

# Weekly Pewsheet

## *Service Details and Notices*

### Seventh Sunday of Easter

#### *Sunday after Ascension*

#### Sunday 28 May 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> Morning Prayer
<b>Teigh</b>	No service
<b>Ashwell</b>	<b>10:30am</b> Holy Communion*
<b>Market Overton</b>	<b>9:00am</b> Holy Communion*
<b>Langham</b>	<b>11:00am</b> Extended Communion*
<b>Braunston</b>	<b>4:00pm</b> Evening Prayer
<b>Brooke</b>	<b>8:00am</b> Holy Communion*
<b>Hambleton</b>	No service
<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

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# 8:00am Holy Communion

## 10:30am Family Communion\*

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

### Opening Hymn\*



1. Come, let us join our cheerful songs  
with angels round the throne;  
ten thousand thousand are their tongues,  
but all their joys are one.
2. 'Worthy the Lamb that died,' they cry,  
'to be exalted thus';  
'Worthy the Lamb,' our lips reply,  
'for he was slain for us.'
3. Jesus is worthy to receive  
honour and power divine;  
and blessings, more than we can give,  
be, Lord, for ever thine.
4. Let all that dwell above the sky,  
and air, and earth, and seas,  
conspire to lift thy glories high,  
and speak thine endless praise.
5. The whole creation joins in one  
to bless the sacred name  
of him that sits upon the throne,  
and to adore the Lamb.

Words: From Revelation 5.11-13, Isaac Watts (1674-1748)  
Music: Nativity, Henry Lahee (1826-1912)  
(Ancient & Modern – 362)

### Collect

O God the King of glory,  
you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ  
with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven:  
we beseech you, leave us not comfortless,  
but send your Holy Spirit to strengthen us  
and exalt us to the place where our Saviour Christ is gone before,  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

## **First Reading – Acts 1.6-14**

When the apostles had come together, they asked Jesus, 'Lord, is this the time when you will restore the kingdom to Israel?' He replied, 'It is not for you to know the times or periods that the Father has set by his own authority. But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.' When he had said this, as they were watching, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him out of their sight. While he was going and they were gazing up towards heaven, suddenly two men in white robes stood by them. They said, 'Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking up towards heaven? This Jesus, who has been taken up from you into heaven, will come in the same way as you saw him go into heaven.' Then they returned to Jerusalem from the mount called Olivet, which is near Jerusalem, a sabbath day's journey away. When they had entered the city, they went to the room upstairs where they were staying, Peter, and John, and James, and Andrew, Philip and Thomas, Bartholomew and Matthew, James son of Alphaeus, and Simon the Zealot, and Judas son of James. All these were constantly devoting themselves to prayer, together with certain women, including Mary the mother of Jesus, as well as his brothers.

## **Second Reading – 1 Peter 4.12-14; 5.6-11**

Beloved, do not be surprised at the fiery ordeal that is taking place among you to test you, as though something strange were happening to you. But rejoice in so far as you are sharing Christ's sufferings, so that you may also be glad and shout for joy when his glory is revealed. If you are reviled for the name of Christ, you are blessed, because the spirit of glory, which is the Spirit of God, is resting on you. Humble yourselves therefore under the mighty hand of God, so that he may exalt you in due time. Cast all your anxiety on him, because he cares for you. Discipline yourselves, keep alert. Like a roaring lion your adversary the devil prowls around, looking for someone to devour. Resist him, steadfast in your faith, for you know that your brothers and sisters throughout the world are undergoing the same kinds of suffering. And after you have suffered for a little while, the God of all grace, who has called you to his eternal glory in Christ, will himself restore, support, strengthen, and establish you. To him be the power for ever and ever. Amen.

## Gradual Hymn\*



1. Name of all majesty,  
fathomless mystery,  
King of all ages  
by angels adored;  
power and authority,  
splendour and dignity,  
bow to his mastery,  
Jesus is Lord!

