

BARTON

St Paul



Barton's Village Church
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Barton originally formed part of the parish of Whippingham; it became an ecclesiastical parish in its own right in 1844, and in that same year the church of St Paul was built.

Parish Registers

Key

BAP:
MAR:
BUR:
BAN:
COM:

Baptisms
Marriages
Burials
Banns
Combined

Reference	Date
BAR/REG/BAP/1	1844-1927
BAR/REG/BAP/2	1927-1952
BAR/REG/BAP/3	1952-1985
BAR/REG/MAR/1	1845-1927
BAR/REG/MAR/2	1927-1935
BAR/REG/MAR/3	1935-1942
BAR/REG/MAR/4	1942-1948
BAR/REG/MAR/5	1948-1956
BAR/REG/MAR/6	1956-1962
BAR/REG/MAR/7	1962-1972
BAR/REG/BUR/1	1844-1932
BAR/REG/BUR/2	1933-1979
BAR/REG/BAN/1	1844-1920
BAR/REG/BAN/2	1920-1949
BAR/REG/BAN/3	1949-1969
BAR/REG/BAN/4	1969-1984

Parish Records

Reference	Date	Description
BAR/APR/001A/001	1868?	Copy of Poor Rate book?
BAR/APR/002B/001	1864-1928	Account book of churchwarden (incl. vestry minutes 1845-1864)
BAR/APR/002B/002	1866-1873	Statements of accounts of churchwardens
BAR/APR/002B/003	1887-1888	Accounts of churchwardens
BAR/APR/002B/004	1895-1900	Accounts of churchwardens
BAR/APR/002D/001	1845	Circular from Church Commissioners Office to Revd. Parker re procedures in respect of appointment of churchwardens 8 Aug 1845
BAR/APR/002D/002	1873	Letter from John Wood to R[ichard] Mew, churchwarden, re role of churchwardens, church documents, forthcoming visitation (enclosed: list of some church documents) 21 April 1873
BAR/APR/002D/003	1888	Circular from Hants Diocesan Society to churchwardens reminding them of their obligations to the Society in return for receiving a grant (e.g. organising an annual collection on behalf of the Society) 15 May 1886

BAR/APR/002D/004	1900	Letter from Charles Windeler to Frank Way, churchwarden, expressing his gratitude and stating how much he enjoyed assisting with parochial work 22 May 1900
BAR/APR/002E/001	1864-1871	Receipts & bills for miscellaneous expenses
BAR/APR/002E/002	1866-1877	Receipts & bills for miscellaneous expenses
BAR/APR/002E/003	1876-1887	Receipts for miscellaneous expenses 1876 - 1886; statement of church accounts 1886 - 1887
BAR/APR/002E/004	1887-1888	Receipts & bills for miscellaneous expenses
BAR/APR/002E/005	1888-1889	Receipts & bills for miscellaneous expenses
BAR/APR/002E/006	1889-1890	Receipts & bills for miscellaneous expenses
BAR/APR/002E/007	1890-1891	Receipts & bills for miscellaneous expenses
BAR/APR/002E/008	1891-1892	Receipts and bills for miscellaneous expenses
BAR/APR/002E/009	1892-1893	Receipts and bills for miscellaneous expenses
BAR/APR/002E/010	1893-1894	Receipts and bills for miscellaneous expenses

BAR/APR/002E/011	1894-1895	Receipts and bills for miscellaneous expenses
BAR/APR/002E/012	1895-1896	Receipts and bills for miscellaneous expenses
BAR/APR/002E/013	1896-1898	Receipts and bills for miscellaneous expenses; details of money raised from 'American Sale'
BAR/APR/002E/014	1898-1899	Receipts and bills for miscellaneous expenses
BAR/APR/002E/015	1899-1900	Receipts and bills for miscellaneous expenses
BAR/APR/002E/016	1900-1901	Receipts and bills for miscellaneous expenses
BAR/APR/002E/017	1901-1902	Receipts and bills for miscellaneous expenses
BAR/APR/002Z/001	ND	Notes concerning breaking of church window by a young boy and churchwardens' decision to prosecute
BAR/APR/007B/001	1892	Circular from Diocese of Winchester re procedures for granting omnibus faculties
BAR/APR/007B/002	1896	Letter from Diocesan Registry, Winchester, to Revd. Nutter re granting a faculty to fit 2 stained glass windows in memory of late Major Cooke 31 March 1896; letter from Russell Cooke to F. Way re proposed

