
**Presentation of Christ
in the Temple**
Friday 2 February 2018

A Service for Candlemas

*Prayer, music,
poetry and silence*

and farewell to
Revd Canon Julie Hutchinson
and Phillip Hutchinson



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7:30pm Candlemas Service

Gathering

Opening Chant



Wait for the Lord, whose day is near. Wait for the Lord: keep watch, take heart!

Wait for the Lord, whose day is near. Wait for the Lord: keep watch, take heart!

Reading

The Incarnation by St John of the Cross

Song



The first verse will be sung by the choir, please join in as you pick up the tune.

1. Before the world began, one Word was there;
grounded in God he was, rooted in care;
by him all things were made, in him was love displayed,
through him God spoke, and said, "I am for you".
2. Life found in him its source, death found its end;
light found in him its course, darkness its friend.
For neither death nor doubt nor darkness can put out
the glow of God, the shout, "I am for you".
3. The Word was in the world which from him came;
unrecognised he was, unknown by name;
one with all humankind, with the unloved aligned,
convincing sight and mind, "I am for you".
4. All who received the Word by God were blessed;
sisters and brothers they of earth's fond guest.
So did the Word of grace proclaim in time and space
and with a human face, "I am for you".

Introduction

We meet to celebrate the coming of Jesus into our world.

The Word was made flesh and dwelt among us.

And we beheld his glory.

Jesus Christ is the light of the world.

A light no darkness can overpower.

A period of silence for reflection on the past day.

The Lord whom you seek will suddenly enter his temple.

The messenger of the covenant in whom you delight,

indeed, he is coming, says the Lord of hosts.

But who can endure the day of his coming,

and who can stand when he appears?

For he is like a refiner's fire and like fullers' soap;

he will sit as a refiner and purifier of silver.

Act of Penitence

**May your loving mercy come to me, O Lord,
and your salvation according to your word.**

The cantor sings and all repeat



Kyrie eleison. **Kyrie eleison.** *Lord, have mercy.*

Your word is a lantern to my feet and a light to my path.



Christe eleison. **Christe eleison.** *Christ, have mercy.*

O let your mercy come to me that I may live,
for your law is my delight.



Kyrie eleison. **Kyrie eleison.** *Lord, have mercy.*

Psalm 134

1. Come, bless the Lord, all you servants of the Lord
you that by night stand in the house of the Lord.

2. Lift up your hands towards the sanctuary
and bless the Lord.

3. The Lord who made heaven and earth
give you blessing out of Zion.

**Glory to the Father and to the Son
and to the Holy Spirit;**

**as it was in the beginning is now
and shall be for ever. Amen.**

The Gospel

*The Gospel of the Presentation of Christ in the Temple is read in sections.
During this time there will be silence and reflection and music.*

Luke 2.22-24

When the time came for their purification according to the law of Moses, Mary and Joseph brought Jesus up to Jerusalem to present him to the Lord, (as it is written in the law of the Lord, 'Every firstborn male shall be designated as holy to the Lord'), and they offered a sacrifice according to what is stated in the law of the Lord, 'a pair of turtle-doves or two young pigeons'.

Reflection

A Reflection on Candlemas by Malcolm Guite, poet and priest of Girton College, Cambridge, followed by his Sonnet for Candlemas

Silence

Song

Be - hold the Lamb of God, be - hold the Lamb of God. He
takes a - way the sin, the sin of the world.

Behold the Lamb of God, behold the Lamb of God.
He takes away the sin, the sin of the world.

Luke 2.25-28

Now there was a man in Jerusalem whose name was Simeon; this man was righteous and devout, looking forward to the consolation of Israel, and the Holy Spirit rested on him. It had been revealed to him by the Holy Spirit that he would not see death before he had seen the Lord's Messiah. Guided by the Spirit, Simeon came into the temple; and when the parents brought in the child Jesus, to do what was customary under the law, Simeon took him in his arms and praised God.

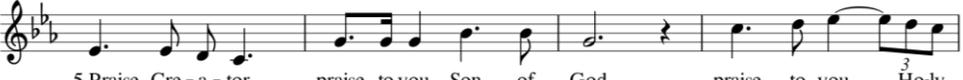
The Song of Simeon (Nunc Dimittis)

Please join in the responses.

