

NORFOLK PRESBYTERY
BAYSIDE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
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WOMEN OF THE CHURCH HISTORY.



Mrs. Ernest D. Ney
Presented Lifetime Honorary Membership
in The Women Of The Church, Presbyterian Church, U.S.
December 18, 1962

On Sunday, the 28th of November, 1948, the first Sunday School and Church Service was held here at Bayside, or Robbins Corner in those days. Not quite two months later, on January 16th, 1949, our dear friends the Neys came to services in this small chapel (folding chairs, a piano, and two oil stoves), and they have been strong columns in our Church ever since--in Sunday School, Men's Work, and Women's Work. Mrs. Ney worked in the Sunday School for several years and was Superintendent of the Children's Division (ages 4-14) for our first Vacation Church School before the Church was organized by Presbytery on October 25, 1953.

Mrs. Ney's Womens Work began in 1949 as Secretary and Treasurer. As our second President, she followed in the footsteps of our first, Mrs. S. K. Emurian, in laying the groundwork, both spiritual and material, for the Women of Bayside to build their organization on. Her offices in the Women of the Church have been many, and she has always been most helpful and encouraging with a wonderful smile for everyone who has come in contact with her.

Helen, on behalf of the Women of Bayside Presbyterian Church, it is indeed an honor for me to present to you this Lifetime Honorary Membership in the Women of the Church, Presbyterian Church U. S.. We are proud to place this first pin we have given on you, and will always remember you as our close and inspiring friend, Mrs. Ernest D. Ney.