



## Welcome to the Parish of Horndon, Orsett and Bulphan

### Weekly notice sheet

Sunday 20th August 2023 - 101st Sunday after Trinity

8.45am BCP Holy Communion Service, 10am Holy Communion Service

4pm Refresh Service All at St Peter and St Paul's 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** - God of glory, the end of our searching, help us to lay aside all that prevents us from seeking your kingdom, and to give all that we have to gain the pearl beyond all price, through our Saviour Jesus Christ.

**Post Communion** - Lord of all mercy, we your faithful people have celebrated that one true sacrifice which takes away our sins and brings pardon and peace: by our communion keep us firm on the foundation of the gospel and preserve us from all sin; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Dear Everyone,

Thank you to those who supported my Camino Pilgrimage talk at Orsett Church last Saturday evening, whether by baking Spanish cakes, organising refreshments, assisting with technology, providing raffle prizes or tickets, buying tickets, making a donation towards Cure Parkinsons and the MND Association or just by being there. The final total collected for the two charities, including the money donated through Give Wheel and Gift Aid was £4,671.78. Thank you, so much, to everyone who gave to this project. There are too many people for me to thank individually, but please know that your contribution is greatly valued and, knowing you were supporting me in this way, as I walked, was an added incentive to keep on going!

I was very grateful that you, as a parish, enabled me to use half of my sabbatical to complete the Camino and it was a privilege, last Saturday, to be able to share something of that experience, in particular, some of the prayers and spiritual insights gained as I walked.

I would like to finish my words this week with one of the prayers I was given as I walked which I didn't have the opportunity to share last weekend.

Dear Lord Jesus Christ,

Let me love more freely, let me love more dearly, let me love more truly,  
from the bottom of my heart, from the last and tiniest corner and fibre of my soul,  
from the furthest and smallest thought of my spirit.

Let me love with compassion, let me love with passion, let me love without ceasing,  
with all my hopes, with all my desires, with all that I am.

Let me love boldly, let me love fiercely, let me love truly.

Let me love with my heart on fire, fearless and unconditionally.

Amen.

I look forward to seeing you soon.

Take care and God bless,

Sue



### *Eco Pause for Thought*

Help birds in hot weather. Keeping your bird bath topped up with fresh water in warmer weather can be a life saver for our feathered friends.



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## 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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## Thurrock Foodbank

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

<b>Horndon</b>	1, Lion Cottages, High Rd
<b>Orsett</b>	The Rectory, School Lane
<b>Bulphan</b>	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, jams and spreads and packet rice.



## The Parish of Horndon, Orsett and Bulphan

### Bat Spotting Evening

Friday 22nd September

Food and activities from 5pm

A short talk about bats from 6pm, followed by a guided walk around the churchyard, starting at dusk when bats come out to forage.

With the aid of bat detectors and torches we hope to see and hear a variety of species.

Venue: St Giles and All Saints Church, Orsett

Cost: £5 per person

It isn't mandatory but if you can please contact Christine, on 01375 641485, to book a place, this will help with catering.

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## Diary Dates

### Services

- Holy Communion Service, 12 noon at Horndon Church
- Next week's Sunday services (27th August) 8.45am CW Holy Communion Service and 10am Family Service at Orsett 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 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, at 11am.
- 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.
- The funeral of Joan Mackenzie will be on Friday 1st September at 1.30pm at Orsett Church.

Dates for  
your  
diary.....

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## Prayers for the week

### Prayer Diary

- ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY As churches and countries mark Slavery Memorial Day on 23rd August, we remember the world-wide call to repentance and reparation laid upon many consciences and cultures. We pray for the day when those of all races, and those of all faiths and of none, will be treated fairly and equally by everyone.
- Pray for: The Church of England
- 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** Carol N, 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, Maureen Dovey, George Roast  
**Bulphan** The family and friends of Irene Wellman, Dr John Benjafield,  
**Other** The family and friends of Paul Challis

## Hobnob Magazine

- September edition—Please submit articles to Ron by **August 21st** email: [r.porter@hobnob.org.uk](mailto:r.porter@hobnob.org.uk)
- The online version of the magazine can be found on our website news page [www.hobnob.org.uk/magazine](http://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 Monday, Tuesday and Saturday.</i>
Horndon-on-the-Hill Church	Tuesday and Saturday	



### Bible Readings for this week

#### Principal Service

**Sunday**

Isaiah 56.1, 6–8  
Psalm 67

Romans 11.1–2a, 29–32  
Matthew 15.[10–20] 21–28

	Morning prayer	Night prayer		Morning prayer	Night prayer
<b>Mon</b>	Psalm 80 Micah 1.1–9 Mark 5.1–20	Psalm 85 2 Samuel 3.12–end Acts 6	<b>Tues</b>	Psalm 89.1–18 Micah 2 Mark 5.21–34	Psalm 89.19–end 2 Samuel 5.1–12 Acts 7.1–16
<b>Weds</b>	Psalm 119.105–128 Micah 3 Mark 5.35–end	Psalm 91 2 Samuel 6.1–19 Acts 7.17–43	<b>Thurs</b>	Psalm 86 Genesis 28.10–17 John 1.43–end	Psalm 91 Ecclesiasticus 39.1–10 Matthew 10.1–22
<b>Fri</b>	Psalm 88 Micah 5.2–end Mark 6.14–29	Psalm 102 2 Samuel 7.18–end Acts 7.54–8.3	<b>Sat</b>	Psalm 97 Micah 6 Mark 6.30–44	Psalm 104 2 Samuel 9 Acts 8.4–25

## Contact details

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