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St. Andrew's Church,
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Vicar—REV. T. W. SEDGWICK, M.A.

Churchwardens—CAPTAIN A. W. LOWIS, R.N.;
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Services.

SUNDAYS.—Morning, 11; Evening, 6.30.

Holy Communion.—First Sunday, 11 a.m.; Third Sunday, 8 a.m.,
and on all great festivals. Second Sunday, 8 a.m. (Thorpeuss)

Holy Baptism any Sunday by appointment.

Sunday School.—Morning, 9.30; Afternoon, 2.

Meeting for Praise and Prayer on Thursday, at 7.30 p.m.
Sexton—

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MOTTO FOR 1933:

"Faith, Hope, Love . . . the greatest of these is Love." (1 Cor. xiii. 13, R.V.)

THE VICARAGE, ALDRINGHAM,
February 21, 1933.

MY DEAR PARISHIONERS AND FRIENDS—

Year by year, the Season of Lent, which is now drawing near, bids us consider the great fact of human sin, which lies at the root of all the discord in the world to-day. Nowadays the tendency is to think lightly of it, to treat it more as an infirmity, or human failing, than as rebellion against God. But in order to realize its hideousness we have but to look at the Cross of Christ. There we see what it cost to put it away. And, therefore, the first message which Lent brings to us is a call to forsake sin utterly, and to put our trust afresh in Him Who "hath washed away our sins in His own blood." The message of Lent is also a call to surrender, a call to subdue the flesh to the spirit, and also to follow our blessed Master in His life of humility, love, sacrifice, and service. Let us this Lent put more sacrifice into our religion, in other words, give more time to prayer, the reading of the Word of God, and attend more regularly Public Worship and the Holy Communion. We are told that "Lent is just the old Teutonic word *Lenz*, which, being interpreted, means Spring." Now Spring is the season of revival in nature. And may not this be a parable? For if we give ourselves by the grace of the Divine Spirit to the earnest keeping of Lent, and to the living of the truths it proclaims, we shall experience a spiritual revival.

This Lent I am making a new departure. There will be service in Church on Ash Wednesday at 7.30 p.m., but on the five following Wednesdays a Lantern Service in the Parish Room.

Your sincere Friend,

T. W. SEDGWICK.

"PALESTINE"

The third and latest production of the Missionary Film Committee, which is attracting large audiences and earning warm appreciation, is booked for March 28 at the Picture House, Alderburgh, at 2.45 p.m. It is a fascinating film, covering every side of Palestinian life. We are shown Bedouins cooking, eating, striking tent, as they have done since Abraham's time. The first part of the film deals with Palestine as it is to-day. The second portrays the places which our Lord must have known, and the journeys He must have taken—an old house at Nazareth, the village well, the road from Nazareth to the Sea of Galilee, a synagogue at Capernaum, the lake itself and the fishermen. The visit of the film offers an opportunity none should miss.

Men's Service on Sunday, March 26, at 3 p.m. The address will be given by the Rev. S. W. Chorlton, Vicar of Peasenhall.

A Mothers' Union Service will be held on Tuesday, March 21, at 3 p.m. The preacher will be the Rev. C. B. Greaves, Rector of Leiston.

BAPTISM.

"Suffer little children to come unto Me."

Feb. 5. Thirza Annie Staff.