

Welcome to the Churches of Orsett, Bulphan and Horndon-on-the-Hill

Weekly notice sheet Sunday 19th September—16th Sunday after Trinity



8.45am Holy Communion Service
10am Family Service

St Peter and St Paul's Church, Horndon-on-the-Hill



The 10am service may be recorded for our website. If you do not wish to be recorded please speak to a churchwarden.

Today's Collect

Lord of creation, whose glory is around and within us: open our eyes to your wonders, that we may serve you with reverence and know your peace at our lives' end, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Post Communion

Almighty God, you have taught us through your Son that love is the fulfilling of the law: grant that we may love you with our whole heart and our neighbours as ourselves; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Dear Everyone,

It was lovely to see so many in church last week including lots of families with young children. Just a reminder that, if you are applying for a church school place for your child, you do need to record your attendance in the red book which will be at all services. As we now rotate our services around the three churches, your attendance at services in any of the three villages and also at Forest Church, will be counted and we would be delighted to see you at Horndon, Bulphan and Orsett. But what is most important is that we all know something of the love of Jesus Christ and the joy of the lifetime adventure of following him and that we gather together to grow in faith and support one another on our Christian journeys.

Thank you to those young people who submitted an entry for our Eco Church Competition, to design a poster on the theme of Reduce, Reuse, Recycle and our care of God's creation. We will let you know the results as soon as the judging has taken place, but well done to all of you.

Prayer is the foundation upon which our church and all that we do rests. Prior to lockdown, Lisa and Phil Anderson hosted a prayer group on Tuesdays. This prayer group is going to be starting again, and will be running on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of the month. Lisa and Phil have kindly agreed to begin this by offer a Prayer Course on Tuesday Evenings and anyone interested in this is invited to an introduction to this course on the evening of Tuesday 5th October at 8pm at Orsett Churches Centre. They will be providing more details in due course but please do let me or Lisa or Phil know if you are interested.

Horndon have their Autumn sale on the morning of Saturday September 25th. Do support this if you are able to.

Our Harvest Service will, this year, be at Orsett Church and will be followed by refreshments and entertainment. We will be finishing the entertainment with a song called "Let the earth find rest." If you would like to join in with this rendition, we will be practising it after our 10am service each week, beginning this Sunday, 19th and all are welcome!

Following our Parochial Church Council votes last year, our pastoral reorganisation to have one PCC, is at the final stages. If you are a regular church attender, please see the notice on page 3 of this weekly bulletin.

And, finally, please do continue to let me know of any prayer or pastoral needs.

Take care and God bless,

Sue



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The Oasis Café is held on a Friday morning, during term time, from 9am to 11.30am in the Orsett Churches centre. Why not pop along for a coffee/tea, cake or toasted tea cake. On Friday 24th they will be hosting a MacMillan Coffee morning.

Edward Bear Toddler Group is also held on Fridays, during term time, from 9.30am to 11am at the Orsett Churches centre. There will be craft activities and free play, as well as time for stories, singing and prayers. There's no need to book, just come along on Friday morning.

All babies and children under school age are welcome with their carer, whether that is their parent or Grandparent.



Eco Pause for Thought

When you are next looking to buy a new item of clothing why not look in a charity shop or an online second-hand app or website?



Autumn Sale at Horndon Church on Saturday 25th September 10am-1pm

Pre-loved treasures, cards and a raffle and there will be refreshments—free tea and coffee
All monies raised will go towards our boiler appeal.

Prayers for the week

Prayer Diary

- Peace making Sunday (Tuesday is the UN International Day of Peace):
- O God, who would fold both heaven and earth in a single peace: let the design of thy great love lighten upon the waste of our wraths and sorrows: and give peace to thy Church, peace among nations, peace in our dwellings, and peace in our hearts: through thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen. (Church of England website)
- Please pray for our brothers and sisters in the Religious Society of Friends.
- *PRAY for the Church of the Province of Uganda*
- Prayers for the rest of the week can be found here-: <https://www.chelmsford.anglican.org/uploads-new/publications/WePray-Aug-Sept21.pdf>



Benefice prayer diary

Horndon Jean K, Florrie, Freda K, Steve B, Chris C, Suzarne P, Nick T, Jan C, Moira, Ivy
Orsett Heather B, Lily B, Maureen D, Di B, Margaret C, Steve J
Bulphan Jim M
Other Pat M, Graham B, Brooke, Pete, Sara B, Stephanie and Jack, Elizabeth, Evelyn and Dottie and her family

Prayers for the recently bereaved

Horndon Sarah, family and friends following the death of Joy Miller,
Orsett Lin Kelly and Jackie following the death of Frank Harrison, Doris, family and friends following the death of Ed Stoddart
Other Frances and the Mohl family following the death of Brian

Please let Revd Sue or Revd Max know of people who are unwell or in need of pastoral support

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Notice

Mission and Pastoral Measure 2011 Draft Pastoral Scheme

7 September 2021

The Chelmsford Diocesan Mission and Pastoral Committee has prepared a draft Pastoral Scheme for:

the union of the parish of Orsett, the parish of Bulphan and the parish of Horndon on the Hill, being the three parishes which comprise the area of the benefice of Orsett and Bulphan and Horndon on the Hill in the diocese of Chelmsford.

The draft Scheme is on the Commissioners' website www.churchofengland.org/consultation or you may obtain a copy from me. **Large print and/or audio copies are available on request.**

- Anyone may make representations **for or against** all or any part of the draft Scheme (please include the reasons for your views) preferably by email or by post to reach the Commissioners no later than midnight on **Monday 25th October 2021**. **Please send your representation to (e-mail: James Davidson Brett james.davidson-brett@churchofengland.org) or letter marked for the attention of James Davidson Brett, Pastoral Division, Church Commissioners, Church House, Great Smith Street, LONDON SW1P 3AZ.**
- If they have not acknowledged receipt of your representation before this date, please ring 020 7898 1687 or e-mail them to ensure it has been received. For administrative purposes, a petition will be classed as a single representation and the Commissioners will only correspond with the sender of the petition, if known, or otherwise the first signatory for whom they can identify an address – “the primary petitioner”.
- When making a representation, please indicate the nature of your interest in the proposals (e.g. parishioner, member of parochial church council, etc) and whether you would like an opportunity to speak to their Committee regarding your representation if the Commissioners decide a hearing should be held regarding the case.
- If they receive representations against the draft Scheme, they will send them, and any representations supporting the draft Scheme, to the Bishop whose views will be sought. Individual representors and the primary petitioner will then receive copies of the correspondence with the Bishop (including copies of all the representations) and will be told whether a hearing is to be held. They and individual petitioners may comment further to the Commissioners. Copies of all of the representations received and associated correspondence will normally be published on the Commissioners' website if the matter needs to be considered by them.
- If a hearing is held, anyone may attend the meeting of the Commissioners that considers the case and representors may have an opportunity to speak to their Committee. Otherwise, if a hearing is not to be held, the case will be considered in private and you will be informed accordingly.

- When they acknowledge representations the Commissioners will let individual representors (and the primary petitioner) know the next few dates of their Committee's meetings. They will confirm the actual date if a hearing is to be held nearer the time.
- The Commissioners' will decide if the draft Scheme should proceed when they consider all the representations on the basis of a paper prepared by the Commissioners' staff and any points raised at the meeting.
- The Commissioners will notify all representors of their decision and give a statement of the reasons for it.
- If they so decide, any representor or petitioner against the draft Scheme may seek leave from the Privy Council to appeal against the decision.
- Please see the Commissioners' website www.churchofengland.org/consultation for further information about the procedure.

Nathan Whitehead
Secretary
Chelmsford Diocesan Mission and Pastoral Committee

Thurrock Foodbank

Your continued support for this charity is much appreciated. The Benefice has organised 5 collection boxes as listed below:

Orsett	The Rectory and Orsett Stores
Bulphan	24, Church Lane and Bulphan Local Store
Horndon-on-the-Hill	1, Lion Cottages, High Road



Shortages this week are: cooking sauces, pasta sauces, long life milk, sponge puddings and jam

Diary Dates



Services

- This week's Sunday Services are at Horndon Church
- Next Sunday's (26th September) services are 8.45am CW Holy Communion Service and 10am Family Service at Bulphan
- Monday to Saturday—Morning Prayers 8.30am & Evening Prayers 7pm and are found on Facebook @HOBNOBChurches
- If you would like to listen to daily prayers, these can be heard 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

Advance notices

- Friday 8th October at 11am our World Day of Prayer Service will be held in Horndon Church.
- Baptism preparation meetings will be held on Monday 11th October and 8th November at 7.30pm in St Giles and All Saints Church, Orsett.

Individual Private Prayer

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



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



Hobnob Magazine

- October edition—Please submit articles to Ron by September 23rd email: r.porter@hobnob.org.uk
- The online version of the magazine can be found on our website news page www.hobnob.org.uk/magazine

Bible Readings for this week

Principal Service

Sunday	Jeremiah 11.18-20 James 3.13-4.3, 7-8a	Psalm 54 Mark 9.30-37
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	Morning prayer	Night prayer		Morning prayer	Night prayer
Monday	Psalm 44 Wisdom 11.21-12.2 Mark 12.28-34	Psalm 47 1 Kings 12.25-13.10 Acts 19.8-20	Tues	Psalm 49 1 Kings 19.15-end 2 Timothy 3.14-end	Psalm 119.33-40 Ecclesiastes 5.4-12 Matthew 19.16-end
Weds	Psalm 119.57-80 Wisdom 13.1-9 Mark 13.1-13	Psalm 59 1 Kings 17 Acts 20.1-16	Thurs	Psalm 57 Wisdom 16.15-17.1 Mark 13.14-23	Psalm 62 1 Kings 18.1-20 Acts 20.17-end
Friday	Psalm 51 Wisdom 18.6-19 Mark 13.24-31	Psalm 38 1 Kings 18.21-end Acts 21.1-16	Sat	Psalm 68 Wisdom 19 Mark 13.32-end	Psalm 66 1 Kings 19 Acts 21.17-36

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