

Weekly Pewsheet

Service Details and Notices

Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity

Harvest Festival

Sunday 24 September 2017

Services in the Team today:

Oakham	8:00am Holy Communion (CW Trad)
	10:30am Holy Communion*
	12:30pm Holy Baptism
	6:00pm Evensong
Whissendine	11:00am Morning Prayer
Teigh	No service
Ashwell	10:30am Holy Communion*
Market Overton	9:00am Holy Communion*
Langham	11:00am Holy Communion*
Braunston	5:00pm Harvest Festival
Brooke	8:00am Holy Communion*
Hambleton	9:15am Holy Communion (CW Trad)
Egleton	5:00pm Harvest Festival

*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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Opening Prayer

God of all creation,
you have gathered us together
to fulfil your purposes,
and to advance your Kingdom of love, justice and peace,
in our neighbourhoods and across our land.
We come to worship with obedient hearts,
we let go of those thoughts, wishes, words and actions
that can cut us off from a full relationship with you.
We open our hearts and our minds to your Holy Spirit,
to guide us and to renew our love for you.
In the name of Jesus accept our praise.

O Lord, open our lips

And our mouths shall proclaim your praise.

Hymn

If you have brought any gifts, please bring them up to the altar during the 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.

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.

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

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 deirest,
our humble. thankful hearts.

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

Blessing of Gifts

Thank you, Lord,
for our land, for sun and rain,
for our crops, our farmers
and all those responsible for producing the food we eat.
Bless these gifts and those to whom they will be given.
In Jesus' name we pray.

Amen.

Confession

Let us confess our forgetfulness of the needs of the poor,
and repent of the ways
in which we waste the resources of the world.

We confess our sin,
and the sins of our society,
in the misuse of God's creation.

God our Father,
we are sorry for the times
when we have used your gifts carelessly
and acted ungratefully.

Hear our prayer, and in your mercy:

Forgive us and help us.

We enjoy the fruits of the harvest,
but sometimes forget that you have given them to us.

Father, in your mercy

Forgive us and help us.

We belong to a people who are full and satisfied,
but when we ignore the cry of the hungry
and store up goods for ourselves alone,
Father, in your mercy

Forgive us and help us.

When we are thoughtless and do not care enough
for the world you have made.

Father, in your mercy:

Forgive us and help us.

May the Father of all mercies
cleans us from our sins
and restore us in his image
to the praise and glory of his Name,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

The 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 – Deuteronomy 8.7-18

The LORD your God is bringing you into a good land, a land with flowing streams, with springs and underground waters welling up in valleys and hills, a land of wheat and barley, of vines and fig trees and pomegranates, a land of olive trees and honey, a land where you may eat bread without scarcity, where you will lack nothing, a land whose stones are iron and from whose hills you may mine copper. You shall eat your fill and bless the LORD your God for the good land that he has given you. Take care that you do not forget the LORD your God, by failing to keep his commandments, his ordinances, and his statutes, which I am commanding you today.

When you have eaten your fill and have built fine houses and live in them, and when your herds and flocks have multiplied, and your silver and gold is multiplied, and all that you have is multiplied, then do not exalt yourself, forgetting the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery, who led you through the great and terrible wilderness, an arid waste-land with poisonous snakes and scorpions. He made water flow for you from flint rock, and fed you in the wilderness with manna that your ancestors did not know, to humble you and to test you, and in the end to do you good. Do not say to yourself, 'My power and the might of my own hand have gained me this wealth.' But remember the LORD your God, for it is he who gives you power to get wealth, so that he may confirm his covenant that he swore to your ancestors, as he is doing today.

Second Reading – Luke 12.16-30

Jesus told the people a parable: 'The land of a rich man produced abundantly. And he thought to himself, "What should I do, for I have no place to store my crops?" Then he said, "I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. And I will say to my soul, Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry." But God said to him, "You fool! This very night your life is being demanded of you. And the things you have prepared, whose will they be?" So it is with those who store up treasures for themselves but are not rich towards God.' He said to his disciples, 'Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat, or about your body, what you will wear. For life is more than food, and the body more than clothing. Consider the ravens: they neither sow nor reap, they have neither storehouse nor barn, and yet God feeds them. Of how much more value are you than the birds! And can any of you by worrying add a single hour to your span of life? If then you are not able to do so small a thing as that, why do you worry about the rest? Consider the lilies, 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, how much more will he clothe you—you of little faith! And do not keep striving for what you are to eat and what you are to drink, and do not keep worrying. For it is the nations of the world that strive after all these things, and your Father knows that you need them.'

