

# Weekly Pewsheet

## *Service Details and Notices*

### Third Sunday of Easter

### Sunday 19 April 2015

*Services today:*

<b>Oakham</b>	<b>8:00am</b> Holy Communion (CW Trad)
	<b>10:30am</b> Family Service & Baptism
	<b>6:00pm</b> Evensong
<b>Whissendine</b>	<b>11:00am</b> Holy Communion
<b>Ashwell</b>	<b>11:00am</b> Family Service
<b>Teigh</b>	<b>6:00pm</b> Evensong
<b>Market Overton</b>	<b>9:00am</b> Family Service
<b>Langham</b>	<b>4:00pm</b> Church@4
<b>Braunston</b>	<b>11:00am</b> Holy Communion
<b>Brooke</b>	<b>6:00pm</b> Evensong
<b>Hambleton</b>	No service
<b>Egleton</b>	<b>9:15am</b> Holy Communion (CW Trad)

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 your pew, or would like a large print version of this Pewsheet, please ask a sidesman

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# 8:00am Holy Communion\*\*

# 10:30am Family Service & Baptism\*

The Order of Service is contained in the separate Service Book.

## Opening Hymn\*



1. If Christ had not been raised from death  
our faith would be in vain,  
our preaching but a waste of breath,  
our sin and guilt remain.  
But now the Lord is risen indeed;  
he rules in earth and heaven:  
his gospel meets a world of need -  
in Christ we are forgiven.

2. If Christ still lay within the tomb  
then death would be the end,  
and we should face our final doom  
with neither guide nor friend.  
But now the Saviour is raised up,  
so when a Christian dies  
we mourn, yet look to God in hope -  
in Christ the saints arise!

3. If Christ had not been truly raised  
his Church would live a lie;  
his name should nevermore be praised,  
his words deserve to die.  
But now our great Redeemer lives;  
through him we are restored:  
his word endures, his Church revives  
in Christ, our risen Lord.

*Words: based on 1 Corinthians 15.12-20, Christopher Idle (b 1938)*

*Music: Kingsfold, melody from English Country Songs 1893, collected by John Alexander Fuller Maitland (1856-1936)*

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## Collect

Almighty Father, who in your great mercy gladdened the disciples  
with the sight of the risen Lord:  
give us such knowledge of his presence with us,  
that we may be strengthened and sustained by his risen life  
and serve you continually in righteousness and truth;  
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.**

## **First Reading – Acts 3.12-19**

Peter addressed the people, 'You Israelites, why do you wonder at this, or why do you stare at us, as though by our own power or piety we had made him walk? The God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, the God of our ancestors has glorified his servant Jesus, whom you handed over and rejected in the presence of Pilate, though he had decided to release him. But you rejected the Holy and Righteous One and asked to have a murderer given to you, and you killed the Author of life, whom God raised from the dead. To this we are witnesses. And by faith in his name, his name itself has made this man strong, whom you see and know; and the faith that is through Jesus has given him this perfect health in the presence of all of you. 'And now, friends, I know that you acted in ignorance, as did also your rulers. In this way God fulfilled what he had foretold through all the prophets, that his Messiah would suffer. Repent therefore, and turn to God so that your sins may be wiped out.'

## **Second Reading – 1 John 3.1-7\***

See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure. Everyone who commits sin is guilty of lawlessness; sin is lawlessness. You know that he was revealed to take away sins, and in him there is no sin. No one who abides in him sins; no one who sins has either seen him or known him. Little children, let no one deceive you. Everyone who does what is right is righteous, just as he is righteous.

## **Gospel – Luke 24.36b-48**

While the eleven and their companions were talking about what they had heard, Jesus himself stood among them and said to them, 'Peace be with you.' They were startled and terrified, and thought that they were seeing a ghost. He said to them, 'Why are you frightened, and why do doubts arise in your hearts? Look at my hands and my feet; see that it is I myself. Touch me and see; for a ghost does not have flesh and bones as you see that I have.' And when he had said this, he showed them his hands and his feet. While in their joy they were disbelieving and still wondering, he said to them, 'Have you anything here to eat?' They gave him a piece of broiled fish, and he took it and ate in their presence. Then he said to them, 'These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you - that everything written about me in the law of Moses, the prophets, and the psalms must be fulfilled.' Then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures, and he said to them, 'Thus it is written, that the Messiah is to suffer and to rise from the dead on the third day, and that repentance and forgiveness of sins is to be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things.'