		windows 1 Oct 1896; draft letter of F. Way to R. Cooke asking for his agreement re proposed design of windows
BAR/APR/007B/003	1898	Letter from Diocesan Registry, Winchester, to Revd. Nutter re granting a faculty to fit a stained glass window in memory of late Mary Nunn Harvey; and details of cost 16 Dec 1898; letter from Stephenson Clarke expressing gratitude for fitting of window 29 April 1899
BAR/APR/007C/001	1973	Plans of church hall, and accompanying notes
BAR/APR/007D/001	1891	Agreement (draft) (i) Vicar & Churchwardens of St Pauls (vendors) (ii) Josiah George Jones of Newport (purchaser) sale of organ for £10
BAR/APR/007E/001	1886	2 letters from Edward Turtle of Melville Street, Ryde, re payment for his services as an organist 6 & 11 Jan 1886
BAR/APR/007E/002	1896-1897	Circular from George Burnett, cabinetmaker, carver etc. of Newport, advertising his business and listing his testimonials; accompanying letter from G. Burnett to Frank Way thanking him for supplying a testimonial 8 Feb 1897; letter from G. Burnett to Revd. Nutter & churchwardens re his proposed gift of a stool for the church 22 Dec 1896

BAR/APR/007E/003	1901	Letter from Thomas Jenkins, builder & contractor of Newport, to [Frank] Way, churchwarden, re repairs required to west gable 20 Aug 1901
BAR/APR/007E/004	1923c- 1956	Correspondence & other papers concerning matters such as maintenance work (eg. installation of central heating, replacement of lighting, tuning of organ) and financial matters (eg. parochial quotas, clerical stipends); including faculty for war memorial 12 Sep 1951, & plan of interior
BAR/APR/007E/005	1947-1955	Correspondence concerning church hall and its use as school accommodation
BAR/APR/007E/006	1956-1974	Correspondence, specifications and reports concerning interior decoration, proposed drainage scheme for rainwater, repairs to church
BAR/APR/007E/007	1962-1964	Correspondence concerning acquisition of land for road improvements at Staplers Road and School Lane - namely, land fronting and forming part of churchyard; land fronting and forming part of vicarage; land fronting church hall
BAR/APR/007E/008	1968-1971	Correspondence & other papers concerning repairs to church & church hall, and installation of heating system

BAR/APR/007F/001	1843-1844	Account book of St Paul's Church with I.W. Joint Stock Bank
BAR/APR/007F/002	1846-1849	Account book of subscriptions for payment of organist
BAR/APR/007F/003	1854-1889	Account book of Barton Building Fund (I.W. Savings Bank)
BAR/APR/007F/004	1854-1891	Account book of St Paul's Church with I.W. Savings Bank
BAR/APR/007F/005	1877	Account book of contributions towards fund for cleaning and lighting church
BAR/APR/007J/001	1899	Report on structural condition of St Paul's Church by Percy Stone 13 Nov 1899
BAR/APR/007K/001	1845-1849	Pew rent book
BAR/APR/007K/002	1847-1849	Pew rent book (incl. Revd. W.H. Parker in account with Barton Church c1850; details of subscribers to coals and candles for church 1851- 1852)
BAR/APR/007K/003	1849-1850	Pew rent book
BAR/APR/007L/001	1849-1872	Letters from County Fire Office re payments for insurance policy for church and organ 22 March 1849, 27 April 1854 and 26 Nov 1872
BAR/APR/007L/002	1894	Insurance policy issued by County Fire Insurance (Regent Street, London) in respect of St Paul's Church 6 July 1894; notices of renewal Sep 1885 & Midsummer 1903

