

Ministry Team **Dakham**

Weekly Pewsheet

Service Details and Notices

Fifth Sunday of Lent Sunday 18 March 2018

Services in the Team today:

Oakham 8:00am Holy Communion (CW Trad)

10:30am Family Service 6:00pm Evensong

Whissendine 11:00am Holy Communion*

Teigh 4:00pm Evensong

Ashwell No service

Market Overton No service

Langham No service

Braunston 11:00am Holy Communion*

Brooke 6:00pm Evensong

Hambleton No service

Egleton 9:15am Holy Communion*

*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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Collect

Most merciful God, who by the death and resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ delivered and saved the world: grant that by faith in him who suffered on the cross we may triumph in the power of his victory; 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 – Jeremiah 31.31-34

The days are surely coming, says the LORD, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and the house of Judah. It will not be like the covenant that I made with their ancestors when I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt – a covenant that they broke, though I was their husband, says the LORD. But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the LORD: I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts; and I will be their God, and they shall be my people. No longer shall they teach one another, or say to each other, 'Know the LORD', for they shall all know me, from the least of them to the greatest, says the LORD; for I will forgive their iniquity, and remember their sin no more.

Second Reading – Hebrews 5.5-10*

Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high priest, but was appointed by the one who said to him, 'You are my Son, today I have begotten you'; as he says also in another place, 'You are a priest for ever, according to the order of Melchizedek.' In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered; and having been made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him, having been designated by God a high priest according to the order of Melchizedek.

Gospel – John 12.20-33

Among those who went up to worship at the festival were some Greeks. They came to Philip, who was from Bethsaida in Galilee, and said to him, 'Sir, we wish to see Jesus.' Philip went and told Andrew; then Andrew and Philip went and told Jesus. lesus answered them, 'The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. Very truly, I tell you, unless a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains just a single grain; but if it dies, it bears much fruit. Those who love their life lose it, and those who hate their life in this world will keep it for eternal life. Whoever serves me must follow me, and where I am, there will my servant be also. Whoever serves me, the Father will honour. 'Now my soul is troubled. And what should I say -"Father, save me from this hour"? No. it is for this reason that I have come to this hour. Father, glorify your name.' Then a voice came from heaven, 'I have glorified it, and I will glorify it again.' The crowd standing there heard it and said that it was thunder. Others said, 'An angel has spoken to him.' lesus answered, 'This voice has come for your sake, not for mine. Now is the judgement of this world; now the ruler of this world will be driven out. And I, when I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all people to myself.' He said this to indicate the kind of death he was to die.

Post Communion Prayer

Lord Jesus Christ,
you have taught us
that what we do for the least of our brothers and sisters
we do also for you:
give us the will to be the servant of others
as you were the servant of all,
and gave up your life and died for us,
but are alive and reign, now and for ever. Amen.

Today

8:30am – LANGHAM APCM
St Peter & St Paul Langham

Breakfast followed by the meeting.

10:30am - FAMILY SERVICE
All Saints Oakham

Instead of the usual Family Communion.

12:00pm – WHISSENDINE APCM St Andrew Whissendine After the morning service.

4:50pm – **TEIGH APCM** *Holy Trinity Teigh*After evensong.

6:00pm – BEHOLD THE LAMB OF GOD Stamford Methodist Church, Barnhill A meditation in words and music for Passion Sunday with the St Peter's Singers.

This Week

TUESDAY 20 MARCH

10:30am - RUTLAND REMINDERS Brambles, Rutland Care Village

Singing sessions for people with dementia. 07779 413889 or rutlandreminders.org.uk for details. This is an important change of time to hopefully get more Guests with dementia and their Carers from private homes round Rutland.

WEDNESDAY 21 MARCH

1:30pm – MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME All Saints Oakham

Vienna Chan piano

Music to include: **Chopin** Ballade No 4

THURDSAY 22 MARCH

10:30am - TEAM WALKING GROUP

The Wheatsheaf, Greetham

The next walk of approx 5 miles is from the Wheatsheaf across to Exton Park, Fort Henry and the Greetham Valley golf course. Terrain generally good. Arrive at 10:15am to pre-order lunch, Richard to lead. New walkers always welcome, simply turn up suitably attired. Group contact Dennis Corton on 01572 722272.

10:45am – PARTNERING TO HELP HOMELESS PEOPLE MEETING Oakham Baptist Church

Rescheduled from I March – see the website for more details.

FRIDAY 23 MARCH

11:30am – STATIONS OF THE CROSS
All Saints Oakham

12:00pm – LENT LUNCH

All Saints Church Hall, Oakham

Organised by Churches Together in Oakham, and prepared by the clergy.

SATURDAY 24 MARCH

1:00-3:00pm – JUMBLE SALE St Nicholas Thistleton

30p admission. In aid of Friends of Thistleton Church. Rescheduled from 3 March.