## Hymn\*



*Alleluia, alleluia, give thanks to the risen Lord.  
Alleluia, alleluia, give praise to his name.*

1. Jesus is Lord of all the earth:  
he is the King of creation:

2. Spread the good news o'er all the earth:  
Jesus has died and has risen:

3. We have been crucified with Christ:  
now we shall live for ever:

4. God has proclaimed the just reward:  
life for the world, alleluia:

5. Come, let us praise the living God,  
joyfully sing to our Saviour:

*Words: Donald Fishel (b 1950) Music: Alleluia No 1, melody by Donald Fishel (b 1950), harmonised by Eric Welch  
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## Hymn\*



1. What a friend we have in Jesus,  
all our sins and griefs to bear!  
What a privilege to carry  
everything to him in prayer!  
O what peace we often forfeit,  
O what needless pain we bear,  
all because we do not carry  
ev'rything to God in prayer!

2. Have we trials and temptations?  
Is there trouble anywhere?  
We should never be discouraged:  
take it to the Lord in prayer!  
Can we find a friend so faithful,  
who will all our sorrows share?  
Jesus knows our ev'ry weakness –  
take it to the Lord in prayer!

3. Are we weak and heavy-laden,  
cumbered with a load of care?  
Jesus only is our refuge,  
take it to the Lord in prayer!  
Do your friends despise, forsake thee?  
Take it to the Lord in prayer!  
In his arms he'll take and shield thee,  
thou wilt find a solace there.

*Words: Joseph Medlicott Scriven (1819-1886) Music: What a friend (Converse), Charles Crozat Converse (1832-1918)  
(Anglican Hymns Old & New – 811)*

## Post Communion Prayer\*\*

Living God,  
your Son made himself known to his disciples in the breaking of bread:  
open the eyes of our faith,  
that we may see him in all his redeeming work;  
who is alive and reigns, now and for ever. **Amen.**

### Final Hymn\*



1. I cannot tell why he, whom angels worship,  
should set his love upon the sons of men,  
or why, as Shepherd, he should seek the wanderers,  
to bring them back, they know not how or when.  
But this I know, that he was born of Mary  
when Bethl'em's manger was his only home,  
and that He lived at Nazareth and laboured,  
and so the Saviour, Saviour of the world, is come.
2. I cannot tell how silently he suffered,  
as with his peace he graced this place of tears,  
or how his heart upon the cross was broken,  
the crown of pain to three and thirty years.  
But this I know, he heals the broken-hearted,  
and stays our sin, and calms our lurking fear,  
and lifts the burden from the heavy laden;  
For yet the Saviour, Saviour of the world, is here.
3. I cannot tell how he will win the nations,  
how He will claim his earthly heritage,  
how satisfy the needs and aspirations  
of east and west, of sinner and of sage.  
But this I know, all flesh shall see his glory,  
and he shall reap the harvest he has sown,  
and some glad day his sun shall shine in splendour  
when he the Saviour, Saviour of the world, is known.

4. I cannot tell how all the lands shall worship,  
 when, at his bidding, every storm is stilled,  
 or who can say how great the jubilation  
 when every heart with love and joy is filled.  
 But this I know, the skies will thrill with rapture,  
 and myriad, myriad human voices sing,  
 and earth to heav'n, and heav'n to earth, will answer,  
 'at last the Saviour, Saviour of the world, is King!'

Words: William Young Fyallerton (1857-1932)

Music: Londonderry Air, Air from County Derry from Irish Music as noted by George Petrie 1903,  
 harmonised by John Barnard (b 1948) (Ancient & Modern – 666)

## 6:00pm Evensong

The Order of Service is contained in the separate Service Book, and the hymns are taken from New English Hymnal.

