OAKHAM TEAM MINISTRY

St Edmund Egleton

Weekly Pewsheet

Service Details and Notices

Harvest Thanksgiving

Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity
Sunday 15 September 2019

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	**6:00pm** Harvest Evensong
Ashwell	No service
Market Overton	**9:00am** Holy Communion*
Langham	No service
Braunston	**11:00am** Holy Communion*
Brooke	**2:30pm** Holy Baptism **6:00pm** Harvest Choral Evensong
Hambleton	No service
Egleton	**5:00pm** Harvest Festival

*Common Worship (Contemporary Language)
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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5:00pm Harvest Thanksgiving

The Greeting

In the name of the Father,
and of the Son,
and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

The Lord be with you
and also with you.

Opening Hymn

289 – Come ye thankful people come

Opening Prayer

Thank you, God, for the harvest
And for all the work that people do:

For farmers near and far,
ploughing and sowing,
tending and reaping the crops,
caring for flocks and herds.
God, we give you thanks
And bless your holy name

For fishermen and seafarers,
who often face great challenges and dangers
to bring us the harvest of the sea,
God, we give you thanks
And bless your holy name

For bakers and producers,
drivers and traders
who fill the shops with food
God, we give you thanks
And bless your holy name

For miners and oil rig workers
who toil in danger to supply energy for factories
and warmth for our homes
God, we give you thanks
And bless your holy name

For workers in industry and commerce
who use technology to provide us with goods and services
God, we give you thanks
And bless your holy name

For your gifts of soil and seeds,
sunshine and rain,
and the miracle of nature's life
God, we give you thanks
And bless your holy name

Hymn

415 – Praise and thanksgiving

Confession

God has blessed us,
but still God's children go hungry.
Lord, have mercy.
Lord, have mercy.

God has blessed us,
but still the poor cry out for justice.
Christ, have mercy.
Christ, have mercy.

God has blessed us,
but still we see inequality and oppression in the earth.
Lord, have mercy.
Lord, have mercy.

Absolution

Almighty God,
who in Jesus Christ has given us
a kingdom that cannot be destroyed,
forgive us our sins,
open our eyes to God's truth,
strengthen us to do God's will
and give us the joy of his kingdom,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

First Reading – *Psalm 67*

1 God be gracious to us and bless us :
and make his face to shine upon us,

2 That your way may be known upon earth :
your saving power among all nations.

3 Let the peoples praise you, O God :
let all the peoples praise you.

4 O let the nations rejoice and be glad :
for you will judge the peoples righteously
and govern the nations upon earth.

5 Let the peoples praise you, O God :
let all the peoples praise you.

6 Then shall the earth bring forth her increase :
and God, our own God, will bless us.

7 God will bless us :
and all the ends of the earth shall fear him.

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.

Hymn

116 – All things bright and beautiful

Gospel Reading – *Matthew 6.25-33*

Jesus said to his disciples: 'Do not worry about your life, what you will eat or what you will drink, or about your body, what you will wear. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothing? Look at the birds of the air; they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they? And can any of you by worrying add a single hour to your span of life? And why do you worry about clothing? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow; they neither toil nor spin, yet I tell you, even Solomon in all his glory was not clothed like one of these. But if God so clothes the grass of the field, which is alive today and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will he not much more clothe you - you of little faith? Therefore do not worry, saying, "What will we eat?" or "What will we drink?" or "What will we wear?" For it is the Gentiles who strive for all these things; and indeed your heavenly Father knows that you need all these things. But strive first for the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.'

The Bringing Forward of Symbols of the Harvest

Let us bring forward symbols of the harvest,
gifts that God has created and his sun and rain have nurtured.
Thanks be to God.

Bring forward the harvest of the cornfields,
the oats and the wheat, the rye and the barley.
Thanks be to God.

Bring forward the harvest of roots,
the swedes and mangolds, turnips and sugar beet.
Thanks be to God.

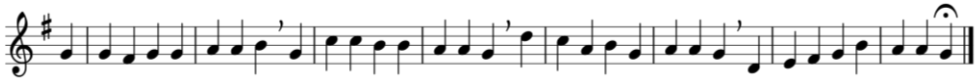
Bring forward the harvest of seeds for next year's crops,
for clover, for hay and for corn.
Thanks be to God.

