

**Communion Roll Book for
Gloucester Street Presbyterian Church
1881 to 1885**

The congregation of Gloucester Street Presbyterian Church (now Sean McDermott Street)
moved to their present church building in Clontarf in 1890.

Notes on the Communion Roll.

As part of the membership of the Presbyterian Church, the names of those who participate of the Lord's Supper are recorded by the Clerk of Session. This is a transcript of such a recording for Gloucester Street church for the years 1881 to 1885.

Notes:

- The names in the roll book were, of course, not in alphabetical order. However, for ease of reference, I have alphabetised the listing.
- As the handwriting is, at times, indistinct there may be errors in the spelling of names and addresses.
- In parts, the Clerk has drawn a line through certain text and I have duplicated that here. Sometimes the reason can be identified as a change of address but in others it is unclear.
- By Certif. When a member left a congregation, he was issued with a Certificate of Transfer which stated that he/she was a communicant member of that congregation. This certificate was then presented to the Minister of the member's new church and he/she was accepted without having to go through the formalities of becoming a member.
- Reference is made to, for example, "Gone to Adelaide Road" or "Gone to Ormond Quay". This refers to the church which the member was transferring to. "Miss Ch" refers to Mission Church which was in Great Britain Street (Pearse St) and later Jervis Street.
- "X" under the year indicates that the person partook of the Lord's Supper during that year.

Name		Residence	Comments	1881	1882	1883	1884	1885
Mrs.	Agnew	5 Lower Buckingham St. 28 N. Summer St.		X	X	X	X	X
C.	Agnew	5 Lower Buckingham St. 28 N. Summer St.		X	X	X	X	X
Mr. E. E.	Agnew	18 Wexford St. (Businnes Pl)	Sep. 81 Gene to London	X	X	X	X	X
Edward	Armour	11 Charlemont Terr.		X	X	X	X	X
Mary	Armour (Mrs.)	11 Charlemont Terr.		X	X	X	X	X
Annie	Armour (niece)	11 Charlemont Terr.		X	X	X	X	X
F	Bankhead	77 Gloucester St. Faircourt Balbriggan	From St. Thomas Ep. Ch.			X		
J.M.	Barclay	49 Charleville Av.	Left	X	X			
	Barclay Mrs.	49 Charleville Av.	Left	X				
L. H.	Barklie	74 Heytesbury St.	Visitor			X		
Thomas	Benson	18 Richmond Cottage	(By Certif. Ormond Quay)		X	X	X	X
Louisa	Benson (daughter)	18 Richmond Cottage	(By Certif. Ormond Quay)		X	X	X	X
Effie	Black	Kingstown				X		
James	Black, Elder			X	X	X	X	X
Thomas	Blyth	8 Charlemont Terr.		X	X	X	X	X
Ian E	Blyth	8 Charlemont Terr. "		X	X	X		
Wm.	Breakey	5 Lower Sackville St.		X				
William	Breakey	5 Lower Sackville St.		X	X	X	X	X
Mrs.	Broomfield	27 Lr. Pembroke St. 4 Preston St.	(Keary)			X	X	X

