



Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> November 2013



**Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> November 7.30pm:** Good News Van, this will be located at South Street.

**Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 10am-12pm – All Saints Autumn Sale at All Saints Oakham.** Cakes, Gifts, Preserves, Raffle, Bottle Stall, Plants. Pat and Jackie are running the bottle stall, and all donations will be gratefully accepted, Please leave them in the Church Office upstairs. Peter Kinal is running the plant stall. If you have any spare plants you can give please let him know and label them. (01572 724487).

**Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> November:** Sheila Hardy Memorial Service. Oakham School Chapel 2.30pm. Refreshments afterwards in Barraclough (school dining hall next to the Theater) everyone welcome.

**Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> November:** Bible Study 10am at 25 Willow Crescent. All welcome

**Team Walking Group** , The next walk is on Thursday the 28th November at 10.30am starting from The Wheatsheaf, Greetham, and is 5 miles. Parking at or around the Wheatsheaf with lunch there afterwards. New walkers always welcome, group contact Dennis Corton, 722272

**Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> November 6:00pm – St Andrew’s Day Service at St Andrew Whissendine,** with supper and social evening.

**Sunday 1 December 6:00pm – ADVENT CAROL SERVICE at All Saints Oakham.** Mark the start of the Church’s New Year with this traditional service reflecting on the coming of Christ in readings and music. Sung by Laudamus, the joint Team Choir.

**FAIRTRADE AND CHRISTMAS**

Denise (722729) has copies of the new catalogue with the usual selection of Christmas items, and will be taking orders up to Sunday 24th November.



**WELCOME**

If you are new to this church or visiting, please make yourself known to the clergy or churchwardens.

*If you wish to receive Holy Communion in the pew where you are sitting, please inform a sidesperson before the start of the service.*

*At All Saints’ Church, Oakham, large print versions of the hymns and service booklet are available. Please ask one of the sidespersons.*

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**Oakham Team Office**

The Team Office is staffed on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday 9am- 1pm, Thursdays 11am-3pm and Fridays by email. Notices for inclusion in the pew sheet should arrive by Wednesday at 11 am.  
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Services for Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> November Christ the King

Ashwell	16:00	Evensong
Braunston	16:00	Church @4
Brooke	08:00	Holy Communion
Hambleton	09:15	Holy Communion
Langham	11:00	Holy Communion
Market Overton	09:00	Holy Communion
Oakham	08:00	Holy Communion
	10:30	Holy Communion
	18:00	Evensong
Teigh	09:00	Holy Communion
Whissendine	11:00	Holy Communion

**Midweek Communion Services**

Tuesday	All Saints’ Oakham	10.00 am
Wednesday	St John and St Anne Chapel	10.00 am
Thursday	All Saints’ Oakham	8.30 am
Friday (BCP)	All Saints’ Oakham	10.00 am

Every Wednesday at 5.30 pm Christian Meditation Group at St John and St Anne.

**The Collect**

Heavenly Father, Whose blessed Son was revealed to destroy the works of the devil and to make us the children of God and heirs of eternal life: grant that we, having this hope, may purify ourselves even as He is pure; that when He shall appear in power and great glory we may be made like Him in His eternal and glorious kingdom; where He is alive and reigns with You, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

**Malachi 4.1-2a**

See, the day is coming, burning like an oven, when all the arrogant and all evildoers will be stubble; the day that comes shall burn them up, says the Lord of hosts, so that it will leave them neither root nor branch. But for you who revere my name the sun of righteousness shall rise, with healing in its wings. You shall go out leaping like calves from the stall.

**2 Thessalonians 3.6-13**

We command you, beloved, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, to keep away from believers who are living in idleness and not according to the tradition that they received from us. For you yourselves know how you ought to imitate us; we were not idle when we were with you, and we did not eat anyone's bread without paying for it; but with toil and labour we worked night and day, so that we might not burden any of you. This was not because we do not have that right, but in order to give you an example to imitate. For even when we were with you, we gave you this command: Anyone unwilling to work should not eat. For we hear that some of you are living in idleness, mere busybodies, not doing any work. Now such persons we command and exhort in the Lord Jesus Christ to do their work quietly and to earn their own living. Brothers and sisters, do not be weary in doing what is right.

**Luke 21.5-19**

When some were speaking about the temple, how it was adorned with beautiful stones and gifts dedicated to God, he said, 'As for these things that you see, the days will come when not one stone will be left upon another; all will be thrown down.' They asked him, 'Teacher, when will this be, and what will be the sign that this is about to take place?' And he said, 'Beware that you are not led astray; for many will come in my name and say, "I am he!" and, "The time is near!" Do not go after them. 'When you hear of wars and insurrections, do not be terrified; for these things must take place first, but the end will not follow immediately.' Then he said to them, 'Nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom; there will be great earthquakes, and in various places famines and plagues; and there will be dreadful portents and great signs from heaven. 'But before all this occurs, they will arrest you and persecute you; they will hand you over to synagogues and prisons, and you will be brought before kings and governors because of my name. This will give you an opportunity to testify. So make up your minds not to prepare your defence in advance; for I will give you words and a wisdom that none of your opponents will be able to withstand or contradict. You will be betrayed even by parents and brothers, by relatives and friends; and they will put some of you to death. You will be hated by all because of my name. But not a hair of your head will perish. By your endurance you will gain your souls.

**Post Communion**

Gracious Lord,  
in this holy sacrament  
you give substance to our hope:  
bring us at the last  
to that fullness of life for which we long;  
through Jesus Christ our Saviour.

**Amen**