

# Weekly Pewsheet

## *Service Details and Notices*

### Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity

### Sunday 8 October 2017

*Services in the Team today:*

<b>Oakham</b>	<b>8:00am</b> Holy Communion (CW Trad) <b>10:30am</b> Parish Communion* <b>6:00pm</b> Evensong
<b>Whissendine</b>	<b>11:00am</b> Harvest Festival
<b>Teigh</b>	<b>9:00am</b> Holy Communion (BCP)
<b>Ashwell</b>	<b>10:30am</b> Holy Communion*
<b>Market Overton</b>	<b>9:00am</b> Morning Worship
<b>Langham</b>	<b>11:00am</b> Holy Communion*
<b>Braunston</b>	<b>11:00am</b> Sunday Worship
<b>Brooke</b>	<b>8:00am</b> Holy Communion (BCP)
<b>Hambleton</b>	<b>2:00pm</b> Holy Baptism <b>5:00pm</b> Harvest Festival
<b>Egleton</b>	No service

\*Common Worship (Contemporary)

If you are new to this church or visiting, please make yourself known to the clergy or churchwardens

If you wish to receive Holy Communion in your pew, or would like a large print version of this Pewsheet, please ask a sidesman

**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. Christ is made the sure foundation,  
Christ the Head and corner-stone,  
chosen of the Lord, and precious,  
binding all the church in one;  
Holy Zion's help for ever,  
and her confidence alone.
2. All that dedicated city,  
dearly loved of God on high,  
in exultant jubilation  
pours perpetual melody,  
God the One in Three adoring  
in glad hymns eternally.
3. Laud and honour to the Father,  
laud and honour to the Son,  
laud and honour to the Spirit,  
ever Three, and ever One:  
consubstantial, eo-eternal,  
while unending ages run.

Words: *Urbs beata Jerusalem (Latin, before 9th century), tr John Mason Neale (1818-1866)*  
Music: *Westminster Abbey, adapted from an anthem by Henry Purcell (1659-1695)*  
(*Ancient & Modern – 291*)

### Collect

Almighty God,  
you have made us for yourself,  
and our hearts are restless till they find their rest in you:  
pour your love into our hearts and draw us to yourself,  
and so bring us at last to your heavenly city  
where we shall see you face to face;  
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.**

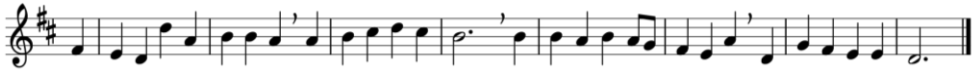
## **First Reading – Isaiah 5.1-7**

Let me sing for my beloved my love-song concerning his vineyard: My beloved had a vineyard on a very fertile hill. He dug it and cleared it of stones, and planted it with choice vines; he built a watch-tower in the midst of it, and hewed out a wine vat in it; he expected it to yield grapes, but it yielded wild grapes. And now, inhabitants of Jerusalem and people of Judah, judge between me and my vineyard. What more was there to do for my vineyard that I have not done in it? When I expected it to yield grapes, why did it yield wild grapes? And now I will tell you what I will do to my vineyard. I will remove its hedge, and it shall be devoured; I will break down its wall, and it shall be trampled down. I will make it a waste; it shall not be pruned or hoed, and it shall be overgrown with briars and thorns; I will also command the clouds that they rain no rain upon it. For the vineyard of the LORD of hosts is the house of Israel, and the people of Judah are his pleasant planting; he expected justice, but saw bloodshed; righteousness, but heard a cry!

## **Second Reading – Philippians 3.4b-14\***

If anyone else has reason to be confident in the flesh, I have more: circumcised on the eighth day, a member of the people of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew born of Hebrews; as to the law, a Pharisee; as to zeal, a persecutor of the church; as to righteousness under the law, blameless. Yet whatever gains I had, these I have come to regard as loss because of Christ. More than that, I regard everything as loss because of the surpassing value of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things, and I regard them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but one that comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God based on faith. I want to know Christ and the power of his resurrection and the sharing of his sufferings by becoming like him in his death, if somehow I may attain the resurrection from the dead. Not that I have already obtained this or have already reached the goal; but I press on to make it my own, because Christ Jesus has made me his own. Beloved, I do not consider that I have made it my own; but this one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, I press on towards the goal for the prize of the heavenly call of God in Christ Jesus.

