

Oakham Saints

Weekly Pewsheet

Service Details and Notices

Bible SundaySunday 29 October 2017

Services in the Team today:

Langham

Oakham 8:00am Holy Communion (CW Trad)

6:00pm Evensong

joined by Oakham Methodist Church

11:00am TEAM HOLY COMMUNION*

No other services in the Team

*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

The Collect

Blessed Lord, who caused all holy Scriptures to be written for our learning: help us so to hear them, to read, mark, learn and inwardly digest them that, through patience, and the comfort of your holy word, we may embrace and for ever hold fast the hope of everlasting life, which you have given us in our Saviour Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Second Reading – Colossians 3.12-17

As God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience. Bear with one another and, if anyone has a complaint against another, forgive each other; just as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive. Above all, clothe yourselves with love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony. And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in the one body. And be thankful. Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly; teach and admonish one another in all wisdom; and with gratitude in your hearts sing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs to God. And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

Gospel – Matthew 24.30-35

Jesus said to his disciples: 'The sign of the Son of Man will appear in heaven, and then all the tribes of the earth will mourn, and they will see "the Son of Man coming on the clouds of heaven" with power and great glory. And he will send out his angels with a loud trumpet call, and they will gather his elect from the four winds, from one end of heaven to the other. 'From the fig tree learn its lesson: as soon as its branch becomes tender and puts forth its leaves, you know that summer is near. So also, when you see all these things, you know that he is near, at the very gates. Truly I tell you, this generation will not pass away until all these things have taken place. Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away.'

Post Communion Prayer

God of all grace, your Son Jesus Christ fed the hungry with the bread of his life and the word of his kingdom: renew your people with your heavenly grace, and in all our weakness sustain us by your true and living bread; who is alive and reigns, now and for ever. **Amen.**

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

206 - Christ is our comer-stone

Responses – Ferial

Psalm 119.97-104 quomodo dilexi

F A G Ouseley



- 97 Lord what love have I | unto · thy | law : all the day | long · is my | stu-dy | in it.
- 78 Thou through thy commandments has made me | wiser \cdot than my | enemies : for | they are | ev-er | with me.
- 99 I have more under- | standing · than my | teachers : for thy | testimon-ies | are my | study.
- 100 I am | wiser · than the | agèd :

 be- | cause I | keep · thy com- | mandments.

- 101 I have refrain'd my feet from every | ev-il | way : that | I may | keep thy | word.
- 102 | | have not | shrunk ⇒ from thy | judge-ments | for thou | teachest me.
- 103 O how sweet are thy words | unto · my | throat : yea sweeter than | hon-ey | unto · my | mouth.
- 104 Through thy commandments I get | under- | standing : therefore I | hate all | ev-il | ways.

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 – Isaiah 55.1-11

Office Hymn

407 - Lord thy word abideth

Magnificat & Nunc Dimittis – Set 10 (E flat)

Second Lesson – Luke 4.14-30

Hymn after the Prayers

388 – Jesus shall reign, where'er the sun (first tune – Truro)

Hymn after the Sermon

486 – We have a gospel to proclaim

This Week

WEDNESDAY I NOVEMBER

I:30pm – MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME

All Saints Oakham

Lucy Collison soprano & piano

Songs by Lehmann & Quilter

Kabalevsky Sonatina Op 13 No 1

THURSDAY 2 NOVEMBER

I 2:30pm – 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).

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

Oakham Methodist Church
Speaker – Revd John Bell of the Iona Community.

If the Nobel Laureate Bob Dylan doesn't reissue an updated version of The Times They Are a-Changin', people of faith should at least



try to offer some lifelines to a society bewildered by Brexit, Trump, Immigrants and the Economy. Prophetic communities such as the Church are called neither simply to critique woes or provide escapist fantasies. We have to identify and encourage hope rooted in present realities. John is a member and

employee of the Iona Community. With his colleagues in the Wild Goose Resource Group, he teaches in areas of liturgy, spirituality and social justice. He works across the globe and is an occasional broadcaster. Non-members £3. For further information visit www.rutlandtheologicalsociety.co.uk.

