

1 Alison J Lewis

2 Andrew C John

3 Francesca Newman

4 D Geoffrey Kerley

5 Michael R Thomas

6 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

First peal in the method for all the band.

2810

**Blaenavon**, Torfaen, St Peter

Mon, 24 April 1989 in 2h 52 (9–1–0 in A♭)

**5040 Plain Bob Triples**

Henry Hubbard

1 Adrian Fawcett

2 Nicholas W Jones

3 Barry J Hayman

4 Mark C Bennett

5 Christopher D V Jones

6 Peter S Bennett

7 Catherine A Hayman (C)

8 Fr John M Hughes

First peal as conductor. First peal on eight bells - 5. First peal of Triples - 4. First peal in the method - 2, 4, 5, 7. 750th peal - 6.

2811

**Rumney**, Cardiff, St Augustine

Sat, 29 April 1989 in 2h 48 (9-1-27 in F#)

**5040 Surprise Minor (3m)**

3 extents Cambridge; 2 extents each Bourne, Ipswich

1 John A Vesey

2 Nicholas W Jones

3 Andrew C John

4 A Catherine Kacal

5 Helen Dancer (C)

6 Alwyn R Lewis

2812

**St Davids**, Pembrokeshire, Cathedral Church of St David

Sun, 21 May 1989 in 3h 9 (24-3-25 in D)

**5040 Stedman Triples**

Arranged by Frederick H Dexter (8-part)

Thomas Thurstans

1 Yvonne R Ferris

2 Malcolm T Johns

3 Douglas G Davison

4 Adrian Fawcett

5 Andrew C John

6 Nicholas W H Simon (C)

7 Tudor P Edwards

8 Bryan Williams

First peal of Stedman Triples - 3.  
  
1 - first peal in UK

2813

**Blaenavon**, Torfaen, St Peter

Mon, 22 May 1989 in 2h 48 (9-1-0 in Ab)

**5056 Anglesea Surprise Major**

Stephen H Wood

1 Catherine A Hayman

2 Adrian Fawcett

3 Fr John M Hughes

4 Andrew C John

5 Barry J Hayman

6 David J Llewellyn

7 Tudor P Edwards

8 Peter S Bennett (C)

325th peal as conductor. First in the method for all the band.

2814

**Caerphilly**, Caerphilly, St Martin

Sat, 27 May 1989 in 2h 59 (13-0-1 in F)

**5024 Bristol Surprise Major**

Stephen J Ivin

1 Helen Dancer

2 Nicholas W Jones

3 Catherine A Hayman

4 Peter E R Brennan

5 Adrian Fawcett

6 Gareth Dancer

7 Peter S Bennett

8 David J Llewellyn (C)

First peal of Surprise Major - 4. First peal in the method - 2, 3. 375th peal for the Association - 7. A belated compliment to Peter Bennett on retiring after 19 years as tower warden at St Woolos, Newport.

2815

**Ebbw Vale**, Blaenau Gwent, Christ Church

Sat, 10 June 1989 in 3h 17 (24–3–25 in D)

**5122 Cambridge Surprise Major**

B D Price

1 Andrew Giles

2 David J Llewellyn

3 Brian D Price

4 William E Thompsett

5 David Abbott

6 Robin R Churchill (C)

7 Christopher W Kipling

8 Paul A Williams

This composition is now rung for the first time: the composer learnt to ring in this tower.

2816

**Blaenavon**, Torfaen, St Peter

Mon, 19 June 1989 in 2h 48 (9-1-0 in Ab)

**5056 Plain Bob Major**

John R Pritchard

1 Peter S Bennett

2 Yvonne R Ferris

3 Barbara A Jones

4 Christopher D V Jones

5 Catherine A Hayman

6 Andrew C John

7 Adrian Fawcett

8 Barry J Hayman (C)

First peal on eight bells - 3. First peal of major - 4. First peal as conductor. 100th peal for the Association - 6.

