

Weekly Pewsheet

Service Details and Notices

Twelfth Sunday after Trinity

Sunday 3 September 2017

Services in the Team today:

Oakham	8:00am Holy Communion (CW Trad)
	10:30am Parish Communion*
	6:00pm Evensong
Whissendine	11:00am Holy Communion*
Teigh	9:00am Matins
Ashwell	10:30am Morning Worship
Market Overton	9:00am Holy Communion*
Langham	6:00pm Word, Worship & Response
Braunston	12:30pm Holy Communion & Baptism*
Brooke	6:00pm Evensong
Hambleton	No service
Egleton	9:15am Holy Communion (CW Trad)
	*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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We Gather

The Lord be with you
All and also with you

Introduction

Our Lord Jesus Christ has told us
that to enter the kingdom of heaven
we must be born again of water and the Spirit,
and has given us baptism as the sign and seal of this new birth.
Here we are washed by the Holy Spirit and made clean.
Here we are clothed with Christ,
dying to sin that we may live his risen life.
As children of God, we have a new dignity
and God calls us to fullness of life.

Opening Hymn



1. Thine be the glory, risen, conquering Son;
endless is the victory, thou o'er death hast won;
angels in bright raiment rolled the stone away,
kept the folded grave-clothes where thy body lay.

*Thine be the glory, risen conquering Son,
Endless is the vict'ry, thou o'er death hast won.*

2. Lo, Jesus meets us, risen from the tomb;
lovingly he greets us, scatters fear and gloom;
let the church with gladness, hymns of triumph sing;
for her Lord now liveth, death hath lost its sting:

3. No more we doubt thee, glorious Prince of life;
life is naught without thee: aid us in our strife;
make us more than conquerors through thy deathless love;
bring us safe through Jordan to thy home above:

Words: *A toi la gloire, O Ressuscité*, Edmond Budry (1854-1932), translated by Richard Birch Hoyle (1875-1939)
Music: Maccabaeus, George Frederick Handel (1685-1759) (Ancient & Modern – 218)

Sit or kneel

All **Almighty God,**
to whom all hearts are open,
all desires known,
and from whom no secrets are hidden:
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,
that we may perfectly love you,
and worthily magnify your holy name;
through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Confession and Forgiveness

The Confession is introduced with appropriate words.

All **Lord God, we have sinned against you;**
we have done evil in your sight.
We are sorry and repent.
Have mercy on us according to your love.
Wash away our wrongdoing
and cleanse us from our sin.
Renew a right spirit within us
and restore to us the joy of your salvation,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**
May the Father of all mercies
cleanse you from your sins,
and restore you in his image
to the praise and glory of his name,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
All **Amen.**

Praise – The Gloria



1. Glory in the highest to the God of heaven!
Peace to all your people through the earth be given!
Mighty God and Father, thanks and praise we bring,
singing Alleluia to our heavenly king;

2. Jesus Christ is risen, God the Father's Son!
With the Holy Spirit you are Lord alone!
Lamb once killed for sinners, all our guilt to bear,
show us now your mercy, now receive our prayer;
3. Christ the world's true Saviour, high and holy one,
seated now and reigning from your Father's throne:
Lord and God, we praise you! Highest heaven adores:
in the Father's glory, all the praise be yours!

*Words: Christopher Idle (b 1938)
Music: Camberwell, John Micael Brierley (b 1932) – AM 593i
(Ancient & Modern – 415)*

Collect

Almighty and everlasting God,
you are always more ready to hear than we to pray
and to give more than either we desire or deserve:
pour down upon us the abundance of your mercy,
forgiving us those things of which our conscience is afraid
and giving us those good things
which we are not worthy to ask
but through the merits and mediation
of 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.**

