

# Welcome to the Parish of Horndon, Orsett and Bulphan Weekly notice sheet Sunday 16th January—2nd Sunday of Epiphany 8.45am BCP Holy Communion Service followed by a 10am All Age Holy Communion Service at Horndon Church



At a Communion Service if you require gluten free wafers please let the minister know when you go forward to receive. The 10am service may be recorded for our website. If you do not wish to be recorded please speak to a churchwarden.

lf 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**

Eternal Lord, our beginning and our end; bring us with the whole creation to your glory, hidden through past ages and made known in Jesus Christ our Lord.

#### **Post Communion**

God of glory, you nourish us with your Word who is the bread of life; fill us with your Holy Spirit that through us the light of your glory may shine in all the world. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Dear Everyone,

Thank you to each one of you who worked so hard to make our Plough Sunday and Baptismal Service a success last weekend, including those who kindly brought farming artefacts. It was lovely to be able to welcome Emmeline and Charlotte into our church family, to meet Bishop Guli and enjoy the dancing of Romford Morris dancers.

From 18th-25th January is the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity. You might like to use this prayer over the coming days:

Creator of light, illumine our path by the light of Christ who moves before us and leads us. May he be a beacon for our pilgrimage. Enlighten us and dwell within us.

Guide us to discover a manger in our hearts where a great light still shines. We thank you for the gift of that unfading Star, Jesus Christ, our Lord and Saviour. Heal our divisions and draw us closer to the Light that we may find our unity in him. Amen.

There is a Vocations Day at St Nicholas Church Canvey, on 29th January. This will cover all kinds of Ministry, including Churchwardens, Pastoral Assistants, Licenced lay Ministers, Spiritual Support, Authorised Local Preacher, the Course in Christian Studies as well as Ordained Ministry. God calls all Christians into some kind of service. Perhaps now, as we transition to become one Parish, is the time to explore what it might be that God is calling you to. Details of how to register for this day can be found on page two of this notice sheet.

Also to let you know that the Deanery Youth Event, 'Talents of Faith' has been postponed until Saturday 5th March. There are more details later in this notice sheet and I will be going, should anyone want a lift.

Please do continue to let me know of any prayer or pastoral needs.

Take care and God bless,

Sue



# Eco Pause for Thought

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Use a refillable water bottle and coffee  $\sup$  — cut down on waste and maybe even save money at the coffee shop.





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

Bulphan Church Monday and Thursday Horndon-on-the-Hill Church Tuesday and Saturday

Free refreshments are available on Monday, Tuesday and Saturday.



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### **Benefice Prayer course**

The 8 week Prayer Course is held at The Orsett Churches Centre Chapel at 7pm on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of the month, dates below. It is free for anyone to come along to from Orsett, Bulphan or Horndon.

The course started on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> October 7-8pm, an eight week journey that will help you and your community to grow & deepen your prayer life. 6. Contemplation – 18<sup>th</sup> January 7. Listening – 1<sup>st</sup> Feb 8. Spiritual warfare – 15<sup>th</sup> Feb

Each week there will be a video, discussion/questions and practical. If you've any questions please contact - Revd Sue at

email rectorsue@hobnob.org.uk or Ring Lisa & Phil Anderson 07946 530379.

# Where will your journey take you in 2022?



Workshops Include

Ordained Ministry Licensed Lav Minister Pastoral Assistant Authorised Local Preacher Spiritual Support

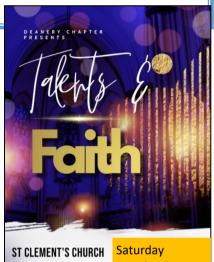
Just startina out? *Not sure of the direction?* Tentative steps? Striding out with confidence? At a crossroads?

This day of discovery is for you **Bradwell Area Vocations Day** 

Course in Christian Studies Saturday 29th January 2022 9am to 3.30pm

St Nicholas Church, Long Road, Canvey Island, Essex SS8 0JR

To register your place, please email KNegri@chelmsford.anglican.org Lunch is included. Please notify Karen of any dietary requirements. Please reserve your space now!