2. Child of our destiny,  
God from eternity,  
love of the Father  
on sinners outpoured;  
see now what God has done  
sending his only Son,  
Christ the beloved One,  
Jesus is Lord!

3. Saviour of Calvary,  
costliest victory,  
darkness defeated  
and Eden restored;  
born as a man to die,  
nailed to a cross on high,  
cold in the grave to lie,  
Jesus is Lord!

4. Source of all sovereignty,  
light, immortality,  
life everlasting  
and heaven assured;  
so with the ransomed, we  
praise him eternally,  
Christ in his majesty,  
Jesus is Lord!

*Words: Timothy Dudley-Smith (b 1926) Music: Majestas, Michael Baughen (b 1930) arr Noel Tredinnick (b 1949)  
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## Gospel – John 17.1-11

Jesus looked up to heaven and said, 'Father, the hour has come; glorify your Son so that the Son may glorify you, since you have given him authority over all people, to give eternal life to all whom you have given him. And this is eternal life, that they may know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom you have sent. I glorified you on earth by finishing the work that you gave me to do. So now, Father, glorify me in your own presence with the glory that I had in your presence before the world existed. 'I have made your name known to those whom you gave me from the world. They were yours, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. Now they know that everything you have given me is from you; for the words that you gave to me I have given to them, and they have received them and know in truth that I came from you; and they have believed that you sent me. I am asking on their behalf; I am not asking on behalf of the world, but on behalf of those whom you gave me, because they are yours. All mine are yours, and yours are mine; and I have been glorified in them. And now I am no longer in the world, but they are in the world,

and I am coming to you. Holy Father, protect them in your name that you have given me, so that they may be one, as we are one.’

## Offertory Hymn\*



1. Hail the day that sees him rise, *Alleluia*,  
to his throne above the skies; *Alleluia*,  
Christ, the Lamb for sinners given, *Alleluia*,  
enters now the highest heaven. *Alleluia!*
2. There for him high triumph waits;  
lift your heads, eternal gates.  
He hath conquered death and sin;  
take the King of Glory in.
3. Lo, the heaven its Lord receives,  
yet he loves the earth he leaves;  
though returning to his throne,  
still he calls mankind his own.
4. See, he lifts his hands above;  
see, he shews the prints of love;  
hark, his gracious lips bestow  
blessings on his church below.
5. Still for us he intercedes,  
his prevailing death he pleads;  
near himself prepares our place,  
he the first-fruits of our race.
6. Lord, though parted from our sight,  
far above the starry height,  
grant our hearts may thither rise,  
seeking thee above the skies.

*Words: Charles Wesley (1707-1788), Thomas Cotterill (1779-1823) and others*  
*Music: Llanfair, melody prob by Robert Williams (1782-1818), harm prob Compilers of English Hymnal 1906*  
*(Ancient & Modern – 228)*

## Communion Anthem

Come, Holy Ghost, our souls inspire,  
and lighten with celestial fire;  
thou the anointing Spirit art,  
who dost thy sevenfold gifts impart:  
thy blessed unction from above  
is comfort, life and fire of love;

Enable with perpetual light  
the dullness of our blinded sight:  
anoint and cheer our soiled face  
with the abundance of thy grace:  
keep far our foes, give peace at home;  
where thou art guide no ill can come.

Teach us to know the Father, Son,  
and Thee, of Both, to be but One;  
that through the agea all along  
this may be our endless song,  
praise to thy eternal merit,  
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen.

*Words: based on Veni Creator Spiritus, John Cosin (1594-1672) Music: Thomas Attwood (1783-1856)*

## Communion Hymns\*



1. Beauty for brokenness,  
hope for despair,  
Lord, in your suffering world  
this is our prayer.  
Bread for the children,  
justice, joy, peace,  
sunrise to sunset  
your kingdom increase!

2. Shelter for fragile lives,  
cures for their ills,  
work for the craftsmen,  
trade for their skills.  
Land for the dispossessed,  
rights for the weak,  
voices to plead the cause  
of those who can't speak.