We Listen To God's Word

First Reading – Jeremiah 15.15-21

O LORD, you know; remember me and visit me, and bring down retribution for me on my persecutors. In your forbearance do not take me away; know that on your account I suffer insult. Your words were found, and I ate them, and your words became to me a joy and the delight of my heart; for I am called by your name, O LORD, God of hosts. I did not sit in the company of merry-makers, nor did I rejoice; under the weight of your hand I sat alone, for you had filled me with indignation. Why is my pain unceasing, my wound incurable, refusing to be healed? Truly, you are to me like a deceitful brook, like waters that fail. Therefore, thus says the LORD: If you turn back, I will take you back, and you shall stand before me. If you utter what is precious, and not what is worthless,

you shall serve as my mouth. It is they who will turn to you, not you who will turn to them. And I will make you to this people a fortified wall of bronze; they will fight against you, but they shall not prevail over you, for I am with you to save you and deliver you, says the LORD. I will deliver you out of the hand of the wicked, and redeem you from the grasp of the ruthless.

This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

Second Reading – Romans 12.9-21

Let love be genuine; hate what is evil, hold fast to what is good; love one another with mutual affection; outdo one another in showing honour. Do not lag in zeal, be ardent in spirit, serve the Lord. Rejoice in hope, be patient in suffering, persevere in prayer. Contribute to the needs of the saints; extend hospitality to strangers. Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse them. Rejoice with those who rejoice, weep with those who weep. Live in harmony with one another; do not be haughty, but associate with the lowly; do not claim to be wiser than you are. Do not repay anyone evil for evil, but take thought for what is noble in the sight of all. If it is possible, so far as it depends on you, live peaceably with all. Beloved, never avenge yourselves, but leave room for the wrath of God; for it is written, 'Vengeance is mine, I will repay, says the Lord.' No, 'if your enemies are hungry, feed them; if they are thirsty, give them something to drink; for by doing this you will heap burning coals on their heads.' Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.

This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

Gradual Hymn



*All things bright and beautiful,
all creatures great and small,
all things wise and wonderful:
the Lord God made them all.*

1. Each little flower that opens,
each little bird that sings,
he made their glowing colours,
he made their tiny wings:

2. The purple-headed mountain,
the river running by,
the sunset, and the morning
that brightens up the sky:

3. The cold wind in the winter,
the pleasant summer sun,
the ripe fruits in the garden,
he made them every one:

4. He gave us eyes to see them,
and lips that we might tell
how great is God almighty,
who has made all things well:

Words: Cecil Frances Alexander (1818-1895)
Music: All Things Bright and Beautiful, W H Monk (1823-1889)
(Ancient & Modern – 533)

Gospel – Matthew 16.21-28

Remain standing

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew

From that time on, Jesus began to show his disciples that he must go to Jerusalem and undergo great suffering at the hands of the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed, and on the third day be raised. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him, saying, 'God forbid it, Lord! This must never happen to you.' But he turned and said to Peter, 'Get behind me, Satan! You are a stumbling-block to me; for you are setting your mind not on divine things but on human things.' Then Jesus told his disciples, 'If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it. For what will it profit them if they gain the whole world but forfeit their life? Or what will they give in return for their life? For the Son of Man is to come with his angels in the glory of his Father, and then he will repay everyone for what has been done. Truly I tell you, there are some standing here who will not taste death before they see the Son of Man coming in his kingdom.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All **Praise to you, O Christ.**

Address

The Baptism

Presentation of the Candidates

The president addresses the whole congregation

Jesus said, 'Let the children come to me. Do not stop them'.

We thank God for Ella Christine who has come to be baptized today.
Christ loves her and welcomes her into his Church.

So I ask you all:

Will you support Ella as she begins her journey of faith?

All **We will.**

Will you help her to live and grow within God's family?

All **We will.**

The president addresses the parents and godparents

God knows each of us by name and we are his.

Parents and godparents,
you speak for Ella today.

Will you pray for her,
and help her to follow Christ?

We will.

The Decision

The president addresses the candidate through her parents and godparents

We all wander far from God and lose our way:
Christ comes to find us and welcomes us home.
In baptism we respond to his call.

