

Church News

Baverstock

On Tuesday, the 19th inst., the Visitation of the Ven. William E. Hony, B.D., Rector of Baverstock, and Archdeacon of Sarum, was held in the parish church of St. Thomas for the Deaneries of Amesbury and Wilton. Divine Service commenced at eleven o'clock A.M. The prayers were read by the Rev. W. Renaud, the Curate, and the sermon was preached by the Rev. Mark Cooper, Incumbent of Bramshaw. After the service was concluded, the usual proclamation being made, the names of the Clergy were called over by the Registrar, when the Archdeacon delivered an admirable charge to them, an abstract of which we hope to be enabled next week to place before our readers. At the conclusion, the churchwardens came forward, and made their presentments, and those elected at Easter last were admitted into office, when the proceedings terminated. The Archdeacon and Clergy afterwards dined together at the White Hart Hotel. On the following day, the Visitation was held at Hindon, and on Thursday at Warminster.

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The Lord Bishop of Salisbury administered the sacred ordinance of confirmation to 162 persons of the parishes of Baverstock, Dinton, Teffont, Barford, Compton, Fovant and Chilmark on Tuesday last.

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