## Our Parish

## Aston-Cum-Aughton with Swallownest and Ulley



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#### **SERVICES DURING MARCH 2021**

The church remains open for services during the current lockdown, subject to all necessary social distancing measures, the use of hand sanitizers, and the wearing of masks, unless you have an approved exemption for health reasons.

This is in line with Church of England and government guidelines and is subject to constant revision. A copy of the latest risk assessment is on display at the back of church

#### WEDNESDAY MORNING SERVICES

Said Services will be held in Church at 9.30am on Wednesday mornings and will hopefully be mostly Communion Services.

The Church will remain open after the Service for private prayer.

#### SUNDAY MORNING SERVICES

A Service with pre-recorded music will be held in Church at 9.30am each Sunday and will be mostly Sunday Morning Worship with occasional Communion services should Priests become available.

Social Distancing means that we can only accommodate 25 attendees in the Pews and these places will be prioritised for the half of our congregation who cannot use Zoom and have been excluded during Lockdown. All Protocols issued by the Diocese for enabling services in Church will be observed.

Each Sunday Service will be followed by a ZOOM Service at 11.00am for the foreseeable future until Social Distancing allows a full return with music and singing is allowed in Church again.

#### ACCESS TO THE CHURCH

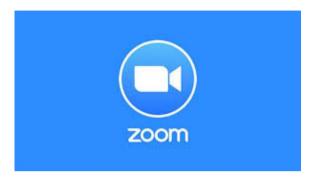
Please remember that until further notice, no-one is to enter the church without the prior permission of one of the churchwardens.

For access at anytime please contact:

Val Dixon 0114 287 3214 Chris Ward 0114 287 6733



You are invited to our on-line Service at 11:00am each Sunday via ZOOM.



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- \* You can phone in to the Service from your normal home phone by calling **0330 088 5830**
- \* When asked put in the MEETING ID **868 936 2500** on your Keypad followed by #
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- \* You should be charged at normal rate, dependent upon your telephone package
- \* This number is the same for any ZOOM MEETING only the ID and PASSWORD change



## ALL SAINTS ASTON SERVICES IN MARCH 2021

#### Wednesday 3 March

9:30pm Holy Communion in Church if COVID restrictions allow\*

#### **Sunday 7 March**

9:30am All Age Worship in Church if COVID restrictions allow\*

11:00am All Age Worship on ZOOM

#### Wednesday 10 March

9:30pm Holy Communion in Church if COVID restrictions allow\*

#### **Sunday 14 March - MOTHERING SUNDAY**

9:30am Holy Communion in Church if COVID restrictions allow\*

11:00am Breaking Bread on ZOOM

#### Wednesday 17 March

9:30am Holy Communion in Church if COVID restrictions allow\*

#### **Sunday 21 March**

9:30am Holy Communion in Church if COVID restrictions allow\*

11:00am Breaking Bread on ZOOM

#### Wednesday 24 March

9:30pm Holy Communion in Church if COVID restrictions allow\*

#### **Sunday 28 March**

9:30am Holy Communion if COVID restrictions allow\*

11:00am Breaking Bread on ZOOM

#### Wednesday 31 March

9:30pm Holy Communion in Church if COVID restrictions allow\*

#### To join any ZOOM meeting

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Meeting ID: 868 936 2500 Password: church

To attend any Service in Church if COVID restrictions allow please contact VAL DIXON 0114 287 3214

#### \*SOCIAL DISTANCING WILL BE IN PLACE & FACE MASKS MUST BE WORN\*

Please sign in on arrival so we can keep a record of those present and be able to contact you if necessary





# Holy Trinity Church Ulley Services in MARCH

Sunday 7 March 9.00am Holy Communion on ZOOM

Sunday 14 March - Mothering Sunday 10.30am Morning Worship on ZOOM

Sunday 21 March
10.30am Holy Communion on ZOOM

Sunday 28 March 10.30am Morning Worship on ZOOM

To join any Zoom service Meeting ID: 751 676 3956 Passcode: 266293

#### WHO TO CONTACT AT HOLY TRINITY

#### Church Wardens:

Gwyneth Hodgson: 0114 2872150, Gwyneth.sampson@outlook.com

Sue Hubbard: 0114 2873846, suehermec@hotmail.com

Weddings: If you want to talk about getting married, or to book your wedding

please E-mail Hazel: office@allsaintsaston.com.