Therefore I ask:

Do you turn away from sin?

I do.

Do you reject evil?

I do.

Do you turn to Christ as Saviour?

I do.

Do you trust in him as Lord?

I do.

Signing with the Cross

The minister makes the sign of the cross on the forehead of the candidate, saying

Christ claims you for his own.
Receive the sign of his cross.

When the candidate has been signed, the president says

Do not be ashamed of Christ.
You are his for ever.

All **Stand bravely with him
against all the powers of evil,
and remain faithful to Christ to the end of your life.**

May almighty God deliver you from the powers of darkness,
and lead you in the light and obedience of Christ.

All **Amen.**

Prayer over the Water

The president stands before the water of baptism and says

All Praise God who made heaven and earth,
who keeps his promise for ever.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All **It is right to give thanks and praise.**

We praise you, loving Father,
for the gift of your Son Jesus.
He was baptized in the River Jordan,
where your Spirit came upon him
and revealed him as the Son you love
He sent his followers
to baptize all who turn to him.

Now, Father, we ask you to bless this water,
that those who are baptized in it
may be cleansed in the water of life,
and, filled with your Spirit
and know that they are loved as your children,
safe in Christ for ever.

All **Amen.**

Profession of Faith

The president addresses the congregation

Let us affirm,
together with Ella who is being baptized,
our common faith in Jesus Christ.

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

All I 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?

All I 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?

All I believe and trust in him.

This the faith of the Church.

All This is our faith.

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

Baptism

The minister pours water on the candidate, saying

Ella Christine, I baptize you
in the name of the Father,
and of the Son,
and of the Holy Spirit.

All Amen.

The president says

May God, who has received you by baptism into his Church,
pour upon you the riches of his grace,
that within the company of Christ's pilgrim people
you may daily be renewed by his anointing Spirit,
and come to the inheritance of the saints in glory.

All Amen.

The ministers and candidate return to their places.

The Welcome and Peace

There is one Lord, one faith, one baptism:
by one Spirit we are all baptized into one body.

All **We welcome you into the fellowship of faith;
we are children of the same heavenly Father;
we welcome you.**

The president introduces the Peace in these or other suitable words.

We are all one in Christ Jesus.

We belong to him through faith, heirs of the promise of the Spirit of peace.

The peace of the Lord be always with you

All **and also with you.**

A minister may say

Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

All may exchange a sign of peace.

Offertory Hymn



1. Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart,
be all else but naught to me, save that thou art;
be thou my best thought in the day and the night,
both waking and sleeping, thy presence my light.
2. Be thou my wisdom, be thou my true word,
be thou ever with me, and I with thee, Lord;
be thou my great Father, and I thy true son;
be thou in me dwelling, and I with thee one.
3. Be thou my breastplate, my sword for the fight;
be thou my whole armour, be thou my true might;
be thou my soul's shelter, be thou my strong tower:
O raise thou me heavenward, great Power of my power.
4. Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise:
be thou mine inheritance now and always;
be thou and thou only the first in my heart,
O Sovereign of heaven, my treasure thou art.

5. High King of heaven, thou heaven's bright Sun,
O grant me its joys after victory is won;
great Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,
still be thou my vision, O Ruler of all.

Words: Irish (c 8th century), tr Mary Elizabeth Byrne (1880-1931), versified Eleanor Henrietta Hull (1860-1935)
Music: Slane, Irish traditional melody, harm Erik Routley (1917-1982)
(Ancient & Modern – 595)

*The gifts of the people are gathered and presented.
The table is prepared and bread and wine are placed upon it.*

We Share in Holy Communion

Remain standing

With this bread that we bring
All We shall remember Jesus.

With this wine that we bring
All We shall remember Jesus.

Bread for his body,
Wine for his blood,
Gifts from God to his table we bring.
All We shall remember Jesus.

