BRAUNSTON FARISH CHURCH.

The Rev. W.B. Griffiths. Braunston (Tel.Rugby 890235). The Rector: The Rectory, I

April 7th (PALM SUNDAY).

Mattins 10 a.m., Sunday School 10.45a.m.

H.C. 8 a.m., Mattil Evensong 6.30 p.m.

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, 1Holy Communion 9 a.m. Evensong 7.60 p.m.

Mattins 9 a.m., 10.45 a.m. Children's Service, 2 F.m. to 3 p.m. Devotions, Evensong 7 p.m.

Holy Communion 9 a.m. and 7 p.m.

MAUNDY THURSDAY

GOOD FRIDAY

HOLY SATURDAY

Mattins 9 a.m., Decorating Church 10 a.m., Evensong 7 p.m. EASTER DAY (April 14th).

April 21st.

April 28th.

Holy Communion 7 a.m., 8 a.m., Family Communion 10.30 a.m. Evensong 6.30 p.m.

H.C. 8 a.m. & 9.30 a.m., Sunday School 10.45 a.m. Evensong 6.30 p.m. H.C. 8 a.m. (No service at 9.30 a.m.)., Sunday School 10.45 a.m., Evensong 6.30 p.m.

The Vestry Meeting was held at the Church on March 12th. The following appointments were made. Church Wardens Mr. J.V. Sanders and Mr. W.E. Calloway. Deputy Wardens Mr. J.W. Woodall and Mr. Feter Green. The Varney Charity Report was accepted. The Annual General Meeting followed immediately afterwards. The Parochial Church Council was appointed en bloc, with the addition of Mr. Frank Cox. Reports were received from the re-appointed with the addition of Mr. Frank Cox. Reports were received from the Treasurer, Mr. J.V. Sanders, the Secretary, Mrs. J.W. Woodall, The Fabric of the Church, Mr. W.E. Calloway, Keeper of the Rolls, Miss Sheila Rowley. We have 137 on our Electoral Roll. The Rector gave his report, and compared 1973 with 1972. The following statistics were given:

1973. 1972.	66	50	75 75	TOTAL TANKS		7	6	n. 1699 1663
一年 一日	Easter Communicants.	Easter Week Communicants,	Whit Sunday	Christmas	Baptisms.	Weddings.	Burials.	Acts of Communion,

Choral Evensong was held in Church on Saturday March 9th. Choirs came from St. Martins Church, Daventry Church, and Nether Heyford. Lessons were read by the Rev. R.G. Stanton, Vicar of St. Martins Church, Coventry, and the Rev. Alan Horsley, Rector of Nether Heyford. The Rev. George Burgon, Vicar ofNorton preached, and we are indebted to him for his Sermon. We congratulate Mr. Tony Allen, who worked so hard to produce such a fine rendering of Evensong. We also congratulate Stephen Hession, who played the Organ. Stephen is only 13 years of age, while Tony is 16 years old. There were over 60 Choristors, andquite a few visitors. We congratulate all for their hard work.

FAWILY COMMUNION - EASTER DAY. at 10.30 a.m. The last Family Communion was well attended, and we hope that there will be an extra large attendance at Easter. CAR TRANSFORT. April 7th. - Mr. Victor Sanders. April 14th - Mr. J.W. Woodall. " 21st. - Mr. Jim Green(Evensong) " 28th - Mrs. S. Rees. We thank Mr. R.J. Farey for his interesting talk on "Symbolism" thurch. We almost had a full complement of our members present. MOTHERS' UNION. We than in the Christian Church.

April 7th. 8 a.m. Mr. G. Thompson; 10 a.m. Mr. Eric Hyde; 6.30 p.m. Mr. Peter Green and Mr. E. Clarke.

" 14th. 7 a.m., Mr. G. Thompson; 8 a.m. Mr. Leslie Thompson; 10.30 a.m. Mr. M. Bush; 6.30 p.m. Mr. W. Woodall and Mr. W.E.Calloway.

" 21st. 8 a.m., Mr. John Williams; 6.30 p.m. Mr. J. Rowley & Mr. J. Green.

" 28th. 8 a.m. Mr. W. Montgomery; 9.30 a.m. Mr. T.E. Jones, 6.30 p.m. Mr. D. Mr. D. A. Gallie.

Easter Day.
April 28th.

