

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



Weekly notice sheet Sunday 22nd November—1st Sunday before Advent

Morning Praise Service

will be live streamed and can be viewed at www.hobnob.org.uk/watch



Today's Collect

God the Father, help us to hear the call of Christ the King and to follow in his service, whose kingdom has no end; for he reigns with you and the Holy spirit, one God, one glory.

Prayers for the week

Diocesan Prayer Diary

Sunday prayers

- O loving Lord, be near us at this time of worship. Open our ears to hear your voice; our eyes to behold your glory; our hearts to receive your grace; our lips to show forth your praise; for the sake of Jesus Christ, our King and Saviour
- PRAY for The Church of Bermuda (Extra-Provincial to the Archbishop of Canterbury), The Rt Revd Nicholas Dill, Bishop of Bermuda
- Prayers for the rest of the week can be found here-://www.chelmsford.anglican.org/uploads-new/publications/WePray-OCT-NOV20.pdf

Benefice Prayer Diary

Mervyn, Ron S, Edna, Joyce, Steve B, Nicola, Steve J, Janet, Erica, Deb, Sandra, Pat, Dottie and her family

Prayers for the recently bereaved

Michelle, Jo, Chris and all their families and the family of Peter T.

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



Diary Dates

Services

- During lockdown Sunday services will be live streamed at 10am on Sundays and can be found through Facebook @HOBNOBChurches or on www.hobnob.org.uk/watch
- Morning and Evening Prayers will be held on a Monday and Friday at 8.30am and 6pm 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

- Deadline for completing Worship questionnaire, **Sunday 22nd November**

Individual Private Prayer



Horndon-on-the-Hill Church is open on Tuesday and Saturday, 10am to 12.00 noon

Bulphan Church is open on Monday and Thursday, 10am to 12noon



This time is for quiet prayer and unfortunately at the moment, following Government guidelines, the time should not be used for socialising with other members of the congregation.

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

We take safeguarding seriously; details are displayed in all our churches and on the website

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



Hobnob Magazine

- December edition—Please submit articles to Ron by November 23rd email: ronald714@btinternet.com
- The online version of the magazine can be found on our website news page www.hobnob.org.uk/magazine

Donating to the United Benefice

The churches in the Benefice would like to thank you for your continued financial support. During these difficult times we continue to serve our community, which has a greater need for the comfort and support we offer. Our income has been severely reduced yet we are still having to pay our annual Parish Share, just over £81,000, and many other bills.

If you would like to make a one off donation please go to our website www.hobnob.org.uk/give.

To become a regular donor please email Lynda at l.robertson@hobnob.org.uk and she will

send you details how to do this.

Thank you!

Alternatively, for a one off donation use the QR code.



Bible Readings for this week

Principal Service

Sunday	Ezekiel 34.11-16 Ephesians 1.15-end	Psalm 95.1-7 Matthew 25..31-end
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	Morning prayer	Night prayer		Morning prayer	Night prayer
Monday	Psalm 96 Isaiah 40.1-11 Revelation 14.1-13	Psalm 80 Isaiah 14.3-20 Matthew 9.18-34	Tuesday	Psalm 97 Isaiah 40.12-26 Revelation 14.14-end of 15	Psalm 74 Isaiah 17 Matthew 9.35-10.15
Wednesday	Psalm 77 Isaiah 40.27-41.7 Revelation 16.1-11	Psalm 122 Isaiah 19 Matthew 10.16-33	Thursday	Psalm 125 Isaiah 41.8-20 Revelation 16.12-end	Psalm 133 Isaiah 21.1-12 Matthew 10.34-11.1
Friday	Psalm 139 Isaiah 41.21-42.9 Revelation 17	Psalm 69 Isaiah 22.1-14 Matthew 11.2-19	Saturday	Psalm 76 Isaiah 42.10-17 Revelation 18	Psalm 84 Isaiah 24 Matthew 11.20-end

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Friends of Essex & London Homeless

Friends of Essex and London Homeless (FOELH), who organise the Friday night soup kitchen in Grays, which several of members of the Benefice have been involved with, are asking people if they might be able to either sponsor a Christmas dinner or purchase something from an Amazon wish list for a homeless person.

Should you wish to sponsor a Christmas Dinner, you can do so by copying the below link into the address bar;

https://m.facebook.com/story.php?story_fbid=2751660178434444&id=1823340701266401

And if you would like to buy something from the Amazon wish list, please copy this link

https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/1DYGLIPUFARLG?ref_=wl_share

Thank you for your support

Worship questionnaire

Thank you to those people who have already completed this questionnaire. If you haven't already done so the deadline is Sunday 22nd November. Here is the link again—

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=P8pL1_sesk2qERyTbOQPizSMEFSN8xhMjPWs-mUiuKFUREZZVzRGTRIRU5PUkJHN0syNVJSUDY2MS4u

If you receive paper copies of this notice and were given a paper copy of the questionnaire can you please return it to the Rectory in Orsett. If anyone has a problem returning their form please let Sue know and we can arrange collection.



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