*God of the poor,  
friend of the weak,  
give us compassion, we pray,  
melt our cold hearts,  
let tears fall like rain.  
Come, change our love from a spark  
to a flame.*

3. Refuge from cruel wars,  
havens from fear,  
cities for sanctuary,  
freedoms to share.  
Peace to the killing fields,  
scorched earth to green,  
Christ for the bitterness,  
his cross for the pain.

4. Rest for the ravaged earth,  
oceans and streams,  
plundered and poisoned,  
our future, our dreams.  
Lord, end our madness,  
carelessness, greed;  
make us content with  
the things that we need.

*God of the poor ...*

5. Lighten our darkness,  
breathe on this flame,  
until your justice  
burns brightly again;  
until the nations  
learn of your ways,  
seek your salvation  
and bring you their praise.

*God of the poor ...*

Words: Graham Kendrick (b 1950)

Music: Graham Kendrick

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1. O thou, who at thy Eucharist didst pray  
that all thy church might be for ever one,  
grant us at every Eucharist to say  
with longing heart and soul, 'Thy will be done':  
O may we all one bread, one body be,  
through this blest sacrament of unity.
2. For all thy church, O Lord, we intercede;  
make thou our sad divisions soon to cease;  
draw us the nearer each to each, we plead,  
by drawing all to thee, O Prince of Peace:  
thus may we all one bread, one body be,  
through this blest sacrament of unity.
3. We pray thee too for wanderers from thy fold;  
O bring them back, good Shepherd of the sheep,  
back to the faith which saints believed of old,  
back to the church which still that faith doth keep:  
soon may we all one bread, one body be,  
through this blest sacrament of unity.
4. So, Lord, at length when sacraments shall cease,  
may we be one with all thy church above,  
one with thy saints in one unbroken peace,  
one with thy saints in one unbounded love:  
more blessed still, in peace and love to be  
one with the Trinity in Unity.

*Words: William Henry Turton (1856-1938)  
Music: Song 1, melody and bass by Orlando Gibbons (1583-1625)  
(Ancient & Modern - 460)*

## Post Communion Prayer

Eternal God, giver of love and power,  
your Son Jesus Christ has sent us into all the world  
to preach the gospel of his kingdom:  
confirm us in this mission,  
and help us to live the good news we proclaim;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**



## Final Hymn\*



1. Christ triumphant, ever reigning,  
Saviour, Master, King!  
Lord of heaven, our lives sustaining,  
hear us as we sing:  
*Yours the glory and the crown,  
the high renown, the eternal name!*
2. Word incarnate, truth revealing,  
Son of Man on earth!  
Power and majesty concealing  
by your humble birth:
3. Suffering servant, scorned, ill-treated,  
victim crucified!  
death is through the cross defeated,  
sinners justified:
4. Priestly King, enthroned for ever  
high in heaven above!  
sin and death and hell shall never  
stifle hymns of love:
5. So, our hearts and voices raising  
through the ages long,  
ceaselessly upon you gazing,  
this shall be our song:

Words: Michael Saward (b 1932)  
Music: Guiting Power, John Barnard (b 1948)  
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(Ancient & Modern – 612)

## 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

332 – All hail the power of Jesu's name

### Psalm 47 omnes gentes plaudite

J Davy



- 1 O clap your hands together | all ye | people :  
O sing unto | God · with the | voice of | melody.
- 2 For the Lord is | high and · to be | fear'd :  
he is the great | King up-on | all the | earth.



## This Week

### THU 25 MAY – SUN 4 JUNE

#### THY KINGDOM COME

The Archbishops have invited all churches to join in their prayer initiative, **Thy Kingdom Come**. It promises to be a highlight of the year as churches around the world, from many denominations host prayer events in their churches and communities. Every church is being asked to pray for people to come to know Christ, and **Churches Together in Oakham have set aside Thursday 1 June for this (see below), but we will be doing so at Morning Prayer in Oakham daily, and at the services on Ascension Day.** Thy Kingdom Come will be a wave of prayer across the nation and we are all invited to join in. For more information please visit [www.thykingdomcome.global](http://www.thykingdomcome.global) or follow the link on the website.

