



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

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Next week	9.15 Service Warden	9.15 Prayers	9.15 Readings	Coffee	10.45 Service Warden	10.45 Prayers	10.45 Readings	Sunday Club	Screen / Sound
Sun 29 th June	Roy W	Jean D	Joan G	Sarah S	Susan D	In service	Sarah S	Carol L Yvonne W	Rugh B Lewis W

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BURPHAMCHURCH

SHARING THE GOOD NEWS OF JESUS

SUNDAY'S READINGS AND INFORMATION

22ND JUNE 2025

TRINITY 1

HOLY SPIRIT: AS COUNSELLOR AND CONVICTOR

9.15am Communion Service at CHS

10.15am Coffee *in the hall*

10.45am Holy Communion with children in church
at CHS



Large print weekly sheets are available at the back of church



News, events and talks at...

www.burphamchurch.org.uk



Collect & Readings 22nd June 2025

God of truth, help us to keep your law of love and to walk in ways of wisdom,
that we may find true life in Jesus Christ your Son.

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John:

Glory to you, O Lord

John 16:5-16 New International Version - UK

⁵ but now I am going to him who sent me. None of you asks me, "Where are you going?" ⁶ Rather, you are filled with grief because I have said these things. ⁷ But very truly I tell you, it is for your good that I am going away. Unless I go away, the Advocate will not come to you; but if I go, I will send him to you. ⁸ When he comes, he will prove the world to be in the wrong about sin and righteousness and judgment: ⁹ about sin, because people do not believe in me; ¹⁰ about righteousness, because I am going to the Father, where you can see me no longer; ¹¹ and about judgment, because the prince of this world now stands condemned.

¹² 'I have much more to say to you, more than you can now bear. ¹³ But when he, the Spirit of truth, comes, he will guide you into all the truth. He will not speak on his own; he will speak only what he hears, and he will tell you what is yet to come. ¹⁴ He will glorify me because it is from me that he will receive what he will make known to you. ¹⁵ All that belongs to the Father is mine. That is why I said the Spirit will receive from me what he will make known to you.'

¹⁶ Jesus went on to say, 'In a little while you will see me no more, and then after a little while you will see me.'

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

SAVE THE DATE! "Burpham Village Fair" Saturday 12th July.

Burpham Church will be taking part in the village fair and are looking for **'all hands on deck'**.

Many hands are needed! Please let the office or James know. More details to follow.



GAMES NIGHT WITH PIZZA!

Join in playing indoor and board games for all the family on

Friday 27th June, 5.30 - 9.30pm at CHS.

Please sign up on the sheet in church.

Brick Church at CHS in 2025 DATES FOR THIS TERM

Come and get building at CHS. Brick stations, stories, songs and refreshments!

FUN for ALL the FAMILY

For your diary: **22nd June, 3 - 4.30pm**



Tuesday Prayers 10 - 10.30am at CHS

An opportunity to pray together.

Businesses, governments and organisations of all kinds often engage consultants to advise them on how to rebrand their products, bring in new computer systems, or reorganise themselves. Management consultants can charge eye watering sums for this advice, although sometimes the results are mixed to say the least.

In John 14 Jesus refers to the Parakletos, meaning helper, counselor, advocate. So in one sense we have access to a free consultancy service! When we are unsure which way to go in any situation, why wouldn't we ask the Holy Spirit to guide us?

Elsewhere, Jesus refers to Him as the Spirit of Truth (John 16.13) who will guide you into all truth, and will "tell you what is yet to come." Which sounds prophetic to me, and don't we need more prophetic gifts to be used in the church? I don't think this means a sort of spiritual fortune telling. More an understanding of the times, and seeing where God is active and leading us.

I love the idea of the Spirit being our advocate. When we may be feeling particularly weak or vulnerable or failing, the advocate defends us against the devil, or (anyone else) who may try to undermine us and condemn us. The Spirit is also our comforter, reminding us that we are beloved and forgiven.

So when you are struggling with the pain and complexity of living in this broken world, pray that the Holy Spirit, the Paraclete, helper, counselor, and advocate will be with you and guide you into all truth. Blessings, Wiliam

Upcoming Services at CHS & St. Luke's

Friday 27th June at St. Luke's
12.00pm Communion Service

Sunday 29th June
9.15am Communion Service
10.45am Morning Worship with Sunday Club

Thursday 3rd July
10am Midweek Communion

Friday 4th July at St. Luke's
12.00pm Communion Service

Sunday 6th July
9.15am Communion Service
10.45am Intergenerational Service

Drop In Thursdays:

Coffee and Company, 10.30am in the church hall. All Welcome!

Hear Here clinic runs 1st Thursday of the month.



Diamond Jubilee Celebration Team

Calling enthusiastic and creative people to be part of our planning team for

Burpham Church's 60th year.

Please speak to Jane to join the team.

Celebration date - Sunday 24th November

Women's Social Drinks & Nibbles

An opportunity to meet new people and catch up with familiar faces. Sign up on the sheet for details on venue. Chat to Ann & Jenny for more info. **Thursday 10th July, 7 - 9pm**



SAVE THE DATE!

Sunday 24th August
Church BBQ at the vicarage