

Weekly Pewsheet

Service Details and Notices

Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity

Harvest Festival

Sunday 1 October 2017

Services in the Team today:

Oakham	8:00am	Holy Communion (CW Trad)
<i>Harvest Festival</i>	10:30am	Parish Communion*
	6:00pm	Evensong
Whissendine	11:00am	Holy Communion*
Teigh	9:00am	Matins
Ashwell	10:30am	Harvest Festival
Market Overton	9:00am	Holy Communion*
Langham	6:00pm	Word, Worship & Response
Braunston	11:00am	Extended Communion*
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

Please take this Pewsheet home



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8:00am Holy Communion

10:30am Parish Communion*

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

Processional 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.

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

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.

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 plügen und wir streuen, Matthias Claudius (1740-1815), tr Jane Montgomery Campbell (1817-1878)
Music: Wir Pflügen, melody by Johann Abraham Peter Schulz (1747-1800), harm John Bacchus Dykes (1823-1876) (A & M – 290)*

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 – 2 Corinthians 9.6-15*

The one who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and the one who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to provide you with every blessing in abundance, so that by always having enough of everything, you may share abundantly in every good work. As it is written, 'He scatters abroad, he gives to the poor; his righteousness endures for ever.' He who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will supply and multiply your seed for sowing and increase the harvest of your righteousness. You will be enriched in every way for your great generosity, which will produce thanksgiving to God through us; for the rendering of this ministry not only supplies the needs of the saints but also overflows with many thanksgivings to God. Through the testing of this ministry you glorify God by your obedience to the confession of the gospel of Christ and by the generosity of your sharing with them and with all others, while they long for you and pray for you because of the surpassing grace of God that he has given you. Thanks be to God for his indescribable gift!

Gradual Hymn*



1. Fill your hearts with joy and gladness,
sing and praise your God and mine!
Great the Lord in love and wisdom,
might and majesty divine!
He who framed the starry heavens
knows and names them as they shine.

2. Praise the Lord, his people, praise him!
Wounded souls his comfort know;
those who fear him find his mercies,
peace for pain and joy for woe;
humble hearts are high exalted,
human pride and power laid low.

3. Praise the Lord for times and seasons,
cloud and sunshine, wind and rain;
spring to melt the snows of winter
till the waters flow again;
grass upon the mountain pastures,
golden valleys thick with grain.

4. Fill your hearts with joy and gladness,
peace and plenty crown your days;
love his laws, declare his judgements,
walk in all his words and ways;
he the Lord and we his children:
praise the Lord, all people, praise!

Words: Timothy Dudley-Smith (b 1926), based on Psalm 147

Music: Regent Square, Henry Thomas Smart (1813-1879)

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Gospel – 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.'

Offertory Hymn*



1. In the sacrament of offering,
 gift and portion, token and kind,
 all we have is laid before the Lord:
 heart and soul and body and mind,
 now the Bread of Life is gi~ven,
 now the wood has made the wine;
 and we gather to ado-re.

2. On a hillside of the Galilee,
 hungry people gathered to hear
 words of hope from the Messi-ah:
 love and trust; and never you fear.
 Fish and bread and wine a ple~nty,
 peace and fellowship divine,
 in the presence of the Lo-rd.

3. Jesus Christ the Son of Ma-ry:
 bread of heaven, living and true:
 bringing all into community;
 by his Spirit, living anew.
 Faithful shepherd of his pe~ople,
 gave his life to save us all
 from the shadows at the do-or.

4. Now, two thousand years have come and gone,
 countless millions honour his name;
 bread is still the food of fellowship,
 oil and wine together proclaim:
 joy and healing to the na~tions,
 darkness yields to life again,
 at his table evermo-re.

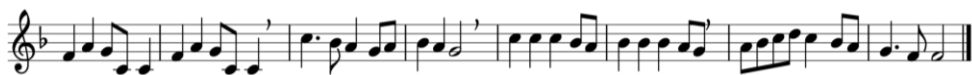
*Words: Stephen Southgate Music: Divinum Mysterium, Melody from Piaae Cantiones, 1582 AM80
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Communion Anthem*

Thou visitest the earth, and blessest it: And crownest the year with thy goodness.

Words: Psalms 65.9,12 Music: Maurice Greene (1696-1755)

Communion Hymns*



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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1. Praise and thanksgiving,
Father, we offer,
for all things living
thou madest good;
harvest of sown fields,
fruits of the orchard,
hay from the mown fields,
blossom and wood.