7:30pm – CINEMA FOR RUTLAND Rutland County Museum Woman in Gold. Tickets £5 from wegottickets.com or on the door.

FRIDAY 3 NOVEMBER

7:30pm – DRAMA FOR RUTLAND Rutland County Museum
Harvest by Richard Bean. Tickets £10 from Oakham Wines, wegottickets.com or on the door.

SATURDAY 4 NOVEMBER

6:30pm – BATTLE OF PASSCHENDAELE TALK Ridlington Church

Given by expert speaker, Major John Cotterill, focusing upon the contributions of Rutland soldiers. In this battle Oakham Team parishes lost 12 soldiers, six from Oakham, three from Langham, two from Whissendine and one from Ashwell (additionally five from Oakham School). All proceeds (£5 entry and donations for refreshments) will go into the church roof fund.

7:30pm – CLARINET RECITAL

All Saints Oakham

Harriet Flather clarinet & James
Speakman piano.

Looking Ahead

TUESDAY 7 NOVEMBER

10:00am-12:00pm – **OPEN HOUSE**Home of Margaret & Geoff Tyler,
28 Irwell Close. Oakham

All are welcome to call in for tea or coffee and a friendly chat.

7:30-9:00pm – PRAYER GATHERING All Saints Oakham

Churches Together in Oakham & District are organising this evening to surround and support in prayer Guli Francis-Dehqani as she prepares to be consecrated as the first Bishop of Loughborough and Lee as he moves on as Rector of Oakham. Guli will be consecrated in Canterbury Cathedral on 30th November.

The evening will include prayer from each church's own tradition, with the theme of thanksgiving for past ministry and for provision for future ministry, both for Lee and Guli and for the churches in the Oakham benefice, since the appointment of Lee's successor is one in which we all have an interest. The evening will end with a candlelit service of Compline from 8:45-9:00pm.

WEDNESDAY 8 NOVEMBER

1:30pm – MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME

All Saints Oakham

Jessica Carr piano
Grace Muris violin

Alina Maries-Reim 'cello
including Shostakovich Piano Trio
No 2 in E minor (extracts)

THURSDAY 9 NOVEMBER

2:15pm – **MOTHERS' UNION MEETING**

All Saints Oakham Church Hall

'Faith in Action in Palestine' – a talk by Jill Cannings, MU member. Please bring your MU collection box along to be emptied. Please note that the December Christmas meeting is now changed to 7th December NOT 14th.

SATURDAY II NOVEMBER

7:30pm – REMEMBRANCE CONCERT

All Saints Oakham

Rutland Concert Band

SATURDAY 18 NOVEMBER

10:00am-12:00pm – ALL SAINTS
AUTUMN SALE – All Saints Oakham

3 weeks to go! Please put donations for the Sale 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. A4 posters are now available after the service from Elaine and Graham to display in windows. Please support us by taking one. Smaller house to house leaflets available nearer the date. Offers of assistance warmly welcomed! Thanks for those already received.

Adam & Julie Lowe are running the **tombola** and if people have any items appropriate that they would like Adam to collect from them please call him on 07801 541389. Specifically looking for bottles of beer, wine, scented candles or those unused old

gifts that you feel would attract interest and generate more income for the **tombola**.

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 Arthur R
 De Chastelai (Joe) Smith, whose funeral took place at Langham on Tuesday;
- The family and friends of **Peter** Witchell, whose funeral took place at Oakham on Friday;
- 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.

Confirmation classes

This is a last-call notice for anyone else who wishes to prepare for confirmation. Bishop John is coming on Sunday 14th January, and we will be preparing candidates between now and Christmas. An adult group will meet on Wednesday evenings at 7:30pm (beginning this Wednesday 1st November and running to 13th December), with Lee and Iain. A young people's group (secondary school ages) will meet on Tuesdays 5:30 to 6:45pm (beginning this Tuesday 31st October and running to 12th December). If you would like to join in, please speak to lain or Lee.