2817

**Coity**, Bridgend, St Mary

Fri, 23 June 1989 in 2h 48 (8–3–5)

**5040 Plain Bob Minor**

Seven extents.

1 Barry D Morgan

2 Andrew C John

3 Yvonne R Ferris

4 David R Price

5 Richard W Johns

6 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

First peal - 1.  
  
First peal on an inside bell - 4.  
  
First peal on 6 bells - 3.  
  
Rung as a thanksgiving for the completion of the restoration of Coity Church.

2818

**Radyr**, Cardiff, Christ Church

Sat, 24 June 1989 in 2h 41 (12-0-15 in G)

**5040 Plain Bob Major**

Peter S Bennett

1 Andrew J T Jones

2 Catherine A Hayman

3 Adrian Fawcett

4 Peter E R Brennan

5 Peter S Bennett (C)

6 Barry J Hayman

7 David J Llewellyn

8 Tudor P Edwards

First peal on eight bells - 1. A thanksgiving for the life and works of Frederick Hannington, Life Vice-President of the Association, who died June 20th, 1989.

2819

**Cadoxton juxta Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catwg

Fri, 30 June 1989 in 2h 30 (7-2-2 in B)

**5040 Minor (4m)**

2 extents each Cambridge Surprise, Oxford Treble Bob, Plain Bob; one extent St. Clements College Bob

1 Yvonne R Ferris

2 Andrew C John

3 Mark C Bennett

4 Peter S Bennett

5 Tudor P Edwards

6 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

First peal on six bells: 3

2820

**Cadoxton juxta Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catwg

Sun, 02 July 1989 in 2h 34 (7-2-2 in B)

**5040 Doubles (7m)**

6 extents Winchendon Place, St Nicholas, Canterbury, Grandsire, St Martin, St Simon, Plain Bob

1 D Geoffrey Kerley

2 Richard W Johns

3 Alison J Lewis

4 Andrew M Muir

5 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

6 Christopher D V Jones

100th Peal as conductor.  
  
Rung during Cadoxton Church Flower Festival.

2821

**Llangollen**, Denbighshire, St Collen

Sun, 02 July 1989 in 2h 57 (16-2-14 in F)

**5088 Yorkshire Surprise Major**

Christopher Adams

1 Sally A Mason

2 Tudor P Edwards

3 Kenneth J Hesketh

4 Brian J Rothera

5 Peter S Bennett

6 David J Llewellyn

7 Philip J Rothera

8 R Kingsley Mason (C)

Rung for the opening of the 1989 Llangollen International Music Festival

2822

**Newport**, Newport, Cathedral Church of St Woolos

Sat, 08 July 1989 in 3h 17 (21-2-20 in D)

**5042 Cambridge Surprise Maximus**

Roderick W Pipe

1 Tudor P Edwards

2 Wendy B Bloom

3 Sally A Mason

4 Helen Dancer

5 Christopher W Kipling (C)

6 Andrew C John

7 David J Llewellyn

8 Nicholas W Jones

9 Ralph G Edwards

10 Robin R Churchill

11 Graham Bloom

12 R Kingsley Mason

First peal on twelve bells - 8. First peal of Maximus - 4, 6, and as conductor.

2823

**Blaenavon**, Torfaen, St Peter

Mon, 17 July 1989 in 2h 50 (9–1–0 in A♭)

**5184 Glamorgan Surprise Major**

Stephen J Ivin

1 Mark C Bennett

2 Peter S Bennett (C)

3 Barry J Hayman

4 Robin R Churchill

5 Catherine A Hayman

6 Andrew C John

7 Tudor P Edwards

8 David J Llewellyn

First peal of Treble Bob: 1

2824

**Llandaff**, Cardiff, Cathedral Church of St Peter and St Paul

Wed, 19 July 1989 in 3h 11 (20-1-0 in E)

**5055 Stedman Caters**

Robert E J Dennis

1 David J Llewellyn

2 Fr John M Hughes

3 Tudor P Edwards (C)

4 Catherine A Hayman

5 Christopher W Kipling

6 Robin R Churchill

7 Nevil A James

8 Andrew C John

9 Peter S Bennett

10 Alwyn R Lewis

First peal of Stedman Caters - 8.