2. Bless thou the labour
we bring to serve thee,
that with our neighbour
we may be fed.
Sowing or tilling,
we would work with thee;
harvesting, milling
for daily bread.

3. Father, providing
food for thy children,
thy wisdom guiding
teaches us share
one with another,
so that rejoicing,
with us, our brother
may know thy care.

4. Then will your blessing
reach every people;
freely confessing
thy gracious hand.
Where thy will reigneth
no one will hunger:
thy love sustaineth;
fruitful the land.

Words: Albert Frederick Bayly (1901-1984) Music: Bunessan, Gaelic melody, arranged by Noël Tredinnick (b 1949)

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Post Communion Prayer

Lord of the harvest,
with joy we have offered thanksgiving for your love in creation
and have shared in the bread and wine of the kingdom:
by your grace plant within us a reverence for all that you give us
and make us generous and wise stewards
of the good things we enjoy;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Final 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 © Timothy Dudley-Smith (A House of Praise – 80)

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

Responses – Ferial

Psalm 25.1-8 *coeli enarrant*

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- 1 Unto thee, O Lord, will I lift up my soul;
my God, I have put my | trust in | thee :
O let me not be confounded,
neither let mine | ene-mies | tri-umph | over me.
 - 2 For all they that hope in thee shall | not · be a- | sham'd :
but such as transgress without a | cause · shall be | put to · con- | fusion.
 - 3 Shew me thy | ways, O | Lord :
and | teach — | me thy | paths.
 - 4 Lead me forth in thy | truth, and | learn me :
for thou art the God of my salvation;
in thee hath been my | hope — | all the · day | long.
 - 5 Call to remembrance O Lord thy | tend-er | mercies :
and thy loving-kindnesses which | have been | ever · of | old.
 - 6 O remember not the sins and of- | fences · of my | youth :
but according to thy mercy ⇨
think thou up- | on me · O | Lord · for thy | goodness.
 - 7 Gracious and | righteous · is the | Lord :
therefore will he teach | sin-ners | in the | way.
 - 8 Them that are meek shall he | guide in | judgement :
and such as are gentle, | them · shall he | learn his | way.
- Glory | be · to the | Father,
and to the | Son and · to the | Ho-ly | Ghost;
As it was in the beginning is | now and · ever | shall be :
world | with-out | end, A- | men.

First Lesson – Ezekiel 18.1-4,25-32

Office Hymn

397 – Let us with a gladsome mind

Magnificat & Nunc Dimittis – Set 4

Second Lesson – Matthew 21.23-32

Hymn after the Prayers

259 – Come ye thankful people, come

Hymn after the Sermon

413 – Now thank we all our God

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

Today

12:00pm – **HARVEST LUNCH**

All Saints Oakham

This Week

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

10:30am – **WOMEN'S WORLD DAY
OF PRAYER COFFEE MORNING**

St Joseph's Church, Oakham

Cakes for Sale – please come! Details
from Christine Carlin (01572 722698)

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)

Looking Ahead

TUESDAY 10 OCTOBER

10:00am – **BIBLE STUDY**

25 Willow Crescent, Oakham

Enquiries to Catriona Drye (01572 770429). New members are welcome.

2:00pm – **RUTLAND REMINDERS**

Aberdeen House, 20 Stockerston Road, Uppingham LE15 9UD

Singing sessions for people with dementia – Uppingham hub. 07779 413889 or rutlandreminders.org.uk for details.

7:30pm – **FAIRTRADE STEERING GROUP**

Oakham Methodist Church

See separate notice for details.

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.

1:30pm – **MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME**

All Saints Oakham

Ethel Marzaganov piano

Prokofiev Music for Children Op 65 (selection)

FRIDAY 13 OCTOBER

10:30am – **OAKHAM COFE SCHOOL HARVEST SERVICE**

All Saints Oakham

SATURDAY 14 OCTOBER

10:00am-12:00pm – **CHURCHYARD TIDY-UP**

All Saints Braunston

The churchyard improves year on year thanks to folks giving up a few hours each spring and autumn. Please come and lend a hand to tidy up! Jobs to do include: weeding around the new hedge by the village hall, trimming hedges and bushes, trimming back grass on paths and strimming nettles. If you have power tools suitable for these jobs please bring them along. Many hands make light work! Refreshments will be provided. For more info contact Rob Anderson (01572 774388).