### MONDAY 29 MAY

11:15am – **ORGAN RECITAL**

#### *All Saints Oakham*

**James Thomas**, Director of Music, St Edmundsbury Cathedral.

Music by Leighton, Buxtehude, Bach, Brahms & Mendelssohn.

Followed by lunch in the Church Hall.

### WEDNESDAY 31 MAY

1:30pm – **MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME**

#### *All Saints Oakham*

**Katie Marshall** *soprano*

### THURSDAY 1 JUNE

#### THY KINGDOM COME

In response to the invitation from The Archbishops of Canterbury & York and the Presidents of Churches Together in England, the churches in Oakham will be open, with a special area or corner for prayer at particular times as follows:

**All Saints Oakham** open all day, particular prayer at 4:00pm;

**St Joseph's** 9:00-11:00am liturgical prayer followed by quiet prayer with suggested prayers available;

**Baptist Church** 9:00-11:00am;

**Methodist Church** 9:30-10:30am;

**Congregational Church** 10:00am-2:00pm;

**All Saints Braunston** all day.

**St Peter & St Paul Langham**  
10am-12pm guided prayer.

**Please make every effort to join in this global prayer project, and not only for the times in church.**

7:30pm – **CINEMA FOR RUTLAND**

#### *Rutland County Museum*

**Café Society**, written and directed by Woody Allen. Doors and bar open at 7pm. Tickets £5 from Oakham Wines, [wegottickets.com](http://wegottickets.com) and on the door.

### FRIDAY 2 JUNE

7:00pm – **FAITH SEEKING**

#### **UNDERSTANDING**

#### *Quaker Meeting House, Gaol Street, Oakham*

A talk followed by discussion, given by Dr Peter Holmes, on Philosophy and God from the perspective of Anselm. All welcome.

## **SATURDAY 3 JUNE**

10:30am – **OPEN GARDEN & VIENNESE CAFE**

**Archway House, Langham**

Open garden, with all manner of Viennese cakes and delicacies, including savoury as well as sweet cheesecakes, tea and freshly brewed coffee plus luxurious hot chocolate, and live music, craft stalls and a hanging basket auction.

There will be a plant stall and we are always pleased to receive donations, so if you are busy now with your own seeds and cuttings please remember us if you end up in a month or two with more than you need. Entrance £5, in aid of Langham Church

## **SUNDAY 4 JUNE**

9:00am-5:00pm – **RUTLAND COUNTY SHOW – County Showground**

Churches Together will have its own tent, and invite you to help man it on the day, or make some cupcakes – see poster for details.

6:00pm – **ENCOUNTERING GOD IN CREATION**

**St Peter & St Paul Langham**

The fifth 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**.

## **Looking Ahead**

### **WEDNESDAY 7 JUNE**

1:30pm – **MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME**

**All Saints Oakham**

**Violinists**

**Nolok** Hungarian Dance Op 196 No 5

Music by **Kreisler**

### **THURSDAY 8 JUNE**

2:15pm – **MOTHERS' UNION MEETING**

**All Saints Oakham**

Helen Bush will talk on *Reflections*. All Welcome. **Please note change of venue.**

### **FRI/SAT 9/10 JUNE**

Mornings – **CHURCHYARD TIDY UP**

**St Peter & St Paul Langham**

Come and help us tidy in advance of the Great Get-Together next weekend.

### **SUNDAY 11 JUNE**

6:00pm – **PATRONAL CHORAL EVENSONG – Holy Trinity Teigh**

With Team Choir Laudamus. No Evensong at Oakham today.

