

Twelfth Sunday after Trinity Sunday 7 September 2014

St Peter & St Paul Langham

Oakham	8:00am Holy Communion (CW Trad) 10:30am Parish Communion 6:00pm Evensong
Whissendine	11:00am Holy Communion
Ashwell	6:00pm Evensong
Teigh	9:00am Matins
Market Overton	9:00am Holy Communion
Langham	6:00pm Harvest WWR
Braunston	11:00am Holy Communion
Brooke	6:00pm Evensong
Hambleton	No service
Egleton	9:15am Holy Communion (CW Trad)

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

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Welcome and Opening Sentence

The heavens declare the glory of God
The skies display the work of his hands

**God of light and God of night,
creator of seed and mountain,
raindrop and fountain,
we bring our offering of praise.
God of right and God of might,
lover of child and childless,
rich and homeless,
we bring our offering of praise.**

Do you not know? Have you not heard?
**The Lord is the everlasting God,
the Creator of the ends of the earth**

Isaiah 40:28

By faith
I gaze up to the heavens
and know
within its vastness
that this is your creation
planned and effected within eternity.

By faith
I pluck an ear of corn
and know
within its symmetry
lies the chemistry of life
the potential of creation within my hand.

By faith
I listen for your voice
and know
the whisper that I hear
breathed a world into existence
yet listens to the prayer within my soul.

By faith
I strive to do your will
and know
the door that I approach
may lead me to shadows
where my roll is to become your light.

By faith
I cling to your word
and know
the strength that I receive
has its source within the love
that is at the centre of all things.

Hymn

1. For the fruits of all creation,
 thanks be to God;
for the gifts to every nation,
 thanks be to God;
for the ploughing, sowing, reaping,
silent growth while we are sleeping,
future needs in earth's safe keeping,
 thanks be to God.

2. In the just reward of labour,
 God's will is done;
in the help we give our neighbour,
 God's will is done;
in our world-wide task of caring
for the hungry and despairing,
in the harvests we are sharing,
 God's will is done.

3. For the harvests of his Spirit,
 thanks be to God;
for the good we all inherit,
 thanks be to God;
for the wonders that astound us,
for the truths that still confound us,
most of all, that love has found us,
 thanks be to God.

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Music: East Acklam, Francis Jackson (b. 1917)
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Confession

Let us confess our forgetfulness of the needs of the poor,
and repent of the ways in which we waste the resources of the world.

**Creator God,
forgive our moments of ingratitude,
the spiritual blindness,
that prevents us from appreciating the wonder that is this world;
the endless cycle of nature,
of life and death and rebirth.
Forgive us for taking without giving,
reaping without sowing.**

**Open our eyes to see,
our lips to praise,
our hands to share.
May our feet tread lightly on the path we tread,
and our footsteps be worthy of following,
for they lead to you.
Amen.**

Absolution

May the God of love
bring us back to himself,
forgive us our sins,
and assure us of his eternal love
in Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

The Collect

O eternal God,
who crownest the year with thy goodness
and dost give us the fruits of the earth in their season:
give us grace that we may use them to thy glory,
for the relief of those in need
and for our own well-being;
through Jesus Christ thy Son our Lord,
who liveth and reigneth with thee,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.
Amen.

Hymn

I. Lord, I come before your throne of grace,
I find rest in your presence, and fullness of joy.
In worship and wonder I behold your face,
singing 'What a faithful God have I'.

*What a faithful God have I,
what a faithful God.
What a faithful God have I,
faithful in ev'ry way.*

2. Lord of mercy, you have heard my cry,
through the storm you're the beacon, my song in the night.
In the shelter of your wings hear my heart's reply,
singing 'What a faithful God have I'.

*What a faithful God have I,
what a faithful God.
What a faithful God have I,
faithful in ev'ry way.*

3. Lord, all sov'reign, granting peace from heav'n,
let me comfort those who suffer with the comfort you have giv'n.
I will tell of your great love for as long as I live,
singing 'What a faithful God have I'.

