



Welcome to the Parish of Horndon, Orsett and Bulphan

Weekly notice sheet

Sunday 12th February 2023 - 2nd Sunday before Lent

8.45am BCP Holy Communion Service

10am Family Service

at St Peter and St Paul Church, Horndon on the Hill

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.

*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 - Almighty God, you have created the heavens and the earth and made us in your own image: teach us to discern your hand in all your works and your likeness in all your children; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit reigns supreme over all things, now and for ever.

Post Communion - God our creator, by your gift the tree of life was set at the heart of the earthly paradise, and the bread of life at the heart of your Church: may we who have been nourished at your table on earth be transformed by the glory of the Saviour's cross and enjoy the delights of eternity; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Dear Everyone,

Firstly, I think we all have on our minds the people of Turkey and Syria, following this week's devastating news about the recent earthquakes. Should you wish to give through the Tearfund to the Disasters Emergency Committee, details are on page two. Please do hold these people in prayer. You may wish to use this prayer from the Methodist Church:

God of time and space, we cry to you for your children - our neighbours - in southern Turkey and northern Syria, following the earthquake that has devastated hundreds of lives. Only they and you know what it is like to experience such trauma in the middle of the night.

We give thanks for the aid that is already being given and for the promises of help that have been made by many nations.

Comfort, we pray,

those who are trapped in collapsed buildings;

those who have lost loved ones;

those who wait for news and

those digging through rubble to save others.

Grant the gift of hope so that those caught between life and death know that you are with them and that others are ready to support them as they seek a future that overshadows the experiences of today.

We ask this in the Name of Jesus, who endured so much for love of them.

Amen.

On another note, I have been asked by one of the schools if there is anyone who is able to make a cassock, and possibly a surplice, and 4 stoles for their school teddy bear, to help the children to learn about the church seasons. If anyone feels able to do this, please do let me know. I can let you have the teddy for measurements. I am sure, if someone is able to do this, that the children would be delighted.

And, finally, the clergy will be running a Lent Course on Monday evenings beginning on Monday 27th March at 8pm. Please let me know if you are interested.

I look forward to seeing you soon.

Take care and God bless,

Sue



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Turkey and Syria earthquake: how to help

tearfund

Every minute counts in the desperate race to help people affected by the earthquakes in Turkey and Syria. The church is rising up to respond – and you can make a difference right now.

More than 17,000 people have lost their lives. Whole towns have been flattened. Tens of thousands of people whose homes have been destroyed are now at the mercy of a freezing winter.

As part of the Disasters Emergency Committee – a group of humanitarian agencies – Tearfund has launched an emergency appeal. Our church partner in Syria is providing vital supplies such as warm clothing, nourishing food and hygiene essentials. But the need is vast – your support will make a crucial difference.

If you wish to donate to Tearfund

- by cheque, then please make it payable to Tearfund and send it to the following address: Tearfund, 100 Church Road, Teddington, Middlesex, TW11 8QE.
- If you prefer to give over the phone, please contact Tearfund on 020 3906 3906.
- You can also donate on-line at www.tearfund.org/campaigns/turkey-syria-earthquake-appeal, this link has been added to our Facebook page and this will be shared on the three village Facebook groups.

The Parish of Horndon, Orsett and Bulphan

Refresh Service

**An accessible and contemporary
service for all ages**

4pm Sunday Service at

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

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Prayers for the week

Prayer Diary

- **SECOND SUNDAY BEFORE LENT** - Racial Justice Sunday: Today is an opportunity to reflect on the importance of racial justice, to give thanks for human diversity, and pray for an end to misunderstanding, racism and injustice.
- **Pray for:** *The Episcopal Church in the Philippines*
- Prayers for the rest of the week can be found here-: <https://www.chelmsford.anglican.org/uploads-new/publications/WePray-Dec22-Feb23.pdf>

