

BRAUNSTON PARISH CHURCH.

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SERVICES IN CHURCH

November 1st. ALL SAINTS DAY. Holy Communion 7 p.m.  
Holy Communion 8 a.m., Mattins 10 a.m., Sunday School 10.45 a.m.  
Evensong 6.30 p.m.  
" 13th. REMEMBRANCE DAY. H.C. 8 a.m., Family Communion 10.30 a.m.  
ROYAL BRITISH LEGION SERVICE 3 p.m., Evensong 6.30 p.m.  
" 20th. H.C. 8 a.m. & 9.30 a.m., Sunday School 10.45 a.m., Evensong 6.30 p.m.  
" 27th. H.C. 8 a.m. & 9.30 a.m., Sunday School 10.45 a.m., Evensong 6.30 p.m.

The Harvest Festival Services, Family Communion and Evensong were well attended. We all need in our hearts to say Thank you to God for all the blessings in life. Many thanks to those who decorated the Church so beautifully and who sent gifts. The fruit and vegetables were sold in the Methodist Hall the following day and the proceeds, amounting to £36.50 went to Christian Aid. Thanks to all who made the sale a success.

THE OKEN SINGERS. This talented Group gave us a real musical treat on Saturday October 8th. It was regrettable that so few of our parishioners attended the Concert. We wish to thank Mr. Geoffrey Holroyde, Mr. Peter Fairhurst, and all the Singers for an inspiring musical evening. We also thank Mr. Michael McCarthy for his hard work in producing the Posters and Programmes. Finally, we appreciate the ladies who served refreshments.

MOTHERS' UNION. The next meeting of the Mothers' Union will be on Thursday, 3rd November, at 2.30 p.m. in the Rectory. The Speaker will be the Rev. W.G. Griffin, Vicar of Brington.

THE CHURCHMENS' GUILD. This meeting will be held at the Rectory on Tuesday, 22nd November, at 8 p.m.

WELCOME BACK. We welcome back Mr. J.V. Sanders to the Parish after his stay in hospital and after recuperating in Herefordshire. We are pleased to see him improving. We also wish Mr. Alex Robinson a speedy recovery after attending hospital.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND CHILDREN'S SOCIETY. As reported last month the sum of £79 was collected. We wish to thank Mrs. Kerne for all her work for the Society.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT. We have received a gift of £1 towards the cost of supplying this News Sheet from a lady who wishes to remain anonymous. Many thanks.

HOLY MATRIMONY. October 15th. Martin Frederick PLUMB and Gillian FORSTER  
We wish Gillian and Martin every happiness in their married lives.

FUNERAL SERVICE AND BURIAL. October 7th. William John Cope, aged 65 years.  
October 25th. George Smith, aged 58 years.  
We extend to Mrs. Cope, Mrs. Margaret Hargrave and the Family our deepest sympathy on the sudden death of Mr. Cope. We also extend to Mrs. Susan Eales our sympathy on the death of her Uncle, and to thank her and friends who supported Mr. Smith in his long illness.

ALTAR FLOWERS

November 6th. Mrs. H. Rowley.  
13th. Mrs. Spires  
20th. Mrs. Peter Green

High Altar

Mrs. H. Rowley.  
Mrs. S. Rees.  
Mrs. Peter Green

St. Giles.

November 6th. 8 a.m. Mr. J.W. Woodall.  
13th. ) Mr. L. Thompson. Sunday School. Mr. P. Green/Mr. W. Calloway.  
          ) Mr. S. Berry. Mr. F. Cox/Mr. E. Clarke.  
          ) Mr. S. Berry. Mr. P. Surman. Mr. D. Gallie/Mr. J. Green.  
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SIDESMENS ROTA

9.30/10/10.30 a.m., 6.30 p.m.

BRAUNSTON METHODIST CHURCH

November 6th. 10.45 a.m. Mr. J. Longland.  
13th. 10.45 a.m. Mr. P. Peck.  
20th. 10.45 a.m. Mr. B. Baker, B.A.  
27th. 10.45 a.m. Rev. J. Myer.

FUNERAL SERVICE AND BURIAL.

October 4th. Bernard William NURSER, aged 67 years.  
We wish to extend to Miss Florence Nurser, Mr. & Mrs. Walter Beckett, Mr. and Mrs. J. Coles, Mr. & Mrs. F. Nurser and Family our deepest sympathy on the death of their brother. Mr. Nurser had been a faithful member of the Methodist Church.

THE METHODIST WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP invite you to their Autumn Sale in the Schoolroom on Saturday, 5th November, at 2 p.m. Admission 2p.

BRAUNSTON FRIENDLY CLUB. Our Birthday Party was a happy and successful social occasion and we welcomed the return of the Rugby Police Concert Party who gave us a most enjoyable evening's entertainment. On November 14th there will be a demonstration of sweet making by Mrs. Griffiths and Mrs. Duggan, and on Monday, 28th November slides of holidays by Mr. A. Robinson.

BRAUNSTON YOUNG WIVES. Our A.G.M. will be held on November 8th at 7.45 p.m. in the Library. This will be followed by a "Cheese and Chat" Party. All new members are welcome. Our Annual Subscription is 40p. with a Meeting entrance fee of 15p.

BRAUNSTON VILLAGE GARDENS ASSOCIATION. Although the garden shop is now closed, there are still stocks of peat, growmore, and many of the fertilisers. These can be obtained by contacting Richard Dibben, 36 Church Road (Rugby 890515). Results of the best-kept Garden Competition, held in June were as follows:

- 1st. Mr. L. Montgomery.
- 2nd. Mr. D. Jones.
- 3rd. Mr. G. Green.

The A.G.M. of the Association will be held in the Library (Village Centre) on Monday, 7th November, at 8 p.m. Please make every effort to attend this meeting.

BRAUNSTON SCHOOL P.T.A. The BONFIRE will once again be held in the Playing Fields on Saturday, 5th November, at 5.45 p.m. All parents and children are welcome. We shall also hold a barbecue with food and drinks on sale from the stall. There will be a GUY competition in the front of Gurneys Supermarket at 2.30 p.m. Anyone wishing to send fireworks may give them to:

- Mr. G. Buse, 15 The Green.
- Mrs. Attwood, 5 The Green.
- Rev. M. Dixon, 30 Onley Park, Onley.

We hope to see you all on November 5th.

BRAUNSTON THEATRE GROUP. The next visits to the University of Warwick Theatre will be to see: Uncle Vanya, by Chekhov on Tuesday November 15th., and "An Inspector Calls" by J.B. Priestly, on Saturday, 19th November. Both performances are by the Cambridge Theatre Company. Please let Mr. Herne know if you wish to come (by Nov. 7th). Rugby 890130.

VILLAGE NOTES. The cold spring of this year delayed the arrival of our usual summer visitors - Swallows, Martins, etc. This meant a late start to the breeding season and a late departure. During the summer the parent birds are so busy feeding their offspring and tend to neglect themselves. Once the young are capable of looking after themselves the parents then take sufficient food for their long southward migration.

Bird watchers are anxious this year because the flight of the young birds southwards may have been delayed until too late, and the parent birds may not have stored enough food in their bodies to sustain themselves on their long journey.

We hope that all manage to reach their goal in a more equable climate, and will be ready to return next year.

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