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Weekly Pewsheet

Service Details and Notices

Eighteenth Sunday after TrinitySunday 15 October 2017

Services in the Team today:

Oakham 8:00am Holy Communion (CW Trad)

10:30am Family Service 6:00pm Healing Eucharist

Whissendine 11:00am Holy Communion*

Teigh 6:00pm Evensong

Ashwell No service

Market Overton No service

Langham No service

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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Almighty and everlasting God, increase in us your gift of faith that, forsaking what lies behind and reaching out to that which is before, we may run the way of your commandments and win the crown of everlasting joy; 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 25.1-9

O LORD, you are my God; I will exalt you, I will praise your name; for you have done wonderful things, plans formed of old, faithful and sure. For you have made the city a heap, the fortified city a ruin; the palace of aliens is a city no more, it will never be rebuilt. Therefore strong peoples will glorify you; cities of ruthless nations will fear you. For you have been a refuge to the poor, a refuge to the needy in their distress, a shelter from the rainstorm and a shade from the heat. When the blast of the ruthless was like a winter rainstorm, the noise of aliens like heat in a dry place, you subdued the heat with the shade of clouds; the song of the ruthless was stilled. On this mountain the LORD of hosts will make for all peoples a feast of rich food, a feast of well-matured wines, of rich food filled with marrow, of well-matured wines strained clear. And he will destroy on this mountain the shroud that is cast over all peoples, the sheet that is spread over all nations; he will swallow up death for ever. Then the Lord GOD will wipe away the tears from all faces, and the disgrace of his people he will take away from all the earth, for the LORD has spoken. It will be said on that day, Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, so that he might save us. This is the LORD for whom we have waited; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.

Second Reading – Philippians 4.1-9*

My brothers and sisters, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm in the Lord in this way, my beloved. I urge Euodia and I urge Syntyche to be of the same mind in the Lord. Yes, and I ask you also, my loyal companion, help these women, for they have struggled beside me in the work of the gospel, together with Clement and the rest of my co-workers, whose names are in the book of life. Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice. Let your gentleness be known to everyone. The Lord is near. Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and

your minds in Christ Jesus. Finally, beloved, whatever is true, whatever is honourable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. Keep on doing the things that you have learned and received and heard and seen in me, and the God of peace will be with you.

Gospel – Matthew 22.1-14

Once more lesus spoke to the chief priests and Pharisees in parables, saying: 'The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who gave a wedding banquet for his son. He sent his slaves to call those who had been invited to the wedding banquet, but they would not come. Again he sent other slaves, saying, "Tell those who have been invited: Look, I have prepared my dinner, my oxen and my fat calves have been slaughtered, and everything is ready; come to the wedding banquet." But they made light of it and went away, one to his farm, another to his business, while the rest seized his slaves, maltreated them, and killed them. The king was enraged. He sent his troops, destroyed those murderers, and burned their city. Then he said to his slaves, "The wedding is ready, but those invited were not worthy. Go therefore into the main streets, and invite everyone you find to the wedding banquet." Those slaves went out into the streets and gathered all whom they found, both good and bad; so the wedding hall was filled with guests. But when the king came in to see the guests. he noticed a man there who was not wearing a wedding robe, and he said to him, "Friend, how did you get in here without a wedding robe?" And he was speechless. Then the king said to the attendants, "Bind him hand and foot, and throw him into the outer darkness, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth." For many are called, but few are chosen.'

Post Communion Prayer

We praise and thank you, O Christ, for this sacred feast: for here we receive you, here the memory of your passion is renewed, here our minds are filled with grace, and here a pledge of future glory is given, when we shall feast at that table where you reign with all your saints for ever. **Amen.**

Today

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)

This Week

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 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 or on the door.

SUNDAY 22 OCTOBER

3:00-4:30pm – **TEA PARTY**

All Saints Oakham

Come along and bring a friend. More details from Pam Wells (01572 755532)

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.

Looking Ahead

TUESDAY 24 OCTOBER

10:00am – **BIBLE STUDY 25 Willow Crescent, Oakham**Enquiries to Catriona Drye (01572 770429). New members are welcome.

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.

WEDNESDAY 25 OCTOBER

1:30pm – MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME All Saints Oakham Penny Campling piano Brian Stephenson 'cello

THURSDAY 26 OCTOBER

The Wheatsheaf Pub, Langham
The next walk is the first of our
winter style walks and is just under 5
miles. Preorder lunch at the
Wheatsheaf on arrival where there is
adequate parking. Richard and Liz to
lead. New walkers always welcome,
simply turn up suitably attired. Group
contact Dennis Corton on 01572

10:30am - TEAM WALKING GROUP

2:30pm – CINEMA FOR RUTLAND Rutland County Museum Zootopia. Tickets £2 on the door.

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

from 9:00am – PAY-WHAT-YOU-WILL STALL

Oakham Market

In aid of **Likoma Link Trust**. Christmas goods & bric-brac. No charge, take what you will and make a donation.

