



**Holy Trinity Church, Rushams Road,
Horsham**

NOTICES

16th August 2026

Eleventh Sunday after Trinity

Welcome to this week's Noticesheet.

Our deadline for notices is

Wednesday 5pm. Please email

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Fr. Sam's Day Off: Friday.

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Our church is open for Private Prayer

**8.30am – 4pm Mon. to Fri. Sat. 9am –
4 pm.**

**Please note 10am services at Holy
Trinity are Live Streamed.**

THIS WEEK AT HOLY TRINITY
including Wednesday morning
services [St Leonard's](#) & [St Mary's](#)

Sunday 16th August

8am Quiet Communion followed by
Breakfast

10am Communion

Monday 17th August

8.30am BCP Morning Prayer

Tuesday 18th August

8.30am BCP Morning Prayer

Wednesday 19th August

8.30am BCP Morning Prayer

Thursday 20th August

8.30am BCP Morning Prayer

11am Crafty Thursdays – All are
Welcome to craft, refreshments &
fellowship

Saturday 22nd August

9am BCP Morning Prayer

Next Sunday 23rd August

10am Communion

YOUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR

The sick, troubled or in need: Jane Harnden, John Inman, Zillah Lighter, Laura Rawlinson, Richard, David Andrews, Rosemary Hensor, Christopher Lowdell, Angela Garmen, Carole Daubney, Stan Hall, Sarah Mackay, Reg Haydon, Roger Lighter, Philip Spooner, Margaret Ashford, Angela Haydon, Anna Hall, David Harnden, Jenny Watts, Alfie Close

Those who have died recently: Brian Hagan

Those whose year's mind falls at this time:

2nd August - Tony Huntley, James Worsfold, Ellen Hamilton

9TH August – Sydney Hall, Jennie Goode, Mildred Cicely Talbot

Prayer requests can be made via the link on our

Website <http://holytrinityhorsham.org.uk>, on the prayer sheet at the back of church or by contacting Ruth Huntley on 01403 754403.

Annual Parish Social – Sunday 16th August from 12noon – 3pm St Mary's Vicarage Garden.

From Rev'd Lisa

Dear all,

Now that our wonderful flower festival is over, it's time to let you know the details of this year's parish social. It will be on Sunday 16th August, from 12noon - 3pm, at St Mary's Vicarage garden.

After a couple of issues with the previous pizza van, we have booked a different pizza oven this year, so the format will be similar, but hopefully without the food delays! Please bring your own drinks, and if you're able to then please also bring your own camping chairs or blankets to sit on. You may also want to bring picnic plates, to collect your pizza on.

As in previous years, we're asking for £9/adult and £5/child where possible, which can be paid when you book in, or on the day, but there's no pressure if money is tight, please do come along and enjoy some pizza as well as getting to know our church family better. If it's wet then we will use the church instead, but we're hoping for another sunny Sunday to enjoy together.

The booking link is here:

<https://horshamteamparish.churchsuite.com/events/gt0mb88z>

Hope that many of you can come!

Many thanks, Lisa

Mother's Union Garden Party – Holy Trinity Church Thursday 27th August

Come and join us on Thursday 27th August in the garden at Holy Trinity Church from 2- 4 pm . We will be celebrating 150 years of Mother's union . There will be scones / cakes Also there will be a raffle and a bring and buy table..

This event is open to anyone at Holy Trinity please can you let Sue Liptrot know if you intend to attend for catering purposes. 07434810023.

SPONSOR A SHINGLE



We have 1200 shingles that can be sponsored for £20 + gift aid (£25). We have already sponsored over 150. If we sell all of these it will go a long way to filling the hole in our fabric fund caused by the £25K overspend on the refurbishment of the Bell Tower.

If you would like to sponsor a shingle for yourself or a loved one, please contact – krayner@horshamholyltrinity.org.uk Fr Sam has explained that the cost of the works exceeded our original budget by £25,000, so we are launching our new **Sponsor A Shingle Campaign** with the goal of covering this extra cost. QR code for the appeal.

HTC Harvest Fair – Saturday 10th October

We are in the process of organising our Harvest Fair. Please think of us if you are making jams, chutneys, marmalades etc we will be very grateful for donations to our stalls nearer the time. Also, if you have any suggestion for a stall you would like to run, please speak to Di or Angie after church on Sundays. Most importantly it's a date for your Diary!! Thank you.

Annual Plant & Produce Stall

Jane and Neil's Plant and Produce stall at 35 Rushams Road has now raised almost £400 for the gynae-oncology cancer GRACE in memory of Steph Barnard and in thanks for Jane's survival 18 years ago. If you have any plants or produce to donate to the stall, please leave them there or contact Jane or Neil - it's been tough going this year with the lack of rain. They do not price items but ask for donations for the produce. Thankyou.

Holy Trinity Gardening Club

Well done Ann Turner who has raised £100 for Gardening Club funds, With the help of Gardening Club she harvested some of the lavender from the Memorial Garden and made, and sold, lavender bags. In addition to this, an American visitor was so impressed with what has been achieved in the gardens that she donated a 100 dollar bill. At the end of the summer, Gardening Club hope to buy some winter bedding and bulbs for the planters outside the church to make the entrance attractive throughout the year. The club meets on Tuesdays from 3.30pm - 5pm, sometimes later when it's very hot. Just bring your gloves and pop along, or speak to Jane O'Sullivan or Ann Turner.

Safeguarding Training: Awareness of Domestic Abuse

Saturday 26th September 2026 at 10am

Venue: Holy Trinity Church

The Safeguarding Team will be running this face-to-face training again. This is a good quality course, sensitively delivered and we received great feedback when we ran this earlier in the year. The course is required for certain volunteer roles and so if you receive a request from Clare, please try to attend this or alternatively complete the course online. Anyone can undertake safeguarding training: if you don't hear directly from Clare but are interested to know more please do contact her.

safeguardinght@horshamholymtrinity.org.uk

RESUSCITATION TRAINING

Horsham Responders will be giving Resuscitation Training including knowing how to use an Automated Emergency Defibrillator on Tuesday September 22nd 7:45 p.m. for an 8:00pm start at St Leonards Church. If you are interested in this please turn up on the night – thank you.

Lap Blanket - Raffle

This lap blanket has been donated to be raffled.

It was being made for Steph Barnard by her friend Yvonne .

Yvonne has given it to raise money for church funds and the shoe box appeal .

The raffle will be drawn at the Harvest Fair on October 10th

Tickets are £1 each and will be available on Sundays at church or at Crafty Thursdays..

Libby Risby



The Messy Church held on Thursday 23rd July was loosely based on the parable of The Talents!

75 children and grown-ups attended and after the introduction, the story and song they enjoyed the range of craft activities before eating a lunch of hot dogs, fruit and lollies. We received many positive comments which were much appreciated.

Thank you to all our wonderful volunteers.



COMMUNITY NOTICES

None to offer this week.