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: Ar Hyd Y Nos, trad Welsh melody – AM 16

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Poem – October by Gwen Gray

Early morning mist, and dew drenched grass
Hedges now with pearl strewn cobwebs hung
Tree drip sad autumn tears; alas
The blackbird knows his summer songs are done.

The mellow fruit hangs neavy on the tree
And leaves turn gold-to bronze, they fall to earth
While border flowers shed seeds we cannt see
To lie in wait for spring and nature's birth

Poem – *Harvest Time* by Don Ward

When it's harvest time in the country
with the fields all turning gold,
we always hope to get good yields
with the grain all nice and bold.
But do we always stop to think
what makes the corn mature?
It is our wonderful Lord above,
not just our nitro and manure.
It needs the gentle breeze and showers,
and lots of nice warm sun.
So when it gets to Braunston Feast,
with grains sheds full of corn,
we must give thanks to our Lord above,
because our Harvest Home is born.
So when we've eaten all we need,
including homemade bread,
we must give thanks to the Lord above
before we go to bed.

Hymn



1. Come, ye thankful people, come,
raise the song of harvest-home:
all be safely gathered in,
ere the winter storms begin;
God, our Maker, doth provide
for our wants to be supplied;
come to God's own temple, come;
raise the song of harvest-home!

2. All the world is God's own field,
fruit unto his praise to yield;
wheat and tares together sown,
unto joy or sorrow grown;
first the blade and then the ear,
then the full corn shall appear:
grant, O harvest Lord, that we
wholesome grain and pure may be.

Hymn



1. God, whose farm is all creation,
take the gratitude we give;
take the finest of our harvest,
crops we grow that we may live.

2. Take our ploughing, seeding, reaping,
hopes and fears of sun and rain,
all our thinking, planning, waiting,
ripened in this fruit and grain.

3. All our labour, all our watching,
all our calendar of care
in these crops of your creation,
take, O God: they are our prayer.

Words: Leslie Thomas John Arlott (1914-1991)

Music: Gott will's machen, Johann Ludwig Steiner (1688-1761)

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Prayers

Let us offer our prayers to God for the life of the world
and for all God's people in their daily life and work.

God, the beginning and end of all things,
in your providence and care
you watch unceasingly over all creation;
we offer our prayers that in us,
and in all your people,
your will may be done,
according to your wise and loving purpose
in Christ our Lord.

Lord of all life
hear our prayer.

We pray for governments and aid agencies,
and those areas of the world
where there is disaster, drought and starvation.
We pray for the work of the Food Banks,
especially the Rutland Food Bank
By the grace of your Spirit, touch our hearts
and the hearts of all who live in comfortable plenty,
and make us wise stewards of your gifts.

Lord of all justice
hear our prayer.

We pray for those who are ill,
especially those we know
remembering those in hospital and nursing homes
We pray for all who care for them.
Give skill and understanding to all who work for their well-being.

Lord of all compassion
hear our prayer.

We remember those who have died,
whom we entrust to your eternal love
in the hope of resurrection to new life.

Lord of all peace
hear our prayer.

We offer ourselves to your service,
asking that by the Spirit at work in us
others may receive a rich harvest of love and joy and peace.

Lord of all faithfulness
hear our prayer.

God of grace,
as you are ever at work in your creation,
so fulfil your wise and loving purpose in us
and in all for whom we pray,
that with them and in all that you have made,
your glory may be revealed
and the whole earth give praise to you,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Gathering our prayers and praises into one,
as our Saviour taught us, so we pray

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 sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.

**And lead us not into temptation
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom
the power and the glory
forever and ever. Amen**

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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Closing Prayer

**Save us, O Lord, while waking,
and guard us while sleeping,
that awake we may watch with Christ
and asleep may rest in peace.
Amen.**

Blessing

May God our creator,
who clothes the lilies and feeds the birds of the air,
bestow on us his care.

God the Father,
who created the world,
give us grace to be wise stewards of his creation.

God the Son,
who redeemed the world,
inspire us to go out as labourers into his harvest.

God the Holy Spirit,
whose breath fills the whole of creation,
help us to bear his fruits of love, joy and peace.

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

This Week

TUESDAY 26 SEPTEMBER

10:00am – **BIBLE STUDY**

25 Willow Crescent, Oakham

Enquiries to Catriona Drye (01572 770429).

12:30pm – **LANGHAM CHURCH LUNCH**
4 Melton Road, Langham

A basic two course lunch, limited numbers, cost £7.50. Booking essential via Margaret on 770234.

