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ALL SAINTS' PARISH CHURCH, BRAUNSTON.

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Dedication of New Altar. On Monday, 20th July, at 7.30 p.m., Bishop Otter-Barry will dedicate the new Altar as a memorial to the late Rev. H.E. Ruddy, who gave faithful service as Rector of this parish from 1940 to 1958. The Altar, designed by Mr. Geo. Pace, is a fitting memorial to a worthy priest. We trust that all who knew Mr. Ruddy will attend Holy Communion on this occasion. Incidentally, this will be the last occasion on which Bishop Otter-Barry will visit our Parish.

Confirmation. On May 20th, in Preston Capes Parish Church, Bishop Otter-Barry confirmed Erica Hyde, Nicole Taplin, Michelle Taplin and Hazel Williams. We hope that they will grow daily to be faithful servants of Christ. While thinking of them, we remember all who have been confirmed, and ask - What does the Order of Confirmation mean in their lives? Many thanks are due to Canon S.F.W. Powell and the Rev. Peter Westwood for conducting services on May 24th last.

To Mr. Geo. Green and Mr. W.S. Harrison, we would like to express gratitude for their work as Managers of Braunston Church of England Controlled School over a number of years. This has entailed sacrificing time for the benefit of the school. We welcome Mr. Derek Shaw and Mr. D.A. Gallie as our new Managers. We also thank Mrs. Janet Foxwell, who is leaving the School at the end of this term. The children and all concerned with the welfare of the School will miss her valuable services. We welcome Mrs. P.M. Camp who is due to join the Staff next term.

Holy Baptism. June 14th. Michelle Ann Overton.

Burial. May 27th Frederick William Rushall.

June 19th William Ferguson Long.

We were shocked to hear of the sudden death of Mr. Fred Rushall on the eve of his Golden Wedding. A member of the Church Choir for almost 50 years, he served on various Committees in the Parish, and his jovial presence will be missed by all. To Mrs. Rushall and all his family and relatives we offer our sincere sympathy.

We also offer our condolences to Mrs. Long and her family on the death of Mr. Long. May the souls of God's faithful servants Rest in Peace.

Altar Flowers.

July 5th and 12th.

July 19th and 26th.

Miss G. Aviss.

Mrs. R. Dodd.

Mrs. J. Long.

Services for July.

July 5th. H.C. 8 a.m., Matins 10 a.m., Evensong 6.30 p.m. July 12th & 19th. H.C. 8 a.m. and 9.30 a.m., Evensong 6.30 p.m. July 26th. H.C. 8 a.m., Evensong 6.30 p.m. There will be NO SUNDAY SCHOOL during July and August, and also please note that there will be NO service of Holy Communion at 9.30 a.m. on July 26th.

The Daventry Soroptomist Club wish to thank the people of Braunston who supported them at various functions to raise money for an AMBULIFT for Danetre Hospital. This was presented to the Hospital on Wednesday, 27th May by Mrs. E. Hupfield, Immediate Past President, and was said to be the greatest boon to the Nursing profession for years.

Braunston C. of E. School. As a result of the sponsored Swim held at the School on Saturday, 20th June, in glorious sunshine, it is expected to raise over £265. Grateful thanks are extended to all who helped in every way, however small, to make this effort such a huge success. More detailed results will be distributed in the near future when all the money has been collected. It is hoped that all swimmers will have handed in their money by 30th June. This is an OPEN evening at School, and Mrs. Oakensen will be pleased to accept all outstanding money then.

## Braunston Friendly Club.

The outing to Henley-on-Thames on 8th June took place on a perfect day, and was enjoyed by everyone who went. Again, the weather was hot and sunny for our Garden Party at Mrs. Chambers' house. Funds were augmented by the sum of £9. In July, on the 13th, we go to Ashby-St-Ledgers, and at our meeting on July 27th, Lady Drucquer will speak to us. An evening trip has been arranged for August 24th at 4.30 p.m.

## Braunston W.I.

We had an excellent demonstration at our June meeting. The subject was Corn Dollies, and the speaker Mrs. Earle of Great Houghton. Both the talk and the show were greatly enjoyed. The July meeting will include a talk on Beauty Culture by Mrs. V. Jones of the Beauty Counsellor Service. The competition will be a sculpture in soap. Our entry in the County Show did not gain a place, but we gained high marks with the craft work.

## Braunston Young Wives.

A talk by Mr. Elliott on behalf of Action for the Crippled Child was the topic at our meeting on 11th June. Mr. Elliott explained the different methods of collecting money, house to house collection, coffee mornings, sponsored walks etc. Then how the money is distributed to various research centres, whose main task is researching into Crippling Diseases. Our thanks to Mr. Elliott for giving such an interesting talk. The vote of thanks was given by Mrs. E. Stephenson.

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