2825

**Aberavon**, Neath Port Talbot, St Mary

Mon, 24 July 1989 in 2h 44 (16-1-2 in F#)

**5040 Plain Bob Minor**

Seven extents

1 Catherine A Hayman

2 Helen E Rosier

3 Christopher D V Jones

4 Christopher J Rogers

5 Adrian Fawcett

6 Bernard F L Groves (C)

First peal - 2.

2826

**Pontypridd**, Rhondda Cynon Taf, St Catherine

Fri, 04 August 1989 in 2h 50 (12-2-21 in F#)

**5040 Grandsire Triples**

12-part

Joseph J Parker

1 Barbara A Jones

2 Catherine A Hayman

3 Peter E R Brennan

4 Fr John M Hughes

5 Barry J Hayman

6 David J Llewellyn

7 Peter S Bennett (C)

8 Christopher D V Jones

First peal of Grandsire triples - 2,3. Rung to mark the dedication of the World War II Memorial by the Bishop of Llandaff, in the presence of their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of York.

2827

**Usk**, Monmouthshire, St Mary

Sat, 05 August 1989 in 2h 53 (14-1-7 in F#)

**5040 Grandsire Triples**

12-part

Joseph J Parker

1 Donald G Clift

2 Alison J Lewis

3 Malcolm T Johns

4 Philip J Huxley

5 Andrew J Phillips

6 William E Thompsett

7 Kenneth Phillips (C)

8 Jack A Long

First peal as conductor. Arranged and rung as a compliment to Linda Davies, of Cadoxton, and with best wishes on her forthcoming marriage.

2828

**Blaenavon**, Torfaen, St Peter

Mon, 14 August 1989 in 2h 33 (9–1–0 in A♭)

**5056 Plain Bob Major**

J.R. Pritchard

1 Helen E Rosier

2 Christopher J Rogers

3 Peter S Bennett

4 Catherine A Hayman

5 Mark C Bennett

6 Nicholas W Jones (C)

7 Barry J Hayman

8 Tudor P Edwards

1st on 8: 1,2  
  
First as Conductor

2829

**Cadoxton juxta Neath**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catwg

Mon, 21 August 1989 in 2h 37 (7-2-2 in B)

**5040 Doubles (4m)**

12 extents Plain Bob, Reverse Canterbury Pleasure Place, Grandsire; 6 extents St Simons Bob

1 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

2 Andrew M Muir

3 Alison J Lewis

4 Andrew C John

5 Michael R Thomas

6 Yvonne R Ferris

Rung with the best wishes of the band to Linda Davies on her recent marriage.

2830

**Caerphilly**, Caerphilly, St Martin

Sat, 26 August 1989 in 3h 1 (13-0-1 in F)

**5040 Grandsire Triples**

12-part

Joseph J Parker

1 John A Vesey

2 Peter E R Brennan

3 Helen E Rosier

4 Catherine A Hayman

5 Fr John M Hughes

6 Christopher J Rogers

7 Peter S Bennett (C)

8 Michael R Thomas

First peal of Triples - 1,3,6. First of Grandsire - 3,6.

2831

**Pentre**, Rhondda Cynon Taf, St Peter

Sun, 03 September 1989 in 3h 24 (26-3-10 in Eb)

**5056 London Surprise Major**

Roger Baldwin

1 Tudor P Edwards (C)

2 Sally A Mason

3 Katherine A Oldershaw

4 Robin R Churchill

5 Christopher W Kipling

6 David J Llewellyn

7 Peter S Bennett

8 R Kingsley Mason

Rung in connection with the events held in Rhondda to mark the 50th anniversary of the outbreak of World War II and the arrival of evacuees from London in the Rhondda.