The Lord be with you
All and also with you.

Lift up your hearts.
All We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
All It is right to give thanks and praise.

It is right to praise you, Father, Lord of all creation;
in your love you made us for yourself.

When we turned away you did not reject us,
but came to meet us in your Son.
**All You embraced us as your children
and welcomed us to sit and eat with you.**

In Christ you shared our life that we might live in him and he in us.
**All He opened his arms of love upon the cross
and made for all the perfect sacrifice for sin.**

On the night he was betrayed, at supper with his friends
he took bread, and gave you thanks;
he broke it and gave it to them, saying:
Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you;
do this in remembrance of me.

All **Father, we do this in remembrance of him:
his body is the bread of life.**

At the end of supper, taking the cup of wine,
he gave you thanks, and said:
Drink this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant,
which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins;
do this in remembrance of me.

All **Father, we do this in remembrance of him:
his blood is shed for all.**

As we proclaim his death and celebrate his rising in glory,
send your Holy Spirit that this bread and this wine
may be to us the body and blood of your dear Son.

All **As we eat and drink these holy gifts
make us one in Christ, our risen Lord.**

With your whole Church throughout the world
we offer you this sacrifice of praise
and lift our voice to join the eternal song of heaven:

All **Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.**

The Lord's Prayer

Sit or kneel

As our Saviour has taught us, so we pray

All **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.**

Breaking of the Bread

The president breaks the consecrated bread.

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

All **Though we are many, we are one body,
because we all share in one bread.**

Agnus Dei

**Jesus, Lamb of God, have mercy on us.
Jesus, bearer of our sins, have mercy on us.
Jesus, redeemer of the world, grant us peace.**

Giving of Communion

The president invites all to share in communion with appropriate words.

If All Christians are warmly invited to receive communion. Those who prefer to receive a blessing please carry this service book with you when you come to the altar.

Prayer after Communion

God of all mercy,
in this eucharist you have set aside our sins
and given us your healing:
grant that we who are made whole in Christ
may bring that healing to this broken world,
in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

All **God of truth, we have seen with our eyes
and touched with our hands the bread of life.
Strengthen our faith
that we may grow in love for you
and for each other;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.**

¶ We Go To Serve God

Giving of a Lighted Candle

The minister gives the newly baptized a lighted candle.

When all the newly baptized have received a candle, the minister says

God has delivered us from the dominion of darkness
and has given us a place with the saints in light.

You have received the light of Christ;
walk in this light all the days of your life.

**All Shine as a light in the world
to the glory of God the Father.**

Final Hymn



1. Tell out, my soul, the greatness of the Lord!
Unnumbered blessings, give my spirit voice;
tender to me the promise of his word;
in God my Saviour shall my heart rejoice.
2. Tell out, my soul, the greatness of his name!
Make known his might, the deeds his arm has done;
his mercy sure, from age to age the same;
his holy name, the Lord, the mighty one.
3. Tell out, my soul, the greatness of his might!
Powers and dominions lay their glory by.
Proud hearts and stubborn wills are put to flight,
the hungry fed, the humble lifted high.
4. Tell out, my soul, the glories of his word!
Firm is his promise, and his mercy sure.
Tell out, my soul, the greatness of the Lord
to children's children and for evermore.

Words: based on Luke 1.46-55, Magnificat, The Song of Mary, Timothy Dudley-Smith (b 1926)
Music: Woodlands, Walter Greatorex (1877-1949) © Timothy Dudley-Smith
(Ancient & Modern – 394)

The Blessing is introduced with appropriate words.

And the blessing of God almighty,
the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,
be among you and remain with you always.

All Amen.

The Dismissal

Go in the light and peace of Christ.

All Thanks be to God.

