



# Weekly Pewsheet

*Service Details and Notices*

## Epiphany

Sunday 8 January 2017

*Services in the Team today:*

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

\*Common Worship (Contemporary)

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

**Please take this Pewsheet home**



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The Team Office is staffed on Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday 9am- 1pm, Thursdays 11am-3pm and Fridays by email. **Notices or reports for inclusion in the pew sheet and website should be sent to [notices@oakhamteam.org.uk](mailto:notices@oakhamteam.org.uk) or delivered to the office by Wednesday at 11 am.**



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## Collect

O God,  
who by the leading of a star  
manifested your only Son to the peoples of the earth:  
mercifully grant that we,  
who know you now by faith,  
may at last behold your glory face to face;  
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 – *Isaiah 60.1-6*

Arise, shine; for your light has come, and the glory of the LORD has risen upon you. For darkness shall cover the earth, and thick darkness the peoples; but the LORD will arise upon you, and his glory will appear over you. Nations shall come to your light, and kings to the brightness of your dawn. Lift up your eyes and look around; they all gather together, they come to you; your sons shall come from far away, and your daughters shall be carried on their nurses' arms. Then you shall see and be radiant; your heart shall thrill and rejoice, because the abundance of the sea shall be brought to you, the wealth of the nations shall come to you. A multitude of camels shall cover you, the young camels of Midian and Ephah; all those from Sheba shall come. They shall bring gold and frankincense, and shall proclaim the praise of the LORD.

### Second Reading – *Ephesians 3.1-12\**

I, Paul, am a prisoner for Christ Jesus for the sake of you Gentiles - for surely you have already heard of the commission of God's grace that was given me for you, and how the mystery was made known to me by revelation, as I wrote above in a few words, a reading of which will enable you to perceive my understanding of the mystery of Christ. In former generations this mystery was not made known to humankind, as it has now been revealed to his holy apostles and prophets by the Spirit: that is, the Gentiles have become fellow-heirs, members of the same body, and sharers in the promise in Christ Jesus through the gospel. Of this gospel I have become a servant according to the gift of God's grace that was given me by the working of his power. Although I am the very least of all the saints, this grace was given to me to bring to the Gentiles the news of the boundless riches of Christ, and to make everyone see what is the plan of the mystery hidden for ages in God who created all things; so that through the church the wisdom of God in its rich variety might now be made known to the rulers and authorities in the heavenly places. This

was in accordance with the eternal purpose that he has carried out in Christ Jesus our Lord, in whom we have access to God in boldness and confidence through faith in him.

### **Gospel – Matthew 2.1-12**

In the time of King Herod, after Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, wise men from the East came to Jerusalem, asking, 'Where is the child who has been born king of the Jews? For we observed his star at its rising, and have come to pay him homage.' When King Herod heard this, he was frightened, and all Jerusalem with him; and calling together all the chief priests and scribes of the people, he inquired of them where the Messiah was to be born. They told him, 'In Bethlehem of Judea; for so it has been written by the prophet: "And you, Bethlehem, in the land of Judah, are by no means least among the rulers of Judah; for from you shall come a ruler who is to shepherd my people Israel.'" Then Herod secretly called for the wise men and learned from them the exact time when the star had appeared. Then he sent them to Bethlehem, saying, 'Go and search diligently for the child; and when you have found him, bring me word so that I may also go and pay him homage.' When they had heard the king, they set out; and there, ahead of them, went the star that they had seen at its rising, until it stopped over the place where the child was. When they saw that the star had stopped, they were overwhelmed with joy. On entering the house, they saw the child with Mary his mother; and they knelt down and paid him homage. Then, opening their treasure-chests, they offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. And having been warned in a dream not to return to Herod, they left for their own country by another road.

### **Post Communion Prayer**

Lord God,  
the bright splendour whom the nations seek:  
may we who with the wise men have been drawn by your light  
discern the glory of your presence in your Son,  
the Word made flesh, Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

# This Week

## TUESDAY 10 JANUARY

10:00am-12:00pm – **OPEN HOUSE**

*Home of Della & Alf Dewis, 4 Chater Road, Oakham*

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

10:30am – **BIBLE STUDY**

*25 Willow Crescent, Oakham*

We continue our study of Joshua. New folk are very welcome. Phone 01572 770429 for more information.

11:00am – **LANGHAM CHOIR PRACTICE**

*4 Melton Road, Langham*

For this month only the week before the Third Sunday rather than the Fourth, so no practice on 17 January.

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.

7:00pm – **LAUDAMUS CHOIR PRACTICE**

*St Andrew Whissendine*

Weekly practices resume for the Spring Term.

