



NOT only this country but indeed the whole world was shocked at the sudden death of our King especially when he appeared to have made such wonderful recovery after his severe operation a few months ago. King George VI and his father will go down in history as perhaps the two best Monarchs the country has ever known.

The late King held a place in the hearts of all his people and by his quiet dignity and readiness to share in their joys and sorrows no word could ever be spoken against him. While thrones have crashed and fallen in practically every other country the Monarchy of England still stands firm and our Queen Elizabeth with all the blessing of youth combined with a wide wisdom which she possesses will carry on the best traditions of the Royal House.

GOD BLESS THE QUEEN

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**A**SH WEDNESDAY, the first day of Lent falls on Feb. 27th and the services for that date will be given below.

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**C**OMMENCING on Thursday, March 6th. It has been our custom to have these Thursday Evenings in Lent for a number of years and the attendance has usually been very good. In these days so many evenings are booked up but we do ask that these Lent Services may take a first place and that every effort may be made to take advantage of Canon Girling's kindness in coming to address us.

Ash Wednesday

8 a.m. Holy Communion, Parish Church.

9.30. Holy Communion, S. Nicholas.

7 p.m. Evening Service. Parish Church.

**Thursday evenings in Lent, Parish Church, 7 p.m.**

On Sundays during Lent, Evensong at S. Nicholas will be at 7.45 and not in the afternoon.

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**L**AST year a sub committee of the Church Council was appointed to deal with the appeal issued by the Diocesan Clergy Income Fund. An envelope collection was made and the response was generous. We are asked to say that envelopes for this year's collection will be issued shortly and we ask for another generous response.

## Register

### Holy Baptism

Jan. 23rd, at S. Nicholas.

Kenneth Charles, son of Ronald Arthur and Kathleen Elsie  
Philippa Stickley.

Gordon Edward, son of Douglas George and Elsie Hilda  
Legg.

### Burial

Jan. 15th.

Juliana Mary Bowditch, aged 13 years.

Feb. 2nd, at Winterbourne Kingston.

Betsy Hannah Symes, aged 69 years.