Rutland Historic Churches Preservation Trust



Ride and Stride is a challenge and a fun fund raising event to help preserve local historic churches. Rutland has 64 churches, many of which are much loved features of our villages and towns. Those who worship in them are a fraction of those who visit them and gaze happily at them as they pass by. Our church buildings need to be preserved and your help is very much appreciated

This day out is for anyone who enjoys walking, cycling, horse riding or any other form of transport! If you aren't very active or have a mobility problem you can still join in. You can take part as an individual, a family, groups or teams.

Contact your LOCAL CHURCH ORGANISER FOR MORE DETAILS

Contact your own parish/church organiser through your local church

Or explore our website - www.rutlandrideandstride.org.uk

Apart from having a great day out, the most important thing to do FIRST is to get sponsors. Again forms are available from your church organiser or from the website. Tell everyone about it – you'll be amazed at how interested your friends will be, they might even come and join you!

If you like a challenge, there are rewards to be won:

Special Certificates for riders if you visit 35 or more Churches (15 for walkers).

Certificate for Starburster team leaders whose team get to all 64 churches and chapels

Cup for the most Rutland churches visited on the day.

Barnsdale Lodge Hotel voucher for the walker making the most endeavour

So what's stopping you? Get involved nowwe need your help!

Alan Rudge, Church Organiser for All Saints Braunston

This Week

WEDNESDAY 6 SEPTEMBER

1:30pm – **MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME**

All Saints Oakham

Peter Davis *piano*

Copland Four Dance Episodes from *Rodeo*

FRIDAY 8 SEPTEMBER

10:00am-12:00pm – **FRIENDS COFFEE & CAKE MORNING**

All Saints Oakham Church Hall

To raise money to give a generous donation to *In Rutland for Rutland* at The Tide Lunch.

SATURDAY 9 SEPTEMBER

RIDE AND STRIDE

Rutland Churches

There is just one week to go and church recorders are still required – willing volunteers please speak to their relevant church organiser. Please see the website at bit.ly/rutride for more information.

If anyone in Rutland needs a sponsor form printing off and posting Adam Lowe (07801 541389) will gladly do this. Thank you for helping maintain Rutland's historic churches whilst having some fun and keeping fit.

Our curate Charlotte will be taking part, and would welcome your sponsorship – her form will be on the table at the crossing in Oakham church today.

Local organisers in our Team churches are: Oakham – Adam Lowe; Whissendine – Sue Archer; Teigh –

Audrey Morley; Ashwell – Brian Farr & Jenni Duffy; Market Overton – Lin Ryder; Langham – Janet Callison; Braunston – Alan Rudge; Brooke – Harold Killingback; Hambleton – Miranda Hall; Eggleton – Peter Light.

If anyone in Rutland needs a sponsor form printing off and posting Adam will also gladly do this. Thank you for helping maintain Rutland's historic churches whilst having some fun and keeping fit.

SUNDAY 10 SEPTEMBER

3:00pm-4:30pm – **TEA PARTY**

All Saints Oakham

Everyone is welcome, so please bring a friend (or two!). More information from Pam Wells (01572 755532).

4:00pm – **RE-OPENING SERVICE**

St Andrew Hambleton

Following eight months of closure to have our roof re-slatted, St Andrew's Church will re-open on September 10th. The opening will be celebrated by a **Songs of Praise** service at 4:00 pm when Katie Marshall will be singing for us. The service will be followed by a glass of wine and canapes in the church. All are very welcome to join us.

Looking Ahead

TUESDAY 12 SEPTEMBER

10:00am – **BIBLE STUDY**

25 Willow Crescent, Oakham

Enquiries to Catriona Drye (01572 770429).

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.

6:30pm – **ORGAN DEDICATION & RECITAL**

St Edmund Egleton

Egleton Church have recently installed a new Viscount Chorum 40 electronic organ, and in celebration, Robert Gower, Organist at Nottingham Catholic Cathedral and Egleton resident, will perform a program '5 centuries in 30 minutes'. All are very welcome to attend this free short recital. The programme is:

17th century – Giga by Arcangelo Corelli (1653-1713) arr Thomas Tertius Noble (1867-1953)

18th century – Fantasia in G minor (BWV 542) - J S Bach (1685-1750)

19th century – Sketch in C for pedal piano (Op 58 No 2) - Robert Schumann (1810-46)

20th century – Prelude on 'East Acklam' - Francis Jackson (b 1917)

21st century – St Vigor's March - Christopher Tambling (1964-2015).