1. Now Mas-ter, let your ser-vant go in peace. Now your Word is ful-
filled: Let your ser - vant go in peace...
2. For my eyes have witnessed your sav-ing deed: Let your ser-vant go in peace...
3. Your deed displayed for all to see: Let your ser-vant go in peace...
4. Your light, a re - veal - ing light, a light to the

19

 Gentiles The glo - ry of your peo - ple Is - ra - el.

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 5.Praise Cre - a - tor, praise to you, Son of God, praise to you Ho - ly

28

 Spir - it, now and ev - ermore. A - men. A - men. A - men.

Now, Master, let your servant go in peace; now your Word is fulfilled

Let your servant go in peace

For my eyes have witnessed your saving deed,

Let your servant go in peace

Your deed, displayed for all to see,

Let your servant go in peace

Your light, a revealing light, a light to the Gentiles:
 the glory of your people Israel.

Praise Creator, praise to you, Son of God, praise to you Holy Spirit,

Now and evermore. Amen. Amen. Amen.

Luke 2.33-35

And the child's mother and father were amazed at what was being said about him. Then Simeon blessed them and said to his mother Mary, 'This child is destined for the falling and the rising of many in Israel, and to be a sign that will be opposed so that the inner thoughts of many will be revealed - and a sword will pierce your own soul too.'

Reflection

A Reflection from the writings of Kathleen Norris, an American poet and sometime preacher

Silence

Song



Christ Jesus, Lord and Saviour, Christ Jesus, Lord and Saviour.

Luke 2.36-40

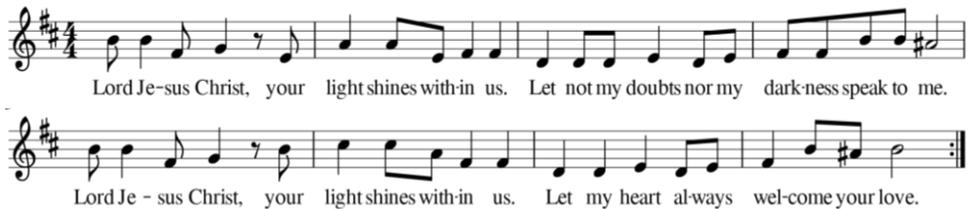
There was also a prophet, Anna the daughter of Phanuel, of the tribe of Asher. She was a great age, having lived with her husband seven years after her marriage, then as a widow to the age of eighty-four. She never left the temple but worshipped there with fasting and prayer night and day. At that moment she came, and began to praise God and to speak about the child to all who were looking for the redemption of Jerusalem. When they had finished everything required by the law of the Lord, they returned to Galilee, to their own town of Nazareth. The child grew and became strong, filled with wisdom; and the favour of God was upon him.

Reflection

Reflection on Light and Prayer by Ann Lewin

Silence

Song



Lord Jesus Christ, your light shines within us,
let not my doubts and my darkness speak to me
Lord Jesus Christ, your light shines within us,
let my heart always welcome your love.

Intercessions

Please sing the response twice after each one



Christ is light, in him there is no darkness, come to him and he will give you light

After the final intercession, a prayer for Julie and Phillip as they go to where God calls them to new work.

We sing the blessing from Numbers 6, the choir the first time, then all join in a further twice.



May God bless and keep you, may God's face shine on you:
may God be kind to you and give you peace.

The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father who art in heaven,
hallowed be Thy name.
Thy Kingdom come,
Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven
Give us this day our daily bread.
Forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory.
For ever and ever. Amen.**

Collect

We give you thanks, O God,
for the gift to the world of our Redeemer;
as we sing your glory at the close of this day,
so may we know his presence in our hearts,
who is our Saviour and our Lord,
now and for ever.

Amen.

Anthem

Here, O my Lord, I see thee face to face; here will I touch and handle things unseen;
here grasp with firmer hand the eternal grace, and all my weariness upon thee lean.

Here would I feed upon the bread of God, here drink with thee the royal wine of heaven;
here would I lay aside each earthly load, here taste afresh the calm of sin forgiven.

Here, O my Lord, I see thee face to face;

Words: Horatius N Bonar (1808-1889) Music: Alan Viner (b 1951)

Closing Responses

God of God,
Light of Light,
True God of true God

We bless you.