2:00pm—Passion Gospel Rehearsal All Saints Oakham

In preparation for the dramatic reading on Palm Sunday.

4:00pm – STUDENT CROSS PILGRIMAGE

All Saints Braunston

The Pilgrimage stops for a service of Vespers before they continue their pilgrimage to Walsingham.

SUNDAY 25 MARCH

10:30am – TEAM PALM SUNDAY PROCESSION & COMMUNION All Saints Oakham

With Procession of Palms from Burley Road Car Park, and dramatized Passion Gospel reading. Please meet in the Car Park for a 10:30am start, or if you prefer not to process then wait in church. There are no other morning services in the Team today except Oakham 8:00am.

2:30pm – CIVIC SERVICE All Saints Oakham

Marking the Centenary of the Royal Air Force, and the retirement of Laurence Howard as Lord-Lieutenant.

6:00pm – ECUMENICAL SERVICE Oakham Methodist Chuirch

Organised by Churches Together in Oakham and District, marking the end of the Lent Groups. Bring and Share Tea at 5:00pm

Looking Ahead

MONDAY 26 MARCH

7:30pm – HOLY WEEK COMPLINE St Peter & St Paul Langham

A quiet reflective service led by Ann Blackett

TUESDAY 27 MARCH

7:30pm – HOLY WEEK SUNG COMPLINE
St Andrew Whissendine
With Laudamus, Team Choir

WEDNESDAY 28 MARCH

1:30pm – MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME

All Saints Oakham

Fraser Graham piano, Jennifer

Kelly violin, Peter Coates cello

Frank Bridge Miniatures (No 1-3)

Sergei Rachmaninoff Trio Elegiaque
in G minor

7:30pm – HOLY WEEK COMPLINE
St Peter & St Paul Market Overton
A quiet reflective service led by Susan
Osborne

MAUNDY THURSDAY 29 MARCH

1:30pm – OAKHAM COFE SCHOOL SERVICE

All Saints Oakham

7:30pm – TEAM COMMUNION
All Saints Oakham

Holy Communion of the Last Supper, with Washing of Feet and Watch until Midnight.

GOOD FRIDAY 30 MARCH

9:00am – MORNING PRAYER
St Peter Brooke

10:00am - LITANY
Chapel of St John & St Anne

10:30am - WALK OF WITNESS From J&A to the Market Square

With Churches Together in Oakham, concluding with a short ecumenical service at the Buttercross.

12:00-3:00pm – LITURGY AND ADDRESSES - All Saints Oakham

Our Three Hour Service begins with the sung liturgy, and then from 2:00pm there will be addresses and meditation led by Cathy Davies, Assistant Warden at Launde Abbey.

5:00pm – PRAYERS AT THE FOOT OF THE CROSS – All Saints Braunston

EASTER SUNDAY | APRIL

5:30am – DAWN SERVICE
All Saints Braunston

Vigil, Service of Light, renewal of Baptismal Vows and First Communion of Easter. There will also be morning services of Holy Communion in all the other Team churches – see website for details.

MONDAY 2 APRIL

11:15am - BANK HOLIDAY ORGAN RECITAL All Saints Oakham Ivan Linford

SUNDAY 8 APRIL

II:30am – ASHWELL APCM St Mary Ashwell

3:00-4:30pm – TEA PARTY

All Saints Oakham Church Hall

Come along and bring a friend.

Contact Pam (01572 755532)

MONDAY 9 APRIL

6:00pm – HAMBLETON APCM Hambleton Village Hall

THURSDAY 12 APRIL

7:30pm – BRAUNSTON APCM Braunston Village Hall

WEDNESDAY 18 APRIL

7:30pm – MARKET OVERTON APCM St Peter & St Paul Market Overton

SUNDAY 22 APRIL

6:00pm -FESTIVALS & CAMPING Venue tba

Please see separate notice for details.

Please pray for

- The family and friends of Janice
 Sims, whose funeral took place at
 Grantham Crematorium on Monday;
- The family and friends of **Edith Hook**, whose funeral took place at Egleton on Monday;
- The family and friends of Paul Mason, whose funeral took place at Peterborough Crematorium on Wednesday;
- The family and friends of Gerald Johnson, whose funeral took place at Teigh on Monday 5 March;
- The family and friends of Michael
 Colley, whose funeral took place at
 Oakham on Tuesday 6 March;
- The family and friends of Mrs
 Butterfield, whose funeral took
 place at Grantham Crematorium on
 Wednesday 7 March;

- The family and friends of Barbara Steen, whose funeral took place at the Chapel of St John & St Anne on Friday 8 March;
- For the victims of the nerve gas attack in Salisbury;
- For the people of South Africa, especially the people of Cape Town;
- 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;
- Deborah, lain & Charlotte, our Team
 Clergy, and all lay members of the
 Ministry Team;
- Lee, Guli and family, and Julie and Phillip, as they settle into new homes and new ministry;
- Madeleine McCann and her family and all missing children.

