

# Mary Ashwel

Brooke

# Weekly Pewsheet

Service Details and Notices

# All Saints Sunday Sunday 5 November 2017

Services in the Team today:

8:00am Holy Communion (CW Trad) Oakham

10:30am Parish Communion\*

6:00pm Evensong

Whissendine 11:00am Holy Communion\*

Teigh 9:00am Matins

**Ashwell** 10:30am Morning Worship

9:00am Holy Communion\* **Market Overton** 

2:00pm Holy Baptism

Langham 6:00pm Word, Worship & Response

**Braunston** 11:00am Holy Communion\*

6:00pm Evensong Hambleton

No service

9:15am Holy Communion (CW Trad) **Egleton** 

\*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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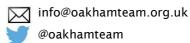
Mrs Janine Weaver Team Administrator - 01572 724007 office@oakhamteam.org.uk The Team Office is staffed on Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday 9am-1pm, Thursdays 11am-3pm and Fridays by email. Notices or reports for inclusion in the pew sheet and website should be sent to notices@oakhamteam.org.uk or delivered to the office by Wednesday at 11 am.



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#### Collect

Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: grant us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living that we may come to those inexpressible joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, Amen.

# First Reading – Revelation 7.9-17\*

After this I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. They cried out in a loud voice, saying, 'Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!' And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshipped God, singing, 'Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honour and power and might be to our God for ever and ever! Amen.' Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, 'Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?' I said to him, 'Sir, you are the one that knows.' Then he said to me, 'These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb. For this reason they are before the throne of God, and worship him day and night within his temple, and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them. They will hunger no more, and thirst no more; the sun will not strike them, nor any scorching heat; for the Lamb at the centre of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of the water of life, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.'

# Second Reading - 1 John 3.1-3

See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure.

# Gospel – Matthew 5.1-12

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying: 'Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted. Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth. Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled. Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy. Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God. Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God. Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.'

## **Post Communion Prayer**

God, the source of all holiness and giver of all good things: may we who have shared at this table as strangers and pilgrims here on earth be welcomed with all your saints to the heavenly feast on the day of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.** 

## This Week

# **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**

I: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)

7:30pm – HOME GROUP
19 Ashwell Road, Oakham

#### **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.

#### FRIDAY 10 NOVEMBER

10:00am - HANDICRAFT GROUP 8 Peterborough Avenue, Oakham

At the final meeting for this year we will be pricing goods ready for the Autumn Sale on Saturday 18 November. If anyone has any contributions for the stall we would be pleased to receive them before the pricing meeting. Please contact Sally Corton (01572 722272).

# SATURDAY II NOVEMBER

7:30pm – POPPY APPEAL CONCERT

All Saints Oakham

Rutland Concert Band with

Rutland Choral Society Tickets f

**Rutland Choral Society.** Tickets £5 on the door – all proceeds to the Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal.

7:30 FOR 8:00pm – **AUCTION OF PROMISES – Barrowden Village Hall** 

In aid of St Peter's Church reordering. £5 entrance fee including refreshments. More details online.

#### SUNDAY 12 NOVEMBER

#### REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

The main County Remembrance
Service takes place at Oakham at
2:30pm, when armed forces personnel
& public dignitaries will be in
attendance. For details of Services in the
villages please see the back page or the
website. There will be no Evensong
at Oakham.

# **Looking Ahead**

#### TUESDAY 14 NOVEMBER

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.

# WEDNESDAY 15 NOVEMBER

1:30pm – MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME
All Saints Oakham
Form 3 Music Award Holders
Dunhill Quintet in E flat Op3 (part)

## SATURDAY 18 NOVEMBER

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

Getting closer! **2 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. Can you contribute to the Cakes **Stall?** Araminta would be very pleased to receive offers of baking. **A4 posters** to display in windows are still available from Elaine and Graham. Please support us by taking one. Smaller house to house leaflets are now also available. Just give out or post a few small publicity leaflets through doors in your road. Or display one in your car window. Good publicity will help us to be really successful. Thank you. 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.

7:30pm – **FASHION SHOW St Peter & St Paul Langham**Glitzy! Food, bar, etc.

Supported by Albar's Den & Cowgirl in Couture.

## **SATURDAY 25 NOVEMBER**

10:00am-4:00pm – WINTER MINI BAZAAR & BOOK FAYRE St Andrew Whissendine

A large variety of goods for sale with many new additions and some interestingly not so new. A wide selection of books to browse and purchase. Something for everyone so come along to Church for a bargain. Tea, coffee & biscuits.

# II:00am-3:00pm – ADVENT FAYRE Braunston Village Hall

Prize draw; Christmas cakes & puddings; homemade preserves; gifts; jewellery. Food served all day. Fun activities. Memory Tree. Entry 50p, proceeds to All Saints Braunston and supporting Dove Cottage Day Hospice.