## WEDNESDAY 11 JANUARY

1:30pm – **MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME**

*All Saints Oakham*

*Eleanor Shute violin*

*Kabalevsky Violin Concerto in C major Op 48*

*Szymanowski Chant de Roxane*

## THURSDAY 12 JANUARY

1:00pm – **OAKHAM & BRAUNSTON MOTHERS' UNION**

*All Saints Oakham Church Hall*

**Fish and Chips Lunch** followed by the Annual General Meeting. Please contact Pamela (01572 755371) to reserve your lunch.

## FRIDAY 13 JANUARY

7:30pm – **RUTLAND THREE ARTS**

*All Saints Oakham Church Hall*

**Ternian Woodwind: 'Eclectic Evening.'** £3 admission charge for non-members.

## Looking Ahead

## TUESDAY 17 JANUARY

12:30pm – **LANGHAM LUNCH**

*Langham Village Hall*

A basic two course lunch, all welcome, cost £7.50. Booking essential via Val on 756202 or Susan on 723532..

## WEDNESDAY 18 JANUARY

10:00am – **MU CORPORATE**

**COMMUNION**

*Chapel of St John & St Anne, South Street*

1:30pm – **MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME**

*All Saints Oakham*

**Rupert Fell & Emilia Hubbard**  
*oboe*

*Cimara*/Benjamin Oboe Concerto  
*Dring* Showpiece (Three Piece Suite)  
*Grovez* Sarabande et Allegro

## FRIDAY 20 JANUARY

7:30pm – **CINEMA FOR RUTLAND**

**Rutland County Museum**

**Joy**

Doors and bar open at 7:00pm.  
Tickets £5 from Oakham Wines,  
wegottickets.com or on the door if  
still available.

## SATURDAY 21 JANUARY

8:30am – **CHURCHES TOGETHER  
BREAKFAST – Victoria Hall, Oakham**

Speaker – Brother Nicholas Palmer,  
OCSO of Mount Saint Bernard  
Abbey, Leicestershire. Tickets £3  
from your church representative or  
Patrick or Marjorie Wilson (01572  
723288).

## SUNDAY 22 JANUARY

6:00pm – **UNITED SERVICE**

**Oakham Baptist Church**

Churches Together in Oakham and  
District celebrate the Week of Prayer  
for Christian Unity.

## TUESDAY 24 JANUARY

10:30am – **BIBLE STUDY**

**25 Willow Crescent, Oakham**

We continue our study of Joshua. New  
folk are very welcome. Phone 01572  
770429 for more information.

## WEDNESDAY 25 JANUARY

1:30pm – **MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME**

**All Saints Oakham**

**Imogen Fell** piano

**Debussy** Préludes (selections)

## FRIDAY 27 JANUARY

10:00am-2:00pm – **DISCOVERY DAY**

**Oakham Methodist Church**

10:00am Coffee, finishing with Lunch at  
1:00pm. Information provided by  
Christian women of Philippines will be  
available. Cost £5 - to reserve lunch  
contact Christine Carlin (01572  
722698) by 22 January.

## SUNDAY 29 JANUARY

8:00am – **HOLY COMMUNION**

**All Saints Oakham**

11:00am – **TEAM HOLY COMMUNION**

**St Peter & St Paul Langham**

**A celebration of The Presentation  
of Christ in the Temple  
(Candlemas) for the whole Team.**

Preacher – Revd Canon Miles Baker,  
Director of Mission for the Diocese of  
Peterborough.

6:00am – **JOINT EVENING WORSHIP**

**Oakham Methodist Church**

Preacher – Revd Canon Lee Francis-  
Dehqani.

**NO OTHER SERVICES IN THE TEAM**

## FRIDAYS IN FEBRUARY

1:30pm – **MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME**

**All Saints Oakham**

**John Dobson** piano

**A Composer's Life** – The Four  
Piano Sonatas of **Carl Maria von**

**Weber**, each preceded by a piece from **Franz Liszt's** *Années de pèlerinage*. An extra one-off series of four concerts.

## SUNDAY 5 FEBRUARY

6:00pm – **ENCOUNTERING GOD IN HOLY PLACES**

### **St Peter & St Paul Langham**

The first in a series of six talks in which local author Raymond Tomkinson draws on the Church's rich heritage in Christian spirituality to explore different aspects of encountering God as the source of grace for deeper engagement with God and with the world around us. Set within the service of **Word, Worship & Response**.

### **Please pray for**

- For the victims of the recent terrorist attacks;
- For America, as the Presidential handover takes place;
- For our Government to have wisdom and courage as they approach the problems and challenges of our exit from Europe;
- For the refugees that they may find safe refuge and a new life;
- For the people of Mosul and those trapped by the war in Syria;
- For all whose lives are torn apart by war and violence;
- For those trapped under extremist regimes and the hostages held by religious extremists and their families

and friends, especially remembering the Nigerian girls;

- 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 Rutland Food Bank;
- The Drop-in Centre;
- Justin and John our Archbishops and Donald and John, our Bishops;
- Lee, Janet, Julie & Owen, our Team Clergy, and all lay members of the Ministry Team;
- Madeleine McCann and her family and all missing children.