## Gradual Hymn\*



1. Jesus, the very thought of Thee  
with sweetness fills the breast;  
but sweeter far thy face to see,  
and in thy presence rest.

2. No voice can sing, nor heart can frame,  
nor can the memory find  
a sweeter sound than Jesu's name,  
the Saviour of mankind.

5. Jesu, our only joy be thou,  
as thou our prize wilt be;  
in thee be all our glory now,  
and through eternity.

3. O hope of every contrite heart,  
O joy of all the meek,  
to those who ask how kind thou art,  
how good to those who seek!

4. But what to those who find? Ah, this  
nor tongue nor pen can show;  
the love of Jesus, what it is  
none but his loved ones know.

*Words: Edward Caswall (1814-1878) based on Jesu, dulcis memoria (Latin c.12th century)*

*Music: Metzler's Redhead No 66, Richard Redhead (1820-1901),  
contributed to George Metzler's Ancient Hymn Melodies – A&M 686 (Ancient & Modern – 688)*

## Gospel – Matthew 21.33-46

Jesus said to the chief priests and the elders of the people: 'Listen to another parable. There was a landowner who planted a vineyard, put a fence around it, dug a wine press in it, and built a watch-tower. Then he leased it to tenants and went to another country. When the harvest time had come, he sent his slaves to the tenants to collect his produce. But the tenants seized his slaves and beat one, killed another, and stoned another. Again he sent other slaves, more than the first; and they treated them in the same way. Finally he sent his son to them, saying, "They will respect my son." But when the tenants saw the son, they said to themselves, "This is the heir; come, let us kill him and get his inheritance." So they seized him, threw him out of the vineyard, and killed him. Now when the owner of the vineyard comes, what will he do to those tenants?' They said to him, 'He will put those wretches to a miserable death, and lease the vineyard to other tenants who will give him the produce at the harvest time.' Jesus said to them, 'Have you never read in the scriptures: "The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone; this was the Lord's doing, and it is amazing in our eyes"?' Therefore I tell you, the kingdom of God will be taken away from you and given to a people that produces the fruits of the kingdom. The one who falls on this stone will be broken to pieces; and it will crush anyone on whom it falls.' When the chief priests and the Pharisees heard his parables, they realized that he was speaking about them. They wanted to arrest him, but they feared the crowds, because they regarded him as a prophet.

## Offertory Hymn



1. My song is love unknown,  
my Saviour's love to me,  
love to the loveless shown,  
that they might lovely be.  
O, who am I,  
that for my sake  
my Lord should take  
frail flesh and die?
2. He came from his blest throne,  
salvation to bestow;  
but men made strange, and none  
the longed-for Christ would know.  
But O, my Friend,  
my Friend indeed,  
who at my need  
his life did spend!
3. Sometimes they strew his way,  
and His sweet praises sing;  
resounding all the day  
hosannas to their King.  
Then 'Crucify!'  
is all their breath,  
and for his death  
they thirst and cry.
4. They rise, and needs will have  
my dear Lord made away;  
a murderer they save,  
the Prince of Life they slay.  
Yet cheerful he  
to suffering goes,  
that he his foes  
from thence might free.
5. Here might I stay and sing,  
no story so divine;  
never was love, dear King,  
never was grief like thine!  
This is my Friend,  
in whose sweet praise  
I all my days  
could gladly spend.

*Words: Samuel Crossman (c1624-1683)*

*Music: Love Unknown, John Nicholson Ireland (1879-1962)*

*(Ancient & Modern – 147)*

## Communion Anthem\*

Teach me, O Lord, the way of thy statutes;  
and I shall keep it unto the end.

*Words: Psalm 119.33*

*Music: Thomas Attwood (1765-1838)*

## Communion Hymns\*



1. As the deer pants for the water,  
so my soul longs after you.  
You alone are my heart's desire  
and I long to worship you.

*You alone are my strength, my shield,  
to you alone may my spirit yield.  
You alone are my heart's desire  
and I long to worship you.*

Words & Music: Martin J. Nystrom (b 1956) © 1983 Restoration Music/Sovereign Music UK (Ancient Modern – 592)



1. How deep the Father's love for us,  
how vast beyond all measure,  
that he should give his only Son  
to make a wretch his treasure.  
How great the pain of searing loss,  
the Father turns his face away,  
as wounds which mar the Chosen One  
bring many sons to glory.