### Opening Hymn

112 – Jesus lives! thy terrors now

#### Psalm 142 *domine exaudi*

B Hesford



- 1 I cried unto the | Lord · with my | voice :  
     yea even unto the Lord did I | make my | sup-pli- | cation.
- 2 I pour'd out my com- | plaints be- | fore him :  
     and | shew'd him | of my | trouble.
- 3 When my spirit was in heaviness thou | knewest · my | path :  
     in the way wherein I walk'd have they | privi-ly | laid a | snare for me.
- 4 I look'd also up- | on my · right | hand :  
     and saw there was | no man | that would | know me.
- 5 I had | no · place to | flee unto :  
     and | no man | car'd for · my | soul.
- 6 I cried unto thee O | Lord and | said :  
     Thou art my hope and my | portion · in the | land of · the | living.
- 7 Con- | sider · my com- | plaint :  
     for I am | brought — | ve-ry | low.
- 8 O deliver me | from my | persecutors :  
     for | they — | are too | strong for me.



9a Bring my | soul · out of | prison,  
that I may give | thanks — | unto · thy | Name :  
9b which thing if | thou wilt | grant me,  
then shall the righteous re- | sort — | unto · my | company.  
Glory | be · to the | Father,  
and to the | Son and · to the | Ho-ly | Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning is | now and · ever | shall be :  
world | with-out | end, A- | men.

## First Lesson – Deuteronomy 7.7–13

### Office Hymn

359 – Fight the good fight with all thy might

### Magnificat & Nunc Dimittis – set 1

## Second Lesson – Revelation 2.1–11

### Hymn after the Prayers

124 – Ye choirs of new Jerusalem

### Hymn after the Sermon

443 – Rejoice the Lord is King

## Today

12:00pm – **WHISSENDINE APCM**  
**St Andrew Whissendine**

## This Week

### **TUESDAY 21 APRIL**

11:00am – **WHISSENDINE PRAYER GROUP**  
**68 Sherrard Close, Whissendine**  
For details, pick up a diary from St Andrew's Whissendine, or phone 01664 474454.

### 2:00pm – **FRIENDS' VISIT TO LEICESTER**

Afternoon visit to Leicester City, County and Rutland At Risk War Memorial Project, All Saints Church (CCT), both in High Cross Street and St. Mary de Castro Church, Castle Street. Train/shared cars. Sign up list on table near South Door. Could be combined with personal shopping trip or visit to Leicester Cathedral (Evensong 5.30pm) Beryl Kirtland 01572 724103.



3:45pm – **RUTLAND REMINDERS**  
**Brambles, Rutland Care Village**

Singing sessions for people with dementia. 07779 413889 or rutlandreminders.org.uk for details.

7:00pm – **HAMBLETON APCM**  
**Hambleton Village Hall**

7:30pm – **GOOD NEWS VAN**  
**25 Willow Crescent, Oakham**  
Christian Lending Library, with books, videos etc.

7:30pm – **PDCF MUSIC LAUNCH**  
**St Mary Finedon, NN9 5NR**  
The chance to have a first sing of the music for this year's Diocesan Choral Festival, to be held at Peterborough Cathedral on Saturday 10 October.

**WEDNESDAY 22 APRIL**

1:30pm – **MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME**  
**All Saints Oakham**

**Alex Bower-Brown** *baritone*  
**Finzi** Let us garlands bring  
**Vaughan Williams** The vagabond & The infinite shining heavens

**THURSDAY 23 APRIL**

10:00am – **TINY TOTS ANNUAL FUNDRAISING TODDLER WADDLE**  
**All Saints Oakham**

Please do come and support the children as they waddle in aid of Meningitis Now – If fine we will waddle outside but if not around and around and around the Church! For more information please contact Denise on 722729.

10:30am – **TEAM WALKING GROUP**  
**Castle Bytham**

The first of our Summer walks, approx 6 miles. Parking around the church area, please bring a picnic lunch. New walkers always welcome, just turn up suitably attired. Group contact Dennis Corton on 01572 722272.

