

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

Weekly notice sheet Sunday 21st March-5th Sunday of Lent



Holy Communion Service at 10am

You can join the service via Zoom



Today's Collect

Gracious Father, you gave up your Son out of love for the world: lead us to ponder the mysteries of his passion, that we may know eternal peace through the shedding of our Saviour's blood, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Post Communion

Lord Jesus Christ, you have taught us that what we do for the least of our brothers and sisters we do also for you: give us the will to be the servant of others as you were the servant of all, and gave up your life and died for us, but are alive and reign, now and for ever.

Dear Everyone,

I am looking forward to seeing some of you in Church on Easter Sunday to celebrate the resurrection of Jesus. Our Easter Day Service will be at 10am and will be a service of Holy Communion. It would be helpful if you could let me know if you are planning to come so that we can make sure that everyone is safe and please can I ask you to wear a mask at the service, unless you are exempt.

On Palm Sunday, our service will be online but we will be leaving Palm crosses outside all three churches from the Saturday onwards, so if you would like one, please do take one.

We have some other online services during Holy Week and details of these can be found on this notice sheet.

I will let you know about services after Easter in due course but in the meantime, please know that you are very much in my prayers.



Take care and God bless,

Sue



Prayers for the week

Prayer Diary

- Father, help us to be like Christ your Son, who loved the world and died for our salvation. Inspire us by his love, and guide us by his example. Amen.
- PRAY for The Church of England
- Prayers for the rest of the week can be found here-: <http://www.chelmsford.anglican.org/uploads-new/publications/WePray-Feb-Mar21.pdf>

Benefice Prayer Diary

Horndon	Suzanne P, Nick T, Revd Brenda, Jean, Jan C, Moira, Ivy
Orsett	Maureen D, Pat, Di, Margaret C, Steve J
Bulphan	Sue C, Richard, June
Other	Dottie and her family



Prayers for the recently bereaved

Horndon	Bishop John and his family following the death of Sara, Family and friends of Elaine P
Orsett	Michael and family following the death of Eileen
Bulphan	Friends and family of Eric J

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

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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: custard, sponge puddings, long life milk, mashed potato and toilet rolls

Hobnob Magazine

- April edition—Please submit articles to Ron by March 25th 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



All churches are closed for private prayer for the foreseeable future but please let Revd Sue or Revd Max know if you have any prayer or pastoral needs



Diary Dates

Services

- This week's Sunday service at 10am, can be accessed via Zoom. The zoom link will be emailed to the church family on our database.
- Morning and Evening Prayers will be on Monday to Saturday at 8.30am and 7pm respectively and can be found through 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 *(Please remember due to Covid regulations only those invited to funerals can attend)*

- Facebook Beastly Bible Story at 4.30pm on a Sunday afternoon
- Fischy Music assemblies on Mondays at 11am. The link for Fischy Music is www.youtube.com/user/Fischymusic
- Lent course 'For such a time as this' on zoom Thursday at 8pm, the link is sent to everyone on the database
- The Funeral of Eileen Leach is to be held on Monday 22nd March, 2pm at Orsett Church
- The Interment of Glenn Osborne's ashes on Saturday 3rd April, 11.30am at the new cemetery in Horndon

Services for Holy Week

- Palm Sunday: Family Service on Zoom
- Daily from Monday to Thursday at 11.30am: Reflections on the Psalms on Facebook@HOBNOBChurches
- Tuesday Evening at 7pm: Taize Service on Facebook@HOBNOBChurches
- Maundy Thursday at 7pm: Prayers and Reflections on Facebook@HOBNOBChurches
- Good Friday at 11.30am: Virtual Stations of the Cross on Facebook@HOBNOBChurches
- Good Friday at 2pm: Walk of Witness on Facebook@HOBNOBChurches
- Good Friday at 7pm: Passion Reading on Facebook@HOBNOBChurches
- Easter Day: Holy Communion Service at Orsett Church at 10am



Bible Readings for this week

Principal Service		
Sunday	Jeremiah 31.31-34 Hebrews 5.5-10	Psalms 51.1-13 John 12.20-33

	Morning prayer	Night prayer		Morning prayer	Night prayer
Monday	Psalms 73 Jeremiah 21.1-10 John 11.28-44	Psalms 26 Exodus 8.1-19 Hebrews 11.17-31	Tuesday	Psalms 35 Jeremiah 22.1-5 John 11.45-end	Psalms 61 Exodus 8.20-end Hebrews 11.32-12.2
Wednesday	Psalms 55 Jeremiah 22.20-23.8 John 12.1-11	Psalms 85 Wisdom 9.1-12 Galatians 4.1-5	Thursday	Psalms 111 Samuel 2.1-10 Romans 5.12-end	Psalms 131 Isaiah 52.1-12 Hebrews 2.5-end
Friday	Psalms 22 Jeremiah 24 John 12.20-36a	Psalms 31 Exodus 10 Hebrews 13.1-16	Saturday	Psalms 23 Jeremiah 25.1-14 John 12.36b-end	Psalms 130 Exodus 11 Hebrews 13.17-end

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23rd March
National Day of Reflection
Reflect • Support • Hope

Take a minute's silence at 12 noon on 23 March
to show your support for the millions of people who are
bereaved and take a moment to connect with someone.

Scan this QR code to
light a candle online



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God of Love,
As we think about all that has changed this year,
help us to trust that you are always with us.
As we remember those who have died,
help us to trust they are at peace with you.
As we reach out to others with kindness and care,
may hope shine out in every heart and home.
Amen



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