Bring forward the harvest of vegetables,
peas, potatoes, beans and hops.
Thanks be to God.

Bring forward the harvest of pears and apples, berries and herbs.
Thanks be to God.

Bring forward the harvest of flowers,
the finest blooms from our gardens and our fields.
Thanks be to God.

Bring forward the grain and the grape,
for our Saviour took bread and wine
to feed us with his body and his blood,
given and shed for the life of the world.
Let us feed on him by faith with thanksgiving.
Thanks be to God.



Praise God, from whom all blessings flow,
praise him, all creatures here below,
praise him above, ye heavenly host,
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Amen.

Offertory Hymn

457 – For the fruits of all creation

Blessing of the Gifts

Eternal Father
we give you thanks for all the fruits of the earth,
for the abundance and variety of flowers
and trees in our countryside,
and for the rich resources of the world.
We ask your blessing on these gifts
and on those who have generously given them
and have arranged them.

Lord, you crown the year with your goodness
and provide for us the fruits of the earth in their season,
give us grace to use them to your glory,
for the relief of those in need,
and for our own well-being.
Amen.

Prayers of Intercession

Final Hymn

290 – We plough the fields and scatter

Blessing

RUTLAND FOODBANK
HELPING LOCAL PEOPLE IN CRISIS

Our supplies are low

These are the typical items we supply to those in need:

Cans of soup	Tinned fish	Jam
Beans/spaghetti in sauce	Tinned fruit	Sugar
Tinned tomatoes	Rice pudding/ custard	Tea
Tinned vegetables	Pasta/rice	Coffee
Tinned meat	Pasta sauce	Sponge puddings
Instant mashed potatoes	Long-life juices	Cereals
	Milk UHT	Biscuits
		Treats

Please support your local Foodbank

Today

5:00pm – **HARVEST FESTIVAL**

St Edmund Egleton

Followed by an auction of produce and supper. Everyone is welcome. Please note that there will be no 9.15am service of Holy Communion today.

6:00pm – **HARVEST FESTIVAL EVENSONG**

St Peter Brooke

With Laudamus Team Choir.

6:00pm – **HARVEST FESTIVAL EVENSONG**

Holy Trinity Teigh

This Week

WEDNESDAY 18 SEPTEMBER

1:30pm – **MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME**

All Saints Oakham

Emilia Hubbard *oboe*

Telemann Sonata in A minor selections

Saint-Saëns Oboe Sonata Op 166 selections

Bellini Oboe Concerto in E flat major

THURSDAY 19 SEPTEMBER

7:30pm – **RUTLAND DEANERY SYNOD**

St Mary's Congregational Hall, Chapel Lane, Ketton, PE9 3RF

The meeting will be addressed by **Beverley Huff**, Diocesan Safeguarding Advisor, on ***Safeguarding***. All are welcome to attend. especially those with safeguarding responsibilities. **Please note change of venue.**

FRIDAY 20 SEPTEMBER

10:30am – **HANDICRAFT GROUP**

8 Peterborough Avenue, Oakham

The Autumn Fayre is within sight! The handicraft group will be getting busy. We will meet initially to discuss which items we might make for the stall. All are welcome, no particular skills are required. If anyone has any unwanted fabric, wool, patterns or craft items (or ideas!) we would be happy to receive them. Contact Sally Corton on 01572 722272.

1:30pm – **MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME**

All Saints Oakham

Alan Thomas *guitar*.

J S Bach – The Complete Lute Works. Bach's four suites for lute represent the pinnacle of the Baroque plucked-string repertoire, and indeed are amongst the greatest instrumental works of their era. In this series of four lunchtime concerts, guitarist Alan Thomas performs all of the works that Bach conceived for the lute spanning his entire career. Taken as a whole, they form an epic journey guided by Bach's superhuman powers of invention and elaboration. For more information, please visit www.alanthomas-guitar.com. First of four concerts.