### **Langham Lunches**

These are no longer taking place at the Wheatsheaf, but on the 3rd Tuesdays for the next 6 months (January 17th being the first date) the lunches will be in the Village Hall. Two courses £7.50, 12:30 start. Booking essential via Val on 756202 or Susan on 723532.

### **Traidcraft Christmas Sales**

The total for sales from the Christmas catalogue amounted to a wonderful £911.32, **Thank you** so much to everyone who, once again, has contributed to this figure. As ever your purchase, however large or small, does make such a difference to the lives of the producers. The next two dates for the stall will be after the 10:30am services at Oakham today and next week (15th January). Denise.

## All Saints Oakham Cards

The Friends of All Saints Oakham are pleased to be able to offer for sale cards featuring Alan Oliver's new painting of the church. They are available by the South Door, or from Friends committee members, either in notelet size (£4 for a pack of 4), or larger greeting card size (£2 each).

## New Curates

The Bishop has agreed to place two newly ordained deacons as curates in the Oakham Team from June 2017. They are Mr Iain Osborne currently in training at Ridley Hall Cambridge. Iain will serve a Stipendiary curacy, he and

his wife Susan will live in Trent Road, Oakham. Mrs Charlotte Osborn, currently training on the Eastern Ministerial Training Course will serve as a Self Supporting Minister. Charlotte is married to Canon Leo Osborn, the local Methodist minister. We are greatly looking forward to Charlotte and Iain joining us. At present they are finishing their ordination training and we will then look at their working and training arrangements and their deployment within in the Team. It is important to remember that although they share a surname they are not married to each other! Iain is Osborne WITH an E, Charlotte Osborn WITHOUT an E.

### CHURCHES TOGETHER BREAKFAST

Saturday 21st January, 2017

In the Victoria Hall, at 8.30 am



Speaker:

**Br. Nicholas Palmer, OCSO**  
Mt. St. Bernard Abbey,  
Leicestershire

*The Spiritual Unity of all Christians:  
A Monastic Perspective*

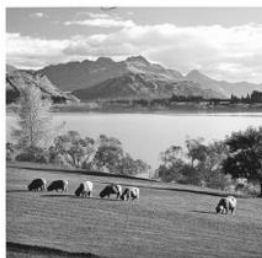
Tickets: £3.00  
Available from:

Patrick or Marjorie Wilson  
01572 723288

### CHURCHES TOGETHER IN OAKHAM AND DISTRICT

Celebrate

THE WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY



A UNITED SERVICE

Will be held at 6.00 pm  
on

SUNDAY 22nd JANUARY  
at

OAKHAM BAPTIST CHURCH





The Presentation  
of Christ  
in the Temple  
(Candlemas)



8:00am Holy Communion  
*All Saints Oakham*

11:00am Team Communion  
*St Peter & St Paul Langham*

6:00pm Joint Evening Service  
*Oakham Methodist Church*

**Sunday 29th January**



## All Saints' Church Oakham

### A Composer's Life

The Four Piano Sonatas of *Carl Maria von Weber*

*Bring Sunshine into Dark February Days*



Each Sonata will be  
preceded by a piece  
from *Franz Liszt's*  
*Années de pèlerinage*

Performed by  
**John Dobson**  
*piano*

*Admission Free*  
*Retiring Collection*  
*for Church Funds*

**Four Fridays in February at 1:30pm**  
3rd, 10th, 17th & 24th

# Encountering God...

Local author Raymond Tomkinson draws on the Church's rich heritage in Christian spirituality to explore different aspects of *Encountering God* as the source of grace for deeper engagement with God and with the world around us.

5 February – **Encountering God in Holy Places**

5 March – **Encountering God in Everyday Life**

2 April – **Encountering God in Music**

7 May – **Encountering God in Holy Scripture**

4 June – **Encountering God in Creation**

2 July – **Encountering God in Visual Images**

Raymond recently retired as chaplain, spiritual director and teacher in Christian spirituality at Ripon College Cuddesdon, an Anglican theological college and seminary near Oxford.

He has a background in monastic life, in nursing and as a parish priest. He has lived in Oakham with his wife Rose for the past ten years and near to their daughter, son-in-law and their two grandsons.