# **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**

II: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

 Sophia Turner, who will be baptised at Market Overton today, and her parents Andrew & Rosey;

- The family and friends of Barbara Hull, whose funeral took place at Oakham on Tuesday;
- The family and friends of **Derrick Eldred**, whose funeral took place at
   Peterborough Crematorium on Tuesday;
- The victims of the terror attach in
   New York, and all who continue to
   suffer from the effects of violent attacks;
- The people of Spain;
- The situation with North Korea;
- The people facing severe famine in Nigeria, Somalia, Southern Sudan and Yemen;
- Peace in Syria;
- The refugees, especially those from Myanmar, 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 Brexit negotiations, that they may be conducted with wisdom and fairness;
- 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.

# Congratulations!



The original date was postponed, but Caroline MacKinnon has now completed her skydive – she undertook the tandem skydive from 13,000ft in memory of her late husband Alistair, and has raised over £4,000 for Rutland Sailability, a very special local Charity enabling adults and children suffering physical and emotional impairments to gain self-confidence and pleasure learning to sail with more competent sailors on lovely Rutland Water, and she would like to thank all those who supported her.

# Rutland Foodbank Christmas Hampers

Once again, Rutland Foodbank will be giving Christmas Hampers to those in our county who may struggle to buy those small luxuries that make Christmas a celebration. The hampers will include mince pies, Christmas puddings, chocolates and even family games. We are seeking cash donations. £20 will sponsor one

hamper but any amount is welcome – cheques made payable to 'Rutland Foodbank'. Donations can be made to the Team Office at Oakham, or via team ministers in the villages, by 7 December if possible.

# Oakham Stewardship

Please let Gordon have your response to the Stewardship Campaign today if you have not done so already. Thank you to all those who have responded positively so far.

# **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.

## Remembrance Service

We are expecting in excess of 600 people to attend the County Remembrance Service next Sunday at 2:30pm (armed forces personnel, public dignitaries & general public). To seat them all will involve moving pews and putting out chairs. If you can help for 10/15 minutes after the 10:30am service it would be greatly appreciated. Thank you, Peter Kinal.

# **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 is meeting on Wednesday evenings at 7:30pm (from last Wednesday until 13th December), with Lee and lain. A young

people's group (secondary school ages) meets on Tuesdays 5:30 to 6:45pm (from last Tuesday until 12th December). If you would like to join in, please speak to lain or Lee.

# 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.

# 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.

# 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 Oakham today. 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.

# **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 Saints Church

# 7.30 – 9pm Tuesday November 7<sup>th</sup> 2017

Come and go every quarter hour

8.45pm Compline by Candlelight
All Welcome

# OAKHAM TEAM MINISTRY

# All Saints' Church Oakham

# Autumn Sale

Preserves

Cakes

Handicrafts

Books CDs DVDs

Tombola

Jigsaws

Raffle

Bric-2-Brac

Tea, coffee &mince pies

Saturday 18 November 10:00am - 12:00pm in All Saints' Church Advent Fayre
Saturday November 25
11am - 3pm
Braunston Village Hall

Prize Praw for 3 Luxury Christmas Hampers

Christmas Cakes and Puddings

Homemade Preserves

Speciality Cakes

Gifts for Christmas

Pelicious FOOD served all day

Memory

Hand-crafted Jewellery

Lots of Fun Activities

Entry 50p

Proceeds to All Saints' Church, Braunston and supporting

Pove Cottage Pay Hospice

# WHISSENDINE ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH WINTER MINI BAZAAR & BOOK FAYRE



A large variety of goods for sale with many new additions and some interestingly not so new.

A wide selection of books to browse and purchase.

Something for everyone so come along to Church for a bargain.

Tea, coffee & biscuits.

# Saturday November 25, 2017.

10am until 4pm.

# 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 II:00am (except 2nd)

Whissendine Church

**ASH&ASK** (All Saints Hub/Kids – aged II-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

I I: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 8/15/22 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 6 Nov	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham	7:30 Light Circle Langham*
Tuesday 7 Nov	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham 10:00 Holy Communion Oakham	
Wednesday 8 Nov	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham 10:00 Holy Communion J&A	12:00 CTiO Prayer Mtg Cong Ch 5:30 Meditation J&A
Thursday 9 Nov	9:00 <b>Team Communion</b> Oakham 9:45 <b>Tiny Tots</b> Oakham 10:30 <b>Little Angels</b> Market Overton	12:00 Ecumenical Prayer Oakham 12:15 Celtic Prayer Egleton
Friday 10 Nov	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham 10:00 BCP Communion Oakham	

<sup>\*</sup>check venue

# Services Next Sunday - 12 November (Remembrance Sunday - Third before Advent)

Oakham	8:00 Holy Communion (CW Trad) 10:30 Parish Communion	2:30 County Remembrance No Evensong
Whissendine	10:50 Remembrance Service	
Teigh	9:00 Remembrance Service	
Market Overton	10:45 Remembrance Service	
Ashwell	10:30 Remembrance Service	
Langham	10:50 Remembrance Service	
Braunston	10:50 Remembrance Service	
Brooke	8:00 Holy Communion (BCP)	
Hambleton	9:15 Remembrance Service	
Egleton		

# **Next Sunday's Readings**

Third before Advent: Psalm 70; Amos 5.18-24; I Thessalonians 4.13-18; Matthew 25.1-13 Remembrance Services: Isaiah 2.1-5; Matthew 5.1-12