2. Behold the man upon a cross,  
my sin upon his shoulders;  
ashamed, I hear my mocking voice  
call out among the scoffers.  
It was my sin that held him there  
until it was accomplished;  
his dying breath has brought me life -  
I know that it is finished.

3. I will not boast in anything,  
no gifts, no power, no wisdom;  
but I will boast in Jesus Christ,  
his death and resurrection.  
Why should I gain from his reward?  
I cannot give an answer,  
but this I know with all my heart,  
his wounds have paid my ransom.

Words & Music: Stuart Townend (b 1963) © 1995 worshipstogether.com (Ancient & Modern – 144)

## Post Communion Prayer

Lord, we pray that your grace  
may always precede and follow us,  
and make us continually to be given to all good works;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

### Final Hymn\*



1. And can it be that I should gain  
an interest in the Saviour's blood?  
Died he for me, who caused his pain?  
For me, who him to death pursued?  
Amazing love! How can it be  
that thou, my God, shouldst die for me?
2. 'Tis mystery all! the Immortal dies!  
Who can explore his strange design?  
In vain the first-born seraph tries  
to sound the depths of love divine.  
'Tis mercy all! Let earth adore,  
let angel minds inquire no more.
3. He left his Father's throne above –  
so free, so infinite his grace –  
emptied himself of all but love,  
and bled for Adam's helpless race.  
'Tis mercy all, immense and free;  
for, O my God, it found out me!
4. Long my imprisoned spirit lay  
fast bound in sin and nature's night;  
thine eye diffused a quickening ray;  
I woke, the dungeon flamed with light;  
my chains fell off, my heart was free,  
I rose, went forth, and followed thee.
5. No condemnation now I dread;  
Jesus, and all in him, is mine!  
Alive in him, my living Head,  
and clothed in righteousness divine,  
bold I approach the eternal throne,  
and claim the crown, through Christ my own.

*The last two lines of each verse are repeated.*

*Words: Charles Wesley (1707-1788)*

*Music: Sagina, from The Bouquet, 1825, Thomas Campbell (1800-1876) (Ancient & Modern – 588)*



# 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

377 – Immortal, invisible, God only wise

## Responses – Ferial

### Psalm 136.1-9 *confitemini domino*

*J R Middleton*



1 O give thanks unto the Lord, for | he is | gracious :  
and his | mercy · en- | dureth · for | ever.

2 O give thanks unto the God of | all — | gods :  
for his | mercy · en- | dureth · for | ever.

3 O thank the Lord of | all — | lords :  
for his | mercy · en- | dureth · for | ever.

4 Who only | doeth · great | wonders :  
for his | mercy · en- | dureth · for | ever.

5 Who by his excellent wisdom | made the | heavens :  
for his | mercy · en- | dureth · for | ever.

6 Who laid out the earth a- | bove the | waters :  
for his | mercy · en- | dureth · for | ever.

7 Who hath | made great | lights :  
for his | mercy · en- | dureth · for | ever.

8 The sun to | rule the | day :  
for his | mercy · en- | dureth · for | ever.

9 The moon and the stars to | govern · the | night :  
for his | mercy · en- | dureth · for | ever.

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 – Proverbs 2.1-11

## Office Hymn

64 – Be thou my guardian and my guide

### Magnificat & Nunc Dimittis – Set 1

Second Lesson – 1 John 2.1-17

### Hymn after the Prayers

339 – Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart

### Hymn after the Sermon

362 – Glorious things of thee are spoken (*tune 185 Abbot's Leigh*)

 You are invited to  
**'EXPLORE'**  
Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> 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 18<sup>th</sup> November 2017 please  
to [sally.crossley@peterborough-diocese.org.uk](mailto:sally.crossley@peterborough-diocese.org.uk)  
or telephone on 01604 887049 - Thank you