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.

Tickets £8 from Kevin, on the website or on the door. In aid of LOROS and Prostate Cancer.

SUNDAY 15 OCTOBER

6:00pm – **HEALING EUCHARIST**

All Saints Oakham

Replacing Evensong, on the Sunday closest to St Luke's Day we celebrate **Holy Communion with the Laying On of Hands**. A quiet service in which we pray that we might experience God's healing presence, with prayer for individuals, focused through laying on of hands or anointing with oil. We also pray for the work of the Holy Spirit in bringing God's new order to birth in our alienated world that will not be complete until it includes the whole creation and the destruction of death itself.

7:30pm – **BRAUNSTON BLOKES CLUB**

All Saints Braunston

A historical Tour of Braunston Church. Everyone is invited to the winter BBC season kick off event – a guided tour around our ancient church which can trace its origin back to Norman times, and a chance to view the old record books to see how the social make up of the village has changed over the last 200 years. The tour will take no more than

an hour and will finish at the Blue Ball for refreshments and a Question and Answer session. For more info contact Rob Anderson (01572 774388 or rob.anderson@oakhamteam.org.uk)

SATURDAY 28 OCTOBER

4:00-5:00pm – **BETTER THAN HALLOWE'EN**

All Saints Oakham Church Hall

An event for 5-10 year olds – see separate notice for details.

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 & 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 **in the parish office or give to Elaine and Graham Peel at the 10:30am Sunday service. Larger items nearer the date please.** 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

– **John Mills & Laura Moran**, who were married at Ashwell on Saturday;
– The family and friends of **Margaret Grace Hammill**, whose funeral took place at Peterborough Crematorium on Friday;

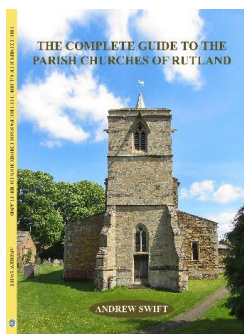
- The victims of the earthquake in Mexico;
- Those injured in the tube train attack;
- The families and friends of those killed or injured in the recent motorway accidents;
- The hurricane and flood victims in the Caribbean and Florida and the flood victims in SE Asia;
- The situation with North Korea;
- 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, especially Susan Osborne as she begins her work as a Lay Pastoral Minister;
- Madeleine McCann and her family and all missing children.

Oakham Stewardship Campaign

Members of the Oakham congregation should have received this week an invitation from Lee to the stewardship presentation next week. If you haven't received one, and feel that you should have, please let the office know. Also, if you received it by post, but would be happy to receive such communication by email in future please let us know.

Rutland Churches

The Friends' Rutland Churches Excursion on Saturday 23 September was a delightful day. Andrew Swift shared his great knowledge of Market Overton, Greetham, Great Casterton and Ryhall churches pointing out intricacies of which the casual (or indeed regular) visitor would never be aware.



Andrew's book 'The Complete Guide to Rutland Churches' is available from him at the cost of £15 (P&P free to church members) –

email swifta@andrewswift.co.uk or phone 07768 510126.



The emblem of a Kempe stained glass window is the Wheat sheaf. Which of the four churches do you think we were in? Andrew also has two books on Leicestershire churches and two on Norfolk churches (one just out).

Celebration of Lay Ministry

On Saturday 23 September Peterborough Diocese held its first Celebration of Lay Ministry. From 9am until 4pm about 120 lay ministers gathered at the Bishop's Palace, then the Cathedral, for fellowship, teaching, workshops and lunch. In the afternoon the numbers grew to over 350 for the licensing and admission of new lay ministers and readers, including the licensing of **Susan Osborne** (wife of our curate Iain) as **Lay Pastoral Minister** to work in our Team.

Better than Hallowe'en

An event for 5-10 year olds, in the Church Hall on Saturday 28th October from 4-5pm. If you feel able to help at this in any way, please do come to a meeting in the Mayhew Room this Thursday September 28th from 7:30-8:30pm to help plan and organise the

'Better than Hallowe'en Party'. We shall be using material prepared by Nick Harding, which you can find online (see website for link). Further details from Charlotte Osborn (01572 724198 or charlotte@oakhamteam.org.uk)

Fairtrade Steering Group

As we all return from our Summer break, the Rutland Fairtrade Steering Group is looking forward to its Autumn meeting on Tuesday 10th October at 7:30 pm in the Oakham Methodist Church in Northgate. Our Group works to ensure a fair deal for farmers and craftspeople from the most vulnerable countries around the world, and we are always grateful for the support of the Christian communities in Rutland. The Group is looking forward to the annual Fairtrade market in Oakham Castle, so much organising is needed – if you can help, please phone the Group Secretary, Graham Stapleton, on 01572 757456, or simply come along to the Methodist church at 7:30 pm on 10th October.

