



# St Peter & St Paul Langham

## Weekly Pewsheet *Service Details and Notices*

### Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity Sunday 4 October 2015

*Services in the Team today:*

<b>Oakham</b>	<b>8:00am</b> Holy Communion (CW Trad)
	<b>10:30am</b> Parish Communion & Harvest Festival
	<b>6:00pm</b> Evensong
<b>Whissendine</b>	<b>11:00am</b> Harvest Festival
<b>Teigh</b>	<b>9:00am</b> Matins
<b>Ashwell</b>	<b>6:00pm</b> Harvest Festival
<b>Market Overton</b>	<b>9:00am</b> Holy Communion
<b>Langham</b>	<b>6:00pm</b> Word, Worship & Response
<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>5:00pm</b> Harvest Festival

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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# 6:00pm Word, Worship & Response

## *A little lower than the angels*

### Welcome and Opening Sentence

Blessed are you, Lord God, King of the universe.

**Your word brings on the dusk of evening.**

Your wisdom creates both night and day.

**You determine the cycles of time.**

You arrange the succession of seasons

**and establish the stars in their heavenly courses.**

**The Lord of hosts is your name.**

Living and eternal God, rule over us always.

**Blessed be the Lord, whose word makes evening fall.**

### Hymn



As we are gathered, Jesus is here;  
one with each other, Jesus is here;  
joined by the Spirit, washed in the blood,  
part of the body, the church of God.  
As we are gathered, Jesus is here;  
one with each other, Jesus is here.

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### Confession

God's whole creation groans.  
The land produces thorns and thistle and longs to be set free.  
Our sin affects all around us.  
We confess our sins in penitence and faith.

**You delight in creation,  
its colour and diversity;  
yet we have misused the earth  
and plundered its resources  
for our own selfish ends.  
Lord, have mercy.  
Lord, have mercy.**

**You have brought order out of chaos,  
light in darkness, good out of evil,  
but we have preferred darkness  
in words and deeds which dishonour God's holy name.  
Christ, have mercy.  
Christ, have mercy.**

**You have showered us with blessings,  
but we have been grudging towards others  
and lacking in generosity in word and deed.  
Lord, have mercy.  
Lord, have mercy.**

## **Absolution**

Almighty God,  
who in Jesus Christ has given us a kingdom  
that cannot be destroyed,  
forgive us our sins,  
open our eyes to God's truth,  
strengthen us to do God's will  
and give us the joy of his kingdom,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

## **The Collect**

Almighty and everlasting God,  
increase in us your gift of faith  
that, forsaking what lies behind  
and reaching out to that which is before,  
we may run the way of your commandments  
and win the crown of everlasting joy;  
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.**

## Hymn



1. Let the earth resound with songs of praise

to the Father's pow'r and love;  
for the one who set each star in place  
chose to set his heart on us.

To the one whose might gives victory,  
yet whose mercies never cease,  
as the tapestry of history  
tells the story of his grace.

King immortal, faithful God,  
crowned with splendour, rich in love.  
Let the heavens and the earth resound  
with songs of praise to you.

2. Let the earth be stilled before the sight  
of a Father's sacrifice,  
that revealed the depths of love divine  
in the face of Jesus Christ.

Through a life of full obedience,  
and a death in agony,  
he removed the rebel's punishment  
and he set the pris'ner free.

3. Let the earth resound with songs of faith  
at the wonder yet to come,  
when all sin and pain are put to death  
and the Church and Christ are one.  
When we stand as God's great family  
and we meet the Father's gaze,  
and we share in his eternal joy  
as we join in ceaseless praise.

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### First Reading – Genesis 2.18-22

The LORD God said, 'It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him a helper as his partner.' So out of the ground the LORD God formed every animal of the field and every bird of the air, and brought them to the man to see what he would call them; and whatever the man called every living creature, that was its name. The man gave names to all cattle, and to the birds of the air, and to every animal of the field; but for the man there was not found a helper as his partner. So the LORD God caused a deep sleep to fall upon the man, and he slept; then he took one of his ribs and closed up its place with flesh. And the rib that the LORD God had taken from the man he made into a woman and brought her to the man.

