

Weekly Pewsheet

Service Details and Notices

Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity

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

Please take this Pewsheet home



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



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Collect

God, who in generous mercy sent the Holy Spirit upon your Church in the burning fire of your love: grant that your people may be fervent in the fellowship of the gospel that, always abiding in you, they may be found steadfast in faith and active in service; 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 – *Jonah 3.10–4.11*

When God saw what the people of Nineveh did, how they turned from their evil ways, God changed his mind about the calamity that he had said he would bring upon them; and he did not do it. But this was very displeasing to Jonah, and he became angry. He prayed to the LORD and said, 'O LORD! Is not this what I said while I was still in my own country? That is why I fled to Tarshish at the beginning; for I knew that you are a gracious God and merciful, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love, and ready to relent from punishing. And now, O LORD, please take my life from me, for it is better for me to die than to live.' And the LORD said, 'Is it right for you to be angry?' Then Jonah went out of the city and sat down east of the city, and made a booth for himself there. He sat under it in the shade, waiting to see what would become of the city. The LORD God appointed a bush, and made it come up over Jonah, to give shade over his head, to save him from his discomfort; so Jonah was very happy about the bush. But when dawn came up the next day, God appointed a worm that attacked the bush, so that it withered. When the sun rose, God prepared a sultry east wind, and the sun beat down on the head of Jonah so that he was faint and asked that he might die. He said, 'It is better for me to die than to live.' But God said to Jonah, 'Is it right for you to be angry about the bush?' And he said, 'Yes, angry enough to die.' Then the LORD said, 'You are concerned about the bush, for which you did not labour and which you did not grow; it came into being in a night and perished in a night. And should I not be concerned about Nineveh, that great city, in which there are more than a hundred and twenty thousand people who do not know their right hand from their left, and also many animals?'

Second Reading – *Philippians 1.21-30**

For to me, living is Christ and dying is gain. If I am to live in the flesh, that means fruitful labour for me; and I do not know which I prefer. I am hard pressed between the two: my desire is to depart and be with Christ, for that is far better; but to

remain in the flesh is more necessary for you. Since I am convinced of this, I know that I will remain and continue with all of you for your progress and joy in faith, so that I may share abundantly in your boasting in Christ Jesus when I come to you again. Only, live your life in a manner worthy of the gospel of Christ, so that, whether I come and see you or am absent and hear about you, I will know that you are standing firm in one spirit, striving side by side with one mind for the faith of the gospel, and are in no way intimidated by your opponents. For them this is evidence of their destruction, but of your salvation. And this is God's doing. For he has graciously granted you the privilege not only of believing in Christ, but of suffering for him as well – since you are having the same struggle that you saw I had and now hear that I still have.

Gospel – Matthew 20.1-16

Jesus said to his disciples: 'The kingdom of heaven is like a landowner who went out early in the morning to hire labourers for his vineyard. After agreeing with the labourers for the usual daily wage, he sent them into his vineyard. When he went out about nine o'clock, he saw others standing idle in the market-place; and he said to them, "You also go into the vineyard, and I will pay you whatever is right." So they went. When he went out again about noon and about three o'clock, he did the same. And about five o'clock he went out and found others standing around; and he said to them, "Why are you standing here idle all day?" They said to him, "Because no one has hired us." He said to them, "You also go into the vineyard." When evening came, the owner of the vineyard said to his manager, "Call the labourers and give them their pay, beginning with the last and then going to the first." When those hired about five o'clock came, each of them received the usual daily wage. Now when the first came, they thought they would receive more; but each of them also received the usual daily wage. And when they received it, they grumbled against the landowner, saying, "These last worked only one hour, and you have made them equal to us who have borne the burden of the day and the scorching heat." But he replied to one of them, "Friend, I am doing you no wrong; did you not agree with me for the usual daily wage? Take what belongs to you and go; I choose to give to this last the same as I give to you. Am I not allowed to do what I choose with what belongs to me? Or are you envious because I am generous?" So the last will be first, and the first will be last.'

Post Communion Prayer

Keep, O Lord, your Church, with your perpetual mercy;
and, because without you our human frailty cannot but fall,
keep us ever by your help from all things hurtful,
and lead us to all things profitable to our salvation;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **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 Caribbean 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.



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



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.



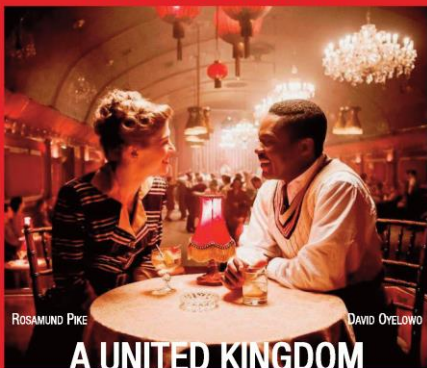
**Please Support Your
Rutland Foodbank**

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Phoenix Community Cinema

Cinema for Rutland Rutland County Museum Thursday 5 October 2017



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Tickets: £5 from Oakham Wines

www.wegotickets.com

and on the door

Doors and bar open at 7 pm for 7.30 pm

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PETERBOROUGH AND NORTHAMPTON AREA

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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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