2832

**Pontypridd**, Rhondda Cynon Taf, St Catherine

Fri, 22 September 1989 in 2h 45 (12–2–21 in F♯)

**5056 Plain Bob Major**

J R Pritchard

1 A Catherine Kacal

2 Mark C Bennett

3 Peter E R Brennan

4 Christopher D V Jones

5 Christopher J Rogers

6 Barry J Hayman

7 Peter S Bennett

8 Fr John M Hughes (C)

First Major: 1  
  
In memory of Canon J V Payne, previous incumbent of the parish, who died 15th August 1989

2833

**Radyr**, Cardiff, Christ Church

Fri, 29 September 1989 in 2h 54 (12-0-15 in G)

**5056 Cambridge Surprise Minor**

C Middleton arr H Johnson

1 Mark C Bennett

2 William E Thompsett

3 Robin R Churchill

4 Nicholas W Jones

5 Barry J Hayman

6 Adrian Fawcett

7 Peter S Bennett (C)

8 Christopher W Kipling

Rung as a compliment to Nicholas W Jones, with the best wishes of the band, and others, as he leaves to study at London University.

2834

**Blaenavon**, Torfaen, St Peter

Mon, 09 October 1989 in 2h 40 (9–1–0 in A♭)

**5056 Plain Bob Major**

J R Pritchard

1 David J Llewellyn

2 Barbara A Jones

3 Peter E R Brennan

4 Peter S Bennett

5 Christopher D V Jones

6 Mark C Bennett

7 Tudor P Edwards

8 Adrian Fawcett (C)

First as Conductor and circled the tower.  
  
Circled the tower twice: 4

2835

**Aberavon**, Neath Port Talbot, St Mary

Mon, 30 October 1989 in 2h 57 (16–1–2 in F♯)

**5040 Plain Bob Major**

Peter S Bennett

1 Andrew C John

2 Alison J Lewis

3 Linda H Lewis

4 Andrew M Muir

5 D Geoffrey Kerley

6 Mark C Bennett

7 Alwyn R Lewis

8 Peter S Bennett (C)

1st on 8 inside: 4  
  
75th Peal: 5  
  
Engagement compliment to Andrew John and Yvonne Ferris.

2836

**Newport**, Newport, Cathedral Church of St Woolos

Sat, 04 November 1989 in 2h 50 (9–2–24 in G)

**5040 Grandsire Triples**

J J Parker

1 Adrian Fawcett

2 Helen E Rosier

3 Yvonne Fox

4 Christopher J Rogers

5 Mark C Bennett

6 Antony S Baker

7 Peter S Bennett (C)

8 Andrew C John

First Grandsire: 5  
  
To mark the 150th anniversary of the chartist rising, immediately following a commemorative service in the Cathedral.

2837

**Blaenavon**, Torfaen, St Peter

Mon, 06 November 1989 in 2h 45 (9–1–0 in A♭)

**5120 Montgomery Surprise Major**

A J Cox

1 Mark C Bennett

2 Fr John M Hughes

3 Adrian Fawcett

4 David J Llewellyn

5 Alwyn R Lewis

6 Barry J Hayman

7 Peter S Bennett (C)

8 Tudor P Edwards

Circled the tower: 2  
  
50th Peal for the association: 3  
  
1st in method by all.

2838

**Pontypridd**, Rhondda Cynon Taf, St Catherine

Fri, 10 November 1989 in 2h 45 (12–2–21 in F♯)

**5088 Yorkshire Surprise Major**

C Adams

1 Andrew C John

2 Peter E R Brennan

3 Fr John M Hughes

4 Mark C Bennett

5 Andrew Giles

6 Barry J Hayman

7 Tudor P Edwards

8 Peter S Bennett (C)

First Yorkshire: 2. 200th peal: 3. First Surprise inside: 4.

