

Tuesday 17th April 2007

Pam Welch - "4 Saints and a Sinner"

Tonight the club welcomed Pam Welch and received not only a floral demonstration very much enjoyed by all present in the audience, but also a history lesson and mini work shop. Pam gave plenty of hints, tips and ideas on the appropriation of containers and preparation of mechanics - and even very kindly revealed the whereabouts of her sources and one wonders just how many of the ladies gathered were heading east on the M27 the following day!

The title of Pam's demonstration was "4 Saints and a Sinner" and the historical characters that she florally brought to life were:

- St. Zita - Patron Saint of Domestic Servants
- St. Joan of Arc
- St. Christopher - Patron Saint of Travellers
- St. Dorothea - Patron Saint of Brewers, Florists and Flower Arrangers
- Casanova

Can you imagine the scene if Pam's Saints and Sinner had actually met up! St. Zita and St. Joan discussing at great length domestic and political issues, St. Christopher trying to smooth the way and goodness knows what mischief St. Dorothea and Casanova would get up to!!

Thankfully, no mischief this evening, just a display of floral art that was as delightful as it was varied and colourful.

N.B. To date, permission has not been granted to publish photographs of Pam's floral arrangements.