

FINCHLEY. Sources

New frame in 1932. Gillett & Johnston catalogue

1770 as cast. Before tuning. Whitechapel Foundry day book 216/97

1847 8-2-25 order from the Parish of Finchley. Old bell 9-0-16. Whitechapel Foundry day book 40
"Dove and C J Pickford give weight of tenor bell as 8-0-25 so assume the difference being after being
retuned by Warner in 1912 and again retuned by G & J in 1931" VP note

Tower medieval. C Hibbert *London's churches* p. 114

Peal board. Bells: eight. LMAS *Transactions* vol.18 (1955)

6 bells in A flat 8-0-25 in 1932. Gillett & Johnston *Ringing peals*

July 1894 bought six bell ropes @ 10s 6d each as per order H Wainwright. Whitechapel Foundry day
book 197/97

31/12/1892 The canons of the 2nd and 3rd bells were cut off by order of W Howe, churchwarden,
Dunholme, Cyprus Road Finchley Whitechapel Foundry day book 133

Miss R Webb. Ordinary ringing member. MCALDG *Annual report* 1918

6 bells 9 cwt in 1770. *Bell founding from the Armada to the Great War*

January 28th 1950. Dedication of 2 trebles, one in memory Charles T Coles. *Ringing world* February
10th 1950 p. 91 [\[See photocopy in suspension file\]](#)

Thursday November 22nd 1888. North Middlesex Association of Change Ringers. A peal of 720
changes of Plain Bob Minor by the following members of this Association: H Martin, F Sparks, T Card,
J Cornell, C Martin, C Crampton. This is the first peal by the Association. Revd S Bardsley M A,
Rector. H. F. Brooks and T. T. Sturtevant Churchwardens. Thomas Card Steeplekeeper. From peal
board.

The Revd S Bardsley was the Rector at the time when six members of the Middlesex Association
rang the first peal on the bells. Tuesday January 13th 1891. The ringers were: F Russell, F Sparks, G
H Martin, C W Tucker, W H Tubb, F Carroway (conductor) [Source?]

1	c 26"	3-3-22	Gillett & Johnston 1950
2	c 26"	4-0-7	Gillett & Johnston 1950
3	26 ½"	4-0-14	Pack & Chapman 1770
4	c 27"	4-2-16	Pack & Chapman 1770
5	29"	4-2-22	Pack & Chapman 1770
6	29 ½"	5-0-22	T Mears 1864
7	c 33"	6-2-15	Pack & Chapman 1770
8	37"	8-0-25	C & G Mears 1847

Clock:

21" No founder 1783 *Schedule of bells*

Clock bell by Chapman & Mears. Walters TLMAS *transactions* vol. 19 p.57

The treble bell [now the third] was cast in 1770, when George III was king, inscribed:
GOOD PEOPLE ALL WHO HEAR US RING
BE FAITHFUL TO YOUR GOD AND KING. *Bell news and ringers' record* 24/06/1893.

25 years ago: "Two new bells were dedicated at St Mary's Finchley, one of these being inscribed to the memory of Charles T Coles, secretary of the Middlesex County Association 1910-1945" *Ringing world* February 7th 1975 p. 121

All slips transcribed. PN 2021