

**Monday 13<sup>th</sup> January 7.30 -9.30pm: SEEDS OF FAITH COURSE Ashwell.** The first session of a six week course for explorers or new Christians or for those just wanting a refresher on the basics of Christianity. Members of all team churches are welcome. For further details or to book contact Jenni Duffy 01572 720064 or [jenni@oakhamteam.org.uk](mailto:jenni@oakhamteam.org.uk).

**Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> January, 7.30pm:** Healing Prayer Group at 75 Ladywell Oakham, All Welcome.

**Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> January, 8:30am: CHURCHES TOGETHER IN OAKHAM & DISTRICT PRAYER BREAKFAST Victoria Hall** Speaker – Revd J G Jamieson, Chaplain Kendrew Barracks. Tickets £3 from Patrick or Marjorie Wilson (01572 723288)

**Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> January, 1:00pm: TABLE TOP SALE Langham Village Hall.** Tables can be booked from Ray Bailey (01572 770490). In support of Langham Church Bellringers.

**Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> January 3.00pm -4.30pm: TEA PARTY All Saints Oakham.** All queries to Revd Dominic Coad.

**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> – Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> January: LOOKING FORWARD TO LENT Launde Abbey** A retreat led by Anthony Weaver. For more information call Launde Abbey on 01572 717254 or visit [www.laundeabbey.org.uk](http://www.laundeabbey.org.uk)

**Team Walking Group** The next walk of approx 5 miles is on Thursday the 23rd of January at 10.30am starting from the Fox and Hounds at Exton. Parking at or around the Pub with lunch there afterwards. New walkers always welcome. Group contact Dennis Corton 01572 722272

**Friday 24<sup>th</sup> January 10.00am: WOMEN'S WORLD DAY OF PRAYER – DISCOVERY DAY Oakham Methodist Church** You are invited for coffee and Egyptian cakes, and Revd Audrey Atkinson will lead a Bible Study. This will be followed by a presentation and then finish with lunch at 1:00pm. Please come if you can, and let Christine Carlin (01572 722698) know by Sunday 18 January for catering numbers.

**Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February at 7.30 p.m.** Houghton Weavers are appearing at St Andrews Church, Whissendine. Tickets £10 to include a glass of wine. Contact Hilda 01664474392 or email: [handj5@talktalk.net](mailto:handj5@talktalk.net) Tony the lead singer has now recovered from his operation. If you had booked tickets in November and hadn't paid would you confirm that you still wish to come. Many thanks Hilda. Proceeds to St Andrews Church, Whissendine



**Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> January 2014**



### 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.*

### Oakham Team Clergy

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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 19<sup>th</sup> January (Epiphany2)

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

### 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**

Eternal Father,  
Who at the baptism of Jesus  
revealed Him to be Your Son,  
anointing Him with the Holy Spirit:  
grant to us,  
who are born again by water and The Spirit,  
that we may be faithful to our calling  
as Your adopted children;  
through Jesus Christ Your Son our Lord,  
Who is alive and reigns with You,  
in the unity of The Holy Spirit  
one God, now and for ever.

**Amen.**

**Isaiah 42.1-9**

Here is my servant, whom I uphold,  
my chosen, in whom my soul delights;  
I have put my spirit upon him;  
he will bring forth justice to the nations.  
He will not cry or lift up his voice,  
or make it heard in the street;  
a bruised reed he will not break,  
and a dimly burning wick he will not quench;  
he will faithfully bring forth justice.  
He will not grow faint or be crushed  
until he has established justice in the earth;  
and the coastlands wait for his teaching.  
Thus says God, the Lord,  
who created the heavens and stretched  
them out,  
who spread out the earth and what comes  
from it,  
who gives breath to the people upon it  
and spirit to those who walk in it:  
I am the Lord, I have called you in  
righteousness,  
I have taken you by the hand and kept you;  
I have given you as a covenant to the people,  
a light to the nations,  
to open the eyes that are blind,  
to bring out the prisoners from the dungeon,  
from the prison those who sit in darkness.  
I am the Lord, that is my name;  
my glory I give to no other,  
nor my praise to idols.  
See, the former things have come to pass,  
and new things I now declare;  
before they spring forth,  
I tell you of them.

**Acts 10.34 -43**

Peter began to speak to them: 'I truly understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ—he is Lord of all. That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.'

**Matthew 3.13-17**

Jesus came from Galilee to John at the Jordan, to be baptized by him. John would have prevented him, saying, 'I need to be baptized by you, and do you come to me?' But Jesus answered him, 'Let it be so now; for it is proper for us in this way to fulfil all righteousness.' Then he consented. And when Jesus had been baptized, just as he came up from the water, suddenly the heavens were opened to him and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and alighting on him. And a voice from heaven said, 'This is my Son, the Beloved, with whom I am well pleased.'

**Post Communion Prayer**

Lord of all time and eternity,  
You opened the heavens  
and revealed Yourself as Father  
in the baptism of Jesus Your beloved Son:  
by the power of Your Spirit  
complete the heavenly work of our rebirth  
through the waters of the new creation;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**