

Horsford Benefice Weekly News Sheet



Parishes of

Felthorpe, Hevingham & Horsford
Transformed by Christ:

Prayerful, Pastoral, Prophetic



12th Sunday after Trinity: 7 September 2025

We welcome Archdeacon Keith James to our Benefice Service

Readings: Isaiah 32: 14 – 18; Philomen 4: 5 – 7; John 14: 15 - 17

Collect for The Day

God of constant mercy, who sent your Son to save us:
remind us of your goodness, increase your grace within us,
that our thankfulness may grow, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

13th Sunday after Trinity: 14 September 2025

Readings

- Felthorpe: Genesis 1: 9-13, 29-31 and Matthew 13: 1-9
- Horsford: Psalm 65

Collect for The Day

Almighty God, you search us and know us:
may we rely on you in strength and rest on you in weakness,
now and in all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

All Saints Church Thatch

It was with much joy I was able to confirm last Sunday that the thatch repairs on All Saints Church Roof can go ahead. There is funding still needed but Felthorpe PCC have generously committed to offering a loan to cover this outstanding amount. The pre-contract meeting takes place on Wednesday 10 September. The scaffolding is due to be erected on Monday 22 September with the work starting later that week.

Exploring the Nicene Creed



The small group will meet in All Saints Church, Horsford at 3pm on Thursdays 2nd, 9th, 16th & 30th October and 6th November. Everyone welcome.

Mission Partners Donations

It is wonderful to report the donations sent to our Mission Partners:

- Felthorpe PCC: 3% of 2024 planned giving: £66.13 each to A Rocha and The Children's Society
- Horsford PCC: 5% of 2024 planned giving: £308.63 each to A Rocha, Aylsham Care Trust and The Children's Society.

What happens when...?

Saturday 4 October, 2.30pm, All Saints Church, Horsford

Have you ever wondered what's involved in setting up for services or being on the Welcome Team or helping with refreshments? Come along and find out from those already involved. