

THE PARISH OF ST PETER AND ST PAUL BLACK NOTLEY

Clocks go back on Sunday



Last Sunday after Trinity

Sunday 26th October

11.00 am

Sung Eucharist



Please don't take photos or videos during the service unless you have consent.

Please be aware that this service may be live-streamed

Collect for Today

Merciful God,
teach us to be faithful in change and
uncertainty,
that trusting in your word
and obeying your will
we may enter the unfailing joy of Jesus
Christ our Lord.

Amen

Post Communion Collect

God of all grace,
your Son Jesus Christ fed the hungry
with the bread of his life
and the word of his kingdom:
renew your people with your heavenly
grace,
and in all our weakness
sustain us by your true and living bread;
who is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

Amen

Please find the Prayer for Mission on cards in your pews

Jeremiah 29: 1, 4 - 7

O children of Zion, be glad and rejoice in the Lord your God; for he has given the early rain for your vindication, he has poured down for you abundant rain, the early and the later rain, as before. The threshing-floors shall be full of grain, the vats shall overflow with wine and oil.

I will repay you for the years that the swarming locust has eaten, the hopper, the destroyer, and the cutter, my great army, which I sent against you.

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You shall eat in plenty and be satisfied, and praise the name of the Lord your God, who has dealt wondrously with you. And my people shall never again be put to shame. You shall know that I am in the midst of Israel, and that I, the Lord, am your God and there is no other.

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Then afterwards I will pour out my spirit on all flesh; your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, and your young men shall see visions. Even on the male and female slaves, in those days, I will pour out my spirit.

I will show portents in the heavens and on the earth, blood and fire and columns of smoke. The sun shall be turned to darkness, and the moon to blood, before the great and terrible day of the Lord comes. Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved; for in Mount Zion and in Jerusalem there shall be those who escape, as the Lord has said, and among the survivors shall be those whom the Lord calls.

Psalm 65

**1 Praise is due to you, O God, in Zion; ♦
to you that answer prayer shall vows be paid.**

Luke 18: 9 - 14

He also told this parable to some who trusted in themselves that they were righteous and regarded others with contempt: ‘Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax-collector. The Pharisee, standing by himself, was praying thus, “God, I thank you that I am not like other people: thieves, rogues, adulterers, or even like this tax-collector. I fast twice a week; I give a tenth of all my income.” But the tax-collector, standing far off, would not even look up to heaven, but was beating his breast and saying, “God, be merciful to me, a sinner!” I tell you, this man went down to his home justified rather than the other; for all who exalt themselves will be humbled, but all who humble themselves will be exalted.’

Jesus said: “Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are my brothers and sisters you did it to me.”

Support Babystuff Braintree

**(see Susan Pedder) through
prayer and donations**



Support Wethersfield

**through prayer and
donations of clothes for
young men**



**Sports teams coached by
young woman on the left**

**Please find boxes in the porch for
donations**

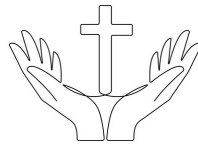
What's going on? News from the pews

- **Congratulations** to Sarah and Ross who got married on Friday 24th October here at St Peter and St Paul's, we are so delighted for you. **Congratulations** also to Nicky who was Confirmed at St Mary's Bocking on the 16th November.
- **Well done** to our fantastic young people, Charlotte, Jemima and Matilda who co-led the "Youthcharist" service last Sunday evening! You did a wonderful job.
- **Half term:** please note that Rev Rachel and Rev Nikki are on annual leave over half term. If you need a priest, please speak to Rev Roman.
- **Weekday Holy Communion:** Wednesday morning at 10am at All Saints Rayne led by Rev Marie. Coffee served beforehand, all welcome. People are welcome to park outside the church.
- **Ladies who Lunch.** The next event will be on Tuesday 28th October at 12.30 pm at the Braintree Garden Centre.. If you would like to join us for lunch, you will be very welcome. Please let Isobel know tel:01376 330155 or speak to Marian Martin.
- **Bingo** Bingo has moved from the Black Notley Village Hall to the Florence Slater room. It is run at the same time Fridays between 2 and 4 pm all welcome for fun and fellowship.
- **Course in Christian Studies** Starting Wednesday evenings in January 2026 in the Florence Slater Room. This is a two year course covering many aspects of the Christian faith e.g. the Bible, Church History, Ethics. If you are interested, please let Roman know **and** sign up online via The Course in Christian Studies page on the Chelmsford Diocese website.

**We pray for all those who are bereaved and for those
who are sick in body, mind or spirit and by name**

Teresa and family
Josie and Pat
Gina
Jason and his Family
Graham
Ernie Andrews
Dorothy
All families in crisis

Lord, send us the gift of
peace. We pray for the
gift of peace, that
hatred may turn to
understanding, anger
to compassion and
horror to hope.



Alan
Carole and Geoff
Joshua Manning
Penny and Mike
Derek and Jo
Sheila Vince
Arthur and Pauline
Colin and Judy

Holy Communion

Wafers will be offered and the common cup. If you feel uncomfortable about sharing the chalice, receiving the bread alone is not a lesser action.

If you would like a Blessing only, please bring your service booklet to the Altar rail.

Protocol concerning the dipping of wafers in the wine: The recommendation from the Church is that we should not dip the wafer as a matter of hygiene. If this at all worries you, please do not hesitate to discuss it with a member of the Clergy.

The Coming Week

Morning Prayer There will be Morning Prayer on Zoom at 9.00am

Meeting ID 884 8189 2518 Passcode Cj7500

Morning Prayer live is held at church every Friday morning at 9 a.m. All are very welcome to join us.



Sunday 9th November Said Eucharist **9am**

3rd Sunday before Advent

All-Age Scouting service **10 am**

War Memorial **10.50 am**

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- Morning and evening prayer are available at:
 - <https://www.churchofengland.org/prayer-and-worship/join-us-service-daily-prayer>

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Please see the Website and Newsletter for more information

Are you on the Mailing list? If not and you want to be, please contact Mike H or Isobel