Oakham PCC

At the meeting on 26 September the following items were discussed: (1) New chalice assistants were approved; (2) Susan Osborne presented the plans for the new bereavement counselling scheme; (3) The financial report for September was presented, which showed an improvement in levels of income; (4) The budget for 2018 was approved; (5) The stewardship campaign details were confirmed, with presentations on 8 October; (6) The underground leak in the heating system had been indentified and wuld be fixed soon, and Blounts had been asked to quote to fix the boiler itself; (7) There have been delays from the DAC regarding the replacement alms box; (8) News from the Deanery Synod included a reduction from 9 places to 5 for Rutland in 2018, and a meeting in Oakham on 15 February; (9) Three new Electoral Roll members were approved; (10) The CTiO welcome initiative had decided to use the single leaflet already produced covering all churches rather than a full pack. Full minutes will be available on the noticeboard by the North Door.

USPG Literature

The new *Pray with the World Church* and the *Transmission* magazine for the USPG are by the South Door. Please collect them.

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.

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 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 **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.



Advent Fayre Saturday November 25 Ilam - 3pm Braunston Village Hall

Prize Prawfor 3 Luxury Christmas Hampers

Christmas Cakes and Puddings
Homemade Preserves

Speciality Cakes Gifts for Christmas

Pelicious FOOP served all day

Memory Tree tland-crafted Jewellery Lots of Fun Activities Entry 50p

Proceeds to All Saints' Church, Braunston and supporting Pove Cottage Pay Hospice

Friends of All Saints' Church, Oakham

All Saints Day

Is being celebrated on Thursday 2nd November

With the Annual Tide Lunch

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





Raffle

Tea, coffee & mince pies

Saturday 18 November 10:00am - 12:00pm in All Saints' Church

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.



Abbey Advent Adventures

Launde Abbey is hosting a series of three advent themed evenings and everyone is welcome to attend any or all of the three evenings:



Thursday 30 November, 6.15pm

Exploring Compassion & Friendship with Rev Helen Newman followed by optional 7.30 pm Launde Food Night with dishes from around the world (£16 per head for 2 courses, advanced booking for meal essential on 01572 717254)



Wednesday 6 December, 8pm

Candlelit prayer and scripture, song and silence with Emily Walker inspired by the multicultural, monastic Taizé community in France followed by hot chocolate and cake



Thursday 14 December, 7.30pm

Exploring Listening and Hoping with Rev David Newman followed by seasonal refreshments

Contacts for further information Rev Alison Booker 0116 259 6321 Sue Sills 01664 454584 Miriam Stoate 0116 259 7609

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 10:00am 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 8/15/1 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 30 Oct | 8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham | |
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| Tuesday 31 Oct | 8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham 10:00 Holy Communion Oakham | |
| Wednesday I Nov | 8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham 10:00 Holy Communion J&A 11:00 BCP Communion Langham | 12:00 CTiO Prayer Mtg Cong Ch 12:00 Healing Prayer Oakham 5:30 Meditation J&A |
| Thursday 2 Nov | 9:45 Tiny Tots Oakham 10:30 Little Angels Market Overton | 12:00 All Souls Comm Oakham |
| Friday 3 Nov | 8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham 9:30 CofE Sch Harvest Oakham | 10:00 BCP Communion OS Chapel |

Services Next Sunday - 5 November (All Saints Sunday)

| Oakham | 8:00 Holy Communion (CW Trad) | 6:00 Evensong |
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| | 10:30 Parish Communion | |
| Whissendine | 11:00 Holy Communion | |
| Teigh | 9:00 Matins | |
| Market Overton | 9:00 Holy Communion | 2:00 Holy Baptism |
| Ashwell | 10:30 Morning Worship | |
| Langham | | 6:00 WWR |
| Braunston | 11:00 Holy Communion | |
| Brooke | | 6:00 Evensong |
| Hambleton | | |
| Egleton | 9:15 Holy Communion (CW Trad) | |

Next Sunday's Readings

All Saints Sunday: Psalm 34.1-10; Revelation 7.9-17; I John 3.1-3; Matthew 5.1-12 Oakham Evensong: Psalm 148; Isaiah 65.17-25; Hebrews 11.32–12.2