OAKHAM TEAM MINISTRY

Oakham Team Ministry

Weekly Pewsheet

Service Details and Notices

First Sunday of Advent

Sunday 2 December 2018

Services in the Team today:

Oakham	**8:00am** Holy Communion (CW Trad)
	10:30am Parish Communion*
	6:00pm ADVENT CAROL SERVICE
Whissendine	**11:00am** Holy Communion*
Teigh	**9:00am** Matins
Ashwell	**10:30am** Morning Worship
Market Overton	**9:15am** Holy Communion*
Langham	No service
Braunston	**11:00am** Holy Communion*
Brooke	No service
Hambleton	No service
Egleton	**9:15am** Holy Communion*

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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Please contact one of the Ministry Team if you would like a chat or a visit.

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Collect

Almighty God,
give us grace to cast away the works of darkness
and to put on the armour of light,
now in the time of this mortal life,
in which your Son Jesus Christ came to us in great humility;
that on the last day,
when he shall come again in his glorious majesty
to judge the living and the dead,
we may rise to the life immortal;
through him who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Additional Collect

Almighty God,
as your kingdom dawns,
turn us from the darkness of sin to the
light of holiness,
that we may be ready to meet you
in our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

First Reading – *Jeremiah 33.14-16*

The days are surely coming, says the LORD, when I will fulfil the promise I made to the house of Israel and the house of Judah. In those days and at that time I will cause a righteous Branch to spring up for David; and he shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. In those days Judah will be saved and Jerusalem will live in safety. And this is the name by which it will be called: 'The LORD is our righteousness.'

Second Reading – *1 Thessalonians 3.9-13**

How can we thank God enough for you in return for all the joy that we feel before our God because of you? Night and day we pray most earnestly that we may see you face to face and restore whatever is lacking in your faith. Now may our God and Father himself and our Lord Jesus direct our way to you. And may the Lord make you increase and abound in love for one another and for all, just as we abound in love for you. And may he so strengthen your hearts in holiness that you may be blameless before our God and Father at the coming of our Lord Jesus with all his saints.

Gospel – *Luke 21.25-36*

Jesus said to his disciples: 'There will be signs in the sun, the moon, and the stars, and on the earth distress among nations confused by the roaring of the sea and the waves. People will faint from fear and foreboding of what is coming upon the world, for the powers of the heavens will be shaken. Then they will see "the Son of Man coming in a cloud" with power and great glory. Now when these things begin to take place, stand up and raise your heads, because your redemption is drawing near.'
Then he told them a parable: 'Look at the fig tree and all the trees; as soon as they sprout leaves you can see for yourselves and know that summer is already near. So also, when you see these things taking place, you know that the kingdom of God is near. Truly I tell you, this generation will not pass away until all things have taken place. Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away. Be on guard so that your hearts are not weighed down with dissipation and drunkenness and the worries of this life, and that day catch you unexpectedly, like a trap. For it will come upon all who live on the face of the whole earth. Be alert at all times, praying that you may have the strength to escape all these things that will take place, and to stand before the Son of Man.'

Post Communion Prayer

O Lord our God,
make us watchful and keep us faithful
as we await the coming of your Son our Lord;
that, when he shall appear,
he may not find us sleeping in sin
but active in his service
and joyful in his praise;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Supermarket/ Church Donations

To help with your selection of gifts we thought that it would be helpful if we outlined our current requirements:

- Sponge puddings
- Coffee
- Jam
- Smash
- Rice
- Tinned potatoes
- Custard
- Tinned ham/ corned beef
- 500 g sugar
- Toothbrushes
- Washing capsules
- Deodorant
- Nappies (not newborn)
- Tampons

Currently we have enough stock of:

- Pasta
- Tinned beans
- Tinned tomatoes
- Tea
- Cereal
- Soup
- Toothpaste
- Pet food

Please Support Your Rutland Foodbank

Thank You

Today

3:00-4:30pm –**TEA PARTY**

All Saints Oakham Church Hall

Come along and bring a friend. Contact Pam (01572 755532)

6:00pm – **ADVENT CAROL SERVICE**

All Saints Oakham

Come and join us for this special celebration of the start of Advent. This will be the only Team evening service of the day, but there will be normal morning services.

This Week

MONDAY 3 DECEMBER

7:15-9:15pm – **ALPHA COURSE**

Oakham Baptist Church

7:30pm – **NSPCC CHRISTMAS CONCERT – *All Saints Oakham***

TUESDAY 4 DECEMBER

10:00am – **HOLY COMMUNION**

All Saints Oakham

NO service this morning.

