

BRAUNSTON PARISH CHURCH The Rector, The Rev. W. Deván Griffiths,
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SERVICES IN NOVEMBER

Nov. 1st. ALL SAINTS' DAY. Holy Communion at 7.30 a.m. and 7 p.m.
" 3rd 8 a.m. Holy Communion, 10 a.m. Mattins, 10.45 a.m. Sunday
School, 6.30 p.m. Evensong.
" 10th REFERENCE DAY Holy Communion 8 a.m. & 9.30 a.m. Sunday
School 10.45 a.m., British Legion Service 3 p.m.
Evensong 6.30 p.m.
" 17/24th. Holy Communion 8 a.m. & 9.30 a.m., Sunday School 10.45 a.m.
Evensong 6.30 p.m.

Please note that the Service on November 10th is at 9.30 a.m.
owing to the rehearsal of the Christmas Play.

HARVEST FESTIVAL. The Harvest Festival Services were on the whole well attended. We were welcomed to the Methodist Church on Sept. 22nd. and we were pleased to see so many of our Church Members attending. Our own Services on 6th October were quite well attended. We were sorry that the Rev. E. Holme, the Superintendent Methodist Minister was ill and could not preach. We hope that Mr. Holme is making good progress towards recovery. On Monday, 7th October the Harvest Produce was sold and the sum of £18.50 realised for Christian Aid. Many thanks to the Methodist Church, Mr. Maurice Thompson for selling the produce, Mr. Gallie, and all others who helped.

GOLDEN WEDDINGS. Heartiest congratulations to Mr. & Mrs. T.H. Quinney and to Mr. & Mrs. E. Wenlock on their Golden Weddings. They were married at All Saints' Church.

CONCERT IN CHURCH. Saturday, November 30th at 7.30 p.m. The music will include selections from Purcell to a new work by Michael Hurd. The Church Choir and various soloists will take part. It is hoped that as many as possible will come and support this concert.

MOTHERS' UNION. Next meeting at the Rectory on Thursday, 7th November, at 2.30 p.m.

C.E.M.S. Meeting at the Rectory on Tuesday, 26th November at 8 p.m. At our last meeting Mr. Trevor Hall, Community Relations Officer in Rugby, outlined the problems of coloured people living in a white society. His subject was serious, but illustrated with such good humour that members are looking forward to his next visit to Braunston.

CAR TRANSPORT November 3rd. Mr. W. Woodall.
10th. Mrs. E.F. Hall.
17th. Mrs. S. Rees.
24th. Mr. E. Dawson.

SIDESMEN 8 a.m. 2.30 or 10 a.m. 6.30 p.m.
Nov. 3rd. Mr. M. Thompson. Mr. W. Woodall & Mr. W.E. Calloway.
10th. Mr. L. Thompson. Mr. P. Green & Mr. A. Marlow.
17th. Mr. J. Williams. Mr. E. Clarke & Mr. W. Montgomery.
24th. Mr. W. Woodall. Mr. J. Rowley. Mr. F.H. Cox and Mr. S. Berry.

ALTAR FLOWERS.

Nov. 3rd. High Altar. St. Giles.
10th. Mrs. R.H. Hargrave. Miss S.G. Davidson.
17th. Mrs. Spines. Mrs. S. Rees.
24th. Mrs. Spines. Mrs. S. Rees.
Mrs. Forster. Mrs. Streeton.

CHOIR VISIT TO PETERBOROUGH CATHEDRAL. On Saturday, 19th October, our Choir joined in singing Evensong with another 700 voices, and what a joy it was to take part in this service. Many thanks to Mrs. S.A. Berry, Mr. J.V. Sanders, Mrs. Hyde and Miss Sheila Rowley, for making all the arrangements possible. We wish to congratulate Dr. Vann on the way he united all the various choirs. It was certainly the best choral Evensong so far.

BRAUNSTON METHODIST CHURCH

November 3rd. At 10.45 a.m. Mr. R. Cartwright.
10th. " " Mrs. Jernyn.
17th. " " Rev. E. Holme.
24th. " " Rev. Eric Cox.

BRAUNSTON FRIENDLY CLUB

November 11th. Mr. Robinson will show his slides taken in Scotland and the Cotswolds.
13th. Mrs. C. Curtis is having a COFFEE MORNING at her home 12 Greenway, to engage our funds. Please give this your support.
25th. There will be an entertainment by Mrs. J. Wootten.

BRAUNSTON WOMENS INSTITUTION. We congratulate our Drama Group on winning the preliminary round of the Drama Competition at Welton. Now they go forward to the semi final which will take place in November at Towcester. At the Annual Meeting, Officers and Committee were re-elected en bloc, the business being followed by a brief look at Yugoslavia, with slides provided by Mrs. Raftery.
Our next meeting, on Tuesday 5th November will include a speaker on Gardens, from Bernhards of Rugby. The competition - the best all round table decoration using fresh or dried material.

BRAUNSTON YOUNG WIVES CLUB In November we celebrate our 10th ANNIVERSARY, and we shall hold a WINE AND CHEESE PARTY for past and present members in the Village Hall on Thursday 14th November. It is also our Annual Meeting on that date, and we would be grateful for nominations for new members of the Committee. Last month Mrs. Williams talked about her work as an N.S.P.C.C. Organiser, and we were pleased to give her a cheque for £30.75 from our House to House collection. The December meeting will take the usual form of Young Wives Carol Singing.

Copy of letter received from N.S.P.C.C.

"We thank Braunston Young Wives Club for organising a House-to-House collection at the beginning of October, when £30.75 was collected for the Society. This brings the amount collected in the Village this year to £57.07. Of this £14.60 comes from a Strawberry Tea which Mrs. A. Coles very kindly held at 'Ye Olde Harrow' and £11.72 given at a Coffee Morning. We thank sincerely all those who have given so generously to this very worthy cause.
J. Gaunt, "Pawcliff", Cross Lane "

BRAUNSTON SCHOOL P.F.A. The Annual General Meeting was held at the School on 20th September, when the following members were elected to serve on the Committee for the coming year:

Mrs. J. Bowers.	Miss M. Brinkman.	Mr. J. Gaunt.
Mr. M. Dixon.	Mrs. D. Heyes.	Mrs. D. Knibbs.
Mr. D. Lush.	Mrs. B. Sanderson.	Mrs. M. Tomalin.
	Mr. D. Wilson.	

The Village bonfire and fireworks display will be held on Saturday, Nov. 2nd in Butcher's Close, (by kind permission of Mr. R. Hergrove and Mr. R. Footitt). The bonfire will be lit at 6.30 p.m. - all parents, children and friends are invited.

The P.T.A. will continue the collection of old newspapers - Please send them to School or contact any members of the Committee, who will arrange their collection.

VISIT OF OUR M.P. Mr Arthur Jones will be holding a "Surgery" in the Village Hall Library on Friday, November 1st, 1974, between 6.30 p.m. and 7.30 p.m. He is willing to discuss problems of any constituents no matter which political party they may favour.

VILLAGE NOTES: In the course of the October meeting of the Parish Council the report of the Northamptonshire Rural Community Council on the TIDY VILLAGE COMPETITION was presented. Generally speaking, the comments on the up keep of the Church and Chapel Yards, the Green and the gardens are favourable. However, once again the weary condemnation of LITTER is with us again. The comment at the end of the report sums all up. "This Village would have come first in its class BUT FOR LITTER". This problem could be easily solved if everyone took his litter home - Don't leave it to others - Let each one of us do our own share of this work to see that we come top of the list next year.