Please note that in order that choir members can attend, our practice will be at Egleton, starting around 7:15pm after the recital, rather than at Whissendine.

WEDNESDAY 13 SEPTEMBER

10:00am-12:00pm – **OPEN HOUSE**

Home of Robin Robson, 14 Bowling Green Close, Oakham

All are welcome to call in for tea or coffee and a friendly chat. **Please note swap of venues for September & October.**

1:30pm – **MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME**

All Saints Oakham

Holly Singlehurst soprano

G F Handel Italian operatic arias – Lascia ch'io pianga (*Rinaldo*), La sorte il ciel amor (*Radamisto*), Piangero la sorte mia (*Giulio Cesare in Egitto*)

THURSDAY 14 SEPTEMBER

2:15pm – **MU MONTHLY MEETING**

All Saints Oakham Church Hall

Speaker to be confirmed.

SATURDAY 16 SEPTEMBER

7:30pm – **ITALIAN WINE TASTING**

St Peter & St Paul Langham

With Bat and Bottle. Tickets £10 including Tastings and Nibbles. Limited numbers, so book early with Debbie (01572 723533) or wegottickets.com.

7:30pm – **MUSICALS AND MARCHES**

St John Ryhall

A concert by Richard Hutchinson on the incredible Yamaha Tyros 5 Keyboards. This will include tunes from the shows and there will be the chance to sing along as well. There will be wine & nibbles at the interval, as well as a raffle. Admission is £8.00

on the door. Richard is a retired professional musician who wants to use his retirement in giving something back to God, and he does this by giving concerts (for which he charges no fee) to help churches raise essential funding.

SUNDAY 17 SEPTEMBER

6:00pm – **HARVEST FESTIVAL**

St Peter Brooke

Followed by refreshments. Collection for Water Aid.

MONDAY 18 SEPTEMBER

7:30pm – **SERVICE PLANNING MEETING**

All Saints Oakham

Meeting for Ministry Team and Churchwardens to plan service provision for the future.

WEDNESDAY 20 SEPTEMBER

10:00am – **MU CORPORATE COMMUNION**

Chapel of St John & St Anne

SATURDAY 23 SEPTEMBER

RUTLAND CHURCHES EXCURSION

The Friends' Second Rutland Churches Excursion led by Andrew Swift. Churches we will visit are Market Overton, Greetham, Great Casterton and Ryhall, plus a pub lunch. Sign up and more details in September.

THURSDAY 28 SEPTEMBER

10:00am-4:00pm – **MUSIC IN WORSHIP**

Bouverie Court, Northampton

This is an event for both clergy and church musicians to come together and discuss how to choose appropriate music for worship. Cost £5.50 including sandwich lunch. Please see the website or poster for more information.

10:30am – **TEAM WALKING GROUP**

Newbold Road, Somerby

The next walk, the last of our summer styles walks when a picnic lunch is required, is 6 miles with some ascent onto the hill fort at Burrough Hill. It is led by Russell, terrain currently good on the Leicester Round and the Jubilee Way and new members are welcome. Parking on Newbold Rd. Group contact Dennis Corton on 01572 722272.

SUNDAY 1 OCTOBER

12:00pm – **HARVEST LUNCH**

All Saints Oakham

Volunteers are needed to help produce a cottage pie (ingredients provided) or a pudding of your choice. Please sign up to attend on the list by the South Door by 24 September.

WEDNESDAY 11 OCTOBER

10:00am – **MU QUIET MORNING**

St Mary the Virgin Ketton

Contact Pamela Woods (01572 755371) to book lunch (pay £5 on the day) and transport.