TUESDAY 4 DECEMBER

11:00am – **ADVENT REFLECTIONS**

2 Wensum Close, Oakham

See separate notice for details

WEDNESDAY 5 DECEMBER

1:30pm – **MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME**

All Saints Oakham

Pianists

Piano music by ***W A Mozart*** to include Fantasia in D minor, K397

7:30pm – **ADVENT REFLECTIONS**

Chapel of St John & St Anne

See separate notice for details

7:30pm – **PARISH SHARE MEETING**

All Saints Oakham Mayhew Room

Meeting for all parish Churchwardens and Treasurers.

THURSDAY 6 DECEMBER

10:00am-12:00pm – **CHRISTMAS COFFEE MORNING**

The Old Rectory, Church Lane, Brooke

10:30am – **FRIENDS VISIT TO GATES**

Gates Garden Centre, Somerby Rd, Cold Overton, Oakham LE15 7QB

The visit has been brought forward from February. We aim to meet at 10:30am in the coffee shop for tea/coffee and cake and a good chat, before having a browse through the Christmas shop and other areas. There will be a sign-up sheet at the South Door, just for us to gauge numbers, so please sign up if you would like to come along. Please indicate whether you would like a lift.

SATURDAY 8 DECEMBER

10:00am-3:30pm – **QUIET DAY**

Westgate New Church, 68b Westgate, Peterborough

Sr Rachel Overton, Bishop's Advisor for Spirituality, leads a day of reflection on Mary the Mother of Jesus and what she has to show us about relating to God. Open to all – see website for more details and booking information.

2:00pm – **CHRISTINGLE MAKING**

All Saints Oakham Mayhew Room

7:30pm – **IN DULCI JUBILO**

All Saints Oakham

Rutland Choral Society's Winter Concert, including music by John Rutter, Harold Darke and Elizabeth Poston. Tickets £10 from Coleman's Stationers, wegottickets.com, or on the door.

SUNDAY 9 DECEMBER

4:00pm – **CHRISTINGLE SERVICE**

All Saints Oakham

Looking Ahead

MONDAY 10 DECEMBER

4:00-9:00pm – **LATE NIGHT SHOPPING**

Oakham

All Saints will be open for refreshments and an oasis of calm amidst the hustle & bustle.

TUESDAY 11 DECEMBER

11:00am – **ADVENT REFLECTIONS**

45 Trent Road, Oakham

See separate notice for details

WEDNESDAY 12 DECEMBER

10:00am-1:00pm & 7:30pm-9:00pm – **ADVENT PRAYER LABYRINTH**

Stamford Methodist Church, Barn Hill, Stamford

WEDNESDAY 12 DECEMBER

1:30pm – **MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME**

All Saints Oakham

Harington School students

WEDNESDAY 12 DECEMBER

7:30pm – **ADVENT REFLECTIONS**

Chapel of St John & St Anne

See separate notice for details

THURSDAY 13 DECEMBER

2:15pm – **MOTHERS' UNION MEETING**

All Saints Oakham Church Hall

Holy Communion (celebrated by Revd Stephen Griffiths), followed by Christmas readings and tea. All welcome.

FRIDAY 14 DECEMBER

10:00am-12:00pm – **OPEN HOUSE**

Home of Araminta & Tony Mathias, 2 Lodge Gardens, Oakham

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

SATURDAY 15 DECEMBER

11:00am -2:00pm – **CHRISTMAS FAYRE**

Market Overton Bowls Club

Stalls, raffle, carols, Santa's grotto, tombola, books, refreshments. Proceeds to St Peter & St Paul Market Overton. More information or to book a stall – Sarah Bateman (07799 334455).

2:00pm –**NATIVITY TABLEAU REHEARSAL**

All Saints Oakham

SUNDAY 16 DECEMBER

10:30am – **SUNDAY SCHOOL NATIVITY**

All Saints Oakham

11:00am – **CAROL SERVICE**

St Peter & St Paul Market Overton

12:15pm – **HOLY BAPTISM**
All Saints Oakham

3:00pm – **CAROL SERVICE**
St Peter & St Paul Langham
With Laudamus Team Choir

5:00pm – **CAROL SERVICE**
St Andrew Hambleton

6:00pm – **CAROL SERVICE**
St Andrew Whissendine
With Laudamus Team Choir

6:00pm – **CAROLS BY CANDLELIGHT**
All Saints Braunston

6:00pm – **CANDLELIT CAROL SERVICE**
St Peter Brooke
Seasonal refreshments afterwards.