## Second Reading – Mark 10.13-16

People were bringing little children to him in order that he might touch them; and the disciples spoke sternly to them. But when Jesus saw this, he was indignant and said to them, 'Let the little children come to me; do not stop them; for it is to such as these that the kingdom of God belongs. Truly I tell you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God as a little child will never enter it.' And he took them up in his arms, laid his hands on them, and blessed them.

## Third Reading – Hebrews 2.5-9

Now God did not subject the coming world, about which we are speaking, to angels. But someone has testified somewhere, 'What are human beings that you are mindful of them, or mortals, that you care for them? You have made them for a little while lower than the angels; you have crowned them with glory and honour, subjecting all things under their feet.'

## Sermon – A little lower than the angels

### Hymn



1. How deep the Father's love for us,  
how vast beyond all measure,  
that he should give his only Son  
to make a wretch his treasure.  
How great the pain of searing loss,  
the Father turns his face away,  
as wounds which mar the Chosen One  
bring many sons to glory.

2. Behold the man upon a cross,  
my sin upon his shoulders;  
ashamed, I hear my mocking voice  
call out among the scoffers.  
It was my sin that held him there  
until it was accomplished;  
his dying breath has brought me life -  
I know that it is finished.

3. I will not boast in anything,  
no gifts, no pow'r, no wisdom;  
but I will boast in Jesus Christ,  
his death and resurrection.  
Why should I gain from his reward?  
I cannot give an answer,  
but this I know with all my heart,  
his wounds have paid my ransom.

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## Creed

Let us declare our faith in God.

Do you believe and trust in God the Father,  
source of all being and life,  
the one for whom we exist?

**We believe and trust in him.**

Do you believe and trust in God the Son, who took our human nature,  
died for us and rose again?

**We believe and trust in him.**

Do you believe and trust in God the Holy Spirit, who gives life to the people of God  
and makes Christ known in the world?

**We believe and trust in him.**

This is the faith of the Church.

**This is our faith.**

**We believe and trust in one God,  
Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen.**

## 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.  
And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
And 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

You shall go out in joy and be led back in peace;  
the mountains and the hills before you shall burst into song,  
and all the trees of the field shall clap their hands.

*Isaiah 55.12*

The peace of the Lord be always with you.  
**And also with you.**

## Hymn



1. Seek ye first the kingdom of God  
and his righteousness,  
and all these things shall be added unto you,  
hallelu, hallelujah!

*Hallelujah! Hallelujah!*

*Hallelujah! Hallelu, hallelujah!*

2. You shall not live by bread alone,  
but by every word  
that proceeds from the mouth of God,  
hallelu, hallelujah!

3. Ask and it shall be given unto you,  
seek and you shall find.  
Knock, and it shall be opened unto you,  
hallelu, hallelujah.

4. If the Son shall set you free,  
you shall be free indeed.  
You shall know the truth  
and the truth shall set you free,  
hallelu, hallelujah!

5. Let your light so shine before men  
that they may see your good works  
and glorify your Father in heaven,  
hallelu, hallelujah!

6. Trust in the Lord with all your heart,  
he shall direct your paths,  
in all your ways acknowledge him,  
hallelu, hallelujah!

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## Blessing

May God the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
who is the source of all goodness and growth,  
pour his blessing upon all things created,  
and upon us his children,  
that we may use his gifts to his glory  
and the welfare of all peoples;  
and the blessing of almighty God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit,  
be with us now and always.

**Amen**

## Dismissal

Tend the earth, care for God's good creation,  
and bring forth the fruits of righteousness.

Let us go in the peace of Christ.

**Thanks be to God.**



# Today

10:30am – **HARVEST FESTIVAL**

*All Saints Oakham*

11:00am – **HARVEST FESTIVAL**

*St Andrew Whissendine*

12:00pm – **OAKHAM HARVEST LUNCH**

*Victoria Hall, Oakham*

5:00pm – **HARVEST FESTIVAL**

*St Edmund Egleton*

6:00pm – **HARVEST FESTIVAL**

*St Mary Ashwell*

# This Week

## TUESDAY 6 OCTOBER

10:00am – **JUSTICE SERVICE**

*All Saints Oakham*

The biennial service, followed by a procession to the Castle, where the traditional Crown Court hearings will take place. **There will be no 10am Holy Communion today.**

3:30pm – **RUTLAND REMINDERS**

*Brambles, Rutland Care Village*

Singing sessions for people with dementia. 07779 413889 or [rutlandreminders.org.uk](http://rutlandreminders.org.uk) for details.

