



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

### Weekly notice sheet

**Sunday 5th May—6th Sunday of Easter**

**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.*

*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** - Risen Christ, faithful shepherd of your Father's sheep: teach us to hear your voice and to follow your command, that all your people may be gathered into one flock, to the glory of God the Father.

**Post Communion** - Merciful Father, you gave your Son Jesus Christ to be the good shepherd, and in his love for us to lay down his life and rise again: keep us always under his protection, and give us grace to follow in his steps; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Dear Everyone,

Thank you to everyone who worked hard to ensure that the APCM ran smoothly last week and to all those who attended.

Thank you, also, to the treasury team, Lynn, Lynda and Robin, who put together the presentation for our stewardship scheme. You should have all received details of this by now, either an envelope, or online, with a form to complete and place in a box at the back of one of the churches by Sunday June 2nd. Please can I ask that you pray about your giving to the Church.

Don't forget it is Forest Church this Saturday at Orsett Church at 4pm. And also, to remind you that the afternoon tea is on Saturday 11th May at Orsett Churches Centre. There are further details on page two of the notices.

Finally, please pray for Mike Dovey, Roy and Angela Jones, Samantha Pankhurst and Dan Watts as they prepare to be confirmed on Sunday 12th May at St John's Church Victoria Avenue.

I look forward to seeing you soon.

Take care and God bless,

Sue

### Thurrock Foodbank

Your continued support is much appreciated. The Parish has 4 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: Savoury Snacks, Crisps, Long Life Milk, Tinned Fish  
Tinned Meat, Sponge Puddings, Mashed Potato, Squash & Fruit Juice**



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**christian aid** The Parish of Horndon, Orsett and Bulphan **christian aid**

**You're invited to a Big Brekkie!**  
*After our 10am service on  
 Sunday 12th May at Bulphan Church*

Want to change the world over breakfast?  
 Then come and tuck in at our Big Brekkie! We'll be serving toast, croissants, cereal and fruit for a donation. All monies raised at the service and donations for the breakfast will be given to Christian Aid who use this to fight poverty and injustice worldwide.



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# Afternoon Tea Party

Please kindly join us for a delightful afternoon and wonderful company.

- Sandwiches
- Cream scones and cakes
- Tea or coffee

**Saturday 11th May at 2.30-4.30pm**  
**at The Orsett Churches Centre,**  
**High Road, Orsett. RM16 3ER**

**Tickets: £10 each, tickets must be bought in advance from Sandra - 07967 428154**



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**Happy May birthdays**

**Paige L, Freya G, Milah G, Ollie H, Romeo K-F, Edward A, Callie C, Bear N, Nancy C, Archie W, Harrison L, Florence B, Arthur C and Ralphie R.**

**Jean K, Angela C, Phil A and Phil M**

***Eco Pause for Thought* - FORGET 'FAST' FASHION**

The fashion industry has a problem. Questions are being asked about the environmental ethics of raw materials, factory working conditions and the limited life of many articles of clothing. Less well publicised issues of the industry are the CO2 emissions and water use. (The UN tells us one pair of jeans uses 10,000 litres of water).

If you are buying new, look for brands promoting sustainable fashion. Tearfund suggests some here: <https://wearetearfund.org/article/ethical-fashion-tips-for-autumn/>




**Diary Dates**

**Services**

- Next Sunday's services, 12th May
  - ◊ 8.45am CW Holy Communion Service at Bulphan Church
  - ◊ 10am Family Service at Bulphan Church
- Tuesday 14th May — 2pm Holy Communion Service at The Whitecroft

**Advance notice**

- Saturday 11th May Baptism Preparation Meeting, 12noon at Horndon Church
- Sunday 12th May baptisms of Isabella Chalk and Samantha Pankhurst
- Tuesday 21st May Prayer Group meeting, 8pm at The Woolmarket, Horndon on the hill
- Sunday 26th May baptisms of Lily-Marie Snook and Hallie Broderick

**Dates for your diary.....**

## Prayers

### Prayer Diary

- THE SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER Please pray for the ministry of the Actors Church Union, and everyone involved in the local theatre and entertainment industry in our Diocese.
- Pray for: Igreja Episcopal Anglicana do Brasil
- Prayers for the rest of the week can be found here-: [www.chelmsford.anglican.org/publications/wepray](http://www.chelmsford.anglican.org/publications/wepray)

### Parish prayer diary

**Horndon** Clive C, Jane L, Samuel C, Moira B, Jan C, Sharon H, Carol N, David St P, Kevin H, Freddy, Nick T, Ivy  
**Orsett** Bronc, Katie S. Lily B, Pat M, Margaret C  
**Bulphan** Frank W, Brian F, Anita J  
**Other** Anne-Marie and boys, Hazel K, Elizabeth, Dottie and her family

### Prayers for the recently bereaved

**Orsett** The family and friends of Pat Nash, June Ridgwell, Di Bubb



**Please let Revd Sue 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	<i>Free refreshments are available on</i>
Horndon-on-the-Hill Church	Tuesday and Saturday	<i>Monday, Tuesday and Saturday.</i>

## Hobnob Magazine

- May edition—Please submit articles to Ron by **April 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)

### Bible Readings for this week

	Principal Service	
Sunday	Acts 10.44–end + Psalm 98	1 John 5.1–6 John 15.9–17

	Morning prayer	Night prayer		Morning prayer	Night prayer
<b>Mon</b>	Psalm 65 Numbers 16.1–35 Luke 6.27–38	Psalm 121 Deuteronomy 26 1 Peter 4.1–11	<b>Tues</b>	Psalm 126 Numbers 16.36–end Luke 6.39–end	Psalm 128 Deuteronomy 28.1–14 1 Peter 4.12–end
<b>Weds</b>	Psalm 132 Numbers 17.1–11 Luke 7.1–10	Psalm 15 2 Samuel 23.1–5 Colossians 2.20–3.4	<b>Thurs</b>	Psalms 110, 150 Isaiah 52.7–end Hebrews 7. 26–end	Psalm 8 2 Kings 2.1–15 Revelation 5
<b>Fri</b>	Psalm 81 Numbers 20.1–13 Luke 7.11–17	Psalm 145 Deuteronomy 29.2–15 1 John 1.1–2.6	<b>Sat</b>	Psalm 47 Numbers 21.4–9 Luke 7.18–35	Psalm 85 Deuteronomy 30 1 John 2.7–17

## Contact details

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