### **MONDAY 12 JUNE**

10:00am-12:00pm – **OPEN HOUSE**

**Home of Eileen & Michael Blackwood, 6 Barmstedt Drive, Oakham**

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

## SAT-SUN 17-18 JUNE

### LANGHAM GREAT GET-TOGETHER

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

Summer Solstice Celebration – a family event, all welcome. Barbecue, picnic & live music & film on Saturday evening, church camping, Sunday early morning bike ride & breakfast, concluding with an informal service at 10:00am. Join Great Get-Together celebrations across the country to celebrate our shared community – “*we have more in common than that which divides us*”. *Jo Cox.*

## SATURDAY 17 JUNE

7:30pm – **OPERA IN MORCOTT**

#### *Morcott Church*

**Amici Chamber Choir** present Gilbert & Sullivan’s ‘**Trial by Jury**’ and other operatic highlights. More details on the website.

## THURSDAY 29 JUNE

### FRIENDS AND MU COACH TRIP

#### *Ely*

To include Cathedral Tour, Cream Tea, Sung Evensong. Also a choice of Stained Glass Museum, Oliver Cromwell’s House, Ely Museum, Market Day, Riverside Gardens & Walk. Cost £22 – please contact Gordon Woods (01572 755371) or Beryl Kirtland (01572 724103). Priority given to Friends and MU members.

## SATURDAY 9 SEPTEMBER

### RIDE AND STRIDE

#### *Rutland Churches*

Please help to raise money for Rutland’s churches. Bike, walk or if you are less mobile, share a car. Watch this space for further details.

## Please pray for

- The family and friends of **Frank Foster**, whose funeral took place at Oakham on Tuesday;
- The family and friends of **Edith Mary Burton**, of Oakham, whose funeral took place at Peterborough Crematorium on Friday;
- The family and friends of **Lillian Burdell**, whose funeral took place at The Chapel of St John & St Anne on Friday;
- The people of Manchester, especially the victims of the attack and their families and friends;
- The people facing severe famine through civil war in Nigeria, Somalia, Southern Sudan and Yemen;
- Peace in Syria;
- The refugees that they may find safe refuge and a new life, and for all whose lives are torn apart by war and violence, especially the children;
- Give thanks for the release of some of the Nigerian girls, and pray for those still held captive;
- Those trapped under extremist regimes;
- 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 & Julie, our Team Clergy, and all lay members of the Ministry Team;
- Janet, as she moves to Wellingborough following her retirement;
- Madeleine McCann and her family and all missing children.

## Oakham Stewardship

At the Open Meeting of the PCC on Monday, we had a very stimulating presentation from Paul Adams (Diocesan Stewardship Adviser). If you missed it, a summary will be available on the website shortly.

## Oakham Boiler Update

As you know, over the past month we have asked a number of specialist firms to tender for the new boiler system and its associated works. Only three of the firms submitted tenders, and they were all very much higher than we were expecting – in the region of £180,000 excluding VAT. Although we knew there would be some extra costs caused by resiting the boiler in the office above the Mayhew Room, in fact most of the cost is concentrated on the mechanical and electrical works. As a result we propose to find out from the contractors, via the architect, how the figures were arrived at, to see if there might be other ways forward, and in the meantime we will investigate ways of keeping the existing boiler going as reliably as possible for a while longer. This is not where we had hoped to be

at this stage, but please rest assured that we have not come to a standstill and that we will keep you informed about progress.

## Readers & Intercessors Rota

Anne Venning produces the rota for Readers & Intercessors at Oakham, and this is distributed regularly to all those involved – however, there have been some occasions when those on the rota have not fulfilled their duty. We are looking at how we can improve the communication of the rota, but meanwhile, if you are on the rota and know that you will be away, please let Anne know as soon as you can.

## Foodbank Update

The Foodbank is currently short of the following items – packets of Smash, 500g sugar, small coffee jars, jam, dog and cat food, rice, rice pudding, custard. We have plenty of porridge oats, cereals, baked beans, sweetcorn, biscuits, pasta & tea at the moment. The food bank operates entirely with volunteers – if you feel you could spare a few hours a month for this very worthwhile cause do give us a call on 07582 783363. **Heather Day (01780 410539 or [heather.day@oakhamteam.org.uk](mailto:heather.day@oakhamteam.org.uk)) will be very happy to show anyone how the FoodBank operates at a non-opening time, whether you are a potential volunteer or just interested!**

## A Baby Boy!

Dominic Coad (our former curate) and his wife Frances are so happy and proud to welcome to the world James William Coad, born in Newcastle on Monday 8th May at 9:57 am, weighing 7lbs 1¼ ozs. Mum and baby are both well.