# This Week

## 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)

7:30pm – **HOME GROUP**

**19 Ashwell Road, Oakham**

## FRIDAY 13 OCTOBER

10:30am – **OAKHAM COFE SCHOOL**

**HARVEST SERVICE**

**All Saints Oakham**

7:30pm – **PROFESSIONAL CHAMBER MUSIC**

**Oakham School Chapel**

**Slade, Jenkinson & Young Trio**

**Beethoven** Trio in Bb major

**Brahms** Clarinet Trio in A minor, op 114

**Muczynski** Fantasy Trio, op 26

Oakham School music teachers **Keith Slade** and **Richard Jenkinson** are joined by pianist **Jeremy Young** for this brilliant professional recital of trios for clarinet, 'cello and piano. £10 (free for school-age children). Tickets from 01572 758820, Walkers Bookshop, boxoffice@oakham.rutland.sch.uk, & wegottickets.com.

## 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](mailto:rob.anderson@oakhamteam.org.uk))

## Looking Ahead

**TUESDAY 17 OCTOBER**

12:30pm – **LANGHAM LUNCH**

**Langham Village Hall**

A basic two course lunch, all welcome, cost £7.50. Booking essential via Val on 756202 or Susan on 723532..

3:30pm – **RUTLAND REMINDERS**

**Brambles, Rutland Care Village**

Singing sessions for people with dementia. 07779 413889 or [rutlandreminders.org.uk](http://rutlandreminders.org.uk) for details.

**WEDNESDAY 18 OCTOBER**

1:30pm – **MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME**

**All Saints Oakham**

**Annabelle Pepper** *soprano*

**Jennifer Partridge** *piano*

English songs and opera

## FRIDAY 20 OCTOBER

7:30pm – **CINEMA FOR RUTLAND**

**Rutland County Museum**

**The Informer (1929)**. Tickets £5 from [wegottickets.com](http://wegottickets.com) or on the door.

## SUNDAY 22 OCTOBER

4:00pm – **MEMORIES**

**All Saints Braunston**

This will be a special service of quietness and reflection in memory of those we have known and loved, and for peace in our world. Please come and share this time with us, everyone is welcome.

## FRIDAY 27 OCTOBER

10:00am – **JUSTICES SERVICE**

**All Saints Oakham**

The biennial service, followed by a procession to the Castle, where the traditional Crown Court hearings will take place. **There will no 10am Holy Communion today.**

## SATURDAY 28 OCTOBER

12:30-2:00pm – **PIANO AND ORGAN RECITAL – St Peter Barrowden**

**John Comber** and **Jean Swinbanks** present an eclectic range of music for organ and piano, demonstrating the newly installed Makin Thirlmere organ, including pieces as contrasting as Elgar and Gospel, Bach and Jazz. Interval at about 1:15 with light refreshments – wine, soft drinks, coffee and nibbles. Seating for the first 40 who apply will be in the nave, and after that it is free seating. No charge

for the recital – donations towards the cost of the new organ. Contact John Comber (01572 747447), Steve Preston (747098) or Peter Voller (747374).

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](mailto: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.

## **TUESDAY 28 NOVEMBER**

12:30pm – **LANGHAM CHURCH LUNCH – 4 Melton Road, Langham**  
Christmas lunch, in aid of Crisis at Christmas. Cost £7.50. More places will be available than usual, but booking is essential via Margaret (01572 770234).

## **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**

– **Thomas Tristan Taylor**, who was baptised at Hambleton on Saturday, and his parents **Richard & Joanna**;  
– **Barnaby Samuel Griffin**, who was baptised at Hambleton on Saturday, and his parents **Thomas & Josephine**;

– **Wilburforce and Huckleberry Young**, who will be baptised at Hambleton today, and their parents **Andrew & Pippa**;

– The family and friends of **George Kirk**, whose funeral took place at Oakham on Monday;

– The family and friends of **Tom Digby**, whose funeral took place at Whissendine on Tuesday;

– The family and friends of **May Wheatley**, of Oakham, whose funeral took place at Peterborough Crematorium on Wednesday;

– The family and friends of **Robert John Baker**, whose funeral took place at Oakham on Friday;

– The family and friends of **Peter Witchell** and **Pam Blackburn**, who have died recently;

– The victims of the shooting attack in Las Vegas;

– 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.

