

Church services were attempted at Kettleby by Rev. H. B. Osler in 1847, but were unsuccessful. Canon Osler has written that "about 1845 Septimus Tyrwhitt, Esq., and his brother had arranged to build a memorial church. The bricks were burnt, plans were prepared; but the financial troubles of 1847 put a stop to the building. Some time after they deeded to the Synod of Toronto fifty acres of land as a site for a church burial ground, etc., the balance as an endowment. In February, 1866, a Friday evening service once a fortnight was commenced in a schoolhouse, known as Terry's schoolhouse. In 1867 a Friday evening service was commenced in Proctor's schoolhouse. Both these schoolhouses were about a mile from the village of Kettleby." The present stone church, which is reputed to be one of the finest country churches in the diocese, was built in the village of Kettleby in 1891. This church was also built during the ministry of Rev. E. W. Sibbald at a cost of \$3,000.

About the year 1907, when Rev. J. E. Gibson was rector, services were commenced on the eighth concession of King in what is known as Northview Orange Hall. These services have been continued regularly ever since and the attendance has justified its existence.

During a period of seventy-five years every congregation has its ups and downs, its bright days and dark days, and this parish has been no exception to the rule.

Following are the names of the clergy who have been rectors of this parish during its long and eventful history:

Rev. H. B. Osler,	-	-	1843-1874
Rev. E. Hoskin,	-	-	1874-1877
Rev. C. Dundas,	-	-	1877-1879
Rev. E. Soward,	-	-	1879-1881
Rev. H. D. Cooper,	-	-	1883-1885
Rev. E. W. Sibbald,	-	-	1887-1895
Rev. E. Etherington (locum tenens),			1893-94
Rev. T. L. Williams,	-	-	1895-1897
Rev. J. E. Hand,	-	-	1898-1900
Rev. C. J. Batstone,	-	-	1901-1902
Rev. R. Perdue,	-	-	1902-1904
Rev. H. C. Aylwin,	-	-	1904-1906
Rev. J. E. Gibson,	-	-	1906-1910
Rev. J. H. Colclough,	-	-	1911

There are several of the former rectors who have entered into rest, viz.: Rev. H. B. Osler, Rev. E. Hoskin, Rev. H. D. Cooper, and Rev. H. C. Aylwin.

About two years ago, owing to the apparent necessity of a new church, the present rector undertook to