## Organ Recitals

The next recital is on Spring Bank Holiday Monday, 29 May, when we will welcome

James Thomas from St Edmundsbury Cathedral. Then on 28 August we have David Price, who is on a UK tour from Thailand. **David will need accommodation on the Saturday and Sunday nights, 26/27 August** – if you can help with this please contact Kevin Slingsby.

## New Curates

Both Iain (Osborne) and Charlotte (Osborn) are looking forward very much to joining the Oakham Team in June, and as they try to meet all the necessary deadlines, take exams and move house (in Iain's case) as well as prepare their hearts and souls for ordination, they would appreciate your prayers. There will be a limited number of the attached ember cards in each of the churches in the benefice available to take away and stick on your fridge, or else here opposite from the pewsheet.



You are warmly invited to join us at this meeting to hear about news and events in the past year.

## Annual General Meeting Invitation

to be held on Monday June 12<sup>th</sup> 2017 at 5.00pm

at All Saints Church Hall Oakham

Tea & cakes will be served

RSVP to Helen Baggott [hrbaggott@gmail.com](mailto:hrbaggott@gmail.com)

Please pray for all to be ordained this Petertide,  
among them

## Iain Osborne

To be made deacon by Donald, Lord Bishop  
of Peterborough, in his cathedral church of  
SS Peter, Paul and Andrew on

Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> June 2017 at 11.00am.

Please pray also for his family Susan, William  
and Mary; for the Reverend Canon Lee  
Francis-Dehqani; and for the people of  
Oakham, Rutland, and the surrounding villages,  
among whom Iain is to serve.

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*"He who is mighty has done great things for  
me, and holy is his name." Luke 1:49*



Please pray for all who are  
preparing for ordination including  
*Charlotte Elizabeth Osborn*

who is to be ordained Deacon in  
Peterborough Cathedral  
at 11am on Sunday June 25th 2017.

Pray also for Revd Canon Lee Francis-Dehqani  
and the people and parishes of the  
Oakham Team Ministry where she will  
serve as Assistant Curate and be welcomed  
at a service in Oakham Parish Church at 6pm  
on the same day to which all are welcome.

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charlotte@oakhamteam.org.uk  
2, Wensum Close, Oakham, Rutland LE15 6FU  
01572 724198 07957 367457

RIP  
**Mary Joy Horsley**  
Died on Tuesday 9 May

Wife of Canon Alan Horsley  
former vicar of All Saints Oakham  
Funeral Wed 24 May 12 noon  
at Holy Cross Daventry

RIP  
**Adrian C E Hackett**

Died suddenly on Friday 21 April  
aged 52 years

Former communicant member, server  
and clock-winder of All Saints Oakham

www.artsforrutland.co.uk Phoenix Community Cinema

**Cinema for Rutland**  
Rutland County Museum  
Thursday 1 June 2017

Anyone who is anyone...  
Will be seen at

**CAFÉ SOCIETY**  
WRITTEN AND DIRECTED BY WOODY ALLEN



1 hr 36 mins  
PG-13

**Tickets: £5 from Oakham Wines**  
[www.wegotickets.com](http://www.wegotickets.com)  
and on the door

**Doors and bar open at 7 pm for 7.30 pm**

Supported by: Rutland County Council, Rutland County, Leicestershire County Council, Phoenix 4





@ Rutland  County Show

**Pentecost Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> June**  
**From 9:00 till 5:00**

- Churches Together will have its own tent, displaying information about our work in the community and highlighting the season of Pentecost and its message for all.
- There will be free handouts and fun activities as well as a friendly face from the churches.
- Could YOU help by giving a couple of hours to this venture? Put your name on the sign up sheet in your church. Thank you.