**FRIDAY 24 APRIL**

7:30pm – **RUTLAND THREE ARTS SOCIETY VISUAL ARTS GROUP**  
**All Saints Church Hall, Oakham**  
Tolethorpe, Past and Present – Mike Harrison  
Non-members welcome (£3 charge).

**SUNDAY 26 APRIL**

11:15am – **OAKHAM APCM**  
**All Saints Oakham**  
Following a joint 10:00am service for both 8:00 and 10:30 congregations.

## Looking Ahead

**TUESDAY 28 APRIL**

10:00am – **BIBLE STUDY**  
**25 Willow Crescent, Oakham**  
We are looking at the Women of the Old Testament. Do come and join us.

**WEDNESDAY 29 APRIL**

1:30pm – **MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME**  
**All Saints Oakham**  
**Jessica Carr** *flute* & **Rupert Fell** *oboe*  
**J S Bach** Allegro (Sonata in G minor)  
**Handel** Sonata in C minor (mvts 1 & 2)  
**Saint-Saëns** Oboe sonata (mvt 2)

**Gerhaedts** Allegro giocoso (Sonatine)  
**Delius, arr Fenby** Intermezzo duet

7:30pm – **GENERAL ELECTION MEETING**

### **All Saints Oakham**

An opportunity to question candidates for the Rutland & Melton Constituency. Organised by Churches Together in Oakham, and chaired by Revd Canon Lee Francis-Dehqani. Questions need to be submitted in advance to [election@oakhamteam.org.uk](mailto:election@oakhamteam.org.uk).

## **THURSDAY 30 APRIL**

7:30pm – **WHISSENDINE SAINTLY SOCIAL**

### **The White Lion, Whissendine**

Don't forget our monthly get together which gathers on the day which is the earliest possible date in the year that Ascension Day can fall (although not this year)! Come along to join the merry bunch for a drink, chat and good company – all welcome! For more information contact John on 474254.

## **MONDAY 4 MAY**

11:15am – **ORGAN RECITAL**

### **All Saints Oakham**

**Steven Grahl** – Peterborough Cathedral. Followed by lunch in the Church Hall (£5)

## **ASCENSION DAY - THURSDAY 14 MAY**

7:30pm – **HOLY COMMUNION**  
**Chapel of St John & St Anne**

## **FRIDAY 15 MAY**

7:30pm – **THE HOUGHTON WEAVERS**

### **St Andrew Whissendine**

By popular request, a return visit on their 40th Anniversary Tour. Tickets £10 to include glass of wine from Hilda and John 01664 474392 or email [handj5@talktalk.net](mailto:handj5@talktalk.net). For further information visit their website at [www.houghtonweavers.com](http://www.houghtonweavers.com).

## **SUN 16 – MON 31 AUGUST**

### **WALK RUTLAND FOR JESUS**

Mission for all Christians – we aim to walk the land in prayer sharing the Good News of Jesus with all we meet on the way. Will you join us in the name of Jesus? Pick up a brochure in church, look at the website ([walkrutland.uk](http://walkrutland.uk)) or request a DVD. More information from Charlotte Pridmore or Mike & Lesley Sergeant, [info@walkrutland.uk](mailto:info@walkrutland.uk)

### **Please pray for**

- Those being baptised at Oakham at 10:30am this morning and their parents – **Henry Victor Darlington (Landley & Adele), Henry David Muller (Shaun & Diane) and Archie-Francis Day (Marcus & Donna)**;
- The family and friend of **Bill Tebbutt**, whose funeral took place at Grantham Crematorium on Wednesday;
- The family and friend of **Joan Kirk**, whose funeral took place at Langham on Thursday;

- The families and friends of Phyllis Corr and also Nigel Firth who have both died recently;
- Children enticed into joining extremist groups;
- Victims of religious extremism and persecution, especially in Sudan, CAR, Kenya, Syria, Somalia, Eritrea, North Korea, China, India, Northern Nigeria, Iran, Iraq, Egypt, Pakistan and India;
- The hostages held by religious extremists and their families and friends. Also the family of murdered hostages;
- The people whose lives are torn apart by war and violence, especially in Ukraine, Syria and Iraq;
- For an end to the Ebola outbreak;
- The Rutland Food Bank;
- The Drop-in Centre;
- Justin and John our Archbishops and Donald and John, our Bishops;
- Lee, Janet, Hildred & Dominic, our Team Clergy, and all lay members of the Ministry Team;
- Madeleine McCann and her family and all missing children.

