

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, BRAUNSTON. The Rector, The Rev. W. Bevan Griffiths,  
The Rectory, Braunston. (Tel. Rugby 890235)

SERVICES IN CHURCH

April 1st PASSION SUNDAY. Holy Communion 8 a.m., Mattins 10 a.m., Sunday School, 10.45 a.m., Evensong 6.30 p.m.  
April 8th PALM SUNDAY Holy Communion 8 a.m., Family Communion 10.30 a.m., Evensong 6.30 p.m.  
Holy Communion during Holy Week, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Maundy Thursday - 7.00 p.m.  
April 13th GOOD FRIDAY Mattins - Anti Communion 9 a.m., Childrens Service 10.45 a.m., Devotions 2 p.m. to 3 p.m., Evensong 7 p.m.  
The Church will be decorated for Easter - at 10.00 a.m.  
April 15th. EASTER DAY Holy Communion 7 a.m., 8 a.m., Family Communion 10.30 a.m., Evensong 6.30 p.m.  
April 22nd. Easter I Holy Communion 8 a.m. & 9.30 a.m., NO SUNDAY SCHOOL,  
April 29th. Easter II Evensong 6.30 p.m.  
Holy Communion 8 a.m. and 9.30 a.m., Sunday School 10.45 a.m., Evensong 6.30 p.m.

EASTER. Dorothy Sayers wrote - "The people who saw the Risen Christ were at least convinced that life was worth living and that death is nothing - a very different attitude from that of the modern defeatists who are so convinced that life is a misfortune, and that death, somewhat illogically, is still a greater catastrophe". We have to travel with Jesus, and live in His fellowship, to become witnesses of the Easter Miracle. May the Joy of the Risen Christ be yours this Eastertide.

MOTHERS' UNION. Many thanks to Mrs. Hilda Hartshorn for her talk, illustrated with colour slides, on her visit to Jerusalem. It was a real preparation in thought for Lent.

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP. Mr. Brian Lomax gave us a very informative and interesting view of what it means to be a Christian. He asked the question - how can a child choose whether it likes the Church or not if they have never been given the opportunity of being taken by their parents? Worship is a part of living.

BURIAL. March 19th at Rugby. Edith RENSHAW, aged 77 years.  
Mrs. Renshaw died suddenly on Tuesday, 13th March, in St. Luke's Hospital, Rugby. She came to Braunston a complete stranger, but soon made friends. She was such a jovial and happy person, and her Christian faith meant much to her. In particular we thank Mrs. Berriman and Mrs. Langmead for their devotion to her.

CREMATION. March 22nd. Sheila Patricia STROUD, aged 57 years.  
May we express our sympathy with the Family of Mrs. Stroud on the death of their Mother after much suffering.

May the Souls of God's faithful Servants Rest in Peace.

SIDESMENS ROTA

April 1st	Mr. J.W. Woodall.	8 a.m.	9.30/10/10.30 a.m.	6.30 p.m.
8th	Mr. L. Thompson		Mr. T.E. Jones.	Mr. E. Clarke/Mr. P. Green.
Easter Day 15th.7	a.m. Mr.P.Green		Mr. P. Surman.	Mr. D.A. Gallie/Mr. J.Green.
	8 a.m.(Mr. F. Cox		Mr. E. Hyde.	Mr. B.Dawson/Mr. J.Rowley
	(Mr.D.Gallie		Mr. S. Berry.	Mr. E. Clarke/Mr.P.Green.
April 22nd	Mr. W.Montgomery		Mr. E. Hyde	Mr. C.White/Mr.E.Clarke.
29th	Mr. S. Berry			Mr. J.Rowley/Mr.C.Malthouse.

THE SIGN OF THE FISH

The Greek word for fish is ICHTHUS and stands as a symbol -

I - Jesus - CH -Christ, TH - God, U - Son of God, S - Saviour  
(Theos) (Uios) (Soter)

The Confession of the early Church.

ALTAR FLOWERS

April 15th and 22nd  
April 29th.

High Altar

Mrs. Page  
Mrs. V. Sanders.

St. Giles

Mrs. B. Dawson.  
Mrs. C. White.

VESTRY MEETING AND A.G.W. Tuesday, April 10th in Church at 7.45 p.m.  
Please make every effort to attend.

THANKS. We wish to acknowledge, with thanks, a gift of 50p. towards the production of the Braunston Village News Sheet, from a gentleman who wishes to remain anonymous.

BRAUNSTON FRIENDLY CLUB.

Arrangements for April are as follows:

Monday, April 9th. We shall have a speaker from the Rheumatism and Arthritis Association to give a talk on Arthritis.  
Monday, April 23rd. Mrs. Duggan will give us a talk and demonstration on Woodcarving.

BRAUNSTON WOMENS INSTITUTE. Mrs. Kate Williams gave a most interesting and enlightening talk on the sensitive subject of breast self examination. All ladies of the community should receive this instruction. At our next meeting on April 3rd our guest will be Mrs. Barnsby, who will demonstrate flower making.

BRAUNSTON VILLAGE GARDENS ASSOCIATION. The sale of fertilisers is now in full swing. Every Sunday morning at the Village Centre from 11 a.m. to 12 noon. The Committee of the B.V.G.A. would like to remind you that the date of the Braunston Village Show has been fixed for Saturday, 15th September. Please keep this date open - and remember that it is not too early for those entering the handicraft sections to make - or start their exhibits now.

VILLAGE NOTES. Recently, a number of crows, a fox, and a pigeon have been found dead in Braunston. They were victims of someone who had put down poisoned meat. Crows and foxes may be disliked by poultry keepers and other people for various reasons, but to scatter poisoned bait where any animal or bird can pick it up is an act of criminal stupidity.

Our wild life is under heavy pressure - more land taken for houses and factories leaves less living space, and so we ought to make things easier for our birds and animals still free.

One observer studying the activities of adult birds in a rookery during the season when they were rearing their young calculated that the birds ate half a ton of grubs and caterpillars each day. As a caterpillar eats ten or three times its own weight of food each day the amount of vegetables saved by the birds must amount to twice that amount. We can therefore be sure that crows and rooks more than pay for the food which they consume.

ITEMS FOR THE MAY ISSUE MUST BE HANDED TO THE EDITOR ON OR BEFORE  
APRIL 21ST.

Duncan A. Gallie, (Hon. Editor) Alston House, Braunston. (Tel. Rugby 890200)