CHESTER DIOCESAN GUILD (founded 1887)



Version A (i)

Bell shape, brass with blue enamel, canons not enamelled Length 23mm

Brooch fastening with plain reverse No manufacturer shown but known to be Fattorini of Birmingham

Badge designed by J W Clarke in 1961

'Authority was given for the production of a Guild badge to be sold to members.' Chester Diocesan Guild Report for 1960

'1000 Guild Badges were purchased at a cost of £83 11s 0d.' Chester Diocesan Guild Report for 1961



Version A (ii)

As above, but canons enamelled



Version B

As Version A (ii) but change in enamel colour

'A fresh supply of badges has been ordered and will be sold to the branches for resale to members.' 'The Ringing World' 15.vii.1977 p617