Lute Suite BWV 996 (Prelude, Allemande, Courante, Sarabande, Bourée, Gigue); Prelude, Fugue and Allegro BWV 998.

SAT-SUN 21-22 SEPTEMBER

THE SONG OF CREATION

All Saints Braunston

Harvest Festival Weekend – Art and Photographic Exhibition.
Saturday 2-6pm; Sunday 1-6pm, with 11am Songs of Praise. More information from Gail Rudge.

SATURDAY 21 SEPTEMBER

3:00pm & 7:00pm – **NOT JUST FISH AND SHIPS – *Peterborough Cathedral***

The stunning setting of the choir stalls at Peterborough Cathedral will be transformed into a **7th century Synod** on with two special performances of Pat Ashworth's unique and immersive play, **Not Just Fish and Ships**.

It's the year 664 and Whitby Abbey is hosting a Synod by royal request. Two opposing currents meet as the delegates arrive, with the date of Easter and monks' haircuts dominating the agenda. It's about the power of Rome and the pull of the saints, but most of all, it's about conformity. And who can argue with that?

Colman for one, the impetuous Abbot of Lindisfarne. He's pitted against the ambitious **Wilfrid**, Abbot of Ripon, impatient to become a bishop. **King Oswy** has a lot on his mind, with a north-south divide in the country and the Mercians always at his back. Meanwhile, **Caedmon** the poet is in a world of his own. It falls to Abbess **Hilda** to navigate these choppy waters – and to fulfil her own destiny.

A portrait of monastic life in Anglo-Saxon England, Not Just Fish and Ships is a courtroom drama with a light touch, with more than a little resonance for our own quarrelsome times. Tickets for the matinée performance are £12 per person (£10 concessions). For the evening, tickets are £15 (£12 concessions). To book, visit https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/headland-theatre or call Peterborough Visitor Information Centre on 01733 452336.

SUNDAY 22 SEPTEMBER

HARVEST FESTIVAL

All Saints Oakham

Services at normal times, with Harvest Breakfast between services at 9am.

11:00am – **HARVEST SONGS OF PRAISE – *All Saints Braunston***

11:00am – **PET SERVICE**

St Peter & St Paul Langham

Blessing of large animals outside, followed by service in church at 11.10am.

4:00pm – **HARVEST FESTIVAL**

St Peter & St Paul Market Overton

4:00pm –**CONFIRMATION SERVICE**

St Peter and St Paul Syston, Upper Church Street, LE7 1GX

Simeon and Eleanor Francis-Dehqani will be confirmed, and our former Team Rector, Lee, extends a warm welcome to those who would like to attend.

Looking Ahead

TUESDAY 24 SEPTEMBER

10:00am-12:00pm – **OPEN HOUSE**

Home of Susan & Iain Osborne, 67 Church Street, Langham

All are welcome to call in for tea or coffee and a friendly chat. **Please note the new address.**

10:00am – **BIBLE STUDY GROUP**

25 Willow Crescent, Oakham

We are going to be looking at the Bible and what it means for today. New members would be welcome, phone Catriona on 01572 770429.

WEDNESDAY 25 SEPTEMBER

1:30pm – **MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME**

All Saints Oakham

Jessica Carr *flute*, **Rupert Fell** *oboe* & **Becky Han** *piano*

Dring Trio for flute, oboe & piano

THURSDAY 26 SEPTEMBER

10.30am – **TEAM WALKING GROUP**

St Edmund Egleton, LE15 8AD

The next walk is approx. 6.5miles starting from the Church where there is adequate parking around. This is the last of our summer style walks which Stephan is leading, and a picnic lunch will be required. Terrain is good on footpath and tracks and takes in Manton and Brooke. New walkers always welcome, simply turn up suitably attired. Group contact Dennis Corton (01572 722272).

FRIDAY 27 SEPTEMBER

10.00am-12:00pm – **WORLD'S BIGGEST COFFEE MORNING**

Co-op Funeral Care, High Steet

People all over the UK host their own Coffee Mornings and donations on the day are made to **Macmillan Cancer Support**. Join us to raise vital dough-nations to help us be right there for more people living with cancer. In 2018 we raised an incredible £26,914,382 and are aiming to top that this year.