## **Greenbelt 2018**

This is advance notice that we will run a parish camping trip to Greenbelt 2018 – 24-27 August 2018 (Bank Holiday weekend) – or you can go for just one day. This is a Christian music/arts/politics/culture festival which runs just outside Kettering. See <http://www.greenbelt.org.uk/> for a taste if you don't know what it's all about. A group of us went for a day this year and had great fun. We are letting you know now that we'll be going because the price of tickets rises through the year. So, if you book before 31 October, an adult ticket is £50 less than if you buy next August (concessionary adult and 18-25s £30

less); children however are the same price all year, £50. Also, if you buy now you can pay by instalments. If you want to join us – whether or not you decide to buy your ticket early – please would you let Revd Iain Osborne know, so he can include you in communications.

## **Pastoral Visiting**

Are you involved in visiting the sick or frail, giving lifts, helping with shopping...? Or with taking communion to people in their home? Would you like to be? The parish's pastoral forum has not been meeting recently, but we want to re-start so as to make sure we are giving pastoral care where it is needed, as well as provide a forum to discuss emerging general issues about how we provide care. We would appreciate it if everyone involved in this ministry, or who wants to get involved, could come to an initial meeting so we can develop a good overview. (Coming to this first meeting doesn't necessarily mean you have to come to further ones.) If this involves you, please would you speak to our curate, Revd. Iain Osborne? Once we know who should come to the meeting, we'll look for a date that suits all involved.

## **Sheep Knitters Needed**

More sheep are required for the Oakham Advent Travelling Cribs. If you can help please contact Margaret Tyler (01572 724799) for the pattern.

## Fairtrade Sales

Sales for the last 3 months have amounted to £625.86, a very good figure and averaging out at nearly £70 for each time the stall was held at Oakham over that period. As always a VERY big thank you to everyone who has made a purchase. Please see the separate notice for details of future stall dates. Denise (722729).

## Traidcraft Fairtrade Christmas Catalogue

The Autumn catalogue is now out with all the usual wonderful range of Christmas cards, foods and present ideas. If you would like a copy please do get in touch. I will be in Church running the stall after the 10:30 service on 15th October, at Langham for the Team service on 29th October and back in Oakham again on 5th November. If you miss me then you can get in touch by email (fairtrade@oakhamteam.org.uk), or phone (01572 722729 / 07981 639649). Thank you to everyone for their ongoing support of Fairtrade. Denise.

## Could you help the bereaved in our community?

**What are we planning?** We are launching a new bereavement support service in the Parish. The plan is to

- offer visits to bereaved families who have funerals at All Saints;
- provide support and a listening ear;
- signpost to other resources.

**Why visit?** Bereaved people can feel isolated. Sometimes we find it difficult to join organised activities or find a safe space to talk about our journeys of grief.

**Who is involved?** Sian Cheverton (a local semi-retired GP), Susan Osborne (a trained counsellor, lay pastoral minister and who is married to one of our curates) and Madeleine Morris (a trained counsellor and lay pastoral assistant).

Can you join us? We need three strands of supporters

- visitors;
- administrative helpers (e.g. for anniversary cards);
- prayer supporters.

**How?** To start with, we invite all interested parties to come and join us for two initial workshops. These are provisionally booked for Tuesday 28th November and Tuesday 5th December from 7-9pm in the Church Hall. We hope to consult with you and learn from one another's experiences so that, together, we can develop a shared understanding of what it means to visit a bereaved person. There will be no commitment to becoming a visitor at this stage. If you would like to attend the workshop, or find out more, please talk to Susan Osborne (07926 833684), Sian Cheverton (01572 755286) or Madeleine Morris (07754 414437) or one of the ministry team.



## Oakham Harvest Lunch



84 people came for Sunday Lunch in the Church Hall last week, supplied by 11 main meal providers and 11 pudding experts! My grateful thanks for all the willing volunteers, and not forgetting my set-up and clear-away army of helpers. Your total donations of £200 go to The Oakham Food Bank. THANK YOU!! Marilyn. [A huge thank-you to Marilyn too for all her meticulous work in organising the lunch]

## Foodbank Update

The Foodbank is currently short of the following items – sponge puddings, packets of smash, tinned tomatoes, tinned potatoes, instant savoury meals e.g. pasta, couscous, rice etc in packets, small sugar, jam, long life fruit juice, long life milk. We have plenty of cereals and porridge, baked beans, tea, toilet rolls and sanitary items, pasta and pasta sauces, fizzy drinks and cordials at the moment. Thanks as ever for your ongoing support.