7:30pm – **OAKHAM PCC**

Mayhew Room, All Saints Oakham

WEDNESDAY 27 SEPTEMBER

1:30pm – **MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME**

Oakham School Chapel

Grace Muris *soprano*

Schumann Frauenliebe und leben

Please note change of venue for this week only.

2:00pm – **CIVIC SCHOOL SERVICE**

All Saints Oakham

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.

FRIDAY 29 SEPTEMBER

10:30am-1:00pm – **MACMILLAN**

COFFEE MORNING

Co-operative Funeralcare, 60 High Street, Oakham

All are welcome.

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.

Looking Ahead

MONDAY 2 OCTOBER

11:00am – **GEORGE KIRK'S FUNERAL**

All Saints Oakham

TUESDAY 3 OCTOBER

7:00pm – **DIOCESAN CHORAL**

FESTIVAL REHEARSAL

St Andrew Whissendine

WEDNESDAY 4 OCTOBER

1:30pm – **MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME**

All Saints Oakham

Morgan Overton *clarinet*

Copland Clarinet Sonata (movt 1)

Bernstein Clarinet Sonata

THURSDAY 5 OCTOBER

7:30pm – **RUTLAND THEOLOGICAL SOCIETY**

Oakham Methodist Church

Helen Waddell - a burning and shining light.

Speaker: Rev'd Dr John Moses KCVO.

Helen Waddell, the subject of John's talk, is largely known today through her books on Peter Abelard, the Desert Fathers, and the Wandering Scholars of the Middle Ages; but she was also an intriguing person whose many skills and profoundly human qualities commended her to large numbers of people. She comes down to us as a compelling person: one of the Church's burning and shining lights. John Moses is a retired Anglican priest, Dean of St Paul's from 1996 until his retirement in 2006. His writings include books and anthologies on atonement theology, church and state, desert spirituality, John Donne, prayer, and Thomas Merton. He was educated at the University of Nottingham and Trinity Hall at the University of Cambridge. He then studied at Lincoln Theological College, where he was ordained in 1964. Now living in



Southwell, Nottinghamshire, he lists his hobbies as reading novels, holidays in the sun, complaining about his computer, and falling asleep in front of the television. Non-members £4.

7:30pm – **CINEMA FOR RUTLAND**

Rutland County Museum

A United Kingdom. Tickets £5 from wegottickets.com or on the door.

FRIDAY 6 OCTOBER

10:30am – **HANDICRAFT GROUP**

All Saints Oakham

All are welcome, no particular skills are required! We will be exchanging ideas for the stall at the Autumn Sale which will be held on Saturday 18 November. Details from Sally Corton (01572 722272)

WEDNESDAY 11 OCTOBER

10:00am-12:00pm – **OPEN HOUSE**

Home of Charlotte & Leo Osborn, 2 Wensum Close, Oakham

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

5:30pm – **DIOCESAN CHORAL FESTIVAL**

Peterborough Cathedral

Please come and support our choir as they take part in this annual event.

Our five successful candidates for the Dean's Award will be presented with their medals and certificates.

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, **Fauré** Dolly Suite.

SATURDAY 28 OCTOBER

7:30pm – **BRAHMS REQUIEM**

St Andrew Lyddington

The **Harborough Singers** accompanied on the piano (four hands) by **Andrew King** and **Melanie Reinhard**. Also featuring **Brahms** Violin Sonata No 3 with **Christopher White**. See poster or website for details.

THURSDAY 2 NOVEMBER

FRIENDS' TIDE LUNCH

Harbour Bar and Restaurant, Whitwell

Speaker Elizabeth Mills of 'In Rutland'. Sign up list out at the beginning of October. Details from Beryl Kirtland (beryl@oakhamteam.org.uk).

SATURDAY 4 NOVEMBER

7:30pm – **CLARINET RECITAL**

All Saints Oakham

Harriet Flather *clarinet* & **James Speakman** *piano*.

SATURDAY 18 NOVEMBER

10:00am-12:00pm – **ALL SAINTS**

AUTUMN SALE

All Saints Oakham

The usual stalls, all requiring stock, including: bric-a-brac, puzzles, CDs, DVDs, handicraft, jams and preserves, raffle prizes, cakes, bran tub and tombola items. Please put items in the cardboard boxes at top left area of the church on Sundays, or give to Elaine and Graham Peel or to Janine in the parish office. Offers of assistance warmly welcomed! Thanks for those already received.