Teigh and Market Overton Service Times

The morning services at Teigh and Market Overton will take place at 9:15am rather than 9:00am with immediate effect. The change will enable clergy who are taking an 8:00am service beforehand at Oakham or Brooke a little more time to get there, as well as bringing the timings in line with Hambleton and Egleton, who made a similar change some while ago for the same reason.

Bishop's Office Secretary

Bishop Donald is looking to recruit a secretary to join his office, who will act as secretary to his Chaplain and PA, as well as maintain the accounts of both bishops and provide catering for meetings and events. More details can be found on the diocesan website (link via team website). Closing date is 3 April 2018.

Festivals and Camping

Calling parents and carers of young people in our parishes... We invite

you to a discussion of options for Christian festivals and/or a parish camping trip. Joining big crowds of Christians, including different kinds of people, can be a major faith-builder for young people. We know some of you are already planning to join lain at Greenbelt (August bank holiday), and we want to see if others wish to join. Also, there are a number of other options for summer Christian festivals, all with pros and cons; so we want to talk through those. And then, we want to explore running a local church camping trip. The meeting will be at 6:00pm on Sunday 22nd April. Please let lain or Charlotte know if you can come, so we can pick a rightsize venue.

Homeless & Rough Sleeping in Oakham Meeting

Oakham has seen a noticeable increase in numbers of homeless rough sleepers this winter and the particularly cold weather has caused much alarm for the well-being of these men. Local residents from our churches and wider community have expressed concern and actively helped in various ways. There will be a meeting on Thursday 22nd March (postponed from 1st March), 10:30 am for 10:45 am start (to finish by 11:45 am) at Oakham Baptist Church, Melton Road (01572 724990), when professionals from RCC will attend to explain local services for homeless/rough sleepers and how best we can support the situation. Many of us are concerned and want to help but

are unsure how best to go about it — this open meeting aims to provide much of that information plus some guidance on best practices. We encourage anyone concerned about the situation or who has personally befriended or engaged with homeless individuals to come along.

Oakham PCC

At the meeting on Sunday 4 March, our Parish Profile - document to be sent to candidates for our Rector. telling them about Oakham and the villages - was agreed and is ready for scrutiny by Benefice representatives at a joint meeting on 15 March. The Person Specification is now in draft, and will accompany the profile as and when requested. Our Churchwardens and Kevin Slingsby are to be congratulated - a mammoth task! Finance – the Accounts for Jan/Dec 2017 are now with the Examiner for ratification and the draft Budget for 2018 has now been accepted by your PCC. Churches Together in Oakham are proposing to hold a Mission for Oakham, probably in late 2019; human resources as well as financial commitment to achieve this are under continuing discussion. For more details about any of the above, see the notice board by the North Door, or speak to one of your PCC members. Marilyn Tomalin PCC Secretary.

Palm Sunday 25 March

On Palm Sunday we recall Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem riding a donkey, and this year we will be doing

this as a Team, with a Procession of Palms starting in the Burley Road Car Park, and crossing Cutts Close to All Saints Oakham. Please therefore, if you can, assemble at the car park for a 10:30am start, ready to follow lesus on the donkey (or as close as we can get to a donkey) waving your palms and singing 'Hosanna'. If you are unable to walk, then meet us in church. When we get to the church, the focus of the service is the reading of the Passion Gospel, which will be done dramatically, and young people from all the Team churches are invited to take part – if you would like to, then just turn up to the practice the day before, Saturday 24 March, at 2:00pm.

Easter Lilies

Donations for Easter Lilies are invited, and should be put in an envelope marked 'Easter Lilies' and given to any member of the flower guild, the verger or the churchwardens. Lilies cost approx £2.00 each. Further information from Jackie Vecqueray.

Student Cross Pilgrimage

The Midland leg of the Student Cross Pilgrimage, an annual event will be walking from Leicester to Walsingham during Holy Week stopping at various churches along the way. On Saturday 24 March they will be walking through Braunston and will stop for Vespers in All Saints at 4:00pm. Anyone wishing to join them will be more than

welcome. More details at www.studentcross.org.uk.

Traidcraft and Lent Lunches

There will be a stall each week at the Christian Aid Lent Lunches – if any one would like to order from the wide selection of fairly traded Easter eggs I will be taking orders both there and at the regular Sunday stall here at All Saints. Please do speak to me if you would like more information on the Easter Eggs or indeed on any of the other fairly traded items I have available. Many thanks for your ongoing support of all that Traidcraft does. Denise (01572 722729).