## HARVEST TEA

*Victoria Hall, Oakham*

Please see appeal for help below.

11:00am – **WHISSENDINE PRAYER GROUP**

*25 The Nook, Whissendine*

Our meeting this month (host Mrs Ann Edmunds) will follow a different pattern as we shall be talking about our future, and whether we should make

any changes. Contributions to this will be gratefully accepted. Contact Jeff Eaves (01664 474454) for information.

## WEDNESDAY 7 OCTOBER

1:30pm – **MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME**

*All Saints Oakham*

*Dominic Hill tuba*

*Simon Proctor Ysano*

*Capuzzi Allegro*

*Tom Davoren Lindy Hop!*

## THURSDAY 8 OCTOBER

12:15-12:45pm – **CELTIC MIDDAY PRAYER**

*St Edmund Egleton*

Come and weave a little silence onto your lips, mind and life, and enjoy a time of prayer and silence. All Welcome. For further details please contact Vyv Wainwright 01572 755752.

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

*Oakham Church Hall*

New link Diocese of Soroti - Speaker: Pamela Woods.

7:00-8:30pm – **PDCF AREA REHEARSAL**

*All Saints Oakham*

## THURSDAY 8 OCTOBER

7:30pm – **RUTLAND THEOLOGICAL SOCIETY – Oakham Methodist Church**

**Two Doubting Thomases – RS**

**and Dylan.** Speaker: The Rev'd the Lord Leslie Griffiths, Superintendent Minister, Wesley's Chapel, London. Leslie will be exploring the spiritual significance of the poetry of religious and secular fellow Welshmen, RS Thomas and Dylan Thomas. Please see the website for more details.

## **FRIDAY 9 OCTOBER**

10:00-11:30am – **COFFEE MORNING**

**Oakham Baptist Church, Melton Road, Oakham**

Donations to buy family games for Rutland Foodbank Christmas Hampers. All very welcome!

## **SATURDAY 10 OCTOBER**

10:00am-4:00pm – **OAKHAM PCC AWAY DAY – Launde Abbey**

PCC members should let Janine know in the office by Monday 5 October whether or not they can attend.

from 8:30am – **MSF BRING & BUY CAKE SALE – Oakham Buttercross**

Please donate in money and/or kind to support Médecins Sans Frontières (Doctors without Borders). Raffle Prizes very much needed, plus cakes, sweets, jams, pickles etc. Personal help is also required. For further information please contact: 01572 723616 (after 12pm), 01572 722869, or mobile 07929 852064.

12:45-6:30pm – **COME & SING FAURE REQUIEM**

**St Mary Melton Mowbray**

£10 including tea and cake, £5 for audience ticket (concert 5:30pm). Details & booking form from [www.meltonmowbraychoralsociety.co.uk](http://www.meltonmowbraychoralsociety.co.uk)

## **SATURDAY 10 OCTOBER**

3:00-6:00pm – **TEA AT THE RITZ**

**St Peter & St Paul Langham**

With Miranda Heldt. Tickets £10 (students £5) from Debbie (723533) or

Hilary (757435), with tea and Ritz style delicacies included (no bar).

5:30pm – **PETERBOROUGH DIOCESAN CHORAL FESTIVAL**

**Peterborough Cathedral**

Come and support our choirs as they join with others from the Diocese. Music includes: *Loosemore* O Lord increase our faith, *Brewer in D*, *Ayleward* responses, *Mendelssohn* Verleih uns Frieden and *Bairstow* Sing ye to the Lord.

## **SUNDAY 11 OCTOBER**

3:00-4:30pm – **TEA PARTY**

**All Saints Oakham**

For further details contact Joyce Wells on 07779 242745 or Pam Wells on 01572 755532.

5:00pm – **HARVEST FESTIVAL**

**St Andrew Hambleton**

## **Looking Ahead**

### **TUESDAY 13 OCTOBER**

10:00am – **BIBLE STUDY**

**25 Willow Crescent, Oakham**

We continue to consider Women in the Bible.