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## Word, Worship & Response

St Peter & St Paul Langham

First Sunday of the month at 6:00pm

# 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** (age 4-11)

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 12/13)

Second/Fourth Sundays 10:30am

**Oakham School Bowes Room**

**ASK** (All Saints Kids – aged 14-16)

Second/Fourth Sundays 10:30am

**Mayhew Room/OS Bowes Room**

## HOME GROUPS

**Leader: Catriona Drye** (770429)

2nd & 4th Tuesdays 10:30am

**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: Michael Hinman** (722061) &

**Monica Compton** (755734)

2nd & 4th Mondays 7:30pm **Oakham**

**Leader: Alan & Gail Rudge** (755570)

Mondays fortnightly 7:30pm

**34 Church Street, Braunston**

**Leader: Jo Gluning** (767235) &

**Janet Tebby** (01664 474096)

Tuesdays fortnightly 2:30pm

**20 Berrybushes, Market Overton**

**St Andrew's House Group** – Leaders:

**Revd Chris Bamber** (01664 474360),

**Jane Beynon** (474882) & **Jeff Eaves**

(474454). Tuesdays fortnightly 11:00am

**Whissendine** (phone for venue)

## CHOIR

**Laudamus Joint Choir Practice**

Tuesdays 7:00-8:30pm

**Whissendine Church**

**Langham Choir Practice**

Tuesdays before 1st, 2nd & 4th Sundays

12:00-1:00pm **Langham Church**

**Market Overton Choir Practice**

Tuesdays before 1st, 2nd & 4th Sundays

5:45-6:30pm **Market Overton Church**

## BELL RINGING

**Oakham Bells** Tuesdays 7:30-9:00pm

**Langham/Braunston/Brooke Bells**

Wed 7:30pm 25/11/18 Jan

**Whissendine Bells** as announced

## MOTHERS' UNION

**Oakham & Braunston** 2nd Thursday

2:15pm **Oakham Church Hall;**

Corporate Communion 3rd Wednesday

10:00am **Chapel of St John & St Anne**

## OTHER GROUPS

**Drop-In Centre** Tea, coffee, chat &

lunch Wednesdays 10:00am-4:00pm

**Oakham Congregational Church**

**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** Prayer requests can be

made in strictest confidence to **Mary**

**Willows** (01572 756264) who will then

inform the chain.

## Services During The Week

<i>Monday</i> <i>9 Jan</i>	8:30 <b>Morning Prayer</b> <i>Oakham</i>	2:00 <b>Pram &amp; Toddler</b> <i>Oakham</i>
<i>Tuesday</i> <i>10 Jan</i>	8:30 <b>Morning Prayer</b> <i>Oakham</i> 10:00 <b>Holy Communion</b> <i>Oakham</i>	
<i>Wednesday</i> <i>11 Jan</i>	8:30 <b>Morning Prayer</b> <i>Oakham</i> 10:00 <b>Holy Communion</b> <i>J&amp;A</i> 11:00 <b>Holy Communion</b> <i>Ashwell*</i>	12:00 <b>CTiO Prayer Mtg</b> <i>Cong Ch</i> 5:30 <b>Meditation</b> <i>J&amp;A</i>
<i>Thursday</i> <i>12 Jan</i>	9:00 <b>Team Communion</b> <i>Oakham</i> 9:45 <b>Tiny Tots</b> <i>Oakham</i> 10:30 <b>Little Angels</b> <i>Market Overton</i>	12:00 <b>Ecumenical Prayer</b> <i>Oakham</i> 12:15 <b>Celtic Prayer</b> <i>Egleton</i>
<i>Friday</i> <i>13 Jan</i>	8:30 <b>Morning Prayer</b> <i>Oakham</i> 10:00 <b>BCP Communion</b> <i>Oakham</i>	

\*The Croft, Cottesmore Road, Ashwell

## Services Next Sunday - 15 January (The Second Sunday of Epiphany)

<i>Oakham</i>	8:00 <b>Holy Communion</b> (CW Trad) 10:30 <b>Family Communion*</b>	12:15 <b>Baptism</b> 6:00 <b>Evensong</b>
<i>Whissendine</i>	11:00 <b>Holy Communion*</b>	
<i>Teigh</i>		6:00 <b>Evensong</b>
<i>Ashwell</i>	11:00 <b>Family Service</b>	
<i>Market Overton</i>	9:00 <b>Family Service</b>	
<i>Langham</i>		
<i>Braunston</i>	11:00 <b>Holy Communion*</b>	
<i>Brooke</i>		6:00 <b>Evensong</b>
<i>Hambleton</i>		
<i>Egleton</i>	9:15 <b>Holy Communion</b> (CW Trad)	

## Next Sunday's Readings

*The Second Sunday of Epiphany: Isaiah 49.1-7; 1 Corinthians 1.1-9; John 1.29-42*  
*Oakham Evensong: Ezekiel 2.1-3.4; Galatians 1.11-24*