

BRAUNSTON PARISH CHURCH

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SERVICES IN CHURCH

November 1st. ALL SAINTS DAY, Holy Communion 7 p.m.
7th. Holy Communion 8 a.m., Mattins 10 a.m., Sunday School 10.45 a.m., Evensong 6.30 p.m.

14th. H.C. 8 a.m., Family Communion 10.30 a.m., Remembrance Day Service 3 p.m., Evensong 6.30 p.m.

21st. H.C. 8 a.m. & 9.30 a.m., Sunday School 10.45 a.m., Evensong 6.30 p.m.

28th. ADVENT SUNDAY Holy Communion 8 a.m. & 9.30 a.m., Sunday School 10.45 a.m., Evensong 6.30 p.m.

HARVEST SERVICES Members of the Church of England received a warm welcome in the Methodist Church at their Harvest Festival on Sept. 26th. Our own Harvest Festival was well attended, especially at Evensong when the Rt. Rev. Archibald Graham-Campbell preached. We were delighted to have the Rev. John Myer with us for Evensong, and members of the Methodist Church. We must not forget the Guides and Brownies, who added to the Service. Many thanks to those who decorated the Church so beautifully, and to all those who gave fruit, flowers and produce. The sale of Produce enabled us to give the sum of £30 to Christian Aid. We are grateful also to Mr. A. Langley and Mr. Peter Green, and to all the Buyers.

MOTHERS' UNION. There will be a meeting of the Mothers' Union at the Rectory on Thursday, 4th November, at 2.30 p.m.

ALL SAINTS MEN'S FELLOWSHIP meet at the Rectory on Tuesday, November 23rd at 8 p.m. The Speaker will be Mr. Elvy, Deputy Governor of Onley Prison.

THANKS. Mr. John Bown has made a generous gift of 50 Prayer Books to the Church in memory of his wife Margaret, who died tragically recently. This gesture and kind thought is appreciated by all the Church Members.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND CHILDREN'S SOCIETY. The Buffet Supper held at the Mill House on Saturday October 2nd was both enjoyable and successful. The programme of songs arranged by Mr. Tony Parkinson and sung by his quartet gave great pleasure. Thanks to a "full house" and some generous donations, a profit of £30 was made for the Society's funds. Many thanks also to Mr. & Mrs. L.W. Herne for their generous hospitality and for the hard work entailed.

HOLY MATRIMONY. October 2nd. David Ronald CLEGG and Yvonne Faith MONTGOMERY
We wish David and Yvonne every happiness in their married life.

FUNERAL SERVICE AND BURIAL. October 20th. William Walter JAMES aged 46 years.
We extend our deepest sympathy to Mrs. Betty James and her two sons on the death of Mr. James.

BURIAL AFTER CREMATION. October 23rd. William John TAYLOR, aged 54 years.

We offer our sympathy to Mrs. Jeanita Cooper and the Family.
May the Souls of God's faithful servants Rest in Peace.

SIDESMENS' MEET

November 7th. 8 a.m. Mr. T.E. Jones. 6.30 p.m.
14th. Mr. J.W. Woodall. Mr. E. Clark/Mr. D.A. Gallie

21st. Mr. L. Thompson. Mr. F. Cox/Mr. S. Berry.

28th. Mr. J. Williams (Sch. Clse) Mr. E. Hyde. Mr. B. Dawson/Mr. J. Green

Mr. M. Bush. Mr. J. Rowley. Mr. P. Green/Mr. D. Webb.

ALTAR FLOWERS

November 7th.

14th.

21st.

28th.

HIGH ALTAR

Mrs. Spire.

Mrs. Peter Green

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TOYS. We shall be pleased to receive any toys that are broken but can be repaired and given to Children's Homes.

BRAUNSTON METHODIST CHURCH

November 7th. 10.45 a.m. Mr. P.E. Peck.

14th. 10.45 a.m. Mr. G.K. Ridley.

21st. 10.45 a.m. Rev. J. Myer.

28th. 10.45 a.m. Mr. B. Baker.

BRAUNSTON FRIENDLY CLUB

November 8th. Mrs. Thornton - Flowers

November 22nd. Mr. D.A. Gallie - Holiday Slides.

