



Weekly Pewsheet

Service Details and Notices

Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity

Harvest Festival

Sunday 4 October 2015

Services in the Team today:

Oakham **8:00am** Holy Communion (CW Trad)
 10:30am Parish Communion & Harvest Festival
 6:00pm Evensong

Whissendine **11:00am** Harvest Festival

Teigh **9:00am** Matins

Ashwell **6:00pm** Harvest Festival

Market Overton **9:00am** Holy Communion

Langham **6:00pm** Word, Worship & Response

Braunston **11:00am** Holy Communion

Brooke **6:00pm** Evensong

Hambleton No service

Egleton **5:00pm** 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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All Saints Oakham



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8:00am Holy Communion

10:30am Parish Communion*

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

Opening Hymn*



1. We plough the fields, and scatter
the good seed on the land,
but it is fed and watered
by God's almighty hand:
he sends the snow in winter,
the warmth to swell the grain,
the breezes, and the sunshine,
and soft, refreshing rain.

*All good gifts around us
are sent from heaven above;
then thank the Lord, O thank the Lord,
for all his love.*

2. He only is the maker
of all things near and far;
he paints the wayside flower,
he lights the evening star;
the winds and waves obey him,
by him the birds are fed;
much more to us, his children,
he gives our daily bread.

3. We thank thee then, O Father,
for all things bright and good,
the seed-time and the harvest,
our life, our health, our food.
Accept the gifts we offer
for all thy love imparts,
and, what thou most dearest,
our humble, thankful hearts.

*Words: Wir plügen und wir streuen, Matthias Claudius (1740-1815), tr Jane Montgomery Campbell (1817-1878)
Music: Wir Pflügen, melody by Johann Abraham Peter Schütz (1747-1800),
harmonised by John Bacchus Dykes (1823-1876) (Ancient & Modern – 290)*

Collect

Eternal God,
you crown the year with your goodness
and you give us the fruits of the earth in their season:
grant that we may use them to your glory,
for the relief of those in need and for our own well-being;
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 – Joel 2.21-27

Do not fear, O soil; be glad and rejoice, for the LORD has done great things! Do not fear, you animals of the field, for the pastures of the wilderness are green; the tree bears its fruit, the fig tree and vine give their full yield. O children of Zion, be glad and rejoice in the LORD your God; for he has given the early rain for your vindication, he has poured down for you abundant rain, the early and the later rain, as before. The threshing-floors shall be full of grain, the vats shall overflow with wine and oil. I will repay you for the years that the swarming locust has eaten, the hopper, the destroyer, and the cutter, my great army, which I sent against you. You shall eat in plenty and be satisfied, and praise the name of the LORD your God, who has dealt wondrously with you. And my people shall never again be put to shame. You shall know that I am in the midst of Israel, and that I, the LORD, am your God and there is no other. And my people shall never again be put to shame.

Second Reading – 1 Timothy 6.6-10

There is great gain in godliness combined with contentment; for we brought nothing into the world, so that we can take nothing out of it; but if we have food and clothing, we will be content with these. But those who want to be rich fall into temptation and are trapped by many senseless and harmful desires that plunge people into ruin and destruction. For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evil, and in their eagerness to be rich some have wandered away from the faith and pierced themselves with many pains.

Gradual 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.

Words: Fred Pratt Green (1903-2000) Music: East Acklam, Francis Jackson (b 1917)
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Gospel – Matthew 6.25-33

Jesus said to his disciples: ‘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.’

Offertory Hymn*



1. In the sacrament of offering,
 gift and portion, token and kind,
 all we have is laid before the Lord:
 heart and soul and body and mind,
 now the Bread of Life is gi~ven,
 now the wood has made the wine;
 and we gather to ado-re.

2. On a hillside of the Galilee,
 hungry people gathered to hear
 words of hope from the Messi-ah:
 love and trust; and never you fear.
 Fish and bread and wine a ple~nty,
 peace and fellowship divine,
 in the presence of the Lo-rd.

3. Jesus Christ the Son of Ma-ry:
 bread of heaven, living and true:
 bringing all into community;
 by his Spirit, living anew.
 Faithful shepherd of his pe-ople,
 gave his life to save us all
 from the shadows at the do-or.

4. Now, two thousand years have come and gone,
 countless millions honour his name;
 bread is still the food of fellowship,
 oil and wine together proclaim:
 joy and healing to the na-tions,
 darkness yields to life again,
 at his table evermo-re.

*Words: Stephen Southgate Music: Divinum Mysterium, Melody from Piae Cantiones, 1582 AM80
 © Stephen Southgate, TSSF, August 2012*

Communion Anthem*

Thou visitest the earth, and blessest it: And crownest the year with thy goodness.

Words: Psalms 65.9,12 Music: Maurice Greene (1696-1755)

Communion Hymns*



1. Praise and thanksgiving,
 Father, we offer,
 for all things living
 thou madest good;
 harvest of sown fields,
 fruits of the orchard,
 hay from the mown fields,
 blossom and wood.

2. Bless thou the labour
 we bring to serve thee,
 that with our neighbour
 we may be fed.
 Sowing or tilling,
 we would work with thee;
 harvesting, milling
 for daily bread.