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March 5th 2022

6:30PM TILL 8PM



The Oasis Café is held on a Friday morning, during term time, from 9am to 11.30am in the Orsett Churches centre. Enjoy a cup of tea and coffee with cake.

**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's parent, grandparent etc.

# Prayers for the week

#### **Prayer Diary**

- In the coming Week of Prayer for Christian Unity all Christians must remember the words of Jesus: "A new command I give you: "Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another." (John 13:34-35).
- **Pray for:** The Church of England
- Prayers for the rest of the week can be found here-: https://www.chelmsford.anglican.org/uploads-new/publications/ WePray-Dec21-Feb22.pdf

#### Benefice prayer diary

Jan C, Freda K, Chris C, Nick T, Moira, Ivy Horndon

Orsett Di B, Andy J, Peter H, Ted S, Joan M, Sue L, Maureen D, Margaret C

Bulphan Richard R

Other Joyce A, Brooke, Elizabeth and Dottie and her family

## Prayers for the recently bereaved

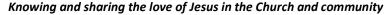
Friends of David Pasterfield, Barry, Karen and the family and friends of Suzarne Price Horndon

Orsett Jack, Jennifer and the family of friends of Jim Cooper, the family and friends of Thomas Charles

Bartley and the family and friends of Andrea Sanders

Bulphan Jane and the family and friends of Cicely Mustoe.

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



# **Diary Dates**

#### Services



- Next week's Sunday service (23rd Jan) at Bulphan Church 8.45am CW Holy Communion Service followed by a 10am Family Service
- 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**

- David Pasterfield's funeral on Friday 14th January at 3pm at Bowers Gifford Crematorium, Basildon
- Cicely Mustoe's funeral on Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> January at 11.15am at Bulphan Church followed by cremation at 12.20pm at South Essex Crematorium, Upminster.
- Baptism of Sid and Jack Rowley during the 10am Family Service on Sunday 23rd January
- Special PCC meeting after the service on Sunday 30th January at Orsett Church
- Songs of Praise at 4pm on Sunday 30th January at Orsett Church
- Baptism preparation meetings, Monday 14th February and 14th March, held at 7.30pm in Orsett Church.
- World Day of Prayer at 11am on Friday 4th March at Bulphan Church

#### **Thurrock Foodbank**

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

Horndon-on-the-Hill 1, Lion Cottages, High Road
Orsett The Rectory and Orsett Stores

Bulphan 24, Church Lane and Bulphan Local Store

Shortages this week are: long life milk, sponge puddings, mashed potato and coffee



## **Hobnob Magazine**

- February edition—Please submit articles to Ron by January 21st email: <u>r.porter@hobnob.org.uk</u>
- 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	
	s	Sunday	Isaiah 62.1-5 1 Corinthians 12.1-11	Psalm 36.5-10 John 2.1-11

	Morning prayer	Night prayer		Morning prayer	Night prayer
Monday	Psalm 146 Genesis 6.11-7.10 Matthew 24.1-14	Psalm 71 Amos 6 1 Corinthians 6.1-11	Tues	Psalm 132 Genesis 7.11-end Matthew 24.15-28	Psalm 89.1-37 Amos 7 1 Corinthians 6.12-end
Weds	Psalm 81 Genesis 8.1-14 Matthew 24.29-end	Psalm 97 Amos 8 1 Corinthians 7.1-24	Thurs	Psalm 76 Genesis 8.15-9.7 Matthew 25.1-13	Psalm 111 Amos 9 1 Corinthians 7.25-end
Friday	Psalm 122 Genesis 9.8-19 Matthew 25.14-30	Psalm 73 Hosea 1.1-2.1 1 Corinthians 9.1-14	Sat	Psalm 122 Genesis 11.1-9 Matthew 25.31-end	Psalm 61 Hosea 2.2-17 1 Corinthians 9.1-14

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