BAR/APR/007Z/001	1851	Bill from William Collins to Revd. W.H. Parker for installing a stained glass window 25 March 1851 (attached: receipt 4 April 1851)
BAR/APR/007Z/002	ND	Booklet: 'The Office of dedication of ornaments of the church and of the ministers thereof' (printed by Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge for use in diocese of Truro)
BAR/APR/008E/001	1920-1929	Correspondence & specifications concerning repairs & alterations to Vicarage (incl. plan of proposed drain to cellar July 1923)
BAR/APR/008E/002	1963-1984	Correspondence & other papers concerning proposed new vicarage, and subsequent repairs and alterations (incl. plans, specifications and reports)
BAR/APR/009B/001	1848	Licence from Bishop of Winchester granting William Harris Parker, incumbent of St Pauls, permission to reside at 127 Pyle Street, as there is no house of residence belonging to his benefice 31 May 1848
BAR/APR/009Z/001	1862	Notebooks recording details of visits made by Revd. W.L.Sharpe to sick members of the parish June - December 1862
BAR/APR/010Z/001	1871	'Charge of the Venerable Archdeacon of Winchester to clergy and churchwardens at his spring visitation

		1871' - detailing diocesan news (extracted from 'The Hampshire Chronicle' 29 April 1871)
BAR/APR/011A/001	1909-1918	Register of services
BAR/APR/011A/002	1918-1926	Register of services
BAR/APR/011A/003	1945-1955	Register of services
BAR/APR/011A/004	1955-1963	Register of services
BAR/APR/011A/005	1963-1970	Register of services
BAR/APR/011A/006	1970-1979	Register of services
BAR/APR/011A/007	1979-1987	Register of services
BAR/APR/012B/001	c1840	Extract from tithe schedule of parish of Whippingham recording entries relating to Barton
BAR/APR/014D/001	1867-1871	Account book of Barton Charity Fund (I.W. Savings Bank) 1867-1871; booklet recording names of people to whom bread tickets have been distributed, as well as tickets for meat, bread and groceries under Mr. Wood's Charity 1870; account book of income & expenditure 1859-1869 (churchwardens)
BAR/APR/014Z/001	1865	Booklet recording names of people to whom coal has been distributed, quantities of coal, and individuals' qualifications for receiving coal (under terms of Shedden Charity)

BAR/APR/014Z/002	1867	Tickets entitling named individuals to: bread (6 pounds), meat (2 pounds), groceries (2 shillings worth) or coal (100 weight) under terms of Barton Charity;
BAR/APR/014Z/003	1868	Tickets entitling named individuals to: bread (6 pounds), meat (2 pounds), groceries (2 shillings worth) or coal (100 weight) under terms of Barton Charity;
BAR/APR/014Z/004	1869	Tickets entitling named individuals to: bread (6 pounds), meat (2 pounds), groceries (2 shillings worth) or coal (100 weight) under terms of Barton Charity; coal (100 weight) under terms of Shedden Charity
BAR/APR/014Z/005	1870	Tickets entitling named individuals to: bread (6 pounds), meat (2 pounds), groceries (1/6s worth) or coal (100 weight) under terms of Barton Charity; coal (100 weight) under terms of Shedden Charity
BAR/APR/014Z/006	1871	Tickets entitling named individuals to coal (100 weight) under terms of Shedden Charity
BAR/APR/014Z/007	1872	Tickets entitling named individuals to coal (100 weight) under terms of Shedden Charity (and letter from John Wood to Revd. Sharpe concerning distribution of coal 12 Jan 1872; list of total number of tickets distributed)

