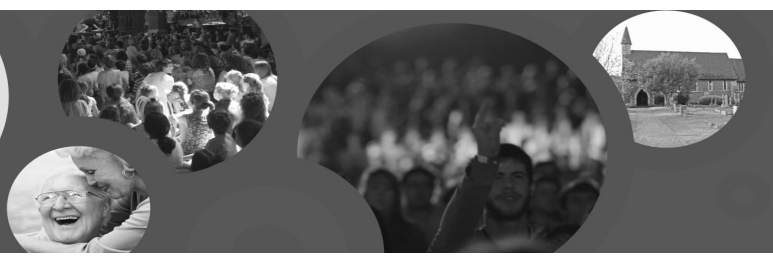


Church Matters



Below are details about who to contact for information and support.

Church Office Manager: Lisa Scott Tel 825533

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(Office hours are Monday - Thursday 9.30am - 1pm)

The office staff are the initial point of contact for church events, weddings and funerals.

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Next week	9.15 Service Warden	9.15 Prayers	9.15 Readings	10.15 Coffee	10.45 Service Warden	10.45 Prayers	10.45 Readings	Sunday Club	Screen / Sound
Sun 16 Nov	Rex T	Rex T	Barbie H	Susan D	Mike P	In service	Martin V	Carol L Soumya S	TBC

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BURPHAMCHURCH

SHARING THE GOOD NEWS OF JESUS

SUNDAY'S READINGS AND INFORMATION

9TH NOVEMBER 2025

TRINITY 21

NICENE CREED 6: GOD THE HOLY SPIRIT REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

9.15am Communion Service at CHS

10.15am Coffee in the hall

10.45am An Act of Remembrance at St. Luke's



Large print weekly sheets are available at the back of church



News, events and talks at...

www.burphamchurch.org.uk



Collect & Readings 9th November 2025

God, our refuge and strength, bring near the day when wars shall cease and poverty and pain shall end, that earth may know the peace of heaven through Jesus Christ our Lord.

2 Corinthians 3:17-4:2 NIV - UK

¹⁷ Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom. ¹⁸ And we all, who with unveiled faces contemplate the Lord's glory, are being transformed into his image with ever-increasing glory, which comes from the Lord, who is the Spirit.

⁴ Therefore, since through God's mercy we have this ministry, we do not lose heart. ² Rather, we have renounced secret and shameful ways; we do not use deception, nor do we distort the word of God. On the contrary, by setting forth the truth plainly we commend ourselves to everyone's conscience in the sight of God.

This is the word of the Lord: **Thanks be to God**

ADVENT WINDOWS

Here's something different for this December!

We are planning to create in Burpham a village-size Advent Calendar - windows around the village decorated with the themes of Christmas carols and songs.

Would you like to take part by hosting a window? Nothing elaborate needed. Scan the QR code or contact the office for more information.



Drop In Thursdays:

Coffee and Company, 10.30am. All Welcome! *Hear Here clinic runs 1st Thursday of the month.*



Lego Brick Church

Come and get building!

Lego stations, stories, songs and refreshments.

FUN for ALL the FAMILY at CHS.

Dates for your diary:

Sat 22nd November 3pm

Sun 21st December 3pm



Cleaning St Luke's

We will be welcoming many people from our community to St Luke's over the Christmas period. To make St Luke's a welcoming environment we need to do some cleaning. There will be a cleaning work party on Saturday 28th November 9.30-12.00. No need to say you are coming just arrive with your duster. Any questions ask Jane.

"He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end."

Revelation 20.11-15 is one of those awesome, scary bits of the bible which we rarely read, because it speaks of Judgement. Generally speaking we don't like it! We are probably quite happy for certain **other** people to be judged, whether that's migrants, criminals, politicians – just not us! But without judgment there can be no justice. Judgement will be a day when all wrongs will be righted, and it should hold no fear for us, if our names are written in the "book of life." Which I believe they will be if we have repented and trusted in the mercy and grace of Jesus.

How much do you think about Jesus second coming? The early church thought he was coming back any day, but now 2000 years later, have we given up hope? Hope is exactly what this part of the creed gives us. That one day Jesus will return and his kingdom will rule completely. "He will wipe every tear from their eyes. There will be no more death or mourning or crying or pain, for the old order of things has passed away." (Rev 21.4) Don't you just long for that day? Blessings William

You are invited to celebrate 60 years of worship at CHS!

CHS @ 60

We hope that you will join us at some, or all, of the celebrations on 22nd and 23rd November. Full details of the events are on the website.

We have ordered lunch for over 100, so there will be plenty. Please come, and invite friends and family to join us. Use the booking form to let us know any dietary requirements.

If you wish to give a donation towards the cost of the 60th birthday, please give using the card machine in CHS or via the office. We suggest a donation of around £10 for adults. No donation is necessary; we want your presence more than any money!

Upcoming Services at CHS & St. Luke's

Sunday 16th November

9.15am Communion Service

10.45am Morning Praise with Sunday Club

Sunday 23rd November

10.00am CHS@60 Anniversary with Bishop Andrew at CHS

Thursday 27th November

12.00 noon Midweek communion at St. Luke's



Tuesday Prayers

10 -10.30am at CHS.

An opportunity to pray together with refreshments.

Burpham Church Toddlers

Wednesdays, 9.30 –11am at Church of the Holy Spirit

A stay and play for 0 - 5 years with their parents/ carers. A warm, welcoming, safe toddler group with refreshments. Suggested donation £2.

Cleaning Opportunity

A flexible, competitive (paid) opportunity at CHS for a few hours per week from early November. For more info please ask the office.

Midweek Communion 1st Thursday of the month **10am at CHS** and on the 4th Thursday **12 noon at St. Luke's**