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First Reading – Deuteronomy 8:7-18

For the Lord your God is bringing you into a good land, a land with flowing streams, with springs and underground waters welling up in valleys and hills, a land of wheat and barley, of vines and fig trees and pomegranates, a land of olive trees and honey, a land where you may eat bread without scarcity, where you will lack nothing, a land whose stones are iron and from whose hills you may mine copper. You shall eat your fill and bless the Lord your God for the good land that he has given you. Take care that you do not forget the Lord your God, by failing to keep his commandments, his ordinances, and his statutes, which I am commanding you today. When you have eaten your fill and have built fine houses and live in them, and when your herds and flocks have multiplied, and your silver and gold is multiplied, and all that you have is multiplied, then do not exalt yourself, forgetting the Lord your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery, who led you through the great and terrible wilderness, an arid wasteland with poisonous snakes and scorpions. He made water flow for you from flint rock, and fed you in the wilderness with manna that your ancestors did not know, to humble you and to test you, and in the end to do you good. Do not say to yourself, "My power and the might of my own hand have gotten me this wealth." But remember the Lord your God, for it is he who gives you power to get wealth, so that he may confirm his covenant that he swore to your ancestors, as he is doing today.

Sermon

Hymn

Give thanks with a grateful heart.
Give thanks to the Holy One.
Give thanks because he's given
Jesus Christ, his Son.
Give thanks with a grateful heart.
Give thanks to the Holy One.
Give thanks because he's given
Jesus Christ, his Son.

And now let the weak say, 'I am strong',
let the poor say, 'I am rich',
because of what the Lord has done for us.
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let the poor say, 'I am rich',
because of what the Lord has done for us.

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Second Reading – 2 Corinthians 9:6-15

The point is this: the one who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and the one who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to provide you with every blessing in abundance, so that by always having enough of everything, you may share abundantly in every good work. As it is written, "He scatters abroad, he gives to the poor; his righteousness endures forever." He who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will supply and multiply your seed for sowing and increase the harvest of your righteousness. You will be enriched in every way for your great generosity, which will produce thanksgiving to God through us; for the rendering of this ministry not only supplies the needs of the saints but also overflows with many thanksgivings to God. Through the testing of this ministry you glorify God by your obedience to the confession of the gospel of Christ and by the generosity of your sharing with them and with all others, while they long for you and pray for you because of the surpassing grace of God that he has given you. Thanks be to God for his indescribable gift!

Sermon

Creed

Let us declare our faith in God.

I believe in God the Father,
who created heaven and earth;
source of wisdom and of power
bringing light and life to birth.
I believe in God the Saviour,
Son of man and Lord most high;
crucified to be redeemer,
raised to life that death may die.

I believe in God the Spirit,
wind of heaven and flame of fire;
pledge of all that we inherit,
sent to comfort and inspire.
Honour, glory, might and merit
be to God, and God alone;
Father, Son and Holy Spirit,
one in three and three in one.

Music: Ode to joy, Ludwig van Beethoven

Intercessions

The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be Thy name.
Thy Kingdom come,
thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
Forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
Lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
the power and the glory,
for ever and ever.
Amen.**

The Peace

The harvest of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience,
kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control.
The peace of the Lord be always with you.
And also with you.

1. We thank you, Lord, for gifts of your creation,
from field and farm, the fruitfulness in season;
 the farmers till the fields
 to bring forth autumn yields
from sowing seed in the brown soil in springtime.
2. We thank you, Lord, for all who tend creation,
for foresters who plant and fell the woodlands;
 for gardeners everywhere,
 who work with special care
to bring about the fruitfulness and colour.
3. We thank you, Lord, for oceans, lakes and rivers,
for fishermen who brave the stormy waters;
 in rough or calm they trawl
 to bring food for us all;
we pray that they will always come home safely.
4. We thank you, Lord, for on this lovely island
the beauty of the mountains, dales and valleys;
 where birds sing happily
 their daytime melodies
across our peaceful landscape in each season.

*Words: Ruth Burdett
Music: Kevin Slingsby*

The Bringing Forward of Symbols of the Harvest

Let us bring forward symbols of the harvest,
gifts that God has created
and his sun and rain have nurtured.

Thanks be to God.

Bring forward the harvest of the cornfields,
the oats and the wheat,
the rye and the barley.

Thanks be to God.

Bring forward the harvest of roots,
the swedes and mangolds,
turnips and sugar beet.

Thanks be to God.

Bring forward the harvest of seeds for next year's crops,
for clover, for hay and for corn.

Thanks be to God.