A Coffee Morning, held on October 21st, was a very successful and worth while effort, raising the sum of £17.68. The children, who on September 20th gave such an enjoyable entertainment to the Club, were trained by Mrs. Barbara Jones, of Barby, and the "Come and make Music" was the effort of Ms. Joan Wootten. Our apologies for errors in last month's issue.

BRAUNSTON WOMENS INSTITUTE. At the A.G.M. on October 5th, Mrs. J. Reed was unanimously appointed President for the ensuing year. After the reports etc. were read, eight of the members gave us a most enjoyable presentation of "Call My Bluff", and they certainly had us guessing which was the correct definition of each word displayed. The W.I. Group Produce Guild was held at Braunston and attracted over 400 entries. Braunston W.I. came second in our Group. The exhibits reached a very high standard. With the Festive Season in mind, our November 2nd Meeting will welcome Mrs. J. Collins, who will show us how to make Christmas Decorations and Novelties.

BRAUNSTON YOUNG WIVES. Our next meeting will be the AGM on Tuesday 9th November at the Village Centre, when we hope everyone will enjoy a Social evening after the business of the meeting. On Thursday 18th November we are having a Coffee Morning at which everyone is welcome (admission 10p), 10.30 a.m. at Fawcliff, Cross Lane. Mrs. J. Caunt has kindly offered her home for this. There will be a raffle and a Bring and Buy Stall.

BRAUNSTON VILLAGE GARDENS ASSOCIATION. The AGM of your Association will be held on Monday, 15th November, at 8 p.m. in the Village Centre Library. There will be reports of the year's work by the various officials - the election of officers and committee will then take place. Your attendance is earnestly requested to discuss future activities as important decisions must be made. Please support your Committee.

BRAUNSTON YOUTH CLUB. There will be the Annual Jumble Sale on 6th November (Saturday) from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. The admission is 2p. and refreshments will be served. All this will be held in the Village Centre.

BRAUNSTON CUBS AND SCOUTS. The Barbecue, held on September 18th was well supported and financially successful. Over £60 was raised for Troop Funds. We wish to thank Mr. & Mrs. Tony Cornes for the use of their house and garden, which contributed greatly to the success of this event. It is hoped that regular Scout meetings will be resumed shortly, and any boys interested should contact Mr. C. Miller (4 Archer Avenue) or Mr. P. Dunkely (21 Spinney Hill).

BRAUNSTON JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB. A Jumble Sale will be held in the Methodist Schoolroom on Saturday, November 27th at 10.30 a.m. Three Village boys are to be congratulated for their inclusion in the South Northants. Football Squad.

BRAUNSTON BADMINTON CLUB. There will be a Folk Evening at the Village Centre on Saturday November 20th. - 8 p.m. to 11 p.m. Artists appearing will be "Withrass", Terry Moll and Andrew Wintersgill. Proceeds to the Badminton Club. Tickets available from Judith Jennings, 25 School Close, Eileen Buse, 15 The Green, and Sylvia Roberts, 17 Greenway.

BRAUNSTON THEATRE CLUB. The next visit to be arranged, to Northampton Repertory Theatre, is to see: The Prime of Miss Jean Brodie, by J.P. Allen, on November 22nd. If you wish to book please inform Mr. L.W. Herne, 120 High St. (Tel. 890130)

BRAUNSTON PLAYGROUP. We would like to thank all those who contributed to our coll collection of Bersli Tops - we realised £9.70 - with which we are going to buy an easel.

BRAUNSTON P.T.A. Saturday, November 6th. BONFIRE & FIREWORK DISPLAY, Village Playing Field, 6 p.m., Refreshments. GUY COMPETITION 3 p.m. GURNEY'S STORES.

BRAUNSTON PLAYING FIELDS ASSOCIATION. Whist Drive - Village Centre, Friday November 19th - prizes and refreshments.

VILLAGE NOTES. The perennial subject of conversation in England is the weather. This year drought and rainfall appear to have alternated. The rainfall in Braunston has been approximately: August 2 inches, September 4½ inches, October 2½" This has generated a feeling that the drought is over - true as far as gardens and fields are concerned, but the reservoirs supplying us still hold less than one quarter of their capacity. In view of this we still need to use our water economically.

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