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. **Please contact Janine or Sue in the office for more information and for payment (cheque or online please). The coach is full but there is a waiting list.**

Please pray for

- **Archie Lucas Maycock**, who will be baptised at Oakham today, and his parents **Owen Maycock & Amy Hana**;
- The family and friends of **Richard Watson**, whose funeral took place at Braunston on Thursday;
- The victims of the earthquake in Mexico;
- Those injured in the tube train attack;
- The families and friends of those killed or injured in the recent motorway accidents;
- The hurricane and flood victims in the Carribean and Florida and the flood victims in 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;
- 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, our Team Clergy, and all lay members of the Ministry Team;

– Madeleine McCann and her family and all missing children.

Open the Book in Primary Schools

Can you help us please? A small team from Oakham Methodist Church have been taking Bible stories into Assemblies at Brooke Hill, Catmose, Brooke Priory and English Martyrs Primary Schools over the past seven years. The visits are popular with the pupils and are at the invitation of the Heads. We use the national **Open the Book** scheme now used in over 2,000 schools, so that the schools always know what we plan to say. We would very much like some help from the other Oakham churches, either to join us – we visit schools on Tuesday mornings – or to set up a team from your church to visit a school. If you would like to know more, please phone or email John Haden (jdjhaden@btinternet.com or 01572 720428) for more information and an invitation to come and see what we do on our visits to Brooke Hill and Catmose on 10 Oct, 14 Nov 12 Dec.

Confirmation and Christian Basics

Would you like to join a confirmation preparation class, to prepare for confirmation next year? Or would you like to join in the course (with people of your own age) as a

'refresher' of Christian basics? We will confirm dates and details depending on how many candidates we have and their needs – at this stage we are just looking for expressions of interest. This is open to people from churches from across the Team. Our curate Revd Iain Osborne will be organising this, please speak to him or one of the other clergy if you might be interested.

Hambleton Re-opening

A packed church enjoyed the re-opening Songs of Praise service two weeks ago, when the new roof and restored textiles were dedicated. More details and photos on the website.

Egleton's New Organ

St Edmund Egleton now has a new Viscount electronic organ, and a short opening recital was given on it on Tuesday 12 September by Robert Gower. Please see the website for more details.

George Kirk RIP

George's funeral service will be held at All Saints Oakham on Monday 2nd October at 11:00am.

Guli's Consecration

Revd Canon Dr Guli Francis-Dehqani is to be consecrated as Bishop of Loughborough on Thursday 30 November at Canterbury Cathedral. The coach is now fully booked (but there is a waiting list), and payment of

£22 should be made by cheque to Janine in the office or online. The coach will collect from All Saints Oakham at 6:30am, then from the Co-op store in Oakham afterwards. The ceremony is at 11:00am and the return will be at 3:00pm, giving time to eat and explore. **If you are planning to attend the service, but are not using the coach, please let Janine have your name so that a seat can be reserved for you.**

Ride and Stride

Thank you all the recorders who helped to make this a successful day, as well as all the riders, striders and drivers. A total of 72 people visited All Saints Oakham – more details will be available in due course.

Friends' Coffee & Cake Morning

Thank you to everyone who baked, helped and attended. The fantastic sum of £220 was donated which will be given to 'In Rutland' at the Tide Lunch on Thursday 2nd November.

Greenbelt 2017

Did you go to Greenbelt this year? If not, you might to have a look at a short video to give you a flavour of what went on, and to put next year's dates in your diary (24-27 August 2018). Go to the website for links to both.



Harvest Festival Donations

To help with your selection of gifts we thought that it would be helpful if we outlined our current requirements:

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.

Currently we have enough stock of Cereals, Pasta and Pasta sauces, Porridge, Tea, Soup, Baked beans, Toilet rolls and sanitary items.



**Please Support Your
Rutland Foodbank**

Thank You



The Diocese of
Peterborough

You are invited to

'EXPLORE'

Saturday 25th November 2017

All Saints School, Boughton Green Rd, Northampton NN2 7AJ

An informal day to consider your calling to serve in the church.

Hosted by the Peterborough Diocese Vocations Team

with Bishop John Holbrook

Arrivals and refreshments from 9:30am for a 10am start ending 3:45pm.