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Margt.	Brown (Wid) Sextoness	Lr. Rutland Sq.		X	X	X	X	X
Isabella	Buchanan	29 Upr. Rutland St.	Gone to Scotland	X				
Maria	Cantwell	14 N. Summer St.	Left	X	X			
James	Carlyle	44 Belvedere P	Gone to Ormond Quay			X		
Mrs.	Carlyle	44 Belvedere P	Gone to Ormond Quay			X		
Alex	Colquhoun	4 Preston St.				X	X	X
Mrs.	Cormack	185 Church Road		X		X	X	X
Alex	Cormack Jr.	185 Church Road	Gone to Union Chap.	X	X	X	X	X
Mrs.	Couser]	8 Northbrook Avenue.	Left. Gone to other side of city	X	X			
Lizzie	Couser. Daughter]	8 Northbrook Avenue		X	X			
R. W.	Couser. Son]	8 Northbrook Avenue		X	X			
Adam	Couser.. Son]	8 Northbrook Avenue		X	X			
Wm.	Crawford	St. Laurence Road, Clontarf		X	X	X	X	X
Mrs.	Crawford (Margt)	St. Laurence Road, Clontarf		X	X	X	X	X
Hugh	Croskery	5 Foyle Terr. Philipsburgh Av.		X	X	X	X	X
	Croskery. Miss	5 Foyle Terr. Philipsburgh Av.		X	X	X	X	X
	Croskery. Mrs	5 Foyle Terr. Philipsburgh Av.	Deceased	X	X	X	X	
E	Denniston					X	X	
Isabella	Denniston						X	X
Alex	Dobson (Miss)	10 Lr. Gloster St.	Visitor. Left			X	X	
Rebecca	Dobson (Miss)	10 Lower Gloucester St.	Left			X	X	
James	Drew. Sexton	12 Upr. Gloster. P.		X				
James	Duncan	12 Lower Gloster. P.	Died Aug. 8 1881	X				
Margaret	Duncan	13 Lower Gardiner S		X	X	X		X

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Eliza	Duncan	31 Eccles St. Living at Booterstown		X	X	X		
Thos.	Duncan	5 North Summer St.		X	X	X	X	X
Sarah	Duncan Mrs.	5 North Summer St.		X	X	X	X	X
Wm	Duncan	5 North Summer St.		X	X	X	X	X
J. F.	Duncan, MD	8 Upr. Merrion Street	Staying at Brighton (Oct '82 to April '83)	X	X	X		X
E. C.	Duncan (Mrs.)	8 Upr. Merrion Street	Staying at Brighton (Oct '82 to April '83)	X	X	X		X
Georgina M.	Emerson	21 Portland Place.	21 Portland Place.	X	X			
Elizabeth	Emerson (Mrs.)	21 Portland Place.	Left for Holywood, Co. Down. Sep. '82	X	X			
James	Finlay	10 Richmond Av. Fairview		X	X	X	X	X
Ellen	Finlay (Mrs.)	10 Richmond Av. Fairview		X	X	X	X	X
Maggie	Finlay	10 Richmond Av. Fairview		X	X	X	X	X
Bella	Finlay. Miss	10 Richmond Av.						X
John	Fleming	5 Berkeley Road	Died	X				
M. J.	Fleming (Miss)	Merrion Sq.		X	X	X	X	X
Sarah	Fleming (Mrs.)	2 The Crescent Clontarf	Left	X	X	X	X	
Robert	Forrest	6 Henrietta P.	Gone to America	X				
John	Forrest	16 Up. Sackville St.	Gone to be Sexton at Rutland Sq.	X				
Agnes	Frizell	38 Summer Hill		X	X	X	X	X
Annie	Gibson	31 Eccles St.					X	
Annie	Gibson (Miss)	Laurence Road. Clontarf Mrs. Crawford's sister		X	X			

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Agnes	Govan	Dundrum	Dead					
John	Govan (Landsteward)	Dundrum	Gone to Sandymount	X	X			
James	Grassick	Foyle Terrace, Philipsburgh Avenue						X
Mrs.	Grassick	Foyle Terrace, Philipsburgh Avenue						X
James	Henderson	4 Ellen Terr. Fontenoy St.		X	X	X	X	
Emily	Henderson (Mrs.)	4 Ellen Terr. Fontenoy St.		X		X	X	
Wm.	Henderson	29 Goldsmith Street	Left		X			
Agnes	Henderson	29 Goldsmith Street	Left		X			
Thos. E	Henderson	14 Seville P.	Left By Certif. Ap. '82 Gone to Ormond Quay		X	X		
Mrs.	Holmes	31 Lr. Rutland St.						X
John	Humphry	Seaview House, Clontarf		X	X	X	X	X
Lizzie	Humphry Mrs	Seaview House, Clontarf		X	X	X	X	X
Matthew	Hunter	12 Portland St. N.						X
Mrs.	Hunter (Wife)	12 Portland St. N.						X
John	Irwin	2 Whitworth Road, Off Seville P.	(Meath)			X		
Jane	Irwin (Mrs.)	2 Whitworth Road, Off Seville P.	(Meath)			X		
Jas.	Irwin						X	X
Mrs.	Jervise	89 93 Amiens St.		X	X			
Emily J	Jones (Miss O'Donnell)	54 Upper Sackville		X	X	X	X	X