Wedding couples can ring: 07934 101538

**Baptisms:** If you would like to arrange a Baptism please E-mail our Baptism

co-ordinator, Gloria Hope on Baptism@gloriahope.uk

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#### ON HOW TO DEFLECT THOSE STAFF APPRAISALS

St James the Least of All





So, your vicar has introduced staff appraisal for all the officers who work for your church, including yourself. It seems a very dangerous innovation; as far as I am concerned, ministry is only successful when parishioners have no idea what the clergy get up to.

I imagine that he will look at the number of services you take in a year. Funerals can only be increased if you resort to murder, which is likely to be frowned on – although I have been sorely tempted during endless church council meetings. Perhaps if you take a flask of water wherever you go and if you find a baby unattended, you could resort to a spontaneous baptism. That would get your numbers up, even if returning mothers may marvel at the highly localised and brief shower that seemed to have taken place over the pram.

Visiting targets are easily increased. Compile a list of when parishioners will be out and call on those days; a card through their letterbox will prove to your vicar that you were there. Should they happen to be in, mention that you are collecting for the organ fund and they will immediately excuse themselves for an important appointment. You are then free to move on to clock another visit.

Your vicar is also bound to want to see the congregation increasing. This is not sustainable, and you should put a stop to such ambitions at once. It is easily done. All you have to do is to approach your friends at the local football club and bribe them with your homemade beer to come along to church several Sunday mornings in a row. If you give them enough beer BEFORE the service, they will be likely to make just enough muted disruption as to leave your vicar a bit rattled, and thinking that perhaps after all, 'less' is 'more' when it comes to the congregation.

But whatever you do, make sure that you never preach a better sermon than he does. You don't want anyone thanking you at the door for your 'so interesting sermon' in front of him, when they have been sleeping through his sermons for years. If you offend the vicar this way, he will take swift revenge, and ask you to organise the parish summer fete.

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### Easter Trail: Messy Church Outdoor Adventure



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Remember to sign up to receive your bag of goodies to explore Holy week and Easter and then during the Easter holidays visit our outdoor trail with your family or household bubble.

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Or Beth Henshaw 07813 789255







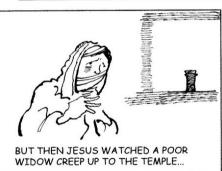




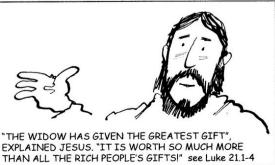


















## LIGHT OF THE WORLD

Lockdown Worship Songs



The songs are available now to stream on musicinlockdown.com using:

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Whilst researching in the Sheffield Independent Newspapers, I found the following in a column called "Rotherham Gossip by Cyril Bewley". He was obviously a reporter with a sense of humour and here is his tongue-in-cheek article in the Sheffield Independent Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July 1935.

#### HALF A BRIDGE IS BETTER THAN NO BRIDGE AT ALL

A little footbridge has won local government preferment for the tiny parish of Ulley. Since Christmas the footbridge, half in the parish of Whiston and half in Ulley, has been broken down, and in spite of 100 years of local government it could not be repaired. Whiston having the powers of a Parish Council would certainly keep their half of the bridge in good repair, but Ulley, with but the restricted powers of a Parish Meeting, could not pay for the repair of their half of the bridge.

So last March the good people of Ulley assembled under the chairmanship of Mr. William Pritchard, at their Parish Meeting, and decided to ask the County Council to bestow upon them the powers of a Parish Council in order that the footbridge could be repaired. The County Council have now agreed that Ulley shall have a Parish Council of five councillors, and when the county authorities order the first election, I shall expect Ulley to celebrate the preferment in true Ulley fashion.