MONDAY 17 DECEMBER

7:30pm – **CATMOSE COLLEGE CAROL CONCERT – *All Saints Oakham***

WEDNESDAY 19 DECEMBER

2:00pm – **CAROL SERVICE**
Chapel of St John & St Anne

6:00pm – **CAROL SERVICE**
St Edmund Egleton

THURSDAY 20 DECEMBER

1:30pm – **OAKHAM COFE SCHOOL CHRISTMAS SERVICE**
All Saints Oakham

7:30pm – **OAKHAM TOWN FESTIVAL OF NINE LESSONS & CAROLS**
All Saints Oakham
With Laudamus Team Choir

FRIDAY 21 DECEMBER

6:00pm – **LONGEST NIGHT SERVICE**
All Saints Oakham

SUNDAY 23 DECEMBER

10:30am – **CAROL SERVICE**
St Mary Ashwell

6:00pm – **CAROL SERVICE**
Holy Trinity Teigh

CHRISTMAS EVE

JOURNEY TO JESUS
3:30pm – ***Braunston***

CRIB SERVICES
4:00pm –***Oakham, Whissendine***
6:00pm –***Langham, Market Overton***

MIDNIGHT COMMUNION
9:00pm – ***Hambleton***
11:15pm – ***Langham, Whissendine***
11:30pm – ***Oakham***

CHRISTMAS DAY

HOLY COMMUNION
8:00am –***Oakham, Brooke***
9:00am – ***Teigh***
9:15am – ***Market Overton, Egleton***
10:00am – ***Oakham***
10:30am – ***Ashwell***
11:00am – ***Braunston***

Please pray for

– The family and friends of **John Allen**, whose funeral took place at Whissendine on Monday;

– The family and friends of **Percy (Bill) Wood**, whose funeral took place at Braunston on Thursday;

– The family and friends of **Yvonne Armitage**, whose funeral took place at Oakham on Thursday;

– The family and friends of **Adrienne Armstrong**, whose thanksgiving service took place at Whissendine on Friday;

– The family and friends of Mike Gidlow, , who has died recently;

– For the victims of environmental disasters and all those still trying to rebuild their lives;

– The victims of terror attacks and who continue to suffer from the effects of violence, especially the Rohinga and Kachin people in Burma;

– 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 help and a safe place for the refugees;

– 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;

– For all those involved in planning and running the Alpha Course this autumn;

– The Rutland Food Bank;

– The Drop-in Centre;

– Justin and John our Archbishops and Donald and John, our Bishops;

– Stephen, Deborah, Iain & Charlotte, our Team Clergy, and all lay members of the Ministry Team;

– Madeleine McCann and her family and all missing children.

Christ the King – Icon of Love

This is the title of a new book by Revd Raymond Tomkinson. For many centuries Christians have found the symbol of the cross to be a source of inspiration. Reflections in this book explore the less well-known cross which depicts Christ reigning as king of heaven and earth. Flyers with more information are available in Oakham church, and the book can be ordered from www.kevinmayhew.com.

Michael Pooley RIP

Michael Pooley, formerly a bell ringer & choir member of All Saints Oakham, died peacefully at home in Durham on 12th November 2018.

Christmas Post

Oakham All Saints Scout Group will be hand delivering Christmas post in Oakham in return for a small donation. The Post Box will be in Oakham Church from 2nd to 16th December.

Autumn Sale

We are very pleased to announce that the total figure for the Autumn Sale now stands at £2,543. Many thanks to all who have contributed in any way to this wonderful amount. ***Steering Group 2018***.

Oakham Nativity Tableau

All those children wishing to take part in the Oakham Nativity Tableau on 16 December are invited to come to the rehearsal on 15 December at 2:00pm in the church where roles will be allocated and a practise will take place. We are short of children this year and may invite the odd adult to spontaneously take part!

Advent Reflections

Are you ready for Christmas? Put down the wrapping paper and come to one (or more!) of the Advent reflections happening in Oakham this December. Give yourself some space to remember the reason for the season. This year there will be (1) a **Tuesday late-morning group** to meet 11:00am on Tuesdays – 4th (2 Wensum Close), 11th (45 Trent Road), 18th (2 Wensum Close) – ***Bible study around Advent themes***; (2) a **Wednesday evening group**, 7:30pm at the Chapel of St John & St Anne on Wednesdays (5th, 12th, 19th) – ***Contemplation through word and music on Advent themes***. Come to all or any of the sessions, depending on when you can. For more information please talk to Revd Stephen, Revd Iain or Revd Charlotte or Ann Blackett (Oakham churchwarden).