Bring forward the harvest of vegetables,
peas, potatoes, beans and hops.

Thanks be to God.

Bring forward the harvest of pears and apples,
berries and herbs.

Thanks be to God.

Bring forward the harvest of flowers,
the finest blooms from our gardens and our fields.

Thanks be to God.

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow,
praise him, all creatures here below,
praise him above, ye heavenly host,
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Amen.**

Blessing

God the Father,
who created the world,
give you grace to be wise stewards of his creation.
Amen.

God the Son,
who redeemed the world,
inspire you to go out as labourers into his harvest.
Amen.

God the Holy Spirit,
whose breath fills the whole of creation,
help you to bear his fruits of love, joy and peace.
Amen.

And the blessing of God almighty,
the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,
be among you and remain with you always.
Amen.

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
In the name of Christ. Amen.

This Week

TUESDAY 9 SEPTEMBER

7:30pm – **BRAUNSTON & BROOKE WI**
Braunston Village Hall

WEDNESDAY 10 SEPTEMBER

1:30pm – **MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME**

All Saints Oakham

Oliver Smith recorder

Anon Laude novella sia cantata

Marini Sonata Decima, op. 8

van Eyck Boffons

Bassano Divisions on 'Susanne ung jour'

Rubbra Meditazioni sopra 'Coeurs Desoles'

THURSDAY 11 SEPTEMBER

NO CELTIC MIDDAY PRAYER –
moved to next week

2:15pm – **OAKHAM & BRAUNSTON**
MOTHERS' UNION MEETING

All Saints Oakham Church Hall

Rutland FoodBank – talk by Suzanne
Johnson. All welcome.

FRIDAY 12 SEPTEMBER

7:30pm – **RUTLAND THREE ARTS**
SOCIETY MUSIC GROUP

Methodist Church Hall, Northgate,
Oakham

Fritz (Frederick) Delius – Quintessentially
English, with Charles Robertshaw

Non-members welcome (£3 charge).

7:45pm – **REVERIE – WHEN MUSIC**
SOUNDS – Oakham School Chapel

Professional Music in the Chapel with
Oakham School Chamber Choir

Tickets, priced £10, can be obtained
from 01572 758820, Music&More
(Oakham),
boxoffice@oakham.rutland.sch.uk or
www.wegotickets.com.

SATURDAY 13 SEPTEMBER

11:00am -6:00pm – **PRAYER BOOK DAY**

St Peter Brooke & All Saints Braunston

Sung Matins at 11:15am in

Brooke Church, is followed by a

talk on the church at 12:15pm and a

chance to view the 17th Century

Book of Common Prayer. At 3:30pm

there will be a talk about Braunston

Church, followed at **4:30pm by**

Evensong and Compline.

SUNDAY 14 SEPTEMBER

10:30am – **CELEBRATION OF LEE'S**

10TH ANNIVERSARY – HOLY

COMMUNION

All Saints Oakham

11:45am – **WHISSENDINE CHURCH**
PICNIC

Play Area in The Nook,

Whissendine

The Church Picnic will follow the
Family Service at Whissendine, with
activities for the children. All the
family of the Church are welcome to
come along - whether you have been
to the 8am or 11am service!

3:00-4:30pm – **TEA PARTY**

All Saints Oakham

Everyone is welcome to join us for a
cup of tea and a cake. For further
details please contact Revd Dr
Dominic Coad on 01572 770024

Looking Ahead

WEDNESDAY 17 SEPTEMBER

10:00am - 12:00pm – **OPEN HOUSE**
Home of Eileen & Michael Blackwood,
6 Barmstedt Drive, Oakham
All are welcome.

THURSDAY 18 SEPTEMBER

12:15-12:45pm – **CELTIC MIDDAY PRAYER**
St Edmund Eggleton
7:30pm – **BRAUNSTON GARDENING CLUB**
Braunston Village Hall

FRIDAY 19 SEPTEMBER

7:30pm – **BRAUNSTON PCC**
6 Hanbury Gardens, Braunston

TUESDAY 23 SEPTEMBER

**FRIENDS' TRIP TO NEWSTEAD
ABBEY AND HUCKNALL**
All are welcome to join us on this
journey to Byron's last resting place.

