



Welcome to the Parish of Horndon, Orsett and Bulphan

Weekly notice sheet



Sunday 25th January — 3rd Sunday of Epiphany

8.45am CW Holy Communion Service and **10am** Family Service at
at St Giles and All Saints Church, Orsett

At a Communion Service if you require gluten free wafers please let the minister know when you go forward to receive.

*If you attend a service because you wish to apply for a place for your child at a church school which requires a letter or Supplementary Information Form, please make sure, each time you attend, you sign the **red attendance book** which is available at the back of church.*

*If you attend a service to gain a Qualifying Connection in order to be married at any of the three churches, please make sure, each time you attend, you sign the **purple attendance book** which will be available at the back of church.*

Today's Collect - God in Trinity, eternal unity of perfect love: gather the nations to be one family, and draw us into your holy life through the birth of Emmanuel, our Lord Jesus Christ.

Post Communion - Heavenly Father, whose blessed Son shared at Nazareth the life of an earthly home: help your Church to live as one family, united in love and obedience, and bring us all at last to our home in heaven; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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January Jigsaw and CD sale

SATURDAY 24TH JANUARY

10AM TO 12 NOON

**ST PETER & ST PAUL CHURCH,
HORNDON ON THE HILL**

PLEASE NOTE
WE DON'T NEED
ANY MORE
DONATIONS OF
JIGSAWS
OR CD'S

**Refreshments and our delicious
bacon rolls
available while you browse**

All proceeds to Parish funds



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Registered charity number: 1199779

A Message from Green Christian

Use your LOAF to make a difference!

The importance of food as an environmental issue is increasingly apparent. As you eat your meal today, Green Christian invites you to reflect on the LOAF principles:

Food matters. The kind of food we choose should demonstrate our care for God's creation.

What food is provided in our church? At home? How far did it travel?

**Locally produced
Organically grown
Animal friendly
Fairly traded**

Bread has symbolic meaning.

Jesus blessed and broke bread and gave it to his disciples saying 'Do this in remembrance of me'.



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Eco Pause for Thought

Help our feathered friends

Whether you live in a flat or a house with a garden, you can add bird feeders to your space. Ensure you clean them out regularly, create a regular feeding schedule, keep them topped up, and provide water too. Try putting out sunflower hearts, quality peanuts, nyjer seed, and/or high-energy seed mixes. Fat balls are a great energy source during winter, and cheap to make at home.



Diary Dates

Services

- Tuesday 27th January 12noon Holy Communion Service, at Horndon Church
- **Next Sunday's services, 1st February**
 - ◊ 10am All Together Holy Communion Service at Bulphan Church

Advance notice

- Saturday 9th February, Baptism Preparation meeting, 7.30pm at Orsett Church
- Tuesday 10th February, Holy Communion Service, 2pm at the Whitecroft
- Tuesday 17th February, Prayer Group, 8pm at the Woolmarket, Horndon-on-the-hill
- Sunday 22nd February, Lent Lunch in the Parish Room at Bulphan Church

**Dates for
your
diary.....**

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Prayers

Prayer Diary

- THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY Pray for the Proctors and Laity of our Diocese who are members of the General Synod that they may be filled with the wisdom and love of the Holy Spirit.
- Pray for: Iglesia Anglicana de Chile
- Prayers for the rest of the week can be found here-: www.chelmsford.anglican.org/publications/wepray

Parish prayer diary

Horndon Bill R, Diane M, Jane L, Chris D, Peter B, Jean K, Moira B, Jan C, David St P.
Orsett Jane R, Sid R
Bulphan Ron P, Tony C, Anita J
Other Everyone in care homes and those who receive communion at home.



Prayers for the recently bereaved

Horndon The family and friends of Mervyn Davies, Alan Nicholls, Gerry Toop, Nick Tressider
Orsett The family and friends of Gwen Brown, David Battershall, Stephen Smeeth
Bulphan The family and friends of Debbie Benjafield-Metcalf

Please let a church warden or Revd Max know of people who are unwell or in need of pastoral support.

Online Prayers

- If you would like to listen to daily prayers, you can download at APP for your phone or tablet at <https://www.chpublishing.co.uk/apps/time-to-pray>
- Daily Hope, a free phone line of hymns, reflections and prayers can be found on 0800 8048044

Individual Private Prayer The following churches are open for private prayer—10am to noon

Bulphan Church	Monday and Thursday	Free refreshments are available on
Horndon-on-the-Hill Church	Tuesday and Saturday	Monday, Tuesday and Saturday.

Thurrock Foodbank The Parish has three collection boxes as listed below:



Horndon: 1, Lion Cottages, High Rd, **Orsett:** 1 Prince Charles Avenue **Bulphan:** Bulphan Stores
Shortages this week are: tinned meats (curry, stew, spaghetti bolognese etc), tinned soups, fruit juice, coffee, desserts (custards, rice pudding, jelly, sponge pudding, tinned fruit), mashed potato and tinned fish.

Bible Readings for this week

Principal Service

Sunday

Isaiah 9.1–4
Psalm 27.1, 4–12

1 Corinthians 1.10–18
Matthew 4.12–23

	Morning prayer	Night prayer		Morning prayer	Night prayer
Mon	Psalm 108 Genesis 11.27–12.9 Matthew 26.1–16	Psalm 119.41–56 Isaiah 56.1–8 Colossians 1.24–2.7	2Tues	Psalm 36 Genesis 13.2–end Matthew 26.17–35	Psalm 145 Hosea 4.1–16 1 Corinthians 10.1–13
Weds	Psalm 46 Genesis 14 Matthew 26.36–46	Psalm 29 Hosea 5.1–7 1 Corinthians 10.14–11.1	Thurs	Psalm 47 Genesis 15 Matthew 26.47–56	Psalm 24 Hosea 5.8–6.6 1 Corinthians 11.2–16
Fri	Psalm 65 Genesis 16 Matthew 26.57–end	Psalm 67 Hosea 6.7–7.2 1 Corinthians 11.17–end	Sat	Psalm 68 Genesis 17.1–22 Matthew 27.1–10	Psalm 72 Hosea 8 1 Corinthians 12.1–11

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