The village is only 93½ acres in extent and its population is not more than 200. But they know how to celebrate. Take Jubilee day. After celebrating all day in the open air somebody had the bright idea of having a dance in the school, so it was unlocked and the jollifications were kept up until 3 a.m. They hadn't finished even then, for later in the morning they all turned out again and made another day of it.

The celebration cost £21, and you will appreciate how much this is in Ulley when I tell you that a penny rate only produces £4. I doubt if the biggest town in the country spent a 5d. rate on the King's Jubilee. Nor did Ulley.

Somebody did suggest spending a 2d rate, which would have produced £3. But Mr. Arthur Worthington, mine host of the Royal Oak, where these things are talked over, suggested voluntary subscriptions would produce more, and that Ulley could ill afford a 2d rate. And thus they raised a little more than the celebrations cost.

One of the charms of these village celebrations is that the outside world hears little of them. Ulley is off the main road, and a mile from a bus route. You walk to it through deep lanes, reminiscent of Devonshire. And here's a tip if you want a jolly day out in the country. The villagers are holding weekly whist drives at the moment. Eight or ten tables are occupied every week. They are raising funds for a field day on Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> August. If you want some wholesome fun, bear the date in mind.



#### ULLEY VLLAGE SCHOOL 1947 MUCH ADO ABOUT ULLEY - TEN PUPILS, £400 PER HEAD



Ulley Primary School has been the subject of heated controversy among Yorkshire Educationalists and Ratepayers. It must be one of the smallest in the country with 10 children, all very young, and 1 teacher as the total Compliment.

Last Year Rother Valley Divisional Educational Executive Committee recommended the closing of the school. The County Council, as the senior body decided to keep it open as a one-class school. But when Rotherham Rural District Council's discussed the plan for modernising the school at a cost of nearly £ 4,000, it was agreed to urge instead that the school be closed

ASTON-CUM-AUGHTON HISTORY GROUP is currently not meeting in view of the Coronavirus Pandemic. However, Heritage Open Days has been planned to take place between the 10<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> September 2021. Hopefully we will be able to take part this year.

Details are on the website <u>www.astonhistorygroup.co.uk</u> and are available from Jeff Blades (0114 287 2102) and Ann Key (0114 287 2610).





#### A Plea to the Community of All Saints Church

A warm welcome awaits you whenever you wish to visit our beautiful Grade 1 listed 12<sup>th</sup> Century Church. Here at All Saints Church Aston we have Services every Sunday and during the week for those people who wish to extend their faith, or cannot make our Sunday Services.

We welcome the residents of our Community. Many of our children visit and play under supervision at our various organised groups. Many of these groups and services are highlighted in this Monthly Parish Magazine.

Our church is run by the Parochial Church Council of All Saints Aston, which comprises elected members of the Congregation, Clergy and Licensed Lay members. The PCC meets every month to discuss our finances and how our money should be spent to benefit and improve our church.

These meetings cover matters from the day to day running of our church, to the safety of every person who enters our church, and the ongoing repairs and maintenance needed to ensure our church is fit for purpose.

We receive many wonderful testaments from visitors who visit our church; from those who have been to a Service, a Wedding, a Baptism, a Funeral or just decided to look around our Church when in the area or staying at Aston Hall Hotel.

Like many other organizations, our Church continues to have challenges to maintain the fabric of the building and the requirements for our Church and Community's future.



We are grateful to members of our congregation and friends who donate to assist in all that we try to do in the development and the continuing pathway work of our Church. These donations are made by a monthly bank direct debit, a weekly envelope scheme or by cash in the collection tray. All monies are used to help in the running of our church.

We hope you too would like to consider becoming part of the continuation of our work and the future of our Church by donating whatever you feel you can afford. Being a charity, if you are a tax payer each £1.00 donation you give attracts 25p from the government, which as you can understand is of great help to us.

If you would like further information on how you can help by making a monthly bank direct debit donation, by weekly envelope contribution, or a one off donation to our church we would be very grateful for you to contact our Gift Aid Secretary or our Admin Assistant.