## Oakham Stewardship

The Stewardship Presentation will be given at all three services at Oakham today, and a Stewardship Pack will be available for everyone afterward. If there isn't one with your name on, please let the office know.

## Better than Hallowe'en

Regrettably, this event will now not take place.

## Fairtrade Steering Group

The Rutland Fairtrade Steering Group holds 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.

## 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.**



# All Saint's Church Oakham

BRAMHMS  
**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](http://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

# Sainsbury's: don't ditch Fairtrade

Sainsbury's has dropped the Fairtrade Mark on their own-brand tea and replaced it with their own label 'Fairly Traded'.

It's a step in the wrong direction. It will take away power from farmers, undermine standards and damage hard-won consumer trust.

But we can do something about this. Sainsbury's will only go ahead with their plan if their customers are happy with it. So, let's prove them wrong!



## Bring back Fairtrade!

If you want to get Sainsbury's to reconsider their decision, we've come up with some exciting ideas of actions online and in your local Sainsbury's shop.

Together with other organisations, we've created resources for you and your local community. We hope you'll find them useful!



### Get involved in the campaign

1. Go to the Don't Ditch Fairtrade website and read about the campaign: [www.dontditchfairtrade.com](http://www.dontditchfairtrade.com) or call us 020 3752 5718 and we'll send material
2. Download or order the resources you need for your action (like flyers, a mug prop, and letter to your local Sainsbury's)
3. Plan and execute your action!

Whatever you do, small or large, please let us know!

Email us at [campaign@traidcraft.org](mailto:campaign@traidcraft.org)

Tag us on Twitter @traidcraft

Or send us a letter to  
2.12 The Foundry,  
17-19 Oval Way,  
London, SE11 5RR.

TRAIDCRAFT [dontditchfairtrade.com](http://dontditchfairtrade.com)

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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 18/25/11 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> 9 Oct	8:30 <b>Morning Prayer</b> <i>Oakham</i>	
<i>Tuesday</i> 10 Oct	8:30 <b>Morning Prayer</b> <i>Oakham</i> 10:00 <b>Holy Communion</b> <i>Oakham</i>	
<i>Wednesday</i> 11 Oct	8:30 <b>Morning Prayer</b> <i>Oakham</i> 10:00 <b>Holy Communion</b> <i>J&amp;A</i>	12:00 <b>CTiO Prayer Mtg</b> <i>Cong Ch</i> 5:30 <b>Meditation</b> <i>J&amp;A</i>
<i>Thursday</i> 12 Oct	9:00 <b>Team Communion</b> <i>Oakham</i> 9:45 <b>Tiny Tots</b> <i>Oakham</i> 10:30 <b>Little Angels</b> <i>Market Overton</i>	12:00 <b>Ecumenical Prayer</b> <i>Oakham</i> 12:15 <b>Celtic Prayer</b> <i>Egleton</i>
<i>Friday</i> 13 Oct	8:30 <b>Morning Prayer</b> <i>Oakham</i> 10:00 <b>BCP Communion</b> <i>Oakham</i>	

## Services Next Sunday – 15 October (Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity)

<i>Oakham</i>	8:00 <b>Holy Communion</b> (CW Trad) 10:30 <b>Family Service &amp; Baptism</b>	6:00 <b>Healing Eucharist</b>
<i>Whissendine</i>	11:00 <b>Holy Communion</b>	
<i>Teigh</i>		6:00 <b>Evensong</b>
<i>Market Overton</i>		
<i>Ashwell</i>		
<i>Langham</i>		
<i>Braunston</i>	11:00 <b>Holy Communion</b>	
<i>Brooke</i>		6:00 <b>Evensong</b>
<i>Hambleton</i>		
<i>Egleton</i>	9:15 <b>Holy Communion</b> (CW Trad)	

## Next Sunday's Readings

*Eighteenth after Trinity: Psalm 23; Isaiah 25.1-9; Philippians 4.1-9; Matthew 22.1-14*

*Oakham Evensong: Psalm 139.1-11; Proverbs 3.1-18; 1 John 3.1-15*

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