**WORSHIPPING GOD – SERVING  
OUR COMMUNITY**



***Please help!***

***We want to offer people a***

***PENTECOST CUPCAKE***

***Could YOU make a dozen***

***- any flavour with red, white or red and white icing.***

***Contact Gail Rudge for further details***

***01572 755570***



Open Garden  
&  
Viennese Cafe

*Archway House, 42 Well St  
Langham*

Saturday  
3 June  
10 am - 2 pm

Live music | Plant sale  
Continental cakes  
Hanging basket auction

*Entrance £5  
includes coffee & cake*

**Langham**

Parish Church of St Peter & St Paul

In support of Langham Parish Church

# LANGHAM

## GREAT GET TOGETHER

### 17-18 JUNE 2017

*Summer Solstice Celebration*

*Family Event*

*All Welcome!*

We have more  
in common  
than that which  
divides us  
Jo Cox, MP

## Saturday 17 June

- 6 pm Welcome & live music  
(Front Porch Preachers)
- 7 pm BBQ & picnic
- 8 pm Live music
- 9.30 pm Film & church camping

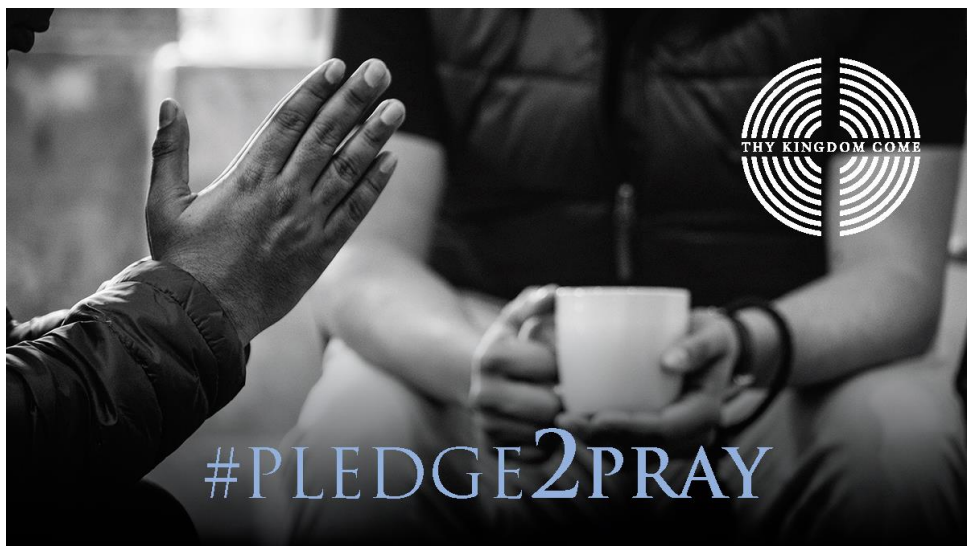
## Sunday 18 June

- 7.30 am Sgt. Pepper's yoga
- Father's Day bike ride
- 8.30 am Breakfast
- 10 am Informal Church service



For more info see [www.langhamchurch.com](http://www.langhamchurch.com)

**Langham**  
Parish Church of St Peter & St Paul



JOIN THE GLOBAL WAVE OF PRAYER  
25TH MAY - 4TH JUNE

**Ascension Day (Thu 25 May) Holy Communion**  
**9:00am at All Saints Oakham**  
**7:30pm at The Chapel of St John & St Anne**

**Thursday 1 June**

**All Saints Oakham 4:00pm Prayer (open all day)**

**St Joseph's 9:00-11:00am Liturgical Prayer**  
followed by quiet prayer

**Oakham Baptist Church 9:00-11:00am**

**Oakham Methodist Church 9:30-10:30am**

**Oakham Congregational Church 10:00am-2:00pm**

**All Saints Braunston all day**

**Morning Prayer at Oakham on Weekdays at 8:30am**

Follow the link on the website for more information

[WWW.THYKINGDOMCOME.GLOBAL](http://WWW.THYKINGDOMCOME.GLOBAL)