Contact details as follows:

Gift Aid Secretary: Glyn Sands

Mobile phone 07835 240870 or glynsands@aol.com

Church AdminAssistant : Hazel Winstanley

by email at office@allsaintsaston.com or phone 07934 101538

About 700AD the people of Aston embraced Christianity and built a church: probably of wattle and wood. After the Norman Conquest in 1066 the Norman Lord erected a Hall and rebuilt the Church in Stone.

## Together with your assistance we could help to ensure that our Church will continue into the future

#### ROTHERHAM FOODBANK

You can leave donations in the porch at All Saints from 9.30am to 10.30am on Wednesdays and from 9.15am to 10.30am on Sundays.

They urgently need:

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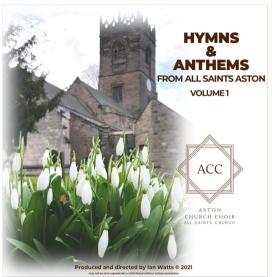


#### ALL SAINTS ASTON NOTICEBOARD

#### **HYMNS & ANTHEMS**

Many of you will know that Ian Watts produced a CD of the church choir performing Christmas carols. These were all recorded in isolation and then mixed and produced by Ian into a rather lovely CD. Together with the Choir he has now produced a collection of Hymns and Anthems Volume 1 which is available to buy on CD for £10.00 each with free local delivery, or £1.15 for postage and packing.

To purchase your copy please contact Chris Ward 07949 186202 or E-Mail charlottedarling@live.co.uk



We are very grateful to all members of the choir for giving their time and voices, to Carl Spencer for arranging physical production, to Charlotte Darling for managing the sales, and of course to Ian Watts for co-ordinating the whole thing.

The church choir is still recruiting for new members. We have vacancies in all voice parts, but especially basses and altos. If you or anyone you know might be interested please contact Chris Ward 07949 186202 or Ian Watts, Director of Music 07950 753429.

#### REGULAR GIVING

A commitment to regular giving is seen by many as a sign of their faith and commitment to God.

We thank all who give regularly to the church and would welcome new givers to join either our regular giving envelope scheme, or to set up a standing order direct to the church's bank account.

Please contact Glyn Sands on 07835 240870 for more details. Thank you.

#### NOTTINGHAM & DISTRICT ORGAN SOCIETY

We thank Nottingham & District Society of Organists for their kind Donation of £50.00 for use of 5 of the Christmas Choir videos at their meeting.



#### 14 March 2021: Mothering Sunday - 4th Sunday in Lent

There is an old Jewish saying:

God could not be everywhere, and therefore He made mothers.

Mother Church, Mother Earth, Mother of the Gods - our human mothers - all of them have been part of the celebration of 'Mothering Sunday' - as the fourth Sunday in Lent is affectionately known. It has been celebrated in the UK since at least the  $16^{\rm th}$  century.

In Roman times, great festivals were held every Spring to honour Cybele, Mother of all the Gods. Other pagan festivals in honour of Mother Earth were also celebrated. With the arrival of Christianity, the festival became one honouring Mother Church. During the Middle Ages, young people apprenticed to craftsmen or working as 'live-in' servants were allowed only one holiday a year on which to visit their families, which is how 'Mothering Sunday' got its name. This special day became a day of family rejoicing, and the Lenten fast was broken. In some places the day was called Simnel Day, because of the sweet cakes called simnel cakes traditionally eaten on that day.

In recent years the holiday has changed, and in many ways now resembles the American Mother's Day, with families going out to Sunday lunch and generally making a fuss of their mother on the day. The Fourth Sunday in Lent was called 'Mid-Lent' or 'Refreshment Sunday', when the rigors of Lent were relaxed more than was normal for a feast day. It is called Mothering Sunday as a reference to the Epistle reading for the Day (Galatians 4:21-31). The Lenten Epistles follow from each other with teaching about our life as Christians and how we are to follow Christ. On Mid-Lent Sunday the Epistle talks of bondage and freedom; the bondage of the Law and the Old Covenant as compared to the freedom in Christ, "the promised one", and the New Covenant. Verse 26 reads "But Jerusalem which is above is free, which is the mother of us all." We gain our freedom from Christ and, as it was seen before the Reformation, the Church.