Object of the Magi's search,
Subject of an old man's song,
Fulfilment of the Baptist's preaching,

We bless you.

Mary's son,
Joseph's son,
God's only son,

We bless you.

Closing Song



1. Born in the night, born in the darkness,
shown to us all by the light of a star,
Jesus the Christ, come to your temple,
promise of God to all.

Christ, be our light!

Shine in our hearts. Shine through the darkness.

Christ, be our light!

Shine in your church gathered today.

2. We see your light, we often falter,
flick'ring our candles and feeble our hearts;
turn us to walk with you as our Saviour,
taking the humbler part.

3. Lord, you have called us out of the darkness,
brought us to birth in your wonderful light;
May we be light to all who surround us
until the end of life:

Words: Bernadette Farrell (b 1957) & Ann Blackett Music: Christ Be Our Light, Bernadette Farrell (b 1957)

Acknowledgments

Wait for the Lord, Christ Jesus Lord and Saviour (O Christe Domine Jesu)
and Lord Jesus Christ, your light shines within us – *Les Presses et Ateliers de Taizé*

The Incarnation – St John of the Cross

from *Divine Inspiration: The life of Jesus in World Poetry, 1998, Oxford University Press, New York and London*

I am for you, Kyrie eleison (Bridget), Behold the Lamb of God, and closing reflections

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Christ is light - Jack Miffleton, NALR/OCP

Ninc Dimittis and May God bless and keep you – Christopher Walker, OCP

Christ, be our light – Bernadette Farrell, OCP

This Sunday

3:00pm – LICENSING OF REVD
DEBORAH MARSH

St Andrew Whissendine

Deborah will be licensed by the Bishop of Brixworth as Team Vicar responsible for Whissendine, Teigh, Ashwell & Market Overton. The only other services in the Team will be at Oakham, Braunston & Egleton.

During the Week

TUESDAY 6 FEBRUARY

7:00pm – BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

All Saints Oakham Church Hall

The group will be meeting regularly on the second Tuesday of the month after this meeting to learn from each other, pray and support each other. More information from Susan Osborne (07926 833684), Sian Cheverton (01572 755286) or Madeleine Morris (07754 414437) or one of the ministry team.

WEDNESDAY 7 FEBRUARY

1:30pm – MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME

All Saints Oakham

Tom Clough *tenor*

Vaughan Williams *Mystical Songs*

Haydn *In native worth (The Creation)*

Fauré *Après un rêve*

THURSDAY 8 FEBRUARY

NO CELTIC MIDDAY PRAYER

St Edmund Egleton

Moved for this month only to 15 February.

2:15pm – **MOTHERS' UNION**
MONTHLY MEETING

All Saints Church Hall, Oakham

Praying with Poems. Our speaker will be Susan Osborne (Lay Pastoral Minister). All welcome.

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

Oakham Methodist Church

Inspiring Hope: transactional faith for our times – speaker:

Revd Canon Chris Chivers. A plague starts. Aaron is sent with his censer to stand between the living and the dead and the plague ceases. In whom is the God of the gaps now to be found? Chris will be exploring this question to announce a global theology of hope for this, as for any age. More details on the website. Non-members £4.



FRIDAY 9 FEBRUARY

1:30pm – MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME

All Saints Oakham

John Dobson *piano*

Edward Macdowell *Sonata No 4 Op 59 (Keltic)*

SATURDAY 10 FEBRUARY

7:00pm – **QUIZ AND CHIPS**

Langham Village Hall

Teams of up to 8 - £10 peer head. In aid of Langham Parish Church.

SUNDAY 11 FEBRUARY

10:30am – **FAMILY SERVICE**

All Saints Oakham

Swapped from the third Sunday this month.

Looking Ahead

TUESDAY 13 FEBRUARY

10:00am-12:00pm – **OPEN HOUSE**

Home of Robin Robson, 14 Bowling Green Close, Oakham

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

12:00pm onwards – **PANCAKE DAY!**

Braunston Village Hall

Make them, decorate them, eat them, and join in the relay race. £2 entry, proceeds to Rutland Foodbank.

7:00pm – **FRIENDS SHROVETIDE PARTY**

All Saints Oakham Church Hall

All the usual food and fun. Sign-up sheet on the table by the South Door at Oakham.

