Welcome to the Parish of Horndon, Orsett and Bulphan

Weekly notice sheet

Sunday 21st June – 3rd Sunday after Trinity

10am Holy Communion Service at St Giles and All Saints Church, Orsett

4pm Refresh Service at St Paul and St Peter Church, Horndon

At a Communion Service if you require gluten free wafers please let the minister know when you go forward to receive.

*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 our saviour, look on this wounded world in pity and in power; hold us fast to your promises of peace won for us by your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ.

Post Communion - O God, whose beauty is beyond our imagining and whose power we cannot comprehend: show us your glory as far as we can grasp it, and shield us from knowing more than we can bear until we may look upon you without fear; through Jesus Christ our Saviour.





Feast & Fayre Saturday 27th and Sunday 28th June, Horndon-on-the-hill

If you would like to help support the Parish, Horndon Church would be very grateful for donations of cakes, tombola prizes, or good-quality items for their 'Treasures' stall.

The church will be serving 'lunch in a bag' for £4 (roll, crisps, cake and drink). They will also be selling raffle tickets.

Please do take some time to visit the church to admire the wonderful floral displays.

For more details, including where to park, please check this website - www.horndonfeastandfayre.co.uk/

Parish website – hobnob.org.uk

I am very pleased to say that the website is now back up and running, thanks to the hard work of Tom Mann.

The website remains largely the same, but we have increased the information on the calendar to include all service dates and times. These are no longer listed separately on the services page.

We hope that the updated calendar will be clearer and easier to use, particularly when accessing the site on a mobile phone.

Eco Pause for thought

Hopefully, we have all found some ways of living more sustainably, whether perhaps by eating less meat, by finding ways of reducing our water and energy consumption, and by trying to eliminate our use of plastics. However, are our friends and wider families aware of the reasons for the choices we are making? Sometimes a gentle conversation can help others to start to review some aspects of their lifestyles, and to begin on their eco journey.

Diary Dates



Services

- Saturday 27th June – 10am Feast & Fayre opening service at Horndon Church
- **Next Sunday services, 28th June**
  - ◊ 8.45am CW Holy Communion Service at Bulphan Church
  - ◊ 9am Feast & Fayre Family Service at Horndon Church
  - ◊ 10am Family Service at Bulphan Church

Advance notice

- Thursday 18th June, Funeral of Margaret Woodward, 1pm at Orsett Church, followed by committal at Upminster Crematorium.
- Tuesday 30th June, Wedding of Caitlin Murray and Jamie Thomas, 2pm at Horndon Church
- Saturday 11th July, Baptism Preparation meeting, 12noon at Horndon Church
- Tuesday 21st July, Prayer Group, 8pm at the Woolmarket, Horndon-on-the-hill

Knowing and sharing the love of Jesus in the Church and community

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Prayers

Prayer Diary

- THIRD SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY A prayer for Windrush Day – which will be marked on 22 June 2026 Loving Father in heaven, we thank you for the amazing contribution of the Windrush generation to our communities and workplaces, and to your Church in our land. Lamenting our past failings in welcoming them, we ask that you would help us to recognise your Son in every face we see, through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen. (The Church of England)
- Pray for: The Church of South India (United)
- Prayers for the rest of the week can be found here-: www.chelmsford.anglican.org/publications/wepray

Parish prayer diary

Horndon Brooke F-H, Diane B, Bill R, Diane M, Jane L, Chris D, Peter B, Moira B, David St P.
Orsett Jane R, Sid R
Bulphan Tony C, Anita J
Other Everyone in care homes and those who receive communion at home.



Prayers for the recently bereaved

Horndon The family and friends of Gerry Toop
Orsett The family and friends of John Mann, Margaret Woodward, David Battershall, Stephen Smeeth
Bulphan The family and friends of Ron Porter

Please let a church warden or Revd Max* know *of people who are unwell or in need of pastoral support.

Online Prayers

- If you would like to listen to daily prayers, you can download at APP for your phone or tablet 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

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

Bulphan Church	Monday and Thursday	*Refreshments are available on*
Horndon-on-the-Hill Church	Tuesday and Saturday	*Monday, Tuesday and Saturday.*

Thurrock Foodbank The Parish has three collection boxes as listed below:

Horndon: 1, Lion Cottages, High Rd, **Orsett:** 1 Prince Charles Avenue **Bulphan:** Bulphan Stores

fruit juice, tinned meat (spaghetti bolognese, curry, stew, hot dogs etc), noodles, squash, tinned fruit, long life milk and desserts (custard, rice pudding, jellies, sponge puddings, tinned fruit).

Bible Readings for this week

	Principal Service	
Sunday	Jeremiah 20.7–13 Psalm 69.8–11 [12–17] 18–20	Romans 6.1b –11 Matthew 10.24–39

	Morning prayer	Night prayer		Morning prayer	Night prayer
Mon	Psalm 71 Judges 8.22–end Luke 15.1–10	Psalm 72 Ezra 7 Romans 11.25–end	**Tues**	Psalm 73 Judges 9.1–21 Luke 15.11–end	Psalm 74 Ezra 8.15–end Romans 12.1–8
Weds	Psalm 50 Malachi 3.1–6 Luke 3.1–17	Psalm 80 Malachi 4 Matthew 11.2–19	**Thurs**	Psalm 78.1–39* Judges 11.1–11 Luke 16.19–end	Psalm 78.40–end* Ezra 10.1–17 Romans 13.1–7
Fri	Psalm 55 Judges 11.29–end Luke 17.1–10	Psalm 69 Nehemiah 1 Romans 13.8–end	**Sat**	Psalm 76 Judges 12.1–7 Luke 17.11–19	Psalm 84 Nehemiah 2 Romans 14.1–12

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