Is God nudging you towards? :

- **Some training**
- **A licensed lay ministry**
- **Ordination**
- **Pioneering & new initiatives**
- **Chaplaincy**
- **Religious life**
- **Work with children or young people**
- **Spiritual direction**

RSVP By 18th November 2017 please

**to sally.crossley@peterborough-diocese.org.uk
or telephone on 01604 887049 - Thank you**

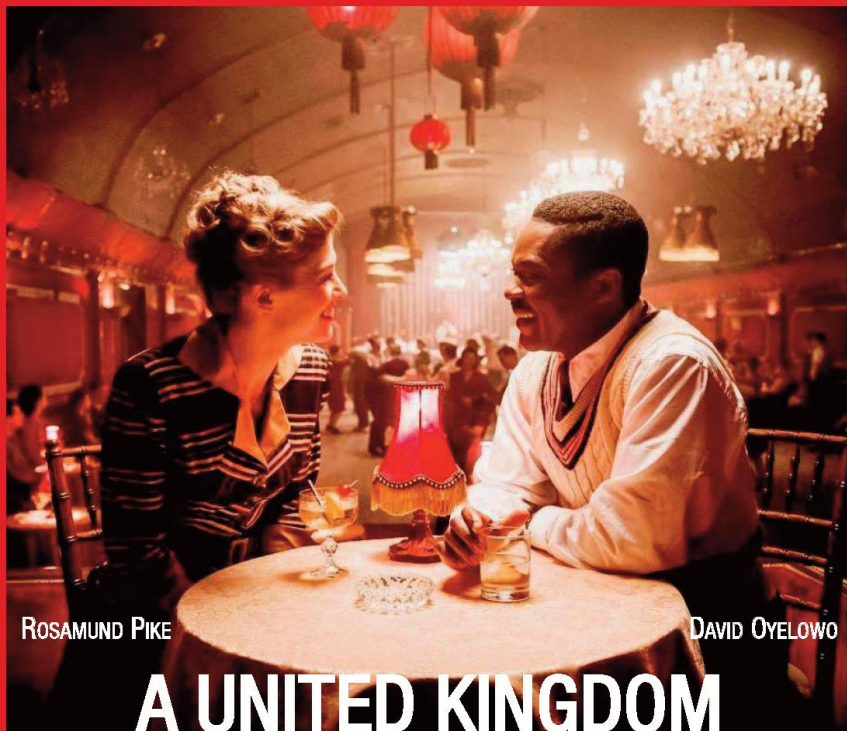


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Music in Worship
(An Integral Element or An Optional Extra?)

Thursday 28th September
Bouverie Court, Northampton. NN4 7YD
10:00 – 16:00



Are you involved with leading, planning,
or simply supporting the music in your church?

Come to this Study Day, led by the Revd Canon Helen Bent,
which will consider the place of music within worship.

This is a condensed version of the 3-day *Strengthen for Service* course,
which has been devised in partnership with Praxis.

A day for anybody who is involved with the music in their church.
We hope that clergy and their musicians will attend together.

Cost £5.50 per person
Sandwich lunch included

Places must be booked and paid for in advance
(Closing date for applications: 21st September)

Contact:

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Andrew Moodie 01604 780507
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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 5-11)
Sundays 10:30am (except 3rd)
Oakham Church Hall

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

ASH&ASK (All Saints Hub/Kids – aged 11-16) Second/Fourth Sundays 10:30am in term time
Oakham School 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) & **Catherine Wilson** (474556). 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 27 Sep/4/11 Oct
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 25 Sep	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham	
Tuesday 26 Sep	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham 10:00 Holy Communion Oakham	
Wednesday 27 Sep	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham 10:00 Holy Communion J&A	12:00 CTiO Prayer Mtg Cong Ch 5:30 Meditation J&A
Thursday 28 Sep	9:00 Team Communion Oakham 9:45 Tiny Tots Oakham 10:30 Little Angels Market Overton	12:00 Ecumenical Prayer Oakham
Friday 29 Sep	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham 10:00 BCP Communion Oakham	

Services Next Sunday – 1 October (Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity)

Oakham	8:00 Holy Communion (CW Trad) 10:30 Harvest Communion	6:00 Evensong
Whissendine	11:00 Holy Communion	
Teigh	9:00 Matins	
Market Overton	9:00 Holy Communion	
Ashwell	10:30 Harvest Festival	
Langham		6:00 WWR
Braunston	11:00 Extended Communion	
Brooke		6:00 Evensong
Hambleton		
Egleton	9:15 Holy Communion (CW Trad)	

Next Sunday's Readings

Sixteenth after Trinity: Psalm 25.1-8; Ezekiel 18.1-4,25-32; Philippians 2.1-13; Matthew 21.23-32

Oakham Evensong: Psalm 124; Ezekiel 37.15-28; 1 John 2.22-29

Harvest Thanksgiving: Psalm 65; Deuteronomy 8.7-18; 2 Corinthians 9.6-15; Luke 12.16-30