BAR/APR/014Z/008	1873	Tickets entitling named individuals to coal (100 weight) under terms of Shedden Charity
BAR/APR/014Z/009	1883	Tickets entitling 100 named individuals to 2 shillings worth of groceries from Messrs. Golden & Vibert of Newport (gift from W.B. Mew)
BAR/APR/016A/001	1844-1904	Vestry minute book
BAR/APR/016Z/001	1871	Public notice of forthcoming vestry meeting to consider formation of a society for relief of sick and destitute in parish of Barton 6 Jan 1871
BAR/APR/016Z/002	1871	Public notice of forthcoming vestry meeting to consider an additional burial ground 23 Feb 1871
BAR/APR/017A/001	1920-1936	P.C.C. minute book
BAR/APR/017A/002	1936-1941	P.C.C. minute book
BAR/APR/017A/003	1941-1947	P.C.C. minute book
BAR/APR/017A/004	1947-1958	P.C.C. minute book
BAR/APR/017B/001	1927-1937	Account book
BAR/APR/018Z/001	1869-1870	Schedule recording monthly collections for church expenses
BAR/APR/018Z/002	1895	Offertory receipt book stubs recording amounts collected from individual services Jan - Oct 1895

BAR/APR/019A/001	c1900s- c1930s	Stubs recording certificates of baptisms issued during 1911 - 1955
BAR/APR/022A/001	c1868	Extracts from minute book of Barton School Building Committee re site of School
BAR/APR/022A/002	1874-1876	Minutes of Barton School Enlargement Committee; and copies of letters and bills re enlargement
BAR/APR/022E/001	1854-1872	Correspondence concerning Barton School - in particular, construction of school, and payment of subscriptions and donations
BAR/APR/022E/002	1859	Letter from Education Department, London, re draft deed for conveyance of site for Barton School 13 May 1859
BAR/APR/022E/003	1862-1866	Correspondence mainly with National Society re payment of grants (by both Nat. Society and the Government) to finance construction of Barton School
BAR/APR/022E/004	1868-1870	Correspondence with Education Department, London, and National Society re design & construction of Barton School, and payment of grants (and completed application forms for grants towards building costs)
BAR/APR/022E/005	1868-1874	Correspondence & other papers re Barton School, such as arrangements for opening of School, payment of subscriptions, building work and staffing matters (incl. list of children to receive awards July 1870; list of

		children who passed examinations Oct 1873; entertainment programmes 1872 & 1873; annual reports 1870 & 1871)
BAR/APR/022E/006	1870-1871	Correspondence with Charity Commission re returning of accounts of Barton School to Commission;
BAR/APR/022E/007	1870-1878	Correspondence mainly with Education Department re, for example, appointment of teachers and forthcoming inspections; annual reports of H.M. Inspector 1870 - 1875
BAR/APR/022E/008	1873	Circular from Diocesan School Inspector re forthcoming examination of pupil teachers and candidates (incl. list of instructions for examiners) 28 Nov 1873
BAR/APR/022E/009	1876	Circular from Treasurer of Barton School (on behalf of the Managers) requesting increased contributions from subscribers to Barton School; includes list of subscribers' names and contributions (3 copies - 1 copy annotated recording whether subscribers have moved away or died)
BAR/APR/022E/010	1877	Circulars from Revd. W.L. Sharpe requesting managers and subscribers to attend a meeting to consider handing over Barton School to Newport School Board 2 June & 14 Nov 1877

BAR/APR/022E/011	1877-1878	Correspondence mainly with Newport School Board concerning arrangements for transfer of Barton School to Board
BAR/APR/022E/012	1879-1884	Correspondence mainly with Newport School Board concerning various school matters such as annual attendance figures, need for further school accommodation, raising of a loan, conveyance of freehold of school building
BAR/APR/022E/013	1887-1888	Correspondence with Newport School Board concerning proposed additional classroom and new offices, relocation of gallery, and payment of rent to trustees
BAR/APR/022E/014	1894	Letter from Newport School Board to Revd. W.H. Nutter re desks, locking of outer gates and payments for fuel & gas 20 Feb
BAR/APR/022E/015	1902	Letter from Beatrice, Governor of I.W., to children [of Barton Nat. School] re medals given to children to commemorate coronation of King Edward VII Aug 1902
BAR/APR/022F/001	1867-1870	Account book of subscriptions to building fund for Barton School c1867; list of annual subscriptions & donations 1870; treasurer's account with committee of School 1867 - 1870