ASH WEDNESDAY 14 FEBRUARY

10:00am – **HOLY COMMUNION**

Chapel of St John & St Anne

With imposition of ashes.

12:00pm – **BCP LITANY**

All Saints Oakham

With imposition of ashes (no communion)

1:30pm – **MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME**

All Saints Oakham

James Bagley flute & *Viv Jackson* piano

Fauré Pie Jesus (Requiem)

Elgar Serious Doll (Nursery Suite)

Debussy Rêverie & En Bateau

Godard Allegretto (Suite of 3 pieces)

Boehm Souvenir des Alpes

Doppler Hungarian Fantasie

7:30pm – **TEAM HOLY COMMUNION**

St Edmund Egleton

With imposition of ashes. The Team Choir Laudamus will sing.

THURSDAY 15 FEBRUARY

12:15pm – **CELTIC MIDDAY PRAYER**

St Edmund Egleton

Weave a silence onto your lips; weave a silence onto your mind; and weave a silence onto your soul. **Please note change of date for this month.**

More information from Vyv Wainwright (01572 755752)

7:30pm – **DEANERY SYNOD MEETING**

All Saints Oakham

Speaker – Louise Marsh of the Evergeen Trust, speaking about Ministry to the elderly. All are welcome to attend, not just Synod members.

FRIDAY 16 FEBRUARY

11:30am – **STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

All Saints Oakham

Every Friday during Lent.

SUNDAY 18 FEBRUARY

10:30am – **TEAM HOLY COMMUNION**

All Saints Oakham

The farewell service for our Team Rector, Revd Canon Lee Francis-Dehqani. **There will be no other service in the Team today except 8:00am Communion at Oakham.**

THURSDAY 22 FEBRUARY

10:30am – **TEAM WALKING GROUP**

The Royal Oak, Duddington

The next walk is from the Royal Oak (arrive 10:15am to pre-order lunch), and is approx. 5 miles within Fineshades Wood where the terrain is generally good throughout. New walkers always welcome just turn up suitably attired. Group contact Dennis Corton on 01572 722272.

FRIDAY 23 FEBRUARY

12:00pm – **LENT LUNCH**

All Saints Church Hall, Oakham

Organised by Churches Together in Oakham, and prepared by All Saints. Every Friday until 23 March.

SATURDAY 24 FEB / 3 MAR

9:30am-4:00pm – **BISHOP'S BIBLE DAY**

Peterborough Cathedral (24 Feb)

Northampton High School (3 Mar)

A day of studying the Bible with Bishop Donald. Open to anyone who is interested in learning more about the Bible. Free (donations welcome). Further details and booking information on the website.

SATURDAY 3 MARCH

5:30pm – **RSCM AWARD HOLDERS EVENSONG**

Peterborough Cathedral

Rehearsal at 2:00pm.

Please pray for

- The family and friends of **Dorothy Watson**, whose funeral takes place on Friday 16 February at 2:00pm at Braunston;
- All those still trying to rebuild their lives after environmental disasters, especially the people in California;
- Those whose jobs are threatened by the collapse of Carillion;
- The victims of the terror attacks and who continue to suffer from the effects of violence, especially the children;
- The situation with North Korea;
- The people still facing severe famine in Nigeria, Somalia, Southern Sudan and Yemen;
- Dedicated and effective action against climate change and the pollution of our seas;
- Those returning to Iraq and those in Syria as they try to rebuild their lives and for the plight of the refugees from Myanmar;
- 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, Deborah, Iain & Charlotte, our Team Clergy, and all lay members of the Ministry Team;
- Julie and Phillip, as they prepare to move;
- Madeleine McCann and her family and all missing children.

Oakham Road Closures

You may have seen the signs, but please be aware that parts of Church Street will be closed for resurfacing works during the weeks beginning 12th and 19th February (Monday to Friday only). During the first week (12-16 February) the northern part will be closed, from a point halfway between the entrance and exit to the car park and Station Road (as well as the eastern half of Station Road), and during the second week (19-23 February) the southern part will be closed, from the halfway point to High Street, and including the end of Northgate. This means that during the first week there will be vehicular access to the church (and the car park) from High Street/Northgate, and during the second week access to the car park from the north, and access to the church on foot, but no vehicular access. In the following two weeks (w/b 26 February and 2 March) the western sections of Northgate and Station Road respectively will be closed.