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 (01572 720428 or jdjhaden@btinternet.com) 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.

George Kirk RIP

George's funeral service will be held at All Saints Oakham tomorrow, 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.**



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:

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| 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. |

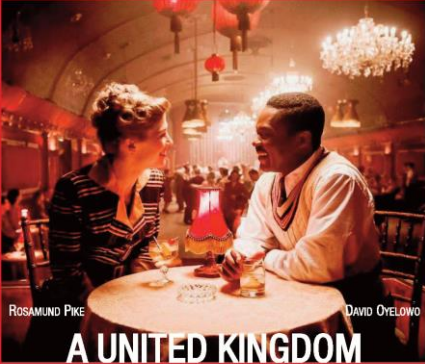
Currently we have enough stock of Cereals, Pasta and Pasta sauces, Porridge, Tea, Soup, Baked beans, Toilet rolls and sanitary items.



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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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All Saint's Church
Oakham

BRAHMS
Liebeslieder Walzer Opus 52
SCHUBERT
Fantasia in F minor for piano duet D940
RHEINBERGER
Stabat Mater
FAURE
Dolly Suite Opus 56

CANTUS CHOIR directed by ALWYN POLLARD
PAUL BUTLER & LINDA HALL piano duet
DAVID LOVELL-BROWN organ

in aid of



Saturday 14 October – 7:30pm

Tickets £8 online from www.oakhamconcerts.info
telephone 01572 460000 or on the door



All Saints' Church Oakham

Autumn Sale

Preserves

Cakes

Handicrafts

Books CDs DVDs

Tombola

Jigsaws

Raffle

Bric-a-Brac

Tea, coffee
& mince pies

Saturday 18 November

10:00am - 12:00pm

in All Saints' Church

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

<i>Monday</i> 2 Oct	8:30 Morning Prayer <i>Oakham</i>	7:30 Light Circle <i>Langham*</i>
<i>Tuesday</i> 3 Oct	8:30 Morning Prayer <i>Oakham</i> 10:00 Holy Communion <i>Oakham</i>	
<i>Wednesday</i> 4 Oct	8:30 Morning Prayer <i>Oakham</i> 10:00 Holy Communion <i>J&A</i> 11:00 BCP Communion <i>Langham</i>	12:00 CTiO Prayer Mtg <i>Cong Ch</i> 12:00 Healing Prayer <i>Oakham</i> 5:30 Meditation <i>J&A</i>
<i>Thursday</i> 5 Oct	9:00 Team Communion <i>Oakham</i> 9:45 Tiny Tots <i>Oakham</i> 10:30 Little Angels <i>Market Overton</i>	12:00 Ecumenical Prayer <i>Oakham</i>
<i>Friday</i> 6 Oct	8:30 Morning Prayer <i>Oakham</i> 10:00 BCP Communion <i>Oakham</i>	

*check location

Services Next Sunday – 8 October (Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity)

<i>Oakham</i>	8:00 Holy Communion (CW Trad) 10:30 Parish Communion	6:00 Evensong
<i>Whissendine</i>	11:00 Harvest Festival	
<i>Teigh</i>	9:00 Holy Communion (BCP)	
<i>Market Overton</i>	9:00 Morning Worship	
<i>Ashwell</i>	10:30 Holy Communion	
<i>Langham</i>	11:00 Holy Communion	
<i>Braunston</i>	11:00 Sunday Worship	
<i>Brooke</i>	8:00 Holy Communion (BCP)	
<i>Hambleton</i>	2:00 Holy Baptism	6:00 Harvest Festival
<i>Egleton</i>		

Next Sunday's Readings

Seventeenth after Trinity: Psalm 80.8-16; Isaiah 5.1-7; *Philippians* 3.4b-14; Matthew 21.33-46

Oakham Evensong: Psalm 136.1-9; Proverbs 2.1-11; 1 John 2.1-17

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