10.30am-12:00pm – **COME AND CHAT**

All Saints Oakham Church Hall

All who feel they might benefit are welcome, from the recently bereaved, to those who experienced a significant loss long ago. Members of the Bereavement Supporters Group will be available to offer informal listening support and signpost to other services as appropriate. People are welcome to turn up on the day with no pre-booking required. More details on the website.

1:30pm – **MUSIC AT LUNCHTIME**

All Saints Oakham

Alan Thomas *guitar*.

J S Bach – The Complete Lute Works. Second of four concerts.

Lute Suite BWV 995 (Prelude, Allemande, Courante, Sarabande, Gavottes I & II, Gigue); Fugue BWV 1005

SUNDAY 29 SEPTEMBER

11:00am – **TEAM HOLY COMMUNION**

St Peter & St Paul Langham

No other services in the Team except Oakham 8am and those listed below.

4:00pm – **HARVEST SONGS OF PRAISE – *St Mary Ashwell***

5:00pm – **HARVEST FESTIVAL**

St Andrew Hambleton

6:00pm – **EVENSONG**

All Saints Oakham

We are joined by Oakham Methodist Church.

TUESDAY 1 OCTOBER

6:45-8:15pm – **REHEARSAL FOR DIOCESAN CHORAL FESTIVAL**

St Andrew Whissendine

WEDNESDAY 2 OCTOBER

10:00am – **JUSTICES SERVICE**

All Saints Oakham

THURSDAY 3 OCTOBER

TEAM VICAR INTERVIEWS

Braunston

SAT 5–THU 11 OCTOBER

MISSION WITH FR JOHN FARRELL

St Joseph's Church, Oakham

Each day will have a Mass, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and a talk by Dominican Friar Fr John Farrell, OP. Everyone welcome –times and further details to follow.

SUNDAY 6 OCTOBER

11:00am – **HARVEST FESTIVAL COMMUNION – *St Andrew Whissendine***

3:00pm – **CHRISTINE CARLIN MEMORIAL CONCERT**

All Saints Oakham

SUNDAY 13 OCTOBER

3:00-4:30pm – **TEA PARTY**

All Saints Oakham Church Hall

Come along and bring a friend. Contact Peter Kinal for details (01572 724487).

WEDNESDAY 16 OCTOBER

7:30pm – **LICENSING SERVICE**

All Saints Oakham

Revd Rachel Thompson will be licensed by The Bishop of Brixworth as a Minister in Secular Employment.

SUNDAY 20 OCTOBER

6:00pm – **MARILYN BAKER IN CONCERT – *Oakham Methodist Church***

Admission free – retiring collection for The Torch Trust. Marilyn Baker became blind as a child but soon demonstrated a gift for music. Marilyn celebrates forty years as one of Britain's most popular and well-loved Christian singer-songwriters.

TUESDAY 22 OCTOBER

7:30pm – **THE QUEEN OF HEAVEN**

Leicester Cathedral

The Sixteen present a programme of Marian Devotion, with music by Palestrina, Allegri & James MacMillan. 50% discount for concessions. More information from thesixteen.com.

Please pray for

– **Logan Alfie Jack Evans**, who will be baptised at Brooke today, and his parents **Jack** & **Nicole**;

– The family and friends of **Margaret George**, whose funeral took place at Oakham on Tuesday;

– The family and friends of **Michael Hinman**, whose funeral took place at Oakham on Tuesday;

– The family and friends of **Royston Moss**, whose funeral took place at Egleton on Thursday;

– The family and friends of **Constance Flaherty**, whose funeral took place at the Chapel of St John & St Anne on Friday;

– The family and friends of Sandra Needham, 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;

– 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;

– The Rutland Foodbank and 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;

– Jenni Duffy, as she begins her curacy in the Rutland Water Benefice;

– Madeleine McCann and her family and all missing children.

Team Vicar Update

Interviews will take place for the House-for-duty Team Vicar post on Thursday 3 October. The day will start with the Team Holy Communion service at 9am, which will take place at Braunston rather than Oakham. Please remember the candidate and the southern parishes in your prayers.