Do You Drive to Church?

If so, could you offer a lift to someone who can't get here otherwise? We have a handful of regular worshippers

who are becoming unable to walk or drive themselves, and would much appreciate offers of help. Few of us could offer a lift every single week, but don't let that hold you back - all help will be gratefully received. Please speak to Revd Iain Osborne.

Palm Crosses

At the 10:30 Family Service at Oakham next Sunday, 11th February, we will be preparing for Ash Wednesday. Traditionally, we use ash from burning last year's palm crosses. If you have kept a palm cross from last Easter, please would you bring it to church?

Baptism Visiting – Request for Help

We are privileged that dozens of people bring their children to All Saints Oakham every year for baptism. We keep in touch with these families after the baptism, and we need some more volunteers for this work. Could you join this team? The role is not onerous: you would be asked to take on perhaps half-a-dozen children – to send a card on the anniversary, and drop in a newsletter three times a year to invite the family to relevant church activities. Each time, you could use the delivery as an opportunity for a visit, or if you haven't time, just put it through the door. If you could help with this, please speak to Jackie Vecqueray (756613) or Revd. Iain Osborne.

Foodbank Update

The Foodbank is currently short of the following items – sponge puddings, packets of smash, long life fruit juice, long life milk, deodorant, shower gel/soap, shaving foam/gel, washing-up liquid, washing powder/gel, large size nappies & toilet rolls. We have plenty of cereals and porridge, baked beans, tea, sanitary items, pasta and pasta sauces, fizzy drinks & cordials and most tinned goods at the moment. Thanks as ever for your ongoing generosity – your support has been such at Harvest & Christmas that the warehouse is creaking!

Easter Chicks

If you can help with knitting chicks for Easter please can you contact Margaret Tyler (01572 724799 or margaret.tyler@oakhamteam.org.uk). Pattern available.

St John & St Anne

St John & St Anne is an Almshouse Charity providing quality homes for retired people in receipt of a state pension. If you can live independently, and are looking to downsize but cannot afford to buy property locally, please call for further information – 01572 756950 or visit the website www.stjohnstanne.co.uk.

Music at Lunchtime – To a Wild Rose

In addition to the regular Wednesday concerts, there will be a short series of four **Friday concerts** this winter, in which **John Dobson** will play **Edward**

MacDowell's four piano sonatas, which symmetrically surround the set of *Woodland Sketches* that give Edward MacDowell the *Fur Elise* moment – the ever popular and beautifully simple *To a Wild Rose*. Each of the sonatas will be preceded by this miniature along with one or more of the set of ten pieces.

Treasurer Wanted

The Friends of All Saints Church is a social group, which conducts events and outings throughout the year for all members of the church community and also helps to raise money for a chosen charity each year. The committee are still looking for someone, who could act as Treasurer, to join their small and friendly group. This would not be an onerous position and would only involve meetings five or six times a year. If you feel that you could help, or if you would like a bit more information, please contact Liz Plummer (01572 720506, 07969 202624 or liz.plummer@oakhamteam.org.uk).

Traidcraft Stall Pattern

The stall will be in Oakham Church after the 10:30 service today and next week. Thank you for your continued support. Denise (722729).

Kairos Prison Mission

Kairos will be repeating last year's very successful mission to Stocken Prison from 12-16 March 2018, and will be seeking help to bake biscuits, create a prayer chain, and to join the visiting team during the week itself. Cathy Dyson will be preaching at Oakham about the mission on Sunday 25 February.



Langham Village Hall



QUIZ & Chips Night

Fundraiser for
Langham
Parish Church



£10 (includes fish & chips)
Teams of up to eight * Pay bar

Phone Debbie (723533) or Hilary (757435) or email
langham@oakhamteam.org.uk if you'd like to book a table!

Saturday 10th February
7:00pm

www.oakhamteam.org.uk/langham

FRIENDS OF ALL SAINTS CHURCH
OAKHAM

**SHROVETIDE
PARTY**
ON
**Tuesday 13th
February**

AT
7PM
IN THE
CHURCH HALL
COST
£5.00 PAY AT THE DOOR

FOOD AND ENTERTAINMENT
BRING YOUR OWN WINE OR BEER
NAMES ON LIST IN CHURCH FOR
CATERING PLEASE



Pancake Day!