BAR/APR/022F/002	c1868	Account book of contributions towards cost of building Barton School; and notes concerning specifications of building
BAR/APR/022F/003	1868-1870	Accounts of treasurer with Barton School Building Committee
BAR/APR/022F/004	1874	Statement of account of income & expenditure of Barton School, and report for 1874; includes list of subscribers' names and their contributions (2 copies)
BAR/APR/022F/005	1875-1876	Account book of Barton School Enlargement Fund (National Provincial Bank) Aug 1875 - Jan 1876; account book of School Enlargement Fund 1875
BAR/APR/022F/006	1877-1878	Abstract of account of income & expenditure of Barton School March 1877 - April 1878
BAR/APR/022G/001	1870	Conveyance (2 copies) 3 Jan (i) John Wood of Fairlee Villa, parish of Whippingham, esq. (ii) Vicar and churchwardens of St Paul's, Barton 2 pieces of land (part of a close called Courages otherwise Fortres otherwise Fevans) situated at Polars, parish of Whippingham, on eastern side of road leading from St Paul's Church to village of Barton; also cottage and other buildings on said land (under

		terms of acts of 5th & 6th years of reign of Queen Victoria for conveyance and endowment of sites for schools) 1870 Jan 03
BAR/APR/022G/002	1878	Memorandum of arrangement for transfer of Barton School to Newport School Board (i) Managers of Barton School (ii) Newport School Board is to have exclusive use of school buildings, furniture and fixtures etc. Term: 50 years Rent: 5s p.a. 20 Feb 1878
BAR/APR/022G/003	ND (1870's?)	Pre-printed form of lease for transfer of a school to a school board (annotated: 'to be used only when additional buildings are to be made by school board with aid of a loan') - not completed Pre-printed form of agreement between a national school and a school board granting board exclusive use of school, furniture, fixtures etc. (annotated: 'to be used when no additional buildings are to be made by school board with aid of a loan') - not completed
BAR/APR/022H/001	ND (late 1800s?)	Draft plan of schoolroom giving dimensions
BAR/APR/022Z/001	1860-1870	Revised codes of minutes and regulations of Committee of Privy Council on Education 1860, 1862, 1870

BAR/APR/022Z/002	1867-1870	Bill issued to Barton School Committee by William Jefferies Beckingsale, solicitor of Newport, for his legal services
BAR/APR/022Z/003	1867-1870	Bills & receipts for building work; and letters particularly concerning purchase of desks
BAR/APR/022Z/004	1868	5 tenders for building of Barton School; copy of letter explaining that no tender will be accepted until Privy Council for Education has approved plans and specifications
BAR/APR/022Z/005	1871-1872	Timetable of Barton School (attached: letter from Education Department, London, conveying Department's approval of timetable & notifying school of date of forthcoming pupil teachers' examinations). Blank form for recording details of a school's timetable ?1870s
BAR/APR/022Z/006	1871-1876	Agreements between managers of Barton School & individual teachers concerning terms of employment:- Mary Oxford, pupil teacher 30 Jan 1871 Ellen Leggett, pupil teacher 30 Jan 1871 Elizabeth Wheeler, school mistress 13 March 1871 (+ notice from managers to relinquish her duties 22 Sep 1875) Marie E. Hooper, assistant mistress 13 March 1871 (+ notice from managers to relinquish her duties 22 Sep 1875) Arthur William Lang, schoolmaster 3 April 1876