Travelling Nativity and Posada

The Holy Family will once again be travelling around Oakham and the villages as the travelling nativities and posadas are sent off on their journeys today. As we did last year, there will be an ongoing 'blog' to follow their progress on the website so that everyone can see where they have been. If you are hosting them, just take a photo with your phone (landscape please) and email it to tn@oakhamteam.org.uk and it will appear on the blog.

Mary Willows

Mary's many friends here will, we are sure, be glad to hear that she has moved to live with her daughter Ann. Iain spoke to her this week, and she sounds very happy and grateful for all the care, prayer and loving messages she has received. You might want to send a card to her at: 12 Osprey Close, Broughton Astley, LE9 6RS.

Celebrating over 40 years of Good News!

Some things just happen, and the Parish Good News Magazine has for so many years 'just happened' thanks to David and Meg Dyer's faithful service. David started the magazine initially as a Braunston parish news sheet in the late 70's. That morphed into *News from the Gwash* in the early 80's supporting the first amalgamation of village parishes. With growing success it became the Oakham Team *Good News* magazine covering all the parishes, yet the production and editorial staff remained David supported by Meg. In the early days there were no PCs and electronic printers so it was even more of a challenge than today. December will be

David's last edition in charge and we want to take this opportunity to thank them for their faithfulness and dedication to making the magazine happen every month come rain or shine. For many people producing and editing the parish magazine would be their main act of service but for the Dyers it has been just one of many, many areas of service to Christ in Rutland and the wider church. To David & Meg – **thank you** from all your readers and God bless you! P.S. We await with interest the deliberations of the working party on how and what form the *Good News* will take in the New Year.

Christingle

Part of the run up to Christmas is Christingle, which is on Sunday 9th December at 4pm; and part of the excitement is making the Christingles on Saturday 8th Deember at 2pm in the Mayhew Room. It is always fun. Please come and join us if you would like to.

Rutland Foodbank

Please have a look at the 'Reverse' Advent Calendar highlighting possible donations this Advent. Also, do have a look at the Foodbank's Facebook page.

Update From Traidcraft

It was announced last week that Traidcraft PLC has been given the opportunity to continue its mission, which is fantastic news. For full details please do have a look at https://www.traidcraftshop.co.uk/bulletin and also continue with me to support them in their work. Thank you. Denise.

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 early December if possible.

Carols for the Housebound

The recently formed and flourishing Sunday Night Youth Group would like to come to sing carols to any who are housebound early one evening before Christmas. If you have names to suggest of those who would appreciate this, please let Charlotte know (charlotte@oakhamteam.org.uk or 01572 724198).

Vote at Oakham Tesco during Nov & Dec!

Next time you are in Tesco Oakham remember to vote for All Saints' Church, Braunston ***Bats in Churches*** project for funding of up to £4,000 by Tesco's *Bags of Success* scheme. The final funding depends on voting in the Oakham Tesco store between 1st November and 31st December.

Network foodbank

Reverse ADVENT CALENDAR

This is just a guide we will be very grateful for any donation. Please see our Rutland food bank Facebook page or website see below. Our contact details are info@rutlandfoodbank.org or telephone 07582783363.

1 Tinned Potatoes	2 Cordial	3 Washing Capsules	4 Nappies size 4or5	5 Smash	6 Bags for Life
7 Jam	8 Custard	9 Sponge puddings	10 Tin opener	11 500 g sugar	12 Jar of coffee
13 Deodorant	14 Corned beef	15 Rice	16 Pull up nappies	17 Sponge Puddings	18 Toothbrushes
19 Cereal bars	20 Baby wipes	21 Tin opener	22 Chocolate bars	23 Rice pudding	24 Tinned ham

Rutland.foodbank.org.uk

Registered Charity in England & Wales (1110522).)

7.30 THURSDAY 6 DECEMBER 2018

WOMEN'S WELLBEING WORKSHOP AT KAVANAGH'S TEA ROOMS

PAPER-FOLDING FOR FUN; UNFOLDING WORDS FOR WELLBEING

TO BOOK, PLEASE CONTACT CLARE AT KAVANAGH'S TEA ROOMS: 01572 868570 OR SUSAN: 07926833684 OR SUSAN@SUSANOSBORNE.ORG

VENUE: 2 CHURCH ST OAKHAM LE15 6DR. WWW.KAVANAGHSTEAROOM.COM

Learn to fold Christmas decorations in a supportive environment

Reach for words

Share your stories with other women

Enjoy refreshments

Cost £5

Facilitators

Susan Osborne and Madeleine Morris enjoy being creative.

