

BELL DEDICATION MEDALLIONS AND SOUVENIR MEDALS



'ST JOHN'S PARRAMATTA DEDICATION OF THE BELLS MAY 26TH 1925'

Copper Height 29mm

No other distinguishing marks shown



'ALL SAINTS, GOSFORTH CONSECRATED 1887 EDIFICE COMPLETED 1897 ANNO SEXAGESIMO VICTORIAE R.I. BELLS HUNG EASTER 1901 ANNO PRIMO EDWARDI VII R.I.'



'Presented to the Wargrave Bell Ringer W Elsley by William E Cain, Walgrave Manor to commemorate the re-consecration of the Parish Church 22nd July 1916'



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'CAST FROM METAL OF THE BURNHAM CHURCH BELL 1440'

This medallion was cast around 1910 as part of the fund raising towards a new ring of bells for Burnham Church, Essex, in 1911. It was cast at a local foundry, Mildmay Ironworks.



Great Bell of York Minster 1845 souvenir medal

White metal 44mm diameter Engraver J Davis

Obverse: 'QUEEN VICTORIA & PRINCE ALBERT' with their conjoined busts

Reverse: 'THE GREAT BELL OF YORK MINSTER
CAST BY C & G MEARS LONDON JAN 18 1845
7^F 4^I HIGH 8^F 4^I DIA 12½ TONS W^T



Left: 'BELL METAL & WOOD OF YORK MINSTER BURNT MAY 20 1840'

Bell metal 35mm diameter

Right: 'Oak & Bell Metal of York Minster burnt May 20 1840'

Bell metal 40mm diameter

Both: Plain reverse Lacks wooden element



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St John's Church, Newtown, Tasmania, was built in 1835. In 1916 its original bell fractured, and it was decided to melt down the bell into medals, which could be sold to raise funds for a replacement bell