SATURDAY 14 OCTOBER

7:30pm – **CANTUS CHOIR CONCERT**

All Saints Oakham

Conducted by **Alwyn Pollard**, with **Paul Butler & Linda Hall** *piano duet* and **David Lovell-Brown** *organ*.

Rheinberger Stabat Mater, **Brahms** Liebeslieder Waltzes, **Schubert** Fantasia in F minor for piano duet, **Fauré** Dolly Suite.

SATURDAY 18 NOVEMBER

10:00am-12:00pm – **ALL SAINTS**

AUTUMN SALE

All Saints Oakham

Please keep the date free. Usual stalls, Market Stall on 25th November. Watch this space for more information.

THURSDAY 30 NOVEMBER

11:00pm – **CONSECRATION OF BISHOP OF LOUGHBOROUGH**

Canterbury Cathedral

Consecration of Revd Canon Guli Francis-Dehqani. Coach travel will cost approximately £22, collecting from All Saints Oakham at 6:30am, then from the Co-op store. The ceremony is at 11:00am and the return would be at 3:00pm, giving time to eat and explore. **We have 26 people who are interested in coming so far – Robin needs to know if anyone else is interested as the smallest bus we can hire is for 36 people. Please email her on robin@oakhamteam.org.uk asap.**

Please pray for

- **Ella Christine Brown**, who will be baptised at Braunston today, and her parents **Bruce & Kate**;
- The family and friends of **Margaret Bland**, whose funeral took place at Kilburn Road Cemetery on Friday 25 August;
- The family and friends of **Marjorie Thorpe**, whose funeral took place at Whissendine on Wednesday;
- The victims of the floods in Texas and SE Asia;
- The situation with North Korea;
- 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, Iain & Charlotte, Team Clergy, and all lay members of the Ministry Team;
- Madeleine McCann and her family and all missing children.

Thank You

Thank you to all who came and helped MSF on 26 August, both those from the Church family and others. August was not a good month, but we nevertheless raised £108.25. Special thanks to Bishop's Lodge and the Church of the Resurrection Leicester for all the raffle prizes etc that were donated.

Foodbank Update

14 teenagers were on National Citizenship Service during their holidays and agreed to support our food bank for the fund raising part. What an incredible success that was – they donated £600 worth of food and toiletries plus around £400 cash which is an amazing feat. Full marks and a huge thank you to them all. Also thanks to the families who have recently left Kendrew Barracks for sunny Cyprus and donated food and toiletries to us. Please see the separate poster for details of current shortages.

Guli's Consecration

Revd Canon Dr Guli Francis-Dehqani is to be consecrated as Bishop of Loughborough on Thursday 30 November at Canterbury Cathedral. **We have 26 people who are interested in coming so far – Robin needs to know if anyone else is interested as the smallest bus we can hire is for 36 people. Please email her on robin@oakhamteam.org.uk asap.**

Charity Skydive!

Caroline MacKinnon is 78 years old this year and lives in the village of Belton-in-Rutland. In memory of her late husband Alistair, who sadly passed away in 2013, she will be participating in a tandem skydive from 13,000ft at Netheravon airfield, Wiltshire on 17th September 2017. The jump is in aid of Rutland Sailability, a very special local Charity enabling adults and children suffering physical and emotional impairments to gain self-confidence and pleasure learning to sail with more competent sailors on lovely Rutland Water. For Caroline, a 13,000ft Skydive is an enormous undertaking, but she is determined to do it to raise money for this worthy cause, and she would be so grateful if you could spare a few pounds to send her on her way. If you can help, you can donate via Just Giving (link on the website), or forward a donation to Caroline herself (tel 01572 717465 for details).