Thus, Mothering Sunday is about the freedom that we gain through the promise of Jesus Christ delivered through our Mother the Church. People were encouraged to go to their 'Mother Church' (their home church or their home Cathedral) to worship and give thanks. Hence apprentices, and others, went home for the weekend and often brought gifts (or accumulated pay) home to their family.

On the other hand, Mother's Day is a secular festival invented in 1904 and is celebrated on the 2nd Sunday in May in most countries in the world. The UK seems to be the exception. In recent years Mothering Sunday has been hijacked to take the place of a special, secular day to give thanks for our mothers.



#### **Bluebells**

I remember rediscovering my mother's little hard back book of, beautifully painted, watercolours by the artist Cicely Mary Barker (1895-1973) 'Flower Fairies of the Spring'. It included 'the bluebell fairy' proudly carrying a stem of bluebells like a royal mace in a state procession. Most



people, of a certain age at least, can remember the book. The pictures were originally used on postcards and clearly caught the imagination. But although Emily Bronte poetically said 'The Bluebell is the sweetest flower' it also had a warlike use. Its sticky sap helped glue the flight feathers onto arrows. So they were an unsung hero of Agincourt.

The poem in Flower Fairies called the bluebell 'The peerless Woodland King' although its reference to children gathering 'armfuls' could not be written now. It is unlawful to intentionally pick, uproot or destroy wild bluebells. Local bluebell woods, with their lovely, uplifting, dappled spring light; include Anston Stones, the walk on the east of Treeton Dyke and the woods above Chesterfield Canal at Kiveton Park. Further afield, the woodland walks at Bolton Abbey in North Yorkshire have great drifts of Bluebells. Stick to the paths though as treading on bluebells easily crushes the leaves meaning they can no longer photosynthesise and starve.

Up to half of the word's bluebells grow in the British Isles. You can plant your own. They are easy to establish and grow well in gardens and outdoor pots. When planted as bulbs they spread quickly. Seeds take longer. They are happiest in shade and flower in April-May. They attract bees as an early source of nectar. When choosing bulbs do check they are English 'common bluebells' and not the, potentially invasive, Spanish variety. You will also want to check they are sourced and grown in Britain. Otherwise, there is a higher risk of introducing pests and diseases. We don't' want to lose our Bluebells. Native bluebells (*Hyacinthoides non-scripta*) are a vivid violet/purply blue and the stems arch with the flowers on one side. The Spanish variety has flowers arranged around the stem and unlike the common bluebell they have no scent.

The only place you will not find our common bluebell in the British Isles is Orkney and Shetland. Maybe they are making a point about being 'almost Scandinavians'? Common bluebells are also native to Ireland, parts of northern Spain and Portugal, Belgium and have become naturalised in Germany, Italy and Romania. So you might spot them on your travels. As practical tips, especially in dry areas under trees and in pots, bluebells still like some moisture even when dormant. Plant them in little clumps with uneven spacing to create the 'drift' effect seen in woodland. Don't remove the leaves and stem after flowering because they continue to feed the bulbs. You can lift and divide bulbs after flowering to help them spread but it happens gradually anyway. Happy planting!

David Coldrick is owner of Home Instead Senior Care Rotherham 34 Moorgate Road S60 2AG. Telephone 01709 837170 <a href="mailto:david.coldrick@homeinstead.co.uk">david.coldrick@homeinstead.co.uk</a> All views his own.



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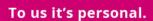
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#### **Aston Footpath Walkers Association**

Local friendly walking every Thursday. Contact Mel Partridge on 0114 438 1493.

#### **Aston Ladies Circle**

Meetings are at 7.45pm on Tuesday evenings in the Parish Hall or 'OUT' on trips. Contact Kath Hallam 01142872052

#### **Aston-cum-Aughton History Group**

Meetings on the 1st and 3rd Mondays of each month, 7-9pm, William Layne Reading Room, Aughton Lane, Aston. Visitors welcome.

#### **Aston-cum-Aughton Ladies Group**

Meetings on the 3rd Monday of each month at 1.45pm in the Narthex at All Saints Church. New members / visitors welcome (small fee).