Mrs. Rippengen. Mrs. V. Sanders.

St. Giles.
Mrs. Rippengen.
Mrs. C. White.

HOLY BAFTISM. March 17th.

Cremation at Canley. Alfred Frederick SMITH aged 58 years.

Gary READER.

Hannah WALKER, aged 83 years.

May we express our sympathy with Mr. & Mrs. Sam Smith on the sudden de of their brother, also our condolence to Miss Lizzie Walker and Family the death of their Mother. May the Souls of God's Faithful Servants in Feace.

BRAUNSTON METHODIST CHURCH. April 7th. Mr. F. Everett.

21st. Mr. R.F. Gudgeon.

28th Sunday School Anniversary.

Mr. F. Ever Hutchins. Rev. F. Smith on the sudden death Walker and Family 6.15 p.m. on

Rev. E. Holme.

Mr. Roger Hutchins. Rev.

BRAUMSTON SCHOOL F.T.A. We were very pleased to see so many people at the Dance on March 17th. and hope everyone enjoyed themselves. As you know, we are collecting newspapers to help boost our funds, and need further help in this way. We are at present buying speakers for all the classrooms, and hope to curtain the Hall. Next dates to note - Watch for posters advertising a Treasure Hunt in April, Film Show 10th May., R.S.F.C.A. talk 23rd May and of course the School Fete 8th June (with special appearance by Mr. Walter Cornelius, of Blue Feter fame).

brought along by Mr. Barby to our meeting on March 5th. Among these was a wonderful collection of Victorian Hat Pins, also porcelain andpottery, picture cards etc. His talk was an inspiration to all "would be" collectors. The competition for the most interesting piece of Victorian glass showed that many members themselvespossess things of this era. The re-introduction of the social half hour proved a great success - one that we hope to repeat. About 30 members went along to the Group W.I. Meeting at Barby on March 19th. T.V. personality Tom Coyne spoke to us about his many and varied experiences. We were treated to many amusing anecdotes, and given an insight into what goes on behind the screen. Everyone enjoyed the talk. Another feature of the evening was the art exhibition. The display, using diverse art forms, gave evidence of real talent within the group. Next meeting Tuesday 2nd April. Speaker Mrs. M.D. Dickens, subject "Common Market Dishes". Competition Six undecorated Biscuits. worth from pence to pounds, were many

BRAUNSTON FRIENDLY CLUB. April 8th. Concert Party from Woodford Halse.

April 22nd. Mr. Somerville of Moulton Agricultural

College - a Talk on Bees.

BRAUMSTON YOUNG WIVES CLUB. We enjoyed an amusing and entertaining talk at our March Meeting where we saw a demonstration of the Bamix Food Mixer. On April 11th, our Speaker will be Mr. Austin Walker of Malgrave - His talk is entitled "An A.B.C. of Northamptonshire". This will be an open meeting and we shall welcome visitors to hear Mr. Walker.

BRAJUNSTON VILLAGE GARDENS ASSCON. The sale of fertilizers is held every Sunday from 11 a.m. to Noon at the Village Hall - so get your supplies while stocks last. Now that the Rose Bed by the Village Green has been dug and replanted, it is hoped that people will not walk across it, and that rubbish will be placed in the litter bin provided by the bus shelter, and not thrown among the bushes.

FLAY GROUF. A Flay Group Committee has been formed and the first priority fund raising. A Coffee Morning and Bring and Buy Sale has been arranged for Wednesday 24th Afril, 10.30 a.m. at the residence of Mrs. Sheila Hall, 28 H. Street. We shall need used toys in good condition, e.g. tricycles, prams, dolls, jigsaws, books, baby baths, dressing up clothes, wooden bricks etc. Could donors kindly bring anything in this category to the Coffee Morning. and the first priority is 28 High

is welcome BRAUNSTON CONSERVATIVE ASSCCIATION. We are holding a Sherry Party at the Manor, Braunston, by kind permission of Mr. & Miss Thompson, on Sunday 28th April at 12 noon. All proceeds are in aid of the Village Hall and everyone

VILLAGE NOTES. To the bird watcher, the sighting of a rare bird such as the graceful Arctic Tern or the Snowy Owl in Shetland, the Gannet on the Scottish coast, or even the visit of the Crested Grebe to local reservoirs, gives a thrill, but the common birds are also of interest.

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