FRIDAY 26 SEPTEMBER

7:30pm – **RUTLAND THREE ARTS
SOCIETY VISUAL ARTS GROUP**
All Saints Church Hall, Oakham
Children as Book Illustrations, with
John Haden.
Non-members welcome (£3 charge).

SATURDAY 27 SEPTEMBER

10:00am – **BIBLE SOCIETY
SPONSORED WALK**
For more information contact Sally
Blythin (01572 755699 or Stephan
Johnson (01572 722869).

SUNDAY 5 OCTOBER

6:00pm – **HARVEST FESTIVAL EVENSONG**
St Peter Brooke
With the Team Choir, Laudamus.

SATURDAY 11 OCTOBER

5:30pm – **PETERBOROUGH
DIOCESAN CHORAL FESTIVAL**
Peterborough Cathedral
Rehearsals for the choir Tue 30 Sep
7:00pm (Whissendine), Mon 6 Oct 5:30pm
(Cathedral), Thu 9 Oct 7:00pm (Oakham)

SUNDAY 12 OCTOBER

6:30pm – **'COME AND SING' FAURE
REQUIEM**
St John's Church Peterborough
Rehearsal at 4:30pm. Please contact
Kevin Slingsby if you are interested.
Please note change of date from 9
November.

SUNDAY 26 OCTOBER

3:00pm – **SONGS OF PRAISE FOR
BIBLE SUNDAY**
Oakham Baptist Church
More information to follow.

SATURDAY 22 NOVEMBER

1:30pm – **ALL SAINTS AUTUMN SALE**
All Saints Oakham
Please keep the date free, as helpers
and buyers will be needed. The Craft
Group are busy making items to sell
and would willingly receive any
materials you have to spare. Please
contact Pamela Woods on 01572
755371 or Sally Corton on 01572
722272.

Please pray for

- The family and friends of those who have died recently – **Malcolm Whitefield**, whose funeral was last Monday at Oakham; **Jean Parsons** and **Christine Cowell**, whose funerals were last Tuesday at Oakham, ??? whose funeral was last Thursday at Whissendine, and **Tunstall Bates**, whose funeral is tomorrow (Monday) at 2:30pm at Oakham; The family and friends of **Tunstall Bates**, who died last Friday
- The family and friends of **Philip Quinton** who died recently
- The hostages held by religious extremists and their families and friends
- The victims of the landslide in Japan
- Lucia, Pearl Lee's great-granddaughter who is to have a major operation in September
- The victims of the Ebola outbreak and those working to stop it
- The girls kidnapped in Nigeria and other victims of religious extremism;
- The families of those who died in the air disaster in the Ukraine
- Simon Tyler and the MSF team in Burma;
- The people whose lives are torn apart by war and violence, especially in Gaza, Israel, Syria & Iraq;
- The Rutland Food Bank;
- The Drop-in Centre for more people to join the cooking team;
- Justin and John our Archbishops and Donald and John, our Bishops;

- All who are persecuted for their faith, especially in Sudan, CAR, Kenya, Syria, Somalia, Eritrea, North Korea, China, Indonesia, Northern Nigeria, Iran, Egypt and Pakistan;
- Madeleine McCann and her family and all missing children.

Harvest Festivals

The first harvest service of the season will be the WWR service at Langham at 6:00pm today. Others in the team are on 21 Sep (9:00am Market Overton, 6:00pm Teigh), 28 Sep (11:00am Braunston, 5:00pm Egleton), 5 Oct (8:00am/10:30am/6:00pm Oakham, 6:00pm Brooke, 6:00pm Ashwell) and 12 Oct (11:00am Whissendine, 5:00pm Hambleton).