Madeleine and Susan work in wellbeing both in the Community and in the Church

An INVITATION just for you...
To our Christmas

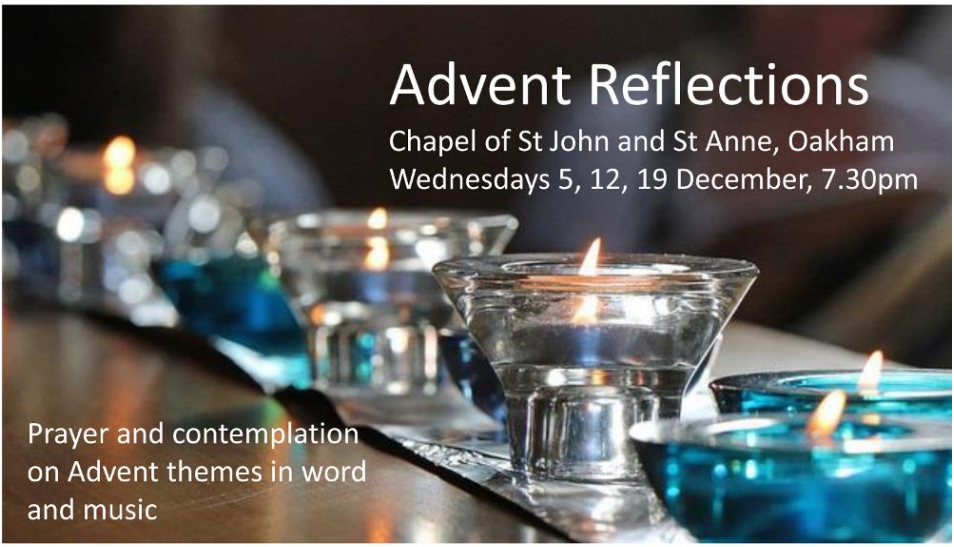
Tea Party

Sunday December 2nd
3pm - 4.30pm

Come along and bring a friend
Contact Pam 01572 755532

Please note: Our Christmas Tea Party will be held 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.



OAKHAM TEAM MINISTRY

And a morning Biblical Study group meeting at 11am on Tuesdays: 4th (2 Wensum Close), 11th (45 Trent Road), 18th (2 Wensum Close)

Stamford Methodist Church
Barn Hill, Stamford

Advent Prayer Labyrinth

Wednesday 12th December 2018
10am – 1pm & 7.30pm – 9pm
in the church.

Pray for the world, for others
and for yourself

A warm welcome awaits you

For more information contact Rev Andy Fyall (01780) 762282

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 – year 7 upwards) Sunday evenings fortnightly 6:30-8:00pm in term time
2 Wensum Close, Oakham LE15 6FU *(home of Revd Charlotte Osborn).*
Programme on website or phone 01572 724198.

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 6:45-8:15pm
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
Braunston Bells Wednesdays 7:30pm
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***

Team Walking Group

Fourth Thursday of month, with pub lunch during winter and picnic during summer. See pew sheet for details.
Dennis Corton (01572 722272)

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..

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

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Services During The Week

Monday *3 Dec*	8:30 **Morning Prayer** *Oakham*	7:30 **Light Circle** *Langham**
Tuesday *4 Dec*	8:30 **Morning Prayer** *Oakham* 10:00 **Holy Communion** *Oakham*	5:30 **Evening Prayer** *Whissendine*
Wednesday *5 Dec*	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 *6 Dec*	9:00 **Team Communion** *Oakham* 9:45 **Tiny Tots** *Oakham*	12:00 **Ecumenical Prayer** *Oakham* 2:00 **Funeral** Michael Gidlow *Oakham*
Friday *7 Dec*	8:30 **Morning Prayer** *Oakham* 10:00 **BCP Communion** *Oakham*	
Saturday *8 Dec*	1:00 **Wedding** Daniel Cole & Caroline Sowter *Langham*	

Services Next Sunday – *9 December*
Second Sunday of Advent

Oakham	8:00 **Holy Communion** (CW Trad) 10:30 **Parish Communion**	4:00 **Christingle Svc** 6:00 **Evensong**
Whissendine	11:00 **Family Service**	
Teigh	9:00 **Holy Communion** (BCP)	
Market Overton	9:15 **Morning Worship**	
Ashwell	10:30 **Holy Communion**	
Langham	11:00 **Holy Communion**	
Braunston	11:00 **Sunday Worship**	
Brooke	8:00 **Holy Communion** (BCP)	
Hambleton	9:15 **Holy Communion**	
Egleton		

Next Sunday's Readings

Second of Advent: Canticle: Benedictus; Malachi 3.1-4; 1 *Philippians 1.3-11*; Luke 3.1-6
Oakham Evensong: Psalm 75; Isaiah 40.1-11; Luke 1.1-25