2:00pm – **RUTLAND REMINDERS**

**Aberdeen House, 20 Stockerston Road, Uppingham LE15 9UD**

Singing sessions for people with dementia – Uppingham hub. 07779 413889 or [rutlandreminders.org.uk](http://rutlandreminders.org.uk) for details.

## **WEDNESDAY 14 OCTOBER**

1:30pm – **MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME**

*All Saints Oakham*

**Ensemble & Francis Wignall**

*bassoon*

**Copland** Quiet City

**Elgar** Romance in D minor, op. 62

## **THURSDAY 15 OCTOBER**

10:00am - 12:00pm – **OPEN HOUSE**

*Home of Malcolm Hardy, 7*

*Peterborough Avneue, Oakham*

All are welcome to call in for tea or coffee and a friendly chat.

## **SATURDAY 17 OCTOBER**

7:30pm – **THE WORLD OF GILBERT & SULLIVAN – All Saints Oakham**

The Wandering Minstrels presents a superb light-hearted evening of songs and scenes from the Gilbert and Sullivan comic operas, beautifully sung and delightfully staged. The concert is promoted jointly by the Friends of All Saints and the All Saints Concert Society. Tickets £10, now available from Beryl Kirtland, Gordon Woods, Mike Vecqueray, Janet Higgins or Kevin Slingsby (01572 460000).

## **WEDNESDAY 21 OCTOBER**

6:00pm – **COME AND MEDITATE**

*Chapel of St John & St Anne, Westgate, Oakham*

The annual get-together of the Rutland Christian Meditation Group. Light refreshments on arrival, followed by a talk '**Knowing Jesus**' by Canon Richard Stainer and discussion. The evening ends with a twenty minute

period of meditation in the Chapel, led by Richard. The evening will end about 8.30pm. The talk will look at how we can come to know Jesus better in our life through meditation. By teaching the discipline of letting go, meditation can take us beyond our own ego to experience new growth in our relationship with Christ. Richard Stainer is an Anglican parish priest and Benedictine oblate. He practises and teaches Christian Meditation. He leads numerous workshops and retreats focussing largely on Benedictine and Celtic spirituality, silent prayer as well as meditation. Further details: Vyv Wainwright 07973 204191 or Chris & Barbara Bamber 01664 474360.

## **SUNDAY 25 OCTOBER**

11:00am – **SONGS OF PRAISE**

*All Saints Braunton*

Replacing the normal afternoon Church@4 for this month to avoid clashing with the BBC meeting (see below).

3:45 for 4:00pm – **BRAUNTON BLOKES CLUB**

*The Blue Ball, Braunton*

We literally kick off the new season of meetings to watch the 2nd semi final of the Rugby World Cup. Dom has a newly installed TV connection which will allow us to watch the game on ITV. Ladies will be very welcome. If you have a favourite Sporting/Motivational book please bring a copy along and be prepared to say a few words about it after the game – the suggestion is that we choose one such book to read

before the November meeting and have a discussion on its value/relevance etc to England (depending on progress!) and ourselves (as elite sports people!) at the November meeting! For more info contact Rob on 774388 or Dom at the Blue Ball.

## **FRIDAY 30 OCTOBER**

### **BREAST CANCER AWARENESS CAMPAIGN**

#### ***All Saints Oakham***

Lands' End are holding a campaign in October to raise money for the charity 'Against Breast Cancer', part of which involves creating a very large piece of bunting, each triangle of which will be bought by people for a pound, and which they will add to the final piece of bunting which will be on display in the Church all day today.

We are hoping local schools will get involved and decorate some triangles and there will also be pre decorated triangles for those less keen on doing their own. Each person buying a triangle be added into a raffle which will be drawn on the day, with prizes donated by local businesses, and there will also be a prize from amongst the children's entries for best decorated triangle. **Triangles are available in church, and there will also be an opportunity to add a triangle yourself on the day, when refreshments will be available.**

## **SATURDAY 7 NOVEMBER**

### **7:30pm – REMEMBRANCE CONCERT WITH RUTLAND CONCERT BAND**

#### ***All Saints Oakham***

## **WEDNESDAY 11 NOVEMBER**

### **7:30pm – REMEMBRANCE DAY CONCERT**

#### ***All Saints Oakham***

#### **Robert-John Edwards** *baritone* & **Fraser Graham** *piano*

The Ploughman's Tale – a story of an Every-Tommy through the music and words of those who lived through The Great War, conceived by Robert-John Edwards, and songs by Elgar and Vaughan-Williams.