## Faith Seeking Understanding

A talk followed by discussion by  
Dr Peter Holmes

Quaker Meeting House, Gaol Street, Oakham  
on Friday 2nd June, 7pm  
Free admission - all welcome, of any faith or none

Dr Peter Holmes has kindly agreed to give a talk entitled "Faith Seeking Understanding", followed by a discussion on Philosophy and God - yep, I know a fairly large remit, and he plans to do this from the perspective of Anselm - if you want to know more, come along and learn for yourselves, and ask Peter questions - even better, argue with him! (He has given a brief summary below)

It starts at 7pm, there will be refreshments, and it is free, in the Oakham Meeting House.

Dr Peter Holmes has a wide ranging academic and professional career, and has a lively intelligence with a warmth and enthusiasm for his subject and good at explaining.

Do come! All are welcome, so feel free to invite any one who might be interested.

The title of my talk: 'Faith Seeking Understanding' is a quotation taken from a collection of work by St. Anselm of Canterbury; written between 1070 and 1080 The collection is published as *The Prayers and Meditations of Saint Anselm* translated by Sister Benedicta Ward SLG and published by Penguin Classics in 1973.

Anselm, begins with God's revelation faith to him, and seeks understanding using his God given gift of reason. His method combines theology and philosophy. It is work of philosophical theology.

Any study of theology is human talk about God. As human talk it requires human language and concepts, and as a human activity it is therefore always provisional. The concepts are taken from philosophy. The interaction of philosophy and theology is the substance of my talk.

ALL SAINTS FRIENDS AND MOTHERS' UNION, OAKHAM  
COACH OUTING THURSDAY 29TH JUNE



## ELY

### INCLUDED IN PRICE

- Coach
- Cathedral tour
- Cream tea
- Choral Evensong

### Other Attractions:

Stained Glass Museum,  
Oliver Cromwell's House,  
Ely Museum, Market Day  
The Riverside Gardens and Walk



## COST £22

To include Coach travel, Cathedral tour, Cream Tea , Sung Evensong.

Depart 9.00am from Church 9.10am from Co-op  
Approx. time home 7pm

Any further information Pamela or Gordon 01572 755371  
Or Beryl on 01572 724103

Sign up list is on Table near South Door in All Saints Church, Oakham

## 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**

**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 31 May/7/14 June

**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

Monday 29 May	8:30 <b>Morning Prayer</b> Oakham	
Tuesday 30 May	8:30 <b>Morning Prayer</b> Oakham 10:00 <b>Holy Communion</b> Oakham	
Wednesday 31 May	8:30 <b>Morning Prayer</b> Oakham 10:00 <b>Holy Communion</b> J&A	12:00 <b>CTiO Prayer Mtg</b> Cong Ch 5:30 <b>Meditation</b> J&A
Thursday 1 Jun	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
Friday 2 Jun	8:30 <b>Morning Prayer</b> Oakham 10:00 <b>BCP Communion</b> Oakham	

## Services Next Sunday – 4 June (Pentecost)

Oakham	8:00 <b>Holy Communion</b> (CW Trad) 10:30 <b>Parish Communion</b>	6:00 <b>Evensong</b>
Whissendine	11:00 <b>Holy Communion &amp; Baptism</b>	
Teigh	9:00 <b>Matins</b>	
Market Overton	9:00 <b>Holy Communion</b>	
Ashwell	10:30 <b>Morning Worship</b>	
Langham		6:00 <b>WWR</b>
Braunston	11:00 <b>Holy Communion &amp; Baptism</b>	
Brooke		6:00 <b>Evensong</b>
Hambleton		
Egleton	9:15 <b>Holy Communion</b> (CW Trad)	

## Next Sunday's Readings

Pentecost: Psalm 104.24-35; Acts 2.1-21; 1 Corinthians 12.3b-13; John 20.19-23  
Oakham Evensong: Psalm 67; Joel 2.21-32; Acts 2.14-21