3. Father, providing
 food for thy children,
 thy wisdom guiding
 teaches us share
 one with another,
 so that rejoicing,
 with us, our brother
 may know thy care.

4. Then will your blessing
 reach every people;
 freely confessing
 thy gracious hand.
 Where thy will reigneth
 no one will hunger:
 thy love sustaineth;
 fruitful the land.

*Words: Albert Frederick Bayly (1901-1984) Music: Bunessan, Gaelic melody, arranged by Noël Tredinnick (b 1949)
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Post Communion Prayer

Lord of the harvest,
with joy we have offered thanksgiving for your love in creation
and have shared in the bread and wine of the kingdom:
by your grace plant within us a reverence for all that you give us
and make us generous and wise stewards
of the good things we enjoy;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Final Hymn*



- 1 Let us sing the God of glory
who has set the stars in place,
with the planets in their courses
as they cross the heaven's face,
and the constellations shining
to the boundaries of space,
our God whose Name is love!

*Glory, glory, Alleluia,
glory, glory, Alleluia,
glory, glory, Alleluia,
our God whose Name is love!*
- 2 Let us sing the God of beauty
in the mountains and the seas,
all the colours of the rainbow
and the tracery of trees,
in the thunder of the breakers
and the whisper of the breeze,
our God whose Name is love!
- 3 Let us sing the God of bounty
for a fruitful earth and fair,
who provides for us in plenty
so that all may have a share,
and who loves his human family
and has us in his care,
our God whose Name is love!
- 4 Let us sing the God of mercy
for the wonders he has done,
how he loved us in our sinfulness
and sent to us his Son,
who has died for us, and lives for us,
and life and freedom won,
our God whose Name is love!
- 5 Let us sing the Saviour Jesus
as he makes the Father known,
let us hear his Spirit's call to us
to come and be his own,
and to worship him in glory
on his everlasting throne,
our God whose Name is love!

Words: Timothy Dudley-Smith (b 1926)

Music: Battle Hymn of the Republic, William Steffe (c1852) adapted by Noël Tredinnick (b 1949) – AM 617

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6:00pm Evensong

The Order of Service begins on page 58 of the Prayer Book, and the hymns are taken from New English Hymnal.

Opening Hymn

259 – Come ye thankful people, come

Psalm 126 in convertendo

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- 1 When the Lord turn'd again the cap- | tivity of | Zion :
then were we | like · unto | them that | dream.
- 2 Then was our mouth | fill'd · with | laugh- || ter :
| and our | tongue with | joy.
- 3 Then said they a-| mong the | heathen :
the Lord hath | done great | things for | them.
- 4 Yea the Lord hath done great things for | us al- | ready :
Where- | of — | we re- | joice.
- 5 Turn our cap- | tivity · O | Lord :
as the | riv-ers | in the | south.
- 6 They that | sow in | tears :
shall | reap — | in — | joy.
- †7 He that now goeth on his way weeping, * and | beareth forth · good | seed :
shall doubtless come again with | joy, * and | bring his | sheaves with him.
- 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 – Joshua 3.7-17

Office Hymn

369 – Happy are they, they that love God

Magnificat & Nunc Dimittis – set 11

Second Lesson – Matthew 10.1-22

261 – To thee O Lord our hearts we raise

262 – We plough the fields, and scatter

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 for details.

HARVEST TEA

Victoria Hall, Oakham

Please see appeal for help below.

Hymn after the Prayers

Hymn after the Sermon

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

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 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 Braunston

Replacing the normal afternoon Church@4 for this month to avoid

clashing with the BBC meeting (see below).

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

The Blue Ball, Braunston

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

Greetham 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 *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 on Friday 30 October. They 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. There will be an opportunity to add a triangle yourself on the day, and refreshments will be available, **and triangles are available in Oakham church now.**

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. [27/9 on]

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 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) 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. 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;
Eggleton – 4 October 5:00pm



TEA PARTY:

Date: Sunday 11th 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 9TH 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!



*'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

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.zimbabwvictimsupportfund.org

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

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;

All Saints Church, Church Street, Oakham, LE15 6AA (01572 460000)

(cheques payable to 'The Friends of All Saints Church Oakham')



*promoted by All Saints Oakham Concert Society &
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 Morning Prayer Oakham	2:00 Pram & Toddler Oakham 4:30 Evening Prayer Oakham 7:30 Light Circle Langham
<i>Tuesday</i> 6 Oct	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham 10:00 Holy Communion Oakham	4:00 Evening Prayer Oakham
<i>Wednesday</i> 7 Oct	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham 10:00 Holy Communion J&A	12:00 Healing Prayer Oakham 4:30 Evening Prayer Oakham 5:30 Meditation J&A
<i>Thursday</i> 8 Oct	9:00 Team Communion Oakham 9:45 Tiny Tots Oakham 10:30 Little Angels Market Overton	12:00 Ecumenical Prayer Oakham 12:15 Celtic Prayer Egleton 4:30 Evening Prayer Oakham
<i>Friday</i> 9 Oct	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham 10:00 BCP Communion Oakham	4:30 Evening Prayer Oakham

Services Next Sunday

11 October (Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity)

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

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