## **SATURDAY 14 NOVEMBER**

### **10:00am-4:00pm – QUIET DAY**

#### ***Oakham Methodist Church***

Led by Revd Heather Walker (past minister in the Circuit). See separate poster for details.

### **10:30am-4:30pm – GRACE CONFERENCE 2015**

#### ***Greatham Community Centre***

Greatham Church extend an invitation to their Christian Conference for Women for a day of inspirational talks by Linda Gascoyne, joint leader of The Eccles Pioneer Church in Sheffield and chaplain at a local medical centre, Su Ainsworth, developer of 'Confidence Gym', a self-esteem course for women with Jesus at the centre, and Jan Lowe, co-founder of the Kakunya School for disabled children in Uganda. The theme for the event is 'With God, all things are possible.' The day will also include uplifting worship, prayer and a chance to meet up with other Christian women. Tickets £10 to include lunch and light refreshment available from Sue Bamber on 01572 812882.

7:30pm – **‘COME AND SING’ MESSIAH**  
**Lyddington Parish Church**

If you would like to sing, the rehearsal starts at 2:30pm. Conducted by Alwyn Pollard, in aid of Lyddington Church Restoration Appeal.

**BARN DANCE**

**Langham Primary School**

With the James Joyce Band.  
Organised by and in aid of Langham Church.

**SATURDAY 28 NOVEMBER**

10:00am-12:30pm – **ALL SAINTS  
AUTUMN SALE**

**All Saints Oakham**

Stalls will include Cakes, Tombola, Bring and Buy, Raffle, Preserves, Crafts and Gifts. Tea, Coffee and Mince Pies will be available. For more information or to offer help, please contact Pamela Woods on 01572 755371.

7:30pm – **SERENATA IN CONCERT**

**St Peter & St Paul Langham**

Serenata's eight voices in harmony return with a new programme of music for Advent, including some of your favourites. Tickets £10, including interval refreshments, from Debbie (723533) or Hilary (757435), Music&More or wegottickets.com.

**SATURDAY 2 JANUARY**

2:30pm – **FRIENDS PANTOMIME  
VISIT**

**Key Theatre, Peterborough**

Aladdin – A Magical Family Pantomime. Cost £13.50 each, with the usual £5 discount for Sunday School members, ASK and ASH. If you would like to go can you please let Beryl know as soon as possible. 01572 724103 or berylk@oakham.uk.com.

**Please pray for**

- **Piers Pertwee & Merry Smith**, who were married at Egleton on Saturday;
- For those trapped under extremist regimes and the hostages held by religious extremists and their families and friends;
- For a just solution to the immigration problem and those desperate to start a new life in Europe;
- Victims of religious extremism and persecution especially in Sudan, CAR, Kenya, Syria, Somalia, Eritrea, North Korea, China, India, Northern Nigeria, Iran, Iraq, Egypt, and Pakistan;
- The people whose lives are torn apart by war and violence, especially in Ukraine, Syria and Iraq;
- For the Ebola outbreak to be completely ended;
- The Rutland Food Bank;
- The Drop-in Centre;
- Justin and John our Archbishops and Donald and John, our Bishops;
- Lee, Janet, Julie, Hildred & Dominic, our Team Clergy, and all lay members of the Ministry Team;
- Madeleine McCann and her family and all missing children.

## Deanery Synod

### Vacancy

Oakham has six places on the Deanery Synod, but only five are filled at the moment – would you be interested in filling the vacancy? There are about six meetings a year, and if you would like to find out more anyone is free to attend the meetings – the next one is at Uppingham Church on 19 November, so why not go along to find out more...

## Breast Cancer Awareness Campaign

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## Knitters Needed!

More sheep are required for the Oakham Advent Travelling Cribs. If you can help please contact Margaret Tyler on 01572 724799 (Mothers' Union), who will be pleased to hear from you.

## Donations for the Refugee Crisis

The images of desperate refugees crossing the Mediterranean in unstable boats, or packed illegally into lorries, or protesting 'We are human beings too' in the port of Calais, are a distressing reminder of the shocking refugee crisis that led to the founding of Christian Aid in 1945. Christian Aid is working with churches and other agencies in supporting humanitarian efforts taking place in Europe and the Middle East. Their partners can provide essential humanitarian supplies such as food, fuel for cooking, hygiene and sanitation kits, water containers and cash assistance, as well as psychological support for those who are suffering as a result of the conflict.

