

them, are imported in greater Number than those excellent Writings, which God hath enabled great and good Men to write, as Antidotes against them.

The Reverend Mr. *Samuel Johnson*, Missionary at *Stratford*, writes, the 7th of *September*, 1736, and thanks the Society for appointing the Reverend Mr. *Arnold*, Itinerant-Missionary, and thereby easing him of no small Part of the Burthen, which lay upon him. He says, he hath still three Parishes, and the half of a fourth, under his Care, all within the Bounds of *Stratford* Town, viz. The first Parish is *Stratford*, and the Parishes or Villages of *Ripton* and *Unity*, and part of *Stratfield*. He proposes hereafter, to preach once in two Months at *Ripton*, about eight Miles distant, and sometimes at *Norwalke*, which is about 20 Miles distant from *Stratford*, where there is a considerable number of People. He writes, that he hath admitted to the Communion since his last 22, and baptized 29, whereof three were Adults, and two of them Negroes, he baptized also two Negroe Children.

*Several of the MISSIONARIES in New-York, New-Jersey, Pensilvania, and Carolina, have transmitted the following Accounts.*

The Reverend Mr. *Stoupe*, Missionary at *New-Rochel*, in his Letter the 16th of *November*, 1736, writes, that the Church at that Place continues in a prosperous Condition, that the People do regularly attend Divine Service at all Seasons, that the last Time he had 36 at the