

# Weekly Worship

You are welcome here!



BURPHAMCHURCH  
SHARING THE GOOD NEWS OF JESUS

Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> June 2026

TRINITY 2

## Stewardship 2: Buildings for God

9.15am

Readings  
Exodus 25: 1-8  
Psalm 24:1-10

10:45am

### Holy Communion with Baptism

Led by William Lowries  
Sermon - James Hanson

### Morning Worship with Sunday Club

Led by William Lowries  
Sermon - James Hanson

## Welcome to Burpham Church

We're a church for our local community and you are invited, whatever your story. Church is a family for every day of the week, walking through life together, supporting each other and growing in our christian faith.

### You matter to God. You matter to us.

Our building is a hub of activity all week, in our events, our preschool, and with our groups for children, teenagers, students, and adults of all ages. Whether you've never entered a church before or have lots of church experience, there are many different ways you can get involved with the community here.

### Children's groups

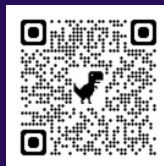
Our Children's groups on Sundays require a sign in with the Sunday Club Leader.

Visiting children who would like to attend the children's groups are very welcome and also need to sign-in with the Sunday Club leader.

Your child will be returned to you from their group at the **end of the service.**

## Get connected

Speak to one of the Welcome Team or use the QR code to connect.



Sign-up on our welcome cards or directly on the church website to receive church news and follow us on Facebook and Instagram



# What's On at CHS and St. Luke's

CHS - Church of the Holy Spirit  
St. Luke's - Burpham Lane

## The Bible Course

Grasp God's big story in 7 weeks. Monday evenings at CHS. Everyone is welcome to join.  
Sign up on the sheet or contact the office. **Monday 15<sup>th</sup> June, 7.30pm at CHS.**

## SPACE at St. Luke's

A space for contemplation, prayer or just to still your mind. A space to replenish and refresh yourself. In peace and quiet in St Luke's Church, Burpham Lane.

A new opportunity to come and go as you want. A few words will be said or sung midway and at the end of the hour. Saturdays once a month **5-6pm - June 20<sup>th</sup>**

## Lego Brick Church

Next week on **Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> June at 3pm**, join us at CHS for fun with bricks!

Learn about Moses the Prince of Egypt meet new people, refreshments available.

## Prayer Central

Join together as church in monthly prayer on **Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> July, 7pm** at CHS

## Mens' Socials

Connect with God, others and food! Invite friends! Chat to James for more info or keep an eye on the website.

**Curry at the Raj, 8<sup>th</sup> July 7.30pm.** Join in every Sunday evening, 8.30pm at the Anchor & Horseshoe.

## Womens' Socials

Summer Evening Party - a chance to relax and enjoy good company. Drinks and Light bites.

**Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> July, 7-9pm.** Please sign up on the sheet in church. Details of venue on the sign up sheet in church, or contact the office. Chat to Ann for more details.

## Tuesday prayers at CHS

An opportunity to pray together. Tea & coffee available - all are welcome to attend! **10 -10.30am**

## Noah's Ark Toddlers

A stay and play for 0 - 5 years with their parents/ carers. A warm, welcoming, safe toddler group with refreshments. Suggested donation £2. **Wednesdays, 9.30 - 11am at CHS**

## Drop In

Anyone in the community is welcome to join us for a friendly morning gathering.

Come along for a cup of tea or coffee, a chat, and a chance to meet others. Hear here 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of the month, 2<sup>nd</sup> July. No booking needed – just drop in! **Thursdays 10.30 - 11.30am at CHS**

## Midweek Services

Dates for your diary: **18<sup>th</sup> June, 2<sup>nd</sup> July, 16<sup>th</sup> July, 6<sup>th</sup> August**

Join us for midweek communion **10am at CHS.**

## Upcoming Services at CHS

Thursday **18<sup>th</sup> June, 10am** Midweek Communion

Sunday **21<sup>st</sup> June, 9.15am** Communion & **10.45am** Intergenerational Service, **3pm** Brick Church

Sunday **28<sup>th</sup> June, 9.15am** Communion & **10.45am** Holy Communion with Sunday Club

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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 21st June	Rex T	Rex T	Jean D	Ruth B	TBC	In service	In service	N/A	Renny M Lewis W

## **Collect & Readings**

Faithful Creator, whose mercy never fails: deepen our faithfulness to you and to your living Word, Jesus Christ our Lord.