**Donations to Christian Aid will be gratefully received by the treasurer, or you can donate through their website directly at <http://bit.ly/refugeeappeal>.**

## Come and Meditate

The annual get-together of the Rutland Christian Meditation Group takes place at the Chapel of St John & St Anne on Wednesday 21 October at 6pm. Please see the diary entry or the website for full details.

## Annual Pantomime Trip

This will take place on Saturday 2 January – please see the diary entry or the website for full details.

## Traidcraft Fairtrade Stall

Please note the next date for the stall is 4th October, and instead of being in Church all the usual things will be on sale at the Harvest Lunch in the Victoria Hall today. The stall after that will be the 18th October as usual after the 10:30 service at Oakham. Denise (722729).

## Free Driving Theory Courses

Rutland County Council is offering some free refresher driving theory courses aimed at drivers in Rutland who would like to update their knowledge as well as learn to drive more safely and efficiently. For more information telephone 758248 or email [tbarnwell@rutland.gov.uk](mailto:tbarnwell@rutland.gov.uk) or see the website.

## Langham Travelling Cribs

The rota for the travelling cribs will be worked on from October, so if you haven't been part of this before and would like to host one during Advent, please contact Susan Holford ([susan.holford@oakhamteam.org.uk](mailto:susan.holford@oakhamteam.org.uk)) for Langham. More details for other parishes to follow.

## Rutland Foodbank

Last Wednesday week (23 September) marked the second

birthday of Rutland Food Bank. During that time 1500 people have received emergency packs of food to last 3 days and 23.5 tonnes of food collected mostly by the generosity of local people. Many thanks to all concerned, in whatever capacity, in making it such a success. **Currently we are short of sugar (preferably small bags), tinned sponge puddings, Smash, soup (tinned), savoury rice and long life fruit juice.** Over the last week or so we have received some very encouraging feedback from very appreciative people who have been helped in difficult times, and who are now able to, or plan to, give something back to help the cause – such stories make us realise how important the work is that the volunteers are doing. On Friday 9 October there will be a coffee morning at the Baptist Church to raise money to buy family games for the Christmas Hampers, and all are very welcome to attend.

## Help needed for Harvest Tea

A Harvest Tea is being organised for vulnerable or marginalised people and will be held at Victoria Hall on the afternoon of **Tuesday 6th October**. The event is being sponsored by Round Rutland (the new name of Community Agents) and it will have a positive Christian theme, with hymns and a concluding blessing. Volunteers are needed from noon onwards until about 4:30pm to help with the greeting of guests and the catering, so

if you would like to help, please contact Carole Brown at Round Rutland on 01572 335101

## Join a Homegroup

Have you ever thought about joining a homegroup? These are excellent ways of getting to know other people from our church family and growing in knowledge and faith. **There are three new homegroups starting, one in Oakham**, meeting every 2nd and 4th Monday from 7:30-9pm beginning with a taster evening on the 21st September where you can preview the Bible study material and find out more about what to expect from the sessions. Further details available from Jenni Duffy 720064 and Monica Compton 755734. **The second group** is a new fortnightly 'Tea and Chat' home group on Thursdays in **Market Overton** at 2pm. An informal afternoon of sharing lovely refreshments, our questions and thoughts about faith. Contact Revd Janet Tebby or Lin Ryder

01572 767666. **Thirdly**, a group in **Ashwell** starts on Thursday 8 October at 7:30pm. Come and find out just that little bit more about Christianity through the Pilgrim Course. Contact Vyv Wainwright 07973 204191. We also have a number of existing homegroups in the Oakham Team happening at various times – please see the information at the back of this pew sheet for individual contact details.

