

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, BRAUNSTON.

During the inter-regnum, enquiries should be addressed to one of the Church Wardens:

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Services will be taken by The Rev. M. Dixon, or Canon S.W.F. Powell.
Each Sunday, services will be:-

8 a.m. Holy Communion, 10.30 a.m. Family Communion, 6.30 p.m. Evensong.
On Sunday, 11th November, REMEMBRANCE DAY SERVICE AT 3 p.m.
Royal British Legion, Scouts, Guides and Brownies parade at 2.45 p.m.

HOLY BAPTISM.

September 2nd. Danielle Angharad ROWLEY
September 9th. Rebecca Lindsey KNIBBS
October 7th. Paul Leslie HUTCHINSON

HOLY MATRIMONY

September 23rd. Mr. F. Day and Miss Caroline Streeton.
We wish them every happiness in their
married life.

FUNERAL & BURIAL OF ASHES. October 17th. Albert HALL
, We offer sympathy to Mr. Hall's relatives.

ALTAR FLOWERS

November 4th Mrs. R. Hargrave
" 11th Mrs. N. Spires
" 18th Mrs. N. Spires
" 25th Mrs. P. Green

St. Giles.

Mrs. R. Hedge.
Mrs. S. Rees
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Mrs. P. Green.

SIDESMEN'S ROTA

November 4th 8 a.m. Mr. W. Woodall
" 11th Mr. T.E. Jones.
" 18th Mr. L. Thompson
" 25th Mr. F. Cox
Mr. W. Montgomery Mr. C. White

6.30 p.m.

Mr. W. Green/Mr. D.A. Gallie.
Mr. S. Berry/Mr. P. Green.
Mr. J. Rowley/Mr. B. Dawson
Mr. E. Hyde/Mr. E. Clarke.

THANKS. We acknowledge with thanks the receipt of £1 from each of two donors, towards the cost of publication of the Braunston Village News.

BRAUNSTON C. OF E. SCHOOL. On Friday, 7th September, the Rector (The Rev. W.B. Griffiths) came to school to take part in his last assembly before retirement. Managers, parents and friends joined the children for this occasion. After the Rector had spoken to the children Mr. Thrower thanked him on behalf of the school for his help and interest during the past 20 years.

Soon after his arrival in Braunston, the Rev. and Mrs. W.B. Griffiths were invited to the school by Mr. Gallie for the Annual Prize Giving. Mrs. Griffiths presented the prizes and she received a bouquet of roses from Karen Berill. Nine years later, on 23rd November, 1968, the Rector and Mr. Dawson welcomed guests at the service to open and dedicate the new school buildings. Both Mr. Gallie and Mr. Dawson were present on this last occasion, when the Rector and Mrs. Griffiths received a cheque for £38., a box of bulbs and cards. These gifts were from the staff and children of the school.

BRAUNSTON FRIENDLY CLUB.

November 12th. Speaker, Mrs. O. Barnsby, of Daventry - The talk is entitled -
"Now to the end of the year".
November 26th. There will be a handicraft demonstration by Mrs. R. Rumbold,
of Weedon.

At our 15th Birthday Party we were entertained by Daventry Folk Singers - a much enjoyed programme. Present at this party was Christian, Lady Hesketh, who had come to present W.R.V.S. Long Service Medals to Mrs. A. Beckett, Mrs. H. Bradshaw, Mrs. M. Turner, and Mrs. J. McCarthy. As Mrs. W.B. Griffiths was absent, her medal was sent by post.

On October 22nd Holiday slides were shown by Mr. & Mrs. J. Reed. They had travelled by boat from Braunston to Yorkshire, Lancashire and Cheshire, and had passed through interesting and historic countryside. Please note there will be a Coffee Morning and "Bring and Buy" in the Village Centre on November 22nd, 10.30 to 12 noon.

ROYAL BRITISH LEGION. The next meeting of the Braunston and District Royal British Legion will be held at the Wheatshaf, Braunston, on Tuesday, 20th November, at 7.45 p.m.

PLEASE GIVE GENEROUSLY FOR YOUR POPPY

CHURCH OF ENGLAND CHILDREN'S SOCIETY. A receipt for £30.00 has been received from the above Society for money raised at the "Musical Evening" held on 29th September at The Mill House. Many thanks to all who made it a success - The Singers, subscribers, audience, and especially Fiona, Victoria and Gisela, who coped with all the washing up. A. Herne.

BRAUNSTON VILLAGE CENTRE. Rising costs are forcing the Management Committee to review the rates at which the Village Centre and its rooms are hired out. A special meeting is being held at the Centre on Monday 12th November to discuss these charges. All organisations in the Village are urged to send a representative, and all who have an interest in the Centre are invited. The Committee want to hear your views.

PRESCRIPTIONS. As the result of a generous offer by Mr. Bob Gurney and the co-operation of all doctors using the Deventry Health Centre, a scheme is being devised whereby prescribed medicines can be collected from Gurney's Store. It is hoped that by the time this News Letter is published, details for the operation of the scheme will be worked out. Ask your Doctor.

THANKS. Margaret and Peter Hick would like to thank everyone who sent gifts and cards to Anthony on his recent stay in Hospital. Also to thank the Teachers and Children of Braunston School for the letters and pictures which they sent to Anthony. To everyone for their kindness and offers of help.

VILLAGE NOTES. To any observer, Autumn is an interesting season. Our summer bird visitors depart to warmer climates, and those who inhabit the Arctic regions in summer (for example geese and a large variety of ducks) arrive to spend their winter here. Hedgehogs and tortoises go to their winter quarters, while caterpillars convert themselves to their chrysalid form. The fungi too are at their reproductive stage - During the spring and summer they remain as colourless threads (usually white in appearance) in the soil. Lacking the green colouring matter - chlorophyll - to build up their own food supply, they use tissues of other plants - alive or dead - and return the dead tissues into circulation. During the autumn months, masses of dead matter become available and this allows the fungi to push up above the soil their spore bearing parts.

Some take the umbrella shape of the mushroom, where gills shaped like a knife blade stretch between the stem and the edge of the cap. These bear myriads of spores which are capable of reproducing the parent plants.

The Boletus and Bracket Fungi have tiny holes in which spores are produced. Many fungi are edible, but anyone not experienced in choosing the right one is well advised to limit their choice to the well known Mushroom.

The Amanitas resemble the mushroom in shape but are deadly poisonous. Their gills are WHITE - unlike the pink of the mushroom.

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