### **Exodus 25:1-8 NIV-UK**

25 The Lord said to Moses, <sup>2</sup>‘Tell the Israelites to bring me an offering. You are to receive the offering for me from everyone whose heart prompts them to give. <sup>3</sup>These are the offerings you are to receive from them: gold, silver and bronze; <sup>4</sup>blue, purple and scarlet yarn and fine linen; goat hair; <sup>5</sup>ram skins dyed red and another type of durable leather; acacia wood; <sup>6</sup>olive oil for the light; spices for the anointing oil and for the fragrant incense; <sup>7</sup>and onyx stones and other gems to be mounted on the ephod and breastpiece. <sup>8</sup>‘Then let them make a sanctuary for me, and I will dwell among them.

### **Psalm 24 NIV – UK**

<sup>1</sup>The earth is the Lord’s, and everything in it, the world, and all who live in it;

<sup>2</sup>for he founded it on the seas and established it on the waters.

<sup>3</sup>Who may ascend the mountain of the Lord? Who may stand in his holy place?

<sup>4</sup>The one who has clean hands and a pure heart, who does not trust in an idol or swear by a false god. <sup>5</sup>They will receive blessing from the Lord and vindication from God their Saviour.

<sup>6</sup>Such is the generation of those who seek him, who seek your face, God of Jacob.

<sup>7</sup>Lift up your heads, you gates; be lifted up, you ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in. <sup>8</sup>Who is this King of glory? The Lord strong and mighty, the Lord mighty in battle.

<sup>9</sup>Lift up your heads, you gates; lift them up, you ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in. <sup>10</sup>Who is he, this King of glory? The Lord Almighty – he is the King of glory.

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

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## **Blog**

What eats up more of your time each day that you wish you had better control of? I sometimes get reminders on my phone about my screentime usage per week. I say sometimes, because clearly some weeks the notification comes through and I delete the bad news before I even know the number, because the reminder that the phone was recording my screen time just nudges me to know already that the number is too high. And that is only one aspect of my day or week in terms of time spent there. It is one major drain on the remaining hours in the day. Bishop Paul spoke recently at a churches together celebration gathering about how we can get lost in business and running out of time so readily. He reminded us of a time when he went to sit down with his spiritual director and moaned about there not being enough hours in the day. To which he was rightly challenged that his moan was that God may have got it wrong by allocating 24 hours or 1440 minutes in the day for good reasons and we really should look at ourselves that we have got it wrong, not God. The author of Ecclesiastes points us back to there being a 'time for everything', and I think this is a word we need to hear afresh. But, rather than make time appear out of thin air, we need to be reminded that our management of the God-given time is part of our growth in the fruit of self-control. How we allocate time and activities intentionally each day is a mark of our spiritual maturity and discipleship. Being fed by worldly business, or family business is a recipe for spiritual shipwreck if not careful. Easier said than done, but what will you do differently this week to apportion your time each day and week into a more God-centric pattern, and a more physically sustainable one too? Blessings, Rev James

# Timetable w/c 15<sup>th</sup> June

Please see our website for more events



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>9am</b> Burpham Preschool (Mon - Fri)	<b>10am</b> Prayers -CHS	<b>9.30am</b> Noah's Ark Toddlers -CHS	<b>10.00am</b> Communion - CHS <b>10.30am</b> Drop In -CHS		
<b>7.30pm</b> The Bible Course - CHS					<b>5pm</b> SPACE - St Luke's

The office is the initial point of contact for church events, weddings and funerals.  
Office hours are Monday - Thursday: 9.30am - 1pm

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## Contact details for information and support

### Prayer...

### How can we pray for you?

We all need prayer so don't be afraid to ask, whatever you're going through we'd love to pray with you today!

Ask a member of the Welcome Team or a member of staff.



Members of our Pastoral Team are happy to visit and pray with those who are in need. To find out more, please do get in touch with - [vicar@burphamchurch.org.uk](mailto:vicar@burphamchurch.org.uk)

### Small Groups

Small groups are the heart of belonging at Burpham Church. They're the best places to form deep friendships, and live out everyday faith in community – to be with Jesus, become like him, and do as he did. If you'd like to join a group, fill out the form on the website or email.

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We want everyone to find a place they belong.

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