

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH.

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SERVICES IN CHURCH

- June 3rd. WHITSUNDAY. Holy Communion 7 a.m. & 8 a.m., Family Communion 10.30 a.m.
Evensong 6.30 p.m.
June 10th. TRINITY SUNDAY. Holy Communion 8 a.m., Family Communion 10.30 a.m.
Evensong 6.30 p.m.
" 17th. TRINITY I Holy Communion 8 a.m. & 9.30 a.m., Sunday School 10.45 a.m.
Evensong 6.30 p.m.
" 24th. TRINITY II Holy Communion 8 a.m. & 9.30 a.m., Sunday School 10.45 a.m.
Evensong 6.30 p.m.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PLAY - May 27th. Unfortunately, the Sunday School Play has had to be cancelled owing to the Spring Bank Holiday - when so many of the children were away on holiday.

ROAD ACCIDENTS. It appears that the rules of the Ministry of Transport - like those of the Medes and Persians, cannot be broken or altered, as NO SPEED LIMIT (according to their rating) can be imposed on that stretch of road from the top of Braunston Hill to the Willoughby side of Boswell's Bridge - although the parishioners of Braunston are asking for this.

The reason for the refusal to impose such a limit is - that it is not a built-up area within the meaning of the laws of the Ministry of the Environment. As parishioners, we must persevere in trying to amend this ruling, and press for the imposition of a speed limit in order to save lives in accidents like those which are tragically TOO NUMEROUS.

THANKS. Many thanks to all those who responded to the Appeal Letter.
May I still ask for continued support and response to this Appeal.

PASTORAL MEASURE - 1968.

- Proposed change of Parochial Boundaries, Barby-Braunston.
1. All that area of the Parish of Barby laying to the West of the disused (Old Great Central) railway line shall be transferred to the Parish of Braunston.
2. This proposal shall come into effect on the day on which the Lord Bishop of Peterborough shall, under seal, signify his approval thereof.

The new scheme or Order prepared by the Commissioners will be available for inspection and displayed on our Church Board.

CHURCH FETE AND GARDEN PARTY. This will be held at the Rectory on Saturday, 7th July. (If wet at the Village Centre). There will be an Open Meeting on Tuesday, 5th June, at 7.30 p.m. to discuss final arrangements for the Fete. Please attend this meeting at the Rectory. All will be welcome.

HOLY BAPTISM. April 29th. Mathew John MASTERS.

FUNERAL SERVICE AND BURIAL OF ASHES. May 23rd. Sarah BEGLEY, aged 75 years.

We extend to Mr. Sam Begley and Family our sympathy on the sudden death of Mrs. Begley.

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

ALTAR FLOWERS

- June 3rd WHITSUNDAY
June 10th and 17th.
June 24th & July 1st.

High Altar

Mrs. John Maskell
Mrs. Warltier
Mrs. F. Cox

St. Giles.

Mrs. John Maskell
Mrs. Roy Taylor
Mrs. Streeton.

SIDESMENS ROTA

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| June 3rd | Mr. P. Green | 8 a.m. | 9.30/10/10.30 a.m. | 6.30 p.m. |
| 10th | | | | |
| 17th | | | | |
| 24th | | | | |
- Mr. P. Green
Mr. W. Woodall
Mr. T. E. Jones
Mr. J. Thompson
(Mr. P. Surman.
Mr. F. Cox
Mr. Rowley.
Mr. P. Green/Mr. P. Gallie
Mr. Dawson/Mr. S. Berry.
Mr. P. Green/Mr. Malthouse

BRAUNSTON FRIENDLY CLUB. Club members enjoyed an outing to Gullisborough Bird Park on a beautiful day and in ideal surroundings. We are grateful to Mrs. McCarthy for arranging a Coffee Morning in her house and garden.

Arrangements for June are: June 11th - Mrs. Betty Ayres of Kilsby.
June 14th - (Thursday) Coffee Morning at Mrs. T.E. Jones of Southfields House.
June 25th - Mrs. June Fonge, of Flore will entertain.

BRAUNSTON WOMENS INSTITUTE. Mrs. Cox came along from Welton to explain more fully the A.G.M. Resolutions. Subjects covered will be:

1. Closure of Village Schools.
2. Deterrents against crime.
3. Mixed Hospital Wards.
4. Compulsory training for motor cyclists.

All were discussed at length, with much lively comment, particularly Item 3. Despite rain, frost and snow, the daffodils which we planted are once more resplendent in their glory on Butlin's Hill, but please DO NOT PULL THEM, they were put there for everyone to see and enjoy.

At our next meeting, on June 5th, an Onley Prison Officer will give us a talk.

BRAUNSTON YOUNG WIVES CLUB. At our May Meeting we had a very informative talk by Mrs. Judy Bestall on Shaklee Natural Products and Skin Care. On June 12th we shall visit Bernhards Garden Centre in Rugby. Those wishing to join us please meet at the Village Centre Car Park at 7.30 p.m.

BRAUNSTON VILLAGE GARDENS ASSOCIATION. We anticipate that judging for the Gardens Competition will be around mid July. All gardens bordering on public footpaths are judged, so that now the better weather has arrived we should start tidying up and planting out. The children of the Village are asked to start now on their handicraft exhibits for the Annual Village Show (Saturday, 15th September) for ages 10-16. 1. Model built from a kit. 2. Handicraft exhibit using wood, metal, clay or cane. Please make this section worthwhile and let us have lots of entries. The same goes too for adults entering the handicrafts or any of the home products sections. Further particulars may be obtained from Mr. Dibben (the Show Secretary), 32 Church Road, (Tel. Rugby 890515). As last year the Association are offering a grant towards the cost of planting a Tree in any position in your garden where, on reaching maturity, it will be of benefit to the Village. Please take advantage of this scheme. Application Forms and further information from any of the following:

Mrs. V. Hall (Chairman) 8, Mill Close (Tel. Rugby 890504)
Mrs. V. Worrall (Sec.) Beech Tree Cottage, High St. (Rugby 890375)
Mrs. J. Dibben (Treasurer) 32 Church Road (Tel. Rugby 890515)

VILLAGE NOTES. Once again our summer bird visitors, swallows, martins and swifts have arrived after spending the winter months in warmer climates. They choose their home, however temporary, according to the availability of a supply of insects to feed themselves and their offspring. Were it not for our feathered friends the insects would create havoc with our field and garden crops. That birds disappeared in the autumn has long been noted by observant countrymen - long before there were telegraph wires on which they assembled for their departure. Where they went remained a mystery. One 18th Century Author claimed that they spent the winter in the mud of ponds and rivers, but a very observant and accurate recorder of Natural History - the Rev. Gilbert White, of Selbourne, in the same century, conjectured that like bats, they hibernated, but was truthful enough to say that he had no proof of this. He learned from his brother serving in Gibraltar that swallows passed over there in spring and autumn - and until scientific ringing was organised the destination of migrants was an unsolved mystery.

Can we make a special effort this summer to KEEP BRAUNSTON VILLAGE TIDY.

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21ST JUNE, 1979.

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