



Welcome to the Parish of Horndon, Orsett and Bulphan



Weekly notice sheet

Sunday 6th August 2023 - 9th Sunday after Trinity

10am All Together Holy Communion Service

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.

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 - Father in heaven, whose Son Jesus Christ was wonderfully transfigured before chosen witnesses upon the holy mountain, and spoke of the exodus he would accomplish at Jerusalem: give us strength so to hear his voice and bear our cross that in the world to come we may see him as he is; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Post Communion - Holy God, we see your glory in the face of Jesus Christ: may we who are partakers at his table reflect his life in word and deed, that all the world may know his power to change and save. This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Dear Everyone,

This week I received a message from Moji to say she has arrived in Darlington and is deeply grateful for the gifts from church. She sends her love and will update in due course when she is on the internet.

Last weekend, as it was the fifth Sunday of the month, we held an alternative service at 4pm in the afternoon. This time, it was an all-age service with the blessing of pets, at Horndon. It was originally going to be outside but as it poured with rain, we held the service in the church. We were pleased to welcome to the service four dogs, two guinea pigs, a teddy and a cuddly gorilla as well as their owners. We also made animals out of playdoh and as we looked at the fingerprints on the playdoh animals made by those who had created them we thought about God's fingerprints on all the animals that he has created and our responsibility to care for them and the created world he has entrusted us with. We all had a lovely time.

Don't forget this Saturday it is Forest Church at 4pm at Bulphan Church. All are welcome and we will be meeting whatever the weather. Just come with waterproofs.

I hope to see you around.

Do take care and God bless,

Sue



Eco Pause for Thought

Don't forget to continue to supply food for wildlife. Drought can mean grains dry up faster and insect numbers reduce increasing reliance on us to help support nature in times of stress.



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Camino Frances A Pilgrim's Talk

On Saturday 12th August at 7pm,
in St Giles and All Saints Church, Orsett

You are invited to come listen to Sue's stories and adventures from her recent pilgrimage.

We will be serving refreshments and two different types of Spanish cakes. There is no charge for this event but a donation towards refreshments would be appreciated.

There will also be a raffle in aid of Sue's two charities, Cure Parkinson and the MND Association.



Thurrock Foodbank

Your continued support is much appreciated. The Parish has four collection boxes as listed below:

- Horndon** 1, Lion Cottages, High Rd
- Orsett** The Rectory, School Lane
- Bulphan** 24, Church Lane & Bulphan Stores

Shortages this week are: Custard, tinned fruit, mashed potatoes, cooking sauces, sponge puddings, angel delight, jelly, tomato and meat soups and long life milk



Happy August birthdays

**Carys H, Toby S, Willow H, Jackson P,
Octavia H, Summer-Rose R, Annabelle S,
Molly R, Harriet D and Lottie Lee**

Bill R and Sonia W

The Parish of Horndon, Orsett and Bulphan

**AUTUMN
BOOK SALE**

SATURDAY 30TH
SEPTEMBER
10AM - NOON
IN
HORNDON
CHURCH

**PROCEEDS TO
CHURCH FUNDS**



**BOOKS AND OTHER
BARGAINS**

**REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE
WHILE YOU BROWSE,
INCLUDING BACON ROLLS.**

MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT.

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Diary Dates

Services

- Tuesday 8th August Holy Communion Service, 7.30pm at Bulphan Church
- Next week's Sunday services (13th August) 8.45am CW Holy Communion Service and 10am Family Service, with baptism, at Bulphan Church
- Advance notice—Our Harvest Festival service will be on Sunday 24th September at 10am in Bulphan Church, entertainment and refreshments will be provided.
- Evening Prayers are at 6.30pm 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

- The interment of Rita Dulson's ashes will be on Saturday 5th August at 10am in Horndon Church
- Visit to Whitecroft Residential Home on Tuesday 8th August at 2pm
- Next baptism preparation meeting is on Monday 14th August 7.30pm at Orsett Church
- The funeral of Paul Challis will be on Friday 18th August at 11.30am at Bowers Gifford Crematorium.
- The funeral of Irene Wellman will be on Tuesday 22nd August in Bulphan Church, time to be confirmed.
- The interment of George Roast's ashes will be on Tuesday 22nd August at 2pm at Orsett Church
- The funeral of Dr John Benjafield will be on Tuesday 29th August at 12.00 in Bulphan Church.

Dates for
your
diary.....

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Prayers for the week

Prayer Diary

- THE TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD [NINTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY] Please pray for the work of the Leprosy Mission. Remember, too, the people of those countries where leprosy is still a major problem today.
- Pray for: Province de L'Eglise Anglicane du Congo
- Prayers for the rest of the week can be found here-: <https://www.chelmsford.anglican.org/uploads/publications/wepray/WePray-June-Aug23.pdf>

Parish prayer diary

Horndon Jean T, David St P, Kevin H, Stephen B, Cleveland K, Freddy, Nick T, Moira, Ivy
Orsett Mike R, Di B, Margaret C
Bulphan Brian F, Anita J
Other Hazel K, Elizabeth, Dottie and her family



Prayers for the recently bereaved

Horndon The family and friends of John Ward.
Orsett The family and friends of Joan Mackenzie, Victor Johnson, Edith 'Win' Wright, Maureen Dovey.
Bulphan The family and friends of Irene Wellman, Dr John Benjafield,
Other The family and friends of Paul Challis, George Roast.

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

Hobnob Magazine

- September edition—Please submit articles to Ron by **August 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

Individual Private Prayer

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

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



Bible Readings for this week

Principal Service

Sunday	Isaiah 55.1–5 Psalm 145.8–9, 15–end	Romans 9.1–5 Matthew 14.13–21
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	Morning prayer	Night prayer		Morning prayer	Night prayer
Mon	Psalm 44 Jeremiah 36.19–end Mark 1.1–13	Psalms 47 1 Samuel 19.1–18 Acts 1.1–14	Tues	Psalm 48 Jeremiah 37 Mark 1.14–20	Psalm 50 1 Samuel 20.1–17 Acts 1.15–end
Weds	Psalm 119.57–80 Jeremiah 38.1–13 Mark 1.21–28	Psalm 59 1 Samuel 20.18–end Acts 2.1–21	Thurs	Psalm 57 Jeremiah 38.14–end Mark 1.29–end	Psalm 62 1 Samuel 21.1–22.5 Acts 2.22–36
Fri	Psalm 51 Jeremiah 39 Mark 2.1–12	Psalm 38 1 Samuel 22.6–end Acts 2.37–end	Sat	Psalm 68 Jeremiah 40 Mark 2.13–22	Psalm 66 1 Samuel 23 Acts 3.1–10

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