The poster features a sun icon on the left and the Rutland Foodbank logo on the right. The title is 'Harvest Festival Donations'. Below the title, it says 'To help with your selection of gifts we thought that it would be helpful if we outlined our current requirements:'. A green line indicates the foodbank is currently short of the following items:

Small Sugar (500g)	Coffee
Custard	Smash
Tinned Carrots	Chocolate bars & Sweets
Tinned Peas	Tinned meat
Tinned Potatoes	Long life fruit juice
Tinned Spaghetti	Tinned fruit
Rice Pudding	Pot noodles, Instant rice
Sponge Puddings	Instant pasta cous cous etc.

Below the list, it states: 'Currently we have enough stock of Cereals, Pasta and Pasta sauces, Porridge, Tea, Soup, Baked beans, Toilet rolls and sanitary items.'

At the bottom, there is a green banner with the text: 'Please Support Your Rutland Foodbank Thank You' and the logo for 'the trussell trust' with the tagline 'Help UK. Help us.'

Friends of All Saints' Church, Oakham

Invite you for
Coffee and Cake



On
**Friday
8th**



**September
10am to 12noon**

**In the Church Hall
All Donations to**



For Rutland

Improving the lives of people
in and around Rutland

All Welcome

Money collected to be presented at The Tide Lunch on
Thursday 2nd November.



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Limited numbers - *please book early*
with Debbie - 01572 723533 - or online
at oakhamteam.uk/event/wine-tasting

Saturday 16th September - 7:30pm

MUSICALS AND MARCHES

Performed by

Richard Hutchinson

On the Legendary Yamaha Tyros 5 keyboards

St John's Church, Ryhall

Saturday 16th September, 2017

At 7.30pm

Tickets £8.00 (available on the door)



All proceeds to St John's Church



**JOIN OUR TRADITIONAL
HARVEST FESTIVAL SERVICE
AT ST PETER, BROOKE**

THE SERVICE TO BE TAKEN BY
READER ALAN RUDGE

SUNDAY 17th SEPTEMBER 2017 AT 6PM

ALL WELCOME AFTERWARDS FOR REFRESHMENTS

Regular Groups & Activities

CHILDREN'S GROUPS

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
Wayhew 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
11:00am-12:00pm **Langham Church**

BELL RINGING

Oakham Bells Tuesdays 7:30-9:00pm
Langham/Braunston/Brooke Bells
Wed 7:30pm 6/13/20 Sep

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 4 Sep	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham	7:30 Light Circle Langham*
Tuesday 5 Sep	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham 10:00 Holy Communion Oakham	
Wednesday 6 Sep	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham 10:00 Holy Communion J&A 11:00 BCP Communion Langham	12:00 CTiO Prayer Mtg Cong Ch 12:00 Healing Prayer Oakham 5:30 Meditation J&A
Thursday 7 Sep	9:00 Team Communion Oakham 9:45 Tiny Tots Oakham 10:30 Little Angels Market Overton	12:00 Ecumenical Prayer Oakham
Friday 8 Sep	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham 10:00 BCP Communion Oakham	

*check location

Services Next Sunday - 10 September (Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity)

Oakham	8:00 Holy Communion (CW Trad) 10:30 Parish Communion	6:00 Evensong
Whissendine	11:00 Family Service	
Teigh	9:00 Holy Communion (BCP)	
Market Overton		6:00 Harvest Festival
Ashwell	10:30 Holy Communion	
Langham	11:00 Holy Communion	
Braunston	11:00 Sunday Worship	
Brooke	8:00 Extended Communion	
Hambleton		4:00 Reopening S'vce
Egleton		

Next Sunday's Readings

Thirteenth after Trinity: Psalm 119.33-40; Ezekiel 33.7-11; Romans 13.8-14; Matthew 18.15-20

Oakham (Dedication Festival): Isaiah 61.10,11; Galatians 4.4-7; Luke 1.46-55

Oakham Evensong: Psalm 132; Song of Solomon 2.1-7; 7.3-20; Acts 1.6-14