## Harvest Festival

The last Harvest Festivals are this week and next, and all of our Team Churches all extend a warm welcome to everyone who would like to join them:

**Oakham** – 4 October 10:30am, followed by Harvest Lunch in the Victoria Hall from 12noon;  
**Whissendine** – 4 October 11:00am;  
**Ashwell** – 4 October 6:00pm;  
**Hambleton** – 11 October 5:00pm;  
**Egleton** – 4 October 5:00pm



## TEA PARTY:

Date: Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> October 2015

Time: 3 – 4:30pm

Venue: All Saints' Church, Oakham

For further details, please contact

Joyce Wells on 07779 242 745 or Pam Wells on 01572 755532







## **COFFEE MORNING**

**FRIDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2015  
10.00AM TO 11.30AM**

**AT OAKHAM BAPTIST CHURCH, MELTON ROAD, OAKHAM**

**DONATIONS TO BUY FAMILY GAMES FOR RUTLAND FOODBANK CHRISTMAS HAMPERS**

**ALL VERY WELCOME!**



St Peter & St Paul Langham

## *Tea at the Ritz*

*with Miranda Heldt soprano*

**Saturday 10 October  
3:00 to 6:00 pm**

**Tickets £10 (students £5)  
including tea and Ritz style delicacies  
from Debbie (723533), Hilary (757435)  
Music&More or wegottickets.com**

**Stamford & Rutland Methodist Circuit**

## **Quiet Day**

*led by Rev Heather Walker  
Past Minister in the Circuit*

*at Oakham Methodist Church, LE15 6SE*

**SATURDAY 14TH NOVEMBER  
10am – 4pm**

## **Praying With Heart And Soul**

A day to experience praying with senses  
We will investigate how our senses can help us into prayer, and then put our discoveries into practice.


This is a day not only for those who lead others in Prayer, but for everyone who understands the importance and power of Prayer.




There is no charge for the day, but donations are welcome for the circuit charity.

Zimbabwe Victims Support Fund  
[www.zimbabwewictimssupportfund.org](http://www.zimbabwewictimssupportfund.org)

*Remember to bring a packed lunch. Drinks will be provided.*



*'Receive children,  
Receive me'*



**Women's World Day of Prayer**  
invite you to a  
**Coffee Morning & Cake Stall at**  
**St Joseph's RC Church, Station Road, Oakham**  
**On Wednesday 21 October 2015**  
**10.30 am -12 noon**

Discovery Day information prepared by Christian  
women of Cuba will be available




The World of  
**Gilbert and Sullivan**  
*with The Wandering Minstrels*

**Saturday 17 October - 7:30pm**  
**All Saints' Church Oakham**  
Tickets **£10 in advance (£12 on the door)**  
from Music&More, Oakham; [www.wegotickets.com](http://www.wegotickets.com);  
**All Saints Church, Church Street, Oakham, LE15 6AA (01572 460000)**  
(cheques payable to 'The Friends of All Saints Church Oakham')



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The Friends of All Saints Church Oakham (charity number 1027333)