## Notice Boards

The new notice boards at Oakham are now in situ, and as well as service and contact information will be updated regularly with key events. Any requests for inclusion should be made to the usual [notices@oakhamteam.org.uk](mailto:notices@oakhamteam.org.uk) address please.

## Fairtrade

The total sales for March were a massive £541.07! My grateful thanks to everyone who contributed to this wonderful figure - it includes sales at the 5 Lent lunches as well as sales of the Real Easter Egg. The stall will be in Church after the 10.30 service today and before the combined 10am service on the 26th April.

## Traidcraft and Jewellery Recycling

The figure from recycling of unwanted jewellery and old bank notes has now reached a massive £21,890! I still have a supply of envelopes if you would like to take place in this worthwhile scheme. Denise (01572 722729)

## Annual Parochial Church Meetings

Your opportunity to hear and have your say what has been going on in the church over the last year, and to elect Churchwardens and PCC members. Still to come are the meetings in Whissendine (today), Hambleton (21 April, and Oakham (26 April). At Oakham, the APCM will follow a joint 10am Parish Communion, when we will need to elect new members of the Parochial Church Council (PCC) and a new Churchwarden, and subsequently a new treasurer. Please give prayerful consideration to whether you might be able to fulfil one of these roles – more details can be obtained from current PCC members or the Churchwardens.

## Services During The Week

<i>Monday</i> 20 Apr	8:30 <b>Morning Prayer</b> Oakham 9:00 <b>Morning Prayer</b> Langham	2:00 <b>Pram &amp; Toddler</b> Oakham 4:30 <b>Evening Prayer</b> Oakham 5:00 <b>Evening Prayer</b> Langham
<i>Tuesday</i> 21 Apr	8:30 <b>Morning Prayer</b> Oakham 10:00 <b>Holy Communion</b> Oakham	4:00 <b>Evening Prayer</b> Oakham
<i>Wednesday</i> 22 Apr	8:30 <b>Morning Prayer</b> Oakham 9:00 <b>Morning Prayer</b> Langham 10:00 <b>Holy Communion</b> J&A 10:30 <b>Holy Communion</b> Ashwell	4:30 <b>Evening Prayer</b> Oakham 5:00 <b>Evening Prayer</b> Langham 5:30 <b>Meditation</b> J&A
<i>Thursday</i> 23 Apr	9:00 <b>Team Communion</b> Oakham 9:45 <b>Tiny Tots</b> Oakham 10:30 <b>Little Angels</b> Market Overton	12:00 <b>Ecumenical Prayer</b> Oakham 4:30 <b>Evening Prayer</b> Oakham
<i>Friday</i> 24 Apr	8:30 <b>Morning Prayer</b> Oakham 9:00 <b>Morning Prayer</b> Langham 10:00 <b>BCP Communion</b> Oakham	4:30 <b>Evening Prayer</b> Oakham 5:00 <b>Evening Prayer</b> Langham

## Services Next Sunday – 26 April (Fourth of Easter)

<i>Oakham</i>	10:00 <b>Parish Communion</b>	6:00 <b>Evensong</b>
<i>Whissendine</i>	11:00 <b>Family Communion</b>	
<i>Teigh</i>	9:00 <b>Holy Communion</b> (BCP)	
<i>Market Overton</i>	9:00 <b>Holy Communion</b>	
<i>Ashwell</i>	11:00 <b>Holy Communion</b>	
<i>Langham</i>	11:00 <b>Holy Communion</b>	
<i>Braunston</i>		4:00 <b>Church@4</b>
<i>Brooke</i>	8:00 <b>Holy Communion</b>	
<i>Hambleton</i>	9:15 <b>Holy Communion</b> (CW Trad)	
<i>Egleton</i>		

## Next Week's Readings at Holy Communion

Easter 4: Acts 4.5-12; 1 John 3.16-24; John 10.11-18