Open House Organiser

Would anyone be willing to take over organising Open House please? I have done it for a long time, and find it difficult at the moment. Please contact me on 01572 722893. Thank you. *Beryl Waites.*

Dates for the Fayre…

Please put the following dates into your diary. The **Summer Fayre 2020** will be held on Saturday 27 June 10:00–12:00. In the meantime, please remember that this year's **Autumn Fayre** will take place on Saturday 16 November 9:30–12:00.

Voluntary Action Rutland

VAR, based at the Rutland Community Hub on Lands' End Way in Oakham, has vacancies for volunteer Reception Assistants, Mondays and Fridays, 09:30–13:00. More details from Richard (01572 722622) or on the website.

Whissendine Church Flower Festival

A big thank you to everyone who supported the flower festival. More than 600 people visited the church over the bank holiday weekend and £2,800 was raised for church funds.

Oakham Worship Forum

We would like to reinstate the Worship Forum at Oakham – a small group including the Team Rector, Director of Music, and others interested in reviewing and developing the worship and liturgy we use at All Saints. If you are interested in joining the group, please speak to Stephen or Kevin.

Youth Work Apprentice

From September onwards Rutland Deanery will be benefitting from the Diocese of Peterborough's Youth Work Apprenticeship Scheme. This scheme allows people to train for a qualification in Christian youth work through a mixture of study and practical work. **Natalie** will be working closely with the parish of Uppingham and Oakham Team Ministry, and forging links across the Deanery to build up ministry and outreach amongst young people. We will formally welcome her at a service in the autumn. Natalie will be able to support the ministry we offer to young people and families through church groups and school activities. It's a small step forward, but God-willing one that will lead to many good things. If you're interested in financially supporting ministry to young people in this area please speak to Stephen.

Francis-Dehqani Confirmation

Eleanor and Simeon Francis-Dehqani will be confirmed at Syston Parish Church on Sunday 22 September at 4pm. All Oakham friends are welcome to the service followed by tea. Bishop Guli will be confirming.

Traidcraft Sales & Dates

I'm am very pleased to report that the total sales just for July where a wonderful £307.40. Thank you to everyone who contributed to it. £130.45 of this was from our Summer Fayre – a very good morning and something to build on. The stall will be in Church after the 10.30 service next week, 15 September. Denise.

Oakham Church Hall

Have you thought of hiring the Church hall for a 'one-off' party or event? The hall is available for hire for both one-off events and regular weekly/monthly events. Please contact Janine at the Church office to discuss.

Confirmation 2019

Confirmation is an important milestone in the Christian journey. It is a wonderful opportunity to acknowledge and celebrate God's call to follow him, and to pray for the Holy Spirit to guide and direct our lives. This year Bishop John Holbrook, the Bishop of Brixworth, will be joining us at our confirmation service on Sunday 17 November at 6pm at All Saints Oakham. Please speak to a member of the clergy or ministry team if you are interested in being confirmed and would like to join a preparation group (from September–November). This is an open invitation to people from all the parishes of our team. There is some useful information on this website https://www.churchofengland.org/life-events/confirmation.

Alpha Course – September 2019

Oakham Baptist Church is running the Alpha Course this autumn, beginning on Monday 23 September 7.15–9.15pm. All the churches in Oakham are being invited to join in. You might like to attend and make a fresh commitment to Jesus Christ. You might like to recommend the course to a friend, and you could attend with them. If you'd like to book a place, please speak to Stephen or Carol Scothern

Breaking The Last TABOO

A safe and welcoming space for *anyone* of any faith or none,

To listen/talk/question/find information

About issues relating to the end of life

When? Saturday mornings 10am-12.30pm

14th, 21st and 28th September and 5th October

Where? Oakham Methodist Church Hall Northgate

LE15 6QS

What?

Short talk on a related topic each week at 10.30

for 30mins with question time to follow

Come and go as you like

See overleaf for details

FREE ** REFRESHMENTSINFORMATION**

What is the talk about each week? These are some clues….there will be room for questions too. Come to any or all of them.