# Regular Groups & Activities

## CHILDREN'S GROUPS

**Pram & Toddler Service** (age 0-4)  
Mondays 2:00pm during term-time  
**Oakham Church**

**Tiny Tots** (age 0-4). Thursdays 9:45am  
during term-time. **Oakham Church**

**Little Angels** (age 0-4) Thursdays 10:30  
(term-time) **Market Overton Church**

**Sunday School** (up to age 10)  
Sundays 10:30am (except 3rd)  
**Oakham Church Hall**

**Fishes Club** (up to age 10)  
Sundays 11:00am (except 2nd)  
**Whissendine Church**

**ASH** (All Saints Hub – aged 11-13)  
Sundays 10:30am (4 Oct, 22 Nov)  
**Oakham Church**

**ASK** (All Saints Kids – aged 14-16)  
Sundays 10:30am (as announced)  
**Oakham Church**

## HOME GROUPS

**Leader: Catriona Drye** (770429)  
2nd & 4th Tuesdays 10:00am  
**25 Willow Crescent, Oakham**

**Leader: Stan Bruce** (756656)  
2nd & 4th Wednesdays 7:30pm  
**19 Ashwell Road, Oakham**

**Leader: Patrick Wilson** (723288)  
2nd & 4th Thursdays 2:30pm  
**6 Peterborough Avenue, Oakham**

**Leader: Jenni Duffy** (720064) &  
**Monica Compton** (755734)  
2nd & 4th Mondays 7:30pm **Oakham**

**Leader: Alan & Gail Rudge** (755570)  
Mondays fortnightly 7:30pm  
**34 Church Street, Braunston**

**Leader: Revd Janet Tebby & Lin  
Ryder** (01572 767666)  
Thursdays fortnightly 2:00pm  
**Market Overton**

## CHOIR

**Oakham Choir Practice**  
Thursdays before 2nd & 4th Sundays  
7:00-8:15pm **Oakham Church**

**Whissendine Choir Practice**  
Tuesdays before 2nd & 4th Sundays  
8:00-9:00pm **Whissendine Church**

**Market Overton Choir Practice**  
Tuesdays before 2nd & 4th Sundays  
6:30-7:00pm **Market Overton Church**

**Langham Choir Practice**  
Tuesdays before 1st, 2nd & 4th Sundays  
12:00-1:00pm **Langham Church**

**Laudamus Joint Choir Practice**  
Tuesdays before 1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays  
7:00-8:30pm **Whissendine Church**

## BELL RINGING

**Oakham Bells** Tuesdays 7:30-9:00pm  
**Langham/Braunston/Brooke Bells**  
Wed 7:30pm (rotates) 7/14/21 Oct

**Whissendine Bells** Thursdays 7:30pm

## MOTHERS' UNION

**Oakham & Braunston** 2nd Thursday  
2:15pm **Oakham Church Hall**

## OTHER GROUPS

**Drop-In Centre** Tea, coffee, chat &  
lunch Wednesdays 10:00am-4:00pm  
**Oakham Congregational Church**

**Come & Chat Bereavement Group**  
1st Thursday 2:30-4:30pm  
**Oakham Church Hall**

**Oasis** Tea, coffee, biscuits and & chat  
Fridays 10:30-11:30am  
**Oakham Church Mayhew Room**

**Open House** Monthly coffee morning in  
someone's home – see Diary for details..

**Prayer Chain** Requests in strictest  
confidence to **Mary Willows** (01572  
756264) who will then inform the chain.

## Services During The Week

<i>Monday</i> 5 Oct	8:30 <b>Morning Prayer</b> Oakham	2:00 <b>Pram &amp; Toddler</b> Oakham 4:30 <b>Evening Prayer</b> Oakham 7:30 <b>Light Circle</b> Langham
<i>Tuesday</i> 6 Oct	8:30 <b>Morning Prayer</b> Oakham 10:00 <b>Holy Communion</b> Oakham	4:00 <b>Evening Prayer</b> Oakham
<i>Wednesday</i> 7 Oct	8:30 <b>Morning Prayer</b> Oakham 10:00 <b>Holy Communion</b> J&A	12:00 <b>Healing Prayer</b> Oakham 4:30 <b>Evening Prayer</b> Oakham 5:30 <b>Meditation</b> J&A
<i>Thursday</i> 8 Oct	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 12:15 <b>Celtic Prayer</b> Egleton 4:30 <b>Evening Prayer</b> Oakham
<i>Friday</i> 9 Oct	8:30 <b>Morning Prayer</b> Oakham 10:00 <b>BCP Communion</b> Oakham	4:30 <b>Evening Prayer</b> Oakham

## Services Next Sunday

*11 October (Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity)*

<i>Oakham</i>	8:00 <b>Holy Communion</b> (CW Trad) 10:30 <b>Parish Communion</b>	6:00 <b>Evensong</b>
<i>Whissendine</i>	8:00 <b>Holy Communion</b> (BCP) 11:00 <b>Family Service</b>	
<i>Teigh</i>	9:00 <b>Holy Communion</b> (BCP)	
<i>Market Overton</i> <i>Ashwell</i>		6:00 <b>Evensong</b>
<i>Langham</i>	11:00 <b>Holy Communion</b>	
<i>Braunston</i>	11:00 <b>Morning Prayer</b>	
<i>Brooke</i>	8:00 <b>Holy Communion</b> (BCP)	
<i>Hambleton</i> <i>Egleton</i>		5:00 <b>Harvest Festival</b>

## Next Week's Readings

*Nineteenth after Trinity:* Amos 5.6-7, 10-15; Hebrews 4.12-16; Mark 10.17-31

*Harvest Festival:* Joel 2.21-27; 1 Timothy 6.6-10; Matthew 6.25-33

*Oakham Evensong:* Joshua 5.13-6.20, Matthew 11.20-30