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Robert	Kay	11 Charleville Mall	Gone to Miss. Ch.	X	X			
————	Kay Mrs	11 Charleville Mall	Gone to Miss. Ch.					
J.	Kerse	Mary St.		X	X	X	X	
Mrs.	Kerse (Marion)	Mary St.		X	X	X	X	
James	Kirk	49 Upper Rutland St.	Left			X		
George	Lamont	Spencer Av.						X
James	Lillie	4 Northcourt Av. Ch. Road	Gone to Belfast	X	X	X		
	Lillie Mrs	22 Newfoundland Street	Gone to Belfast	X				
Mrs.	Lyle	3 New Mayor St.						X
David	Mackie	146 Seaview Tce. Ch. Rd. 40 Strand Rd 75 Lr. Gloucester St.	Left	X	X	X	X	
Mrs.	Mackie	40 North Strand. 146 Seaview Terr. Ch. Road. 75 Maul?? Terrace	Left	X	X		X	
James	Magennis (Colp.)	53 Marlboro St.	Gone to Lisburn	X				
Michael	Mangan	6 Richmond Cottages	(By Certif. Miss Ch.)		X	X	X	X
Elis.	Mangan (Mrs)	6 Richmond Cottages	(By Certif. Miss Ch.)		X	X	X	X
Ellen M.	Mangan Miss	Woodbine Cottage						X
Elizabeth	Mangan Miss	Woodbine cottage						X
Eliza J.	Matchett (Mrs.)	12 Thomas St.]	Left	X	X	X		
John	Matchett. Elder	12 Thomas St.]	Left	X	X	X		
Charlotte	McAllan (Miss)	3 Royal Canal Terr.	From N. King St. Ind. Ch. Left			X	X	X
Thomas	McCallum	7 Spencer St. Philipsburgh Ave 11 D'Olier Street	Gone to Belfast	X	X	X	X	X

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Mrs.	McCallum	7 Spencer St. Philipsburgh Ave 11 D'Olier Street	Gone to Belfast	X	X	X	X	X
	McDonnell Mrs.	11 Richmond Place						X
John	McGibbon	23 Richmond P. 24 Cullenswood	Gone to America	X	X	X	X	X
Annie	McGibbon (Mrs)	23 Richmond P. 24 Cullenswood	Gone to America	X	X	X	X	X
John	McNee	3 St. Helen's Terr	Left	X	X	X		
Mrs	McNee	Clonliffe Road	Left	X	X	X		
John	McVittie	34 Montpelier Hill	From Ormond Quay Left			X	X	
	McWade Mrs	46 Windsor Av. Fairview						X
Archibald	Meikle	102 Seville Place	Gone to Scotland. July '81					
Mrs.	Meikle	102 Seville Place	Gone to Scotland. July '81					
Josiah R	Middleton	11 Phillipsburg Av. Fairview		X	X	X	X	X
Lizzie	Middleton (Mrs)	11 Phillipsburg Av. Fairview		X	X	X	X	X
Mrs.	Milne (Anabella)	24 Cullenswood	Gone to America	X	X	X	X	
E. B.	Moore (Mrs. Wm)	The Manse	Left	X	X	X		
Daniel	Muir	5 Up. Mayor St.		X	X	X	X	X
	Muir (Mrs)							
Mary	Mulloy (Miss)	15 Mountjoy St.	Left	X	X	X	X	
Samuel	Nevin	25 Dorset St. Pleasant St.	Gone to Adelaide Road	X	X	X	X	
William Elliott	O'Donnell	54 Upr. Sackville St.						X
Mary	O'Hara	33 Eccles St. Serv.	Adelaide Road. Left			X	X	

