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Feast Sunday occurs this year on the 9th July and we shall be running the usual annual Floral Festival in conjunction with it on the Saturday and Sunday. If the magazine arrives too late for this notice to be of value I apologise but the incidence of holidays makes timing in this respect difficult.

Twywell Floral Festival occurs on the following Saturday and Sunday, 15th and 16th July. On Sunday the services will be at 9.15am and Evensong at 7.00pm. In consequence the service of Evensong at Woodford will start at 5.45pm

I must apologise for having to shut the church for service on Sunday 25th June, but as the limewashing was in full progress and the building was stripped of all ornaments it seemed impossible to clear a space of dust covers etc., in order to conduct a service. The progress of the work so far has transformed the church out of all recognition and I am sure it will provide an enormous attraction for the festival

We are grateful to Mr Drage and the Scout Troop for giving us a piano for the Church Hall, transporting it thither and removing the old one. Many Thanks

The tiles on the floor of the chancel in Woodford Church are in such a very bad state that it has been suggested to carpet this portion of the Church. The cost would be in the neighbourhood of £60.0.0 and I shall shortly be calling a meeting of the PCC to go into the matter and assess the colour scheme. It seems the only alternative. To polish would cause accidents but even then there is so little glaze on the tiles that it would be a waste of time and effort. The proposition is a fitted carpet from the Chancel gates to the sanctuary steps.

The Schools

At long last the Junior School has had the outside decoration promised in 1965. A dangerous chimney has been removed from the Infants School. At the end of the month 40 children will be going to London on an educational trip to visit the Tower and a trip on the Thames. The Infants will be dancing around the maypole at the Scout Fete on July 15th – by popular request and on 1st July the annual PTA sports will be held at 2.30pm in The Leys.

The Scouts

The Gang Show made a profit of £32. This was a record and the money has been put forward towards our rebuilding fund. Although we were covered by insurance for the building, this does not take into account the fact that we are having to pay £150 for the demolition of the property. The site will have to be levelled, and then we can use the insurance money. Kettering Scouts have sent a donation and Mr Neall of the Post Office has also helped us financially. A little Brownie Pack at Wellingborough sent me a PO for 7/6d. A fund has been opened and any contributions however small will be gratefully received and acknowledged by Mrs H Green, Church Street. Please help us to continue a movement that has survived for 21 years in this village. Old Scouts Please.