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).

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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 for details.

THURSDAY 2 NOVEMBER

FRIENDS' TIDE LUNCH

Harbour Bar & Restaurant, Whitwell

Speaker Elizabeth Mills of 'In Rutland'.

The sign-up list is by the South Door at Oakham. 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.

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

11:00am – 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

- The family and friends of Pam
 Blackburn, whose funeral took place at Oakham on Thursday;
- The family and friends of Peter
 Witchell, who has 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 Carribean and Florida and the flood victims in SE Asia;
- The situation with North Korea;
- The people facing severe famine through civil war in Nigeria, Somalia, Southern Sudan and Yemen:
- Peace in Syria;
- The refugees that they may find safe refuge and a new life, and for all whose lives are torn apart by war and violence, especially the children;
- Give thanks for the release of some of the Nigerian girls, and pray for those still held captive;
- Victims of religious extremism and persecution especially in Sudan, CAR, Kenya, Syria, Somalia, Eritrea, North Korea, China, India, Northern Nigeria, Iran, Iraq, Egypt, and Pakistan;
- The Rutland Food Bank;
- The Drop-in Centre;
- Justin and John our Archbishops and Donald and John, our Bishops;
- Lee, Julie, Iain & Charlotte, our Team Clergy, and all lay members of the Ministry Team, especially Susan Osborne as she begins her work as a Lay Pastoral Minister;
- Madeleine McCann and her family and all missing children.

Friends of All Saints Church

Following a recent Committee Meeting of The Friends it is assuring to know that the official offices can be filled after election when Beryl Kirtland steps down in March 2018.

HOWEVER, Committee Members are URGENTLY needed to help plan and organise events. If you consider you might like to do this please contact Beryl (beryl@oakhamteam.org.uk), Liz Plummer or Brenda Blandford.

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 lain 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. lain 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 at Oakham today, 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.

Oakham Harvest Lunch



84 people came for Sunday Lunch in the Church Hall last week, supplied by I I main meal providers and I I 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.

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 Monday 27th November and Tuesday 5th December from 7-9pm in the Church Hall. Please note change in date of first workshop. 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.

Guli's Consecration

Revd Canon Dr Guli Francis-Dehgani 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.



An INVITATION just for you...

All Saints Church Oakham

Tea Party

Sunday October 22nd 3pm - 4.30pm

Come along and bring a friend Contact Pam 01572 755532



Friends of All Saints' Church, Oakham

All Saints Day

Is being celebrated on Thursday 2nd November 2017



With the Annual Tide Lunch AT

The Harbour Cafe Bar and Restaurant Whitwell Harbour, Rutland Water LE15 8BL

12.30PM FOR 1PM

Speaker: Elizabeth Mills of 'In Rutland'

Cost £19.00

To include two course meal, tea/coffee

Details and sign up list on the table in All Saints' Church

Or Contact Beryl Kirtland on 01572 724103

All Invited. Do Come and Join Us



Main Course

Chicken, Smoked Bacon and Wild Mushroom pie.

or

Roasted Pepper filled with vegetable and Nut Pilaff with Pepper and Tomato sauce.

or

Sea Bass fillet with Prawn sauce served with ribbon pasta

All served with a selection of seasonal vegetables and potatoes

Dessert

Lemon Meringue

Or

Chocolate Mousse served with an Almond Twirl

Tea or Coffee

It helps if you record your menu choices above.



All Saints' Church Oakham

Autumn Sale

Preserves

Handicrafts

Tombola

Raffle

Cakes

Books CDs DVDs

Jigsaws

Bric-2-Brac

Tea, coffee Smince 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

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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 Oct/I Nov

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 16 Oct	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham	
Tuesday 17 Oct	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham 10:00 Holy Communion Oakham	
Wednesday 18 Oct	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham 10:00 MU Corporate Com J&A (3)	12:00 CTiO Prayer Mtg Cong Ch 5:30 Meditation J&A
Thursday 19 Oct	9:00 Team Communion Oakham	12:00 Ecumenical Prayer Oakham
Friday 20 Oct	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham 10:00 BCP Communion Oakham	

Services Next Sunday - 22 October (Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity)

Oakham	8:00 Holy Communion (CW Trad) 10:30 Parish Communion	6:00 Evensong
Whissendine	11:00 Morning Prayer	
Teigh	-	
Market Overton	9:00 Holy Communion	
Ashwell	10:30 Extended Communion	
Langham	11:00 Extended Communion	
Braunston		4:00 Memories
Brooke	8:00 Holy Communion	
Hambleton	9:15 Holy Communion (CW Trad)	
Egleton		

Next Sunday's Readings

Eighteenth after Trinity: Psalm 96.1-9; Isaiah 45.1-7; I Thessalonians 1.1-10; Matthew 22.15-22 Oakham Evensong: Psalm 142; Proverbs 4.1-18; I John 3.16—4.6