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James W.	Patrick	Butler's Med. Hall, Sackville St. 18 Grafton Street	(By Cert. Drumkeen). Left Gone to Adelaide Road		X			
Jose	Pauly	33 Gt. Charles St.	Gone to Spain	X				
Margt.	Percy	17 Lr. Rutland St. Bella St.		X	X	X	X	X
	Porter Mrs.	26 St. James Terrace, Clonliffe						X
Jeremiah H.	Reid	5 North Summer St.		X	X	X	X	X
Martha	Reid (Mrs)	Seaview Av. Church Road					X	X
L. H.	Richards (Miss)	5 N. Summer St.	Friend of Mrs. Duncan Visitor			X		
James	Ritchie	5 Victoria St.	Gone to Adelaide Road	X	X	X		
Sarah	Robinson	2 Westmoreland St.	Left by Certif. Apr '82	X				
Alex.	Ross	5 St. Helen's Terr.	(By Certif. Rathgar)		X	X	X	X
A	Ross (Mrs)	5 St. Helen's Terr.	(By Certif. Rathgar)		X	X		
John Howard	Ross	Upton Lodge, Drumcondra						X
Emilie	Ross (wife)	Upton Lodge, Drumcondra						X
N. L.	Runson						X	X
Walter	Scott	46 Mary St.	Left	X	X	X	X	
Jas. H.	Scott	Anna Lodge, Clontarf	By Certif Union Chapel. Gone to London			X	X	
Henrietta	Scott (Mrs)	Woodville Cottage, Raheny	By Certif Union Chapel. Gone to London			X	X	
Elisa	Simpson (Widow)	49 Poolbeg St.	Left	X				

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Mrs.	Small (Wid)	4 College Terrace	From Bailieborough			X	X	X
F. M.	Small (daughter)	4 College Terrace				X	X	
Wm.	Smith	23 Lower Rutland St. 75 Lower Gloucester St.		X	X		X	X
S. C..	Smith Mrs	23 Lower Rutland St. 75 Lower Gloucester St.		X	X	X	X	X
John	Somerville	30 Guild St. Russels Cottages, Ch.Road. Holys Av. Strand Road N.	Left. Gone to Belfast	X	X	X		
Mary	Somerville (Mrs)	30 Guild St. Russels Cottages, Ch.Road. Holys Av. Strand Road N.	Left. Gone to Belfast	X	X	X		
John	Taylor	41 Lr. Buckingham St.	Certif. per W. Pottinger			X		
	Taylor (Mrs)	41 Lr. Buckingham St.	"			X		
James	Thuillier	9 Vavasour Sq.		X	X			
Amity	Thuillier	9 Vavasour Sq.		X	X			
Agnes	Todd	11 Seville P.				X	X	X
Mrs.	Todd (Agnes)	11 Seville P.		X	X	X	X	X
Isabella	Todd	11 Seville P.		X	X	X	X	X
Mary Jane	Todd	11 Seville P.	By Exam.			X	X	X
A	Turkington	Colporteur at Carlow	Visitor			X		
Wm.	Wallace	77 Lombard St. West 4 College View, Clonliffe Rd.	Gone to Belfast	X	X	X	X	X
Dora	Wallace. Mrs	77 Lombard St. West 4 College View, Clonliffe Rd.		X	X	X	X	X
Wm. T.	Watson	1 Richmond Av. Fairview		X	X	X	X	X
Kate	Watson	1 Richmond Av. Fairview		X	X	X	X	X

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George	Watson	Willowbrook Clontarf						X
Wm.	Watson. Elder	1 Richmond Av. Fairview		X	X	X	X	X
Mary	Watson. Mrs.	1 Richmond Av. Fairview		X	X	X	X	X
Mrs.	Winchester	Charlemont Terrace	Gone to Scotland		X	X	X	