14th September

Care and Support at the End of life. Jacky McBlain from Loros/ and possibly a local GP

- *How can I prepare for a good death?*
- *Can I ask to stay at home?*
- *How does community nursing work in our area?*
- *What can I say to the children? What is a memory box?*
- *Who will be there for me – I have no family..*

21st September

Funerals. The practical things. Richard Adcock from a local funeral service

- *How do I register a death? What order do I need to do things in?*
- *What is an inquest for? Can I refuse a post mortem on a relative?*
- *Can I bury ashes in my garden? What is a green burial?*
- *What are the pros and cons of a funeral plan?*
- *Can I do a funeral without a funeral company? How long can I wait before the funeral?*

28th September

Funerals. The service. Revd Leo Osborn. The local Methodist Minister

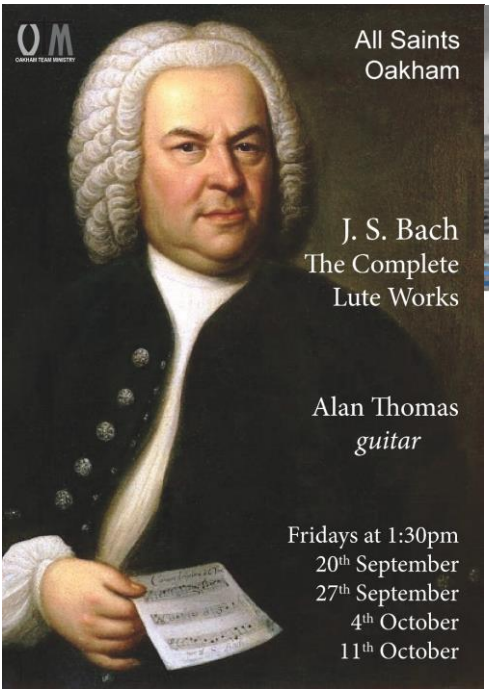
- *The church – a place of welcome to all.*
- *Planning a funeral service – who is it for?*
- *Some practical considerations.*
- *After everyone has gone home….*

5th October

Legal matters. Steve Green from a local solicitors' firm

- *What is a Lasting Power of Attorney? How do I set one up?*
- *What happens if I don't have a will? Can a will be changed?*
- *If I am someone's executor do I have to arrange their funeral?*

Supported by **Patients' Voice (PPG), Churches Together in Oakham – 'A New Day Dawns', Loros, Oakham Medical Practice, Co-operative Funeralcare, Simmonds Grant solicitors, Age UK.**



JOIN OUR TRADITIONAL

HARVEST FESTIVAL SERVICE

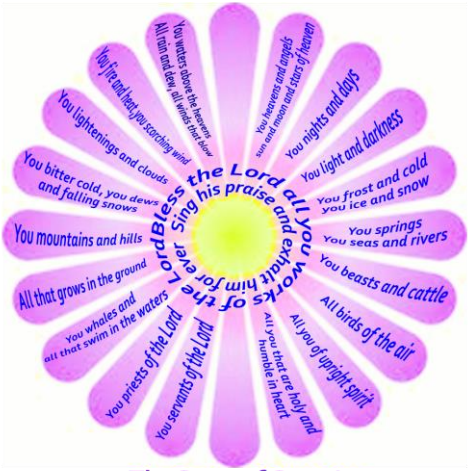
AT ST PETER, BROOKE

WITH LAUDAMUS, THE BENEFICE CHOIR

ON

SUNDAY 15TH SEPTEMBER AT 6PM

All Saints Church Braunston
Harvest Festival Weekend



The Song of Creation
Art and Photographic Exhibition
September 21: 2-6pm;
September 22: Songs of Praise 11am
Exhibition 1-6pm

Harvest Breakfast
Sunday 22nd September 9am
at
All Saints' Church Hall

As part of our Harvest Festival celebration we are having a shared breakfast for our 8am and 10.30am congregations.

Please join us at 9am for a delicious breakfast and an opportunity to meet new members of the All Saints' Church family.

Please add you name to the sign-up sheet to help us plan the catering.