Contact Val on 0114 287 3214

#### **Chatterbox Activity Group**

for pensioners, carers and over 55's. See pg.23

Tuesdays 10am to 12.30, Central Methodist Church Hall, Lodge Lane, Aston. £2 Transport available. Extra help always welcome. Contact Janet on 07989 370593

#### **Dinnington & District Horticultural Society**

Evening talks in Anston Parish Hall, Ryton Road, North Anston S25 4DL at 7.30pm. Non members £2.50. For more details contact 01909 567326.



#### **Friends of Ulley Country Park**

Sunday Café: 11 am to 3 pm. Homemade refreshments including soup, crusty bread, coffee, tea, fruit cordials, cakes and scones. We hope to host a special event at each Café day. Details on the website.

#### 5th Age (charity number 1068378)

This social group meets every Tuesday, 2 - 4pm at Heighton View Community Centre (off Turnshaw Avenue in Aughton). Open to anyone over 55. Just drop in: ask for Julia. Membership free.

Contact: enquire5thage@outlook.com

#### **Swallownest Ladies Group**

Meets on the 2nd Monday of each month, 1.30 - 3pm, William Layne Reading Room, Aughton Lane, Aston New members welcome. Contact Patricia Bennett 0114 4538513 or Joan Scholey (287 4565)

#### **Prospects@Central**

An inclusive service with those with learning difficulties. All welcome! Drama, dance, music, cake & worship. 3rd Sunday of each month at 3.30pm. Central Methodist Church.

Contact 01709 372863 or joanne.archersiddall@gmail.com

#### **Praise and Play**

Playgroup for babies and pre-school children at All Saints Church, Aston every Monday 1.30-3.00pm in Term time (except 3rd Monday in the month when it Is held at Holy Trinity, Ulley) Free, but donations welcome.



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#### Thoughts

'Tis God's will I would do, My own will I would rein; Would give to God his due, From my own due refrain; God's path I would pursue, My own path would disdain;

For Christ's death would I care, My own death duly weighed; Christ's pain my silent prayer, My God-love warmer made; 'Tis Christ's cross I would bear, My own cross off me laid;

Repentance I would make, Repentance early choose; Rein for my tongue would take, Rein for my thoughts would use;

God's judgment would I mind,
My own judgment close-scanned;
Christ's freedom seizing bind,
My own freedom in hand;
Christ's love close-scanned would find,
My own love understand.

From Poems of the Western Highlanders



## From the Registers

Baptisms in February 2021

There have been no Baptisms in February 2021



#### Funerals in January & February 2021

20 January 2021 4 February 2021 20 February 2021 Gwendoline Thompson George Knight Harry Vardy

#### WHO TO CONTACT AT ALL SAINTS

If you want to talk about getting married, or to book your wedding please E-mail Hazel on **office@allsaintsaston.com** on Tuesday 1pm-5pm or Thursday 9am-1pm

Wedding couples can ring: 07934 101538

If you would like to arrange a Baptism please E-mail our Baptism co-ordinator, Gloria Hope on **Baptism@gloriahope.uk** 

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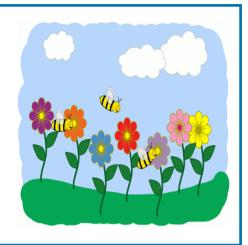
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Give her your name, address, telephone number, E-mail and most important of all, your permission to pass this information to a local Team Leader.

#### **DAILY HOPE**

The Church of England is continuing the free phone line 'Daily Hope' which is open to all. The number is 0800 804 8044.

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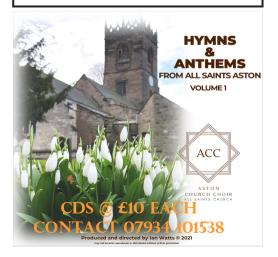
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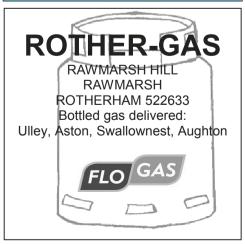
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