Parish prayer diary

Horndon Diane B, Bill R, Carol N, Jane L, Freda K, Nick T, Moira, Ivy
Orsett Michael L, Robert (Bob) A, Gill C, Edna F, Sandra B, Pat W, Di B, Ted S,
Joan M, Sue L, Maureen D, Margaret C
Bulphan Peter B, Tony C, Frank W, Brian F, Anita J
Other Eddie, Brooke, Elizabeth, Dottie and her family



Prayers for the recently bereaved

Horndon The family and friends of Peter Wallwork, Chris Cork, John Vereker, Alan Pollington
Orsett The family and friends of Robert Nash, Marilyn Wordley
Bulphan The family and friends of Sandra Thompson, Doreen Walker, Richard Robertson, Eileen Woodhead
Other The family and friends of Ian French

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

Eco Pause for Thought

Second hand clothes

Not only is purchasing clothing second hand a thumbs up for environmental reasons but it's also a great way to save money.

Charity shops, Vinted, Depop are just a number of places you can pick up good condition second hand clothing (always use the filters to find what you actually want!).

Hobnob Magazine

- March edition—Please submit articles to Ron by **February 21st** 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

Thurrock Foodbank

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

Horndon - 1, Lion Cottages, High Road **Orsett** - The Rectory **Bulphan** - 24, Church Lane & Bulphan Local Store

Shortages this week are: Shortages this week are: tinned potatoes, mashed potato, porridge, cooking sauces (tinned chilli, curry, sweet & sour), desserts, (sponge puddings, jelly, rice pudding etc), tinned meat, fruit juice and rice.



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Diary Dates

Services

- Tuesday 14th February 7.30pm Holy Communion Service at Bulphan Church
- Next week's Sunday services (19th February) 8.45m CW Holy Communion and 10am Holy Communion Service at Orsett Church followed at 4pm Refresh Service at Horndon Church
- 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

Dates for
your
diary.....

Advance notices

- Baptism preparation meetings: Monday 13th February held at 7.30pm in Orsett Church and Saturday 11th March held at 12 noon in Horndon on the Hill Church.
- The funeral of Chris Cork will be on Thursday 16th February at 1.15pm at Horndon on the Hill Church.
- The funeral of Robert Nash will be on Monday 20th February at 12.15pm at Orsett Church.
- Prayer Group 8pm Tuesday 21st February at the Woolmarket, Horndon on the Hill
- The funeral of Doreen Walker will be on Friday 24th February at 2pm at South Essex Crematorium, Upminster
- The funeral of Sandra Thompson will be on Tuesday 28th February at 12 noon at Bulphan Church
- The interment of the ashes of Dorothy Smith will be on Thursday 9th March at 12.00 at Horndon Church
- The interment of the ashes of Margaret Thompson will be on Friday 14th April at 11.30am at Orsett Church.

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.



Bible Readings for this week

Principal Service

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Sunday	Genesis 1.1—2.3 Psalm 136	Romans 8.18–25 Matthew 6.25–end

	Morning prayer	Night prayer		Morning prayer	Night prayer
Mon	Psalm 44 2 Chronicles 9.1–12 John 19.1–16	Psalm 47 Genesis 29.31—30.24 2 Timothy 4.1–8	Tues	Psalm 48 2 Chronicles 10.1—11.4 John 19.17–30	Psalm 50 Genesis 31.1–24 2 Timothy 4.9–end
Weds	Psalm 119.57–80 2 Chronicles 12 John 19.31–end	Psalm 59 Genesis 31.25—32.2 Titus 1	Thurs	Psalm 57 2 Chronicles 13.1—14.1 John 20.1–10	Psalm 62 Genesis 32.3–30 Titus 2
Friday	Psalm 51 2 Chronicles 14.2–end John 20.11–18	Psalm 38 Genesis 33.1–17 Titus 3	Sat	Psalm 68 2 Chronicles 15.1–15 John 20.19–end	Psalm 66 Genesis 35 Philemon

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