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Ordered That the Church Wardens do take and possess the great Pew next to the vestry for their place in the Church.

This vestry Adjorned

At a vestry held for the Parish of St James in Ann Arrundl County at the Parish Church on the ffourth Day of August Anno Domine 1702.

Present: Mr Henry Hall Minister, Coll Wm Holland, Mr Anthony Smith — Present: Mr Abraham Birckhead, Mr Josias Lowgood Jnr, John Beecher Clk Jnr.

Ordered That Mr Josias Lowgood & John Beecher Subscribe to the Test, Their Oaths having bin Administred according to Law.

Maryland August the 4th 1702

Wee the Subscribers doe Declare that wee doe believe that there is not any Transubstantiation in the Sacrament of the Lords Supper, or in the Ellement of Bread & Wine, at or after the Consecration thereof, by any Person or Persons whatsoever

Jn Beecher Regr

Ordered That the Clark of the vestry do Write several Bills of Exchange payable unto Mr Henige Robison or's Ordr for the Use of the vestry of St James Parish in Ann Arrundl County, & that the sd Clark do deliver the sd Bills (unto those pticular Persons who have not paid their Subscriptions, or certain Summs of Money) for to be Signd & Delivered for those Uses before Nominated & Appointed in ffol: 38.

Ordered That Mr Henige Robison buy the Plate to be used at the Offertory & Celebration of the Blessed Sacrament of the Lords Supper.

Ordered That every pticular piece of Plate have (these words) St James Parish Engraven on it.

Ordered That the Hono:ble Thomas Lench Esqr be discharged from being a vestry Man.

Ordered That Mr Richard Harwood be Elected in his room & stead.

This vestry Adjorn'd to the house of Mr Josias Lowgood.

At a vestry held for the Parish of St James in Ann Arrundl County at the House of Mr Josias Lowgood on the first Day of September Anno Domini 1702.

Present: Mr Henry Hall Minister, Coll Wm Holland, Capt Seth Biggs (Absent), Mr Josias Lowgood, Mr Anthony Smith, Mr Edmund Evens Jnr Church Warden — Mr Richd Harwood Jnr, Mr Abrm Birckhead Abst.

Ordered That Mr Josias Lowgood do desire Mr Richd Beard to meet the vestry at the Parish Church of St James on the 22d Day of this Instant, in Order to Runn out 100 Acres of Land for the Glebe.

Ordered That the Church Wardens do goe to the House of John Thornbury & Admonish the sd John & Ann Powel (widow) That they from henceforth do forbear frequenting & cohabiting one an others company, & if they will not adhere to Reproof, to proceed against them both according to Law

This vestry Adjourned unto the Parish Church.

At a vestry held for the Parish of St James in Ann Arrundl County at the Parish Church on the 22d Day of Septembr Anno Domini 1702.

The Reverend Mr Henry Hall, Mr Josias Lowgood, Mr Abrm Birckhead — Present: Mr Richd Harwood, Mr Edmund Evanes Ch: Warden, John Beecher Clk.

When Mr Richd Beard runn & laid out One Hundred Acres of Land for the Glebe for the Use of this Parish.

At a vestry held for the Parish of St James in Ann Arrundl County at the Parish Church on the 27th Day of Septembr Anno Domini 1702