2839

**Llanishen**, Cardiff, St Isan

Thu, 23 November 1989 in 2h 14 (3-3-20 in Eb)

**5040 Minor (7m)**

1 extent each: Cambridge S, Beverley S, Oxford TB, Kent TB, Double Oxford, Plain Bob, St Clements.

1 Mark C Bennett

2 Adrian Fawcett

3 Christine M Lucas

4 David J Llewellyn

5 Peter S Bennett (C)

6 Tudor P Edwards

2840

**Newport**, Newport, Cathedral Church of St Woolos

Sat, 25 November 1989 in 3h 10 (21–2–20 in D)

**5050 Stedman Cinques**

R E J Dennis

1 Donald G Clift

2 Tudor P Edwards

3 Helen Dancer

4 Adrian Fawcett

5 David J Llewellyn

6 Antony S Baker

7 Mark C Bennett

8 Gareth Dancer

9 Peter S Bennett (C)

10 R Mark Esbester

11 Andrew Giles

12 Barry J Hayman

First Stedman and on 12 bells: 7. To mark the 50th anniversary of the dedication of the ring of 12 bells on 26th November 1939.

2841

**Caerphilly**, Caerphilly, St Martin

Sat, 02 December 1989 in 2h 50 (13–0–1 in F)

**5024 Caerffili Surprise Major**

S J Ivin

1 Mark C Bennett

2 Andrew C John

3 Andrew Giles

4 Tudor P Edwards

5 Neil J Sheard

6 Barry J Hayman

7 David J Llewellyn

8 Peter S Bennett (C)

First in the method by all except 4, 8.

2842

**Blaenavon**, Torfaen, St Peter

Mon, 04 December 1989 in 2h 38 (9–1–0 in A♭)

**5056 Cambridge Surprise Major**

C Middleton arr H Johnson

1 David J Llewellyn

2 Paul F Warren

3 Antony S Baker

4 Peter E R Brennan

5 Peter S Bennett (C)

6 Mark C Bennett

7 Barry J Hayman

8 Tudor P Edwards

1st in Method: 4  
  
1st in Method inside: 6  
  
Circled the tower this year: 5

2843

**Baglan**, Neath Port Talbot, St Catharine

Wed, 06 December 1989 in 2h 55 (12-3-8 in G)

**5040 Cambridge Surprise Minor**

Seven extents

1 David J Llewellyn

2 Alison J Lewis

3 Andrew C John

4 Francesca Newman

5 Barry J Hayman

6 Alwyn R Lewis (C)

50th peal for the Association - 2.

2844

**Newport**, Newport, Cathedral Church of St Woolos

Sat, 09 December 1989 in 3h 14 (21-2-20 in D)

**5007 Stedman Cinques**

Frank E Darby

1 Tudor P Edwards (C)

2 Andrew C John

3 Judith A Baldwin

4 Gareth Dancer

5 Antony S Baker

6 Peter S Bennett

7 Barry J Hayman

8 Nevil A James

9 Rev Neil J Sheard

10 Fr John M Hughes

11 Christopher W Kipling

12 Alwyn R Lewis

First peal in the method - 3. Completes the family - 2. An Association Master's Peal.

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**Usk**, Monmouthshire, St Mary

Tue, 26 December 1989 in 3h 1 (14–1–7 in F♯)

**5088 London Surprise Major**

Stephen J Ivin

1 Mark C Bennett

2 Andrew C John

3 Peter S Bennett

4 David J Llewellyn

5 Philip J Huxley

6 Fr John M Hughes

7 Nicholas W H Simon (C)

8 Tudor P Edwards

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**Aberavon**, Neath Port Talbot, St Mary

Fri, 29 December 1989 in 3h 1 (16–1–2 in F♯)

**5040 Grandsire Triples**

J J Parker

1 Barbara A Jones

2 Andrew C John

3 Mark C Bennett

4 Peter E R Brennan

5 Simon J Gordon

6 Alwyn R Lewis

7 Peter S Bennett (C)

8 Michael R Thomas