BAR/APR/022Z/007	ND (late 1800's)	'Rules to be observed in planning and fitting-up schools' compiled by Committee of Council on Education
BAR/APR/022Z/008	ND (late 1800's)	'Hints to promoters of Church Schools' - guidelines by National Society on choosing a site, design of building, sources of financial aid (2 copies)
BAR/APR/027A/001	1871-1899	Barton Benevolent Society minute book
BAR/APR/035Z/001	1851-1853	Account book of income & expenditure (incl. payment of subscriptions)
BAR/APR/099Z/001	1854	List (copy) of answers to questions received from Home Office re Barton Burial Board
BAR/APR/099Z/002	1872	Booklet: 'Form of prayer and ceremonies used at consecration of churches, chapels and burial grounds in diocese of Winchester'
BAR/APR/099Z/003	1872	Letter from H. Hooper, clerk Barton Burial Board, to John Wood, churchwarden, re election of 2 new members to Burial Board and forthcoming vestry meeting to discuss Burial Board matters 27 March 1872; copy of declaration by Bishop of Winchester re consecration of additional portion of St Paul's churchyard (31 July 1872), and copies of correspondence with Proctors of Winchester re the same; letter from H. Hooper to J. Wood re issuing of a

		licence by Bishop of Winchester authorising burials in additional portion of churchyard 12 Dec 1872
BAR/APR/099Z/004	1873	Letter from Revd. W.L. Sharpe to J. Wood re appointment of auditors of Barton Burial Board 17 April 1873; copy of letter from Revd. W.L. Sharpe to H. Hooper re the same 17 April 1873
BAR/APR/099Z/005	1873-1877	Statement of account of Barton Burial Board; and accompanying letter (25 March 1875) from H.R. Hooper, clerk to the Board, to Revd. W.L. Sharpe
BAR/APR/099Z/006	1878-1888	Statements of account of Barton Burial Board
BAR/APR/099Z/007	1888-1893	Statements of account of Barton Burial Board; and accompanying letters from H. Hooper, clerk to the Board, re accounts, election of members, and appointment of auditors
BAR/APR/099Z/008	1895	Letter from H. Hooper to Revd. Nutter requesting removal of hedge between old churchyard and new burial ground 4 April 1895; and Revd. Nutter's reply agreeing to request 20 April 1895
BAR/APR/099Z/010	1901	Letter from H. Hooper to F. Way re proposal to erect a caretaker's lodge at new burial ground; letter from F. Way conveying vestry's refusal 6 & 27 April 1901

BAR/APR/099Z009	1898	Letter from Frank Way, churchwarden, to H. Hooper re state of road between south gateway of churchyard and entrance to the Firs, and requesting Newport Corporation to take action 29 April 1898
BAR/APR/100Z/001	1844	'Supplement to the London Gazette' 10 July 1844:including copy of an Order of Her Majesty in Council in assigning a chapelry district to St Paul's Chapel (under 16th section of 59th Geo 3) (p.2404 - 1406)
BAR/APR/100Z/002	1852	Letter from Census Office to Revd. W.H. Parker requesting population figures (attached: note by Revd. Parker to Mr. Whitmaich requesting his advice on the matter) 9 July 1852
BAR/APR/100Z/003	1859 Sep 30	'The London Gazette' 1859: including a schedule of benefices and annual grants received from Ecclesiastical Commissioners (Barton, St Paul £50)
BAR/APR/100Z/004	ND (late 1800's)	Miscellaneous papers: newspaper cuttings reporting on vestry meetings 1890s; newspaper cutting reporting on church's centenary 5 Feb 1944; minutes of meetings re proposed testimonial to Rev. Collis April & May 1915; 2 letters of thanks & receipt for collection in respect of King George's Jubilee Trust; postcard showing church's interior, & description of interior c.1937; Rev. W.H. Parker in account with church 1850 - 1853; notice (and accompanying letter) from

William H. Basterfield to Henry J. Way
of his intention to quit the vicarage 1
Oct 1921; memorandum of agreement
re leasing of the Vicarage (or the Firs)
by W.H. Basterfield July 1919 and 30
June 1921

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Booklets published by Society for
Promoting Christian Knowledge: 'On
the Nature & Duty of Public Worship';
'Attendance on Divine Service'; 'A
Drinker's Opinion on Drink'