

St. Andrew's Church

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SEWARD, NEBRASKA

July 9, 1966

Mrs. Harry Bowes,  
Grace Episcopal Church,  
521 North Chicago,  
Madison, South Dakota.

Dear Mrs. Bowes,

I have received from the Rev. Canon Walter H. Jones the offer to serve at Grace Church, Madison, and its associated towns. I have written to the canon a letter of acceptance. I should first wish to express my thanks to you and the bishop's committee for asking me to come, and I assure you that the Adams family will do all in their power to justify your confidence. We are looking forward to making new friends, and serving in your area.

There are a few questions I would like to ask. Since we will have to send out many changes of address cards, would you tell me the addresses both of the apartment, and the rectory. Not omitting the zip code number!! We expect to arrive around the 1st of September, which fortunately comes in the middle of the week! However, since David will be attending high school we ought to know when it starts. If it does not open until after Labor Day Sept 1st will still be day to come. However, our school here begins on August 29th! If your high school does open before Sept 1st we ought to get to Madison sooner!

Also, regarding the apartment....we do have a dog!! She is not vicious, and not noisy, and long since house-broken! She is a real part of the family and we would hope that there would be no restrictions on her account! Canon Jones gave me to understand that Madison would make the arrangements about transporting our furniture, so I suppose whoever does this job will contact us in good time. I mention this, because when we moved from Minneapolis the moving van came the day before, and we were not exactly prepared!! There may be some other matters you might think we ought to know!

Yours sincerely,

*Roman J Adams*