

## What the Church Stands For

**The Church** in the Diocese of Huron has had fifty years of independent history. Fifty years ago this Diocese was set apart from the Diocese of Toronto, and now we celebrate the Jubilee.

The passing of such a landmark is always a solemn occasion. It is so in the history of the Church. It is a time for taking stock, as it were, of our position, history and prospects — of what we stand for, what we have done, what we hope to do.

What, then, does the Church of England stand for?

### **1. First of all, the Church of England stands for the Divine origin of the Church.**

We believe that the founder of the Church is Jesus Christ; that He not only revealed the true ideal of life for men, the true goal on which our eyes must always be fixed, but that He also established a system of means, a society, for realizing that ideal, an actual society of men and women to exemplify the new life and to carry on His work on earth after His Ascension.