Marilyn Baker in Concert

A new day dawns
A festival of faith with Churches Together in Oakham

Sunday 20th October 6pm, Oakham Methodist Church. Admission free, retiring collection for The Torch Trust.

Marilyn Baker became blind as a child but soon demonstrated a gift for music. Marilyn celebrates forty years as one of Britain's most popular and well-loved Christian singer-songwriters.

CALL FOR ENTRIES!

Application forms now available. Closing date 18th October

Please support this Community Event and enter an exhibit for the Festival

Entries welcomed from individuals, children, adults, families, groups, businesses, charities etc

Any medium. Any size. Any Theme

Categories: Decorated Trees

Angels

Cribs

Dates: Friday – Sunday 6th -8th December

For Further details and application forms:

Langhamchurch.com

Or available in the church porch

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***

All Saints Youth (Year 7 upwards) Sunday evenings fortnightly 6.30-8.00pm in term time ***2 Wensum Close, Oakham LE15 6FU*** *(home of Revd Charlotte Osborn).* See website or phone 01572 724198.

Home Groups

Leader: Catriona Drye (770429) 2nd & 4th Tuesdays 10.00am ***25 Willow Crescent, Oakham***

Leader: Patrick Wilson (723288) 2nd & 4th Thursdays 2.30pm ***6 Peterborough Avenue, Oakham***

Leader: 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)*

Everyday Faith

Leader: Revd Stephen Griffiths Wednesdays monthly *(see calendar for dates)* ***All Saints Oakham***

Choir

Laudamus Joint Choir Practice Tuesdays 6.45-8.15pm ***Whissendine Church***

Langham Choir Practice Tuesdays before 1st, 2nd & 4th Sundays 11.00am-noon ***Langham Church***

Bell Ringing

Oakham Bells Tuesdays 7.30-9pm

Braunston Bells Wednesdays 7.30pm

Hambleton Bells alternate Tuesdays 7.30-9pm (with Wing)

Whissendine Bells Thu 7.30-9pm

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 alternate months 7.00pm in ***Oakham Church Hall***

Come & Chat Bereavement Support Drop In Group Last Friday of each month 10.30am-12pm in ***Oakham Church Hall***

Friends of All Saints Oakham Social events throughout the year – see pewsheet for details. **Liz Plummer** (01572 720506).

Services During The Week

Monday *16 Sep*	08:30 **Morning Prayer** *Oakham*	
Tuesday *17 Sep*	08:30 **Morning Prayer** *Oakham* 10:00 **Holy Communion** *Oakham*	13:30 **Funeral** Margaret George *Oakham* 17:30 **Evening Prayer** *Ashwell*
Wednesday *18 Sep*	08:30 **Morning Prayer** *Oakham* 10:00 **MU Corporate Com** *J&A*	12:00 **CTiO Prayer Mtg** *Cong Ch* 17:30 **Meditation** *J&A*
Thursday *19 Sep*	09:00 **Team Communion** *Oakham* 09:45 **Tiny Tots** *Oakham*	12:00 **Ecumenical Prayer** *Oakham*
Friday *20 Sep*	08:30 **Morning Prayer** *Oakham* 10:00 **BCP Communion** *Oakham*	

Services Next Sunday – *22 September*
Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

Oakham ***Harvest Festival***	8:00 **Holy Communion** (CW Trad) 10:30 **Parish Communion**	18:00 **Evensong**
Whissendine	11:00 **Morning Worship**	
Teigh	9:00 **Matins**	
Market Overton		16:00 **Harvest Festival**
Ashwell	10:30 **Holy Communion**	
Langham	11:00 **Pet Service**	
Braunston	11:00 **Harvest Songs of Praise**	
Brooke	8:00 **Holy Communion** (BCP)	
Hambleton	9:15 **Holy Communion** (CW Trad)	
Egleton		

Next Week's Readings

Fourteenth after Trinity: *Psalm 113*; Amos 8.4-7; *1 Timothy 2.1-7*; Luke 16.1-13
Harvest Festival: Psalm 100; Deuteronomy 26.1-11; *Philippians 4.4-9*; John 6.25-35
Oakham Evensong: Psalms 129; Ezra 1; John 7.14-36