LENT LUNCHES

Soup and cheese lunch



served at

All Saints Church Hall

Every Friday from 23rd February to 23rd March

£3.50

12.00 to 1.30pm

Come and share with friends
Proceeds to Christian Aid



Fairtrade goods on sale





BEHOLD THE LAMB OF GOD

A MEDITATION
IN WORDS AND
MUSIC FOR
PASSION
SUNDAY

ST PETER'S SINGERS
DIRECTOR: JEREMY JEPSON

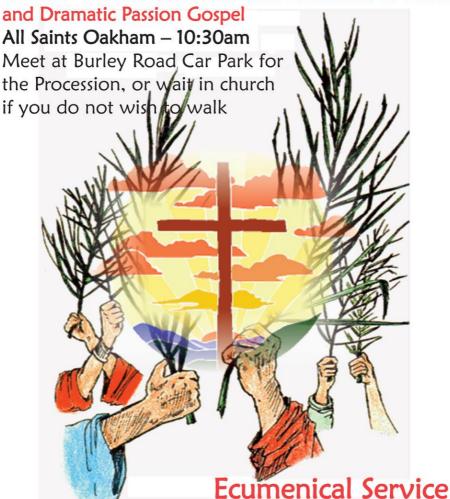
FREE ENTRY RETIRING COLLECTION

STAMFORD METHODIST CHURCH, BARN HILL SUNDAY 18TH MARCH 6.00PM



Palm Sunday

Team Communion with Procession of Palms



Oakham Methodist Church – 6:00pm Bring and Share Tea – 5:00pm An INVITATION just for you...
To our Springtime

Tea Party

Sunday April 8th 3pm - 4.30pm

Come along and bring a friend
Contact Pam 01572 755532



Please note: Our Spring Tea Party will be held again at the Church Hall, Oakham.

Entrance across the road opposite All Saints Church and through the car park. The Church Hall is at the far end.

Holy Week and Easter

Palm Sunday - 25 March

10:00am - LITURGY OF PALMS & PASSION - All Saints Oakham

2:30pm - CIVIC SERVICE - All Saints Oakham

6:00pm - ECUMENICAL SERVICE - Oakham Methodist Church

NO other services in the Team except Oakham 8:00am

Holy Week

7:30pm - COMPLINE

MONDAY 26 MARCH – Langham (led by Ann Blackett)

TUESDAY 27 MARCH – Whissendine (sung by the Choir)

WEDNESDAY 28 MARCH – Market Overton (led by Susan Osborne)

Maundy Thursday - 29 March

7:30pm – WASHING OF FEET, HOLY COMMUNION OF THE LAST SUPPER & WATCH UNTIL MIDNIGHT – All Saints Oakham

Good Friday - 30 March

9:00am - MORNING PRAYER - St Peter Brooke

10:00am - LITANY - Chapel of St John & St Anne

10:30am - WALK OF WITNESS - from J&A to the Market Square

10:45am - ECUMENICAL SERVICE - Buttercross

12:00pm - LITURGY & ADDRESSES - All Saints Oakham

Sung liturgy for the first hour, followed by meditation and addresses led by Cathy Davies, Assistant Warden at Launde Abbey

5:00pm - PRAYERS AT THE FOOT OF THE CROSS - All Saints Braunston

Easter Day - 1 April

5:30am - DAWN SERVICE - All Saints Braunston

Vigil, Service of Light, renewal of Baptismal Vows and First Communion of Easter Morning services of Holy Communion in all the Team churches – see the website.

Regular Groups & Activities

CHILDREN'S GROUPS

Tiny Tots (age 0-4). Thursdays 9:45am during term-time. Oakham 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 During The Week

Monday 19 Mar	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham 10:00 Funeral Clive Burns Oakham	
Tuesday 20 Mar	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham 10:00 Holy Communion Oakham	
Wednesday 21 Mar	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham 10:00 MU Corporate Com J&A 11:30 Funeral Jean Walton Oakham	12:00 CTiO Prayer Mtg Cong Ch 5:30 Meditation J&A
Thursday 22 Mar	9:00 Team Communion Oakham 9:45 Tiny Tots Oakham	12:00 Ecumenical Prayer Oakham
Friday 23 Mar	8:30 Morning Prayer Oakham 10:00 BCP Communion Oakham	

Services Next Sunday – 25 March Palm Sunday

Oakham	8:00 Holy Communion (CW Trad)	
	10:30 Team Communion	
	with Procession of Palms from Burley Road Car Park	
	6:00 Ecumenical Service	
	At Oakham Methodist Church (Tea at 5:00pm)	

No other services in the Team

Next Sunday's Readings

Palm Sunday: Mark 11.1-11 (Liturgy of the Palms); Mark 14.1-15.47 (Liturgy of the Passion)