

BRAUNSTON PARISH CHURCH

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CHURCH SERVICES

July 5th 8 am Holy Communion (Rev. Martin)  
10.30 am Family/Parade Service (Janet Drummond of the Children's Society)  
12th 8 am Holy Communion (Rev. Martin)  
10.30 am Holy Communion (Rev. Charles Cooke)  
19th 8 am Holy Communion (Rev. Martin)  
10.30 am Holy Communion (Rev. David Saint)  
26th 8 am Holy Communion (Rev. Martin)  
10.30 am Holy Communion (Rev. Barry Collins)

Aug. 2nd NO SERVICE AT 8 AM  
10.30 am Family Service  
9th NO SERVICE AT 8 AM  
11.30 am Holy Communion & Baptism (Rev. Tim Partridge - The Rural Dean)  
16th 8 am Holy Communion (Rev. Martin)  
10.30 am Holy Communion & Baptism (Rev. Charles Cooke)  
23rd 8 am Holy Communion (Rev. Martin)  
10.30 am Holy Communion or Morning Prayer  
30th 8 am Holy Communion  
10.30 am Holy Communion or Morning Prayer

FUNERALS:

4th June - "Wally" Hall.  
16th June - Walter Steane.

We offer our sympathy to the families in their sad loss.  
We regret to announce the death of Mrs. Josephine Simmons and send our sympathy to her family.

BAPTISM: 14th June - Natalie Tilling.

We were very pleased to welcome Natalie into the Church Family.

Next P.C.C. Meeting: 16th July at 7.30pm at the home of Cynthia & Geoff Curtis.  
If otherwise P.C.C. members will be notified individually.

CONTRIBUTION: Many thanks for £1 anonymous donation to Braunston Village News.

TELEPHONE CONTACT: Both Churchwardens are away on holiday in July/August.

If you wish to contact them please use the following 'phone numbers.

Up to 21.7.87 Sheila Rowley (890559)  
22.7.87 to 30.7.87 Brian Dawson (890609)  
1.8.87 to 11.8.87 Cynthia Curtis (890734)  
12.8.87 to 25.8.87 Vic Sanders (890315)  
From 26.8.87 Sheila Rowley (890559)

ALTAR FLOWERS

July 5th & 12th  
July 19th & 26th  
Aug. 2nd & 9th  
Aug. 16th  
Aug. 23rd & 30th  
Sep. 6th & 13th

High Altar

Mrs. Waltier  
Mrs. Griffiths (The Green)  
Mrs. H. Bradshaw  
Mrs. Cooper (Ventnor Lodge)  
Mrs. M. Lintern  
Mrs. Cooper (Mill Close)

St. Giles

Mrs. R. Taylor  
Mrs. P. Streeton  
Mrs. A. Beckett  
Mrs. P. Davies  
Mrs. A. Beck  
Mrs. M. Brown

SIDESMENS ROTA

July 5th  
12th  
19th  
26th  
Aug. 2nd  
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16th  
23rd  
30th

8am

M. Chamberlain  
L. Thompson  
D. Gallie  
F. Spencer Lee

10.30am

D. Gregson  
B. Dawson/D. Foulkes  
B. Dawson/C. Dunn  
E. Thorpe/M. Chamberlain  
D. Hamer

Aug. 2nd

11.30am C. Dunn/D. Gregson

0th

D. Foulkes

16th

B. Dawson

23rd

D. Foulkes

30th

The Wardens would be grateful if sidesmen who normally do a duty at Evensong would change to 8am or 10.30am.  
Please contact B. Dawson if you are willing to change.

BRAUNSTON FRIENDLY CLUB The Ploughmans Lunch held in May was well supported, and together with the bring & buy stall realised the sum of £40 for Club funds.

A lady member who wishes to remain anonymous has given a gift of five pounds. Thanks are due to the ladies who made the delicious apple pies and also to Mr. John Cole who gave the lovely lettuce fresh from his garden.

The holiday makers returned after an enjoyable week in spite of the rain. The hotel was excellent with entertainment each evening, including a quiz in which three club members, Mrs. Ethel Reed, Mrs. Gwen Cole, Mr. John Bradshaw and Bob the coach driver competed against four Scottish residents. 'England versus Scotland' and England won... The surprise item at the last meeting was an illustrated talk by two members of the Roman Military Society Research, Mr. Dave Atkinson and Mr. Paul Shore of Northampton. Mr. Frank Cox assisted and dressed up in a replica of Roman Armour. Mrs. Janet McCarthy gave the vote of thanks.

The outing to Twycross Zoo was enjoyed by everyone. The journey was dull and wet but after a fish and chip lunch the sun came out and members were able to walk around and see the variety of birds, animals and reptiles, arriving home at 5.30pm.

Monday July 13th Members will visit Ashby St. Ledgers for tea in the Village Hall. The coach will leave the Green at 2.15pm.

Monday July 27th A talk will be given by Mr. Mayling of the Daventry Branch of the Lifeboat Institute. There will also be a bring and buy stall.

BRAUNSTON WOMENS INSTITUTE At our June meeting members were given a demonstration of Health & Beauty Exercise by Mrs. J. Dingley and a group of League members of varying age. We were taken through a programme of gentle exercise incorporating a talk on the origins of the League. As a result, some W.I. members are likely to be joining the Daventry class.

July 7th Mr. L. Parker will be showing slides entitled "Lundy".

BRAUNSTON VILLAGE GARDENS ASSOCIATION The Annual Flower Show and fete will be held on 5th September this year. There will be a few changes in the show schedule. In the Open Vegetables a pair of cabbages replaces the anuberrines. In the Home Produce Classes the iced cake should be for a 5 year old's birthday and the piece of crochet is replaced by a piece of macrame. For the children, the floral posy has been replaced by a decorated egg. As an added attraction this year, there will be a fancy dress competition for the children. Our gardens, hanging baskets and tubs will be judged again this summer, so please make our village really colourful.

ROYAL BRITISH LEGION Invalid Persons Chair, available on loan for short periods, free. Contact Mr. J. Berry. Next meeting July 21st - Kilsby - 8pm.

THE PANTONING GROUP recently met to discuss their next production. This will be Mother Goose and the Village Hall is booked for the end of January. Rehearsal night is Wednesday. Anyone who wants to take part or help in any way should contact Ismay Luckey (890014) or Dean Evans (890744) as soon as possible. New members are particularly welcome.

BRAUNSTON PARISH COUNCIL We would like to thank everyone who gave so generously to the recent collection for the C.A.T. Scanner appeal. The sum collected was £212.59

VILLAGE NOTES Many people have complained about the weather so no one will be surprised to hear that up to the 21st of this month 127 mms (more than 5 ins.) of rain has fallen.

This year we have suffered a sad depletion in the number of summer bird visitors. A few martins and swifts have arrived in much reduced numbers though we have heard the cuckoo.

The annual migration of birds is still a matter of guess work how such frail creatures navigate such distances. As certain birds travel by night one suggestion is that stars may be used as navigation guides.

Of more immediate concern is the litter dumped in streets and fields, though waste bins are provided. Most dangerous are empty coke and beer cans which can be picked up by cattle when some careless person has discarded them in a meadow.

Scarcely less dangerous is the plastic bag which may be picked up along with the grass by an animal and if blown about in the wind, it could startle a horse enough to make him throw a rider.

A little consideration to these matters would eliminate suffering.

MATERIAL FOR THE SEPTEMBER ISSUE SHOULD REACH THE EDITOR BY AUGUST 21ST.

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