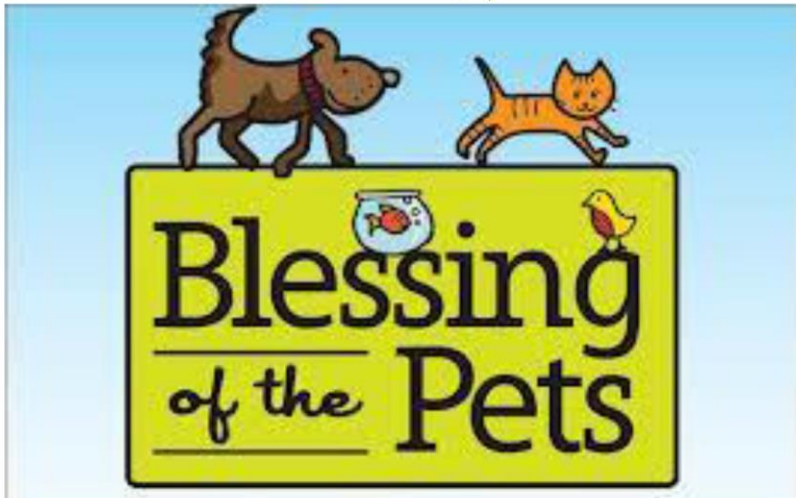
Choral Societies start

The Oakham Choral Society started last Tuesday (6:15-7:45pm in the school chapel), and is singing Handel's Messiah this term. If you would like something a little lighter, the Rutland Choral Society starts tomorrow (Monday 8 September, 7:30-9:15pm) including music by Rutter and Chilcott. For more information on joining them, see their websites, www.oakhamchoralsociety.org.uk and www.rutlandchoralsociety.org.uk.

Lee – 10 Years

In September, Lee will have been at All Saints for 10 years and we would like to celebrate this with him. Any contributions for this would be greatly appreciated – please see either Margaret or Alison.

St Peter and St Paul's Church, Langham
Church@4



...and Fluffies!

Sunday

21st September

4 pm

*All creatures great and small
...bring along your owners!*

Friends of All Saints' Church, Oakham

Tuesday 23rd September 2014

Following Bryon's last journey.

Coach Outing from Oakham to

The Parish Church of St. Mary Magdalene, Hucknall and
Newstead Abbey Historic House and Gardens



St. Mary Magdalene, Hucknall

- *Heritage gem
- *Burial place of Lord Byron
- *Largest collection of Kempe stained glass in England
- *Ada, Contess of Lovelace, Byron's daughter and computer connection

Ancestral home of poet Lord Byron*

Beautiful historic house*

Glorious landscape of gardens*



Newstead Abbey

COST £18.50 (for Coach, tours at

Hucknall (inc. coffee) and Newstead,

Buffet Lunch £8.50 (Homemade soup, sandwich, Mini cake ,drink)

Also Café and shop at Newstead

Leave Church at 9.30am Co-Op 9.35am

Return to Oakham approx. 6pm

Sign up list on table near South Door at All Saints Church, Oakham

Any further information contact Beryl Kirtland 01572 724103

Services During The Week

<i>Monday</i> 8 Sep	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham 9:00 Morning Prayer Langham	2:00 Pram & Toddler Oakham 4:30 Evening Prayer Oakham 5:00 Evening Prayer Langham
<i>Tuesday</i> 9 Sep	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham 10:00 Holy Communion Oakham	4:00 Evening Prayer Oakham
<i>Wednesday</i> 10 Sep	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham 9:00 Morning Prayer Langham 10:00 Holy Communion J&A 10:30 Holy Communion Ashwell	4:30 Evening Prayer Oakham 5:00 Evening Prayer Langham 5:30 Meditation J&A
<i>Thursday</i> 11 Sep	9:00 Team Communion Oakham 9:45 Tiny Tots Oakham	12:00 Ecumenical Prayer Oakham 4:30 Evening Prayer Oakham
<i>Friday</i> 12 Sep	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham 9:00 Morning Prayer Langham 10:00 BCP Communion Oakham	12:30 Village Prayers Braunston 4:30 Evening Prayer Oakham 5:00 Evening Prayer Langham

Services Next Sunday - 14 September (Holy Cross)

<i>Oakham</i>	8:00 Holy Communion (CW Trad) 10:30 Parish Communion	6:00 Evensong
<i>Whissendine</i>	8:00 Holy Communion 11:00 Family Service	
<i>Teigh</i>		
<i>Market Overton</i>		6:00 Evensong
<i>Ashwell</i>	9:00 Holy Communion (BCP)	
<i>Langham</i>	11:00 Holy Communion	
<i>Braunston</i>	11:00 Matins	
<i>Brooke</i>	8:00 Holy Communion (BCP)	
<i>Hambleton</i>	9:15 Holy Communion (CW Trad)	
<i>Egleton</i>		

Next Week's Readings at Holy Communion

Numbers 21.4-9; Philippians 2.6-11; John 3.13-17