*Make them!
Decorate them!
Eat and enjoy them!*

*Pancake Relay Race
Teams of FOUR
50p/person*

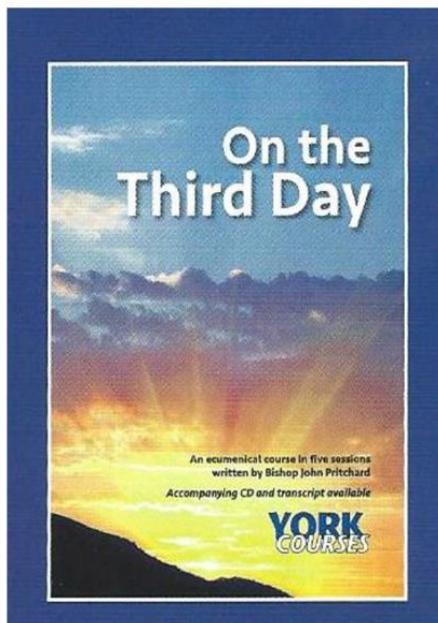


*Midday onwards
Braunston Village Hall
Entry £2.00, special activities 50p*



*All Proceeds to
Rutland Food Bank*

Churches Together in Oakham and District York Lent Course 2018



"The resurrection is the Big Story that turned a little Jewish protest movement into a world transforming religion. And yet by Easter Monday we've almost forgotten about it and are planning our summer holidays.

How can we recapture the explosive power of the resurrection that ricocheted around the world?

How can we live in the glow of resurrection and be an Easter people?

How can 'there and then' become 'here and now'?"

Featuring: Libby Lane, Bishop of Stockport
Tom Wright, former Bishop of Durham and NT Scholar
Ruth Gee, former President of the Methodist Conference
Paul Vallely, Roman Catholic journalist and broadcaster

- Session 1: Have I got news for you!
- Session 2: So What? The implications of the Resurrection
- Session 3: Let him Easter in us
- Session 4: Celebrating and praying Easter
- Session 5: A risen Church

If you would like to participate in this year's Lent Course, please sign up on the sheet in your church by **Sunday 4th February at the very latest.**

The courses will start in the week beginning Monday 19th February.

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 31 Jan/7 Feb/24 Jan
Whissendine Bells Thu 7:30-9:00pm

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

Bereavement Support Group
Second Tuesday of every month 7:00pm
in **Oakham Church Hall**

Services This Sunday – 4 February

Second Sunday before Lent

<i>Oakham</i>	8:00 Holy Communion (CW Trad) 10:30 Parish Communion
<i>Whissendine</i>	3:00 LICENSING of Revd Deborah Marsh
<i>Braunston</i>	11:00 Extended Communion
<i>Egleton</i>	9:15 Holy Communion (CW Trad)

Services During The Week

<i>Mon 5 Feb</i>	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham	7:30 Light Circle Langham*
<i>Tue 6 Feb</i>	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham 10:00 Holy Communion Oakham	
<i>Wed 7 Feb</i>	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
<i>Thu 8 Feb</i>	9:00 Team Communion Oakham 9:45 Tiny Tots Oakham	10:30 Little Angels Market Overton 12:00 Ecumenical Prayer Oakham
<i>Fri 9 Feb</i>	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham	10:00 BCP Communion Oakham

Services Next Sunday – 11 February

Sunday next before Lent

<i>Oakham</i>	8:00 Holy Communion (CW Trad) 10:30 Family Service	6:00 Evensong
<i>Whissendine</i>	11:00 Family Service	
<i>Teigh</i>	9:00 Holy Communion (BCP)	
<i>Market Overton</i>	9:00 Morning Worship	
<i>Ashwell</i>	10:30 Holy Communion	
<i>Langham</i>	11:00 Holy Communion	
<i>Braunston</i>	11:00 Sunday Worship	
<i>Brooke</i>	8:00 Holy Communion (BCP)	
<i>Hambleton</i>	9:15 Holy Communion	