

Barbara Wainwright Funeral. Friday 28th February 2014 at 11.30am. Family Flowers only please. Barbara will be brought into All Saints on Thursday and there will be a Celtic Night Prayer at 9.00pm on Thursday 27th February led by Vyv. Further details Vyv Wainwright 01572 759157.

Lent Study Groups: Will start during the week beginning Monday 10th March. If you would like to participate, please sign the sheet on the table by the South Door of All Saints' Oakham, or in your own church, on or before Sunday 16th February. For more information, please contact Gail Rudge: 01572 755570 rudge330@btinternet.com

Wednesday 26th February, 7.30pm: Home Group at 19 Ashwell Road, Oakham.

Team Walking Group The next walk, of approx 6 miles, is on Thursday 27th February at 10.30am starting at the Green, Ridlington. Conditions generally good but one section may be wet. Lunch at the Blue Ball, Braunston afterwards. New walkers always welcome, group contact, Dennis Corton 01572 722272

Friends Shrovetide Party Tuesday 4th March at 7pm in the Church Hall Cost £5 Names on list on table near the South Door, please. Beryl Kirtland 01572 724103

Tuesday 4th March 10.30am: Coffee morning and pancake flipping, Bring and buy and raffle at St Andrews Whissendine. All welcome.

PROFESSIONAL MUSIC IN THE CHAPEL: Thursday 6th March, 7.45pm, Oakham School Chapel.

Brahms Sextets: Brahms: Sextet No. 1 in B flat major, op. 18 Sextet No. 2 in G major, op. 36

Martin Cropper is joined by an ensemble of fellow professionals in a programme of chamber music to include both Brahms *Sextets*. We welcome back violinist Peter Cropper and are delighted to be joined by 'cellist Richard Jenkinson from the school's visiting teaching staff. Tickets £10 from 01572 758820, boxoffice@oakham.rutland.sch.uk, www.wegotickets.co.uk and Music & More, Oakham

Friend's notices for AGM on March 23rd and subscriptions in envelopes on table near South Door. Members please collect yours and help deliver others where possible. Thank you. Beryl



Sunday 23rd February 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.

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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 2nd March (1st before Lent)

Ashwell	18:00	Evensong
Braunston	11:00	Holy Communion
Brooke	16:00	Evensong
Egleton	09:15	Holy Communion
Langham	18:00	Word, Worship, Response
Market Overton	09:00	Holy Communion
Oakham	08:00	Holy Communion
	10:30	Holy Communion
	16:00	Evensong
Teigh	09:00	Mattins
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

Almighty God,
You have created the heavens and the earth
and made us in Your own image:
teach us to discern Your hand
in all Your works
and Your likeness in all Your children;
through Jesus Christ Your Son our Lord,
Who with You and The Holy Spirit
reigns supreme over all things,
now and for ever..

Amen.

Genesis 1.1-2.3 (Reading too long to print)

Roman 8.18-25

I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worth comparing with the glory about to be revealed to us.

For the creation waits with eager longing for the revealing of the children of God;

for the creation was subjected to futility, not of its own will but by the will of the one who subjected it,

in hope that the creation itself will be set free from its bondage to decay and will obtain the freedom of the glory of the children of God.

We know that the whole creation has been groaning in labour pains until now;

and not only the creation, but we ourselves, who have the first fruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly while we wait for adoption, the redemption of our bodies. For in hope we were saved.

Now hope that is seen is not hope. For who hopes for what is seen? But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience.

Matthew 6.25 –end

‘Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or what you will drink, or about your body, what you will wear. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothing? Look at the birds of the air; they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they? And can any of you by worrying add a single hour to your span of life? And why do you worry about clothing? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow; they neither toil nor spin, yet I tell you, even Solomon in all his glory was not clothed like one of these. But if God so clothes the grass of the field, which is alive today and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will he not much more clothe you— you of little faith? Therefore do not worry, saying, “What will we eat?” or “What will we drink?” or “What will we wear?” For it is the Gentiles who strive for all these things; and indeed your heavenly Father knows that you need all these things. But strive first for the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.

‘So do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will bring worries of its own. Today’s trouble is enough for today.

Post Communion Prayer

God our creator,
by Your gift the tree of life
was set at the heart of the earthly paradise,
and the bread of life
at the heart of Your Church:
may we who have been nourished
at Your table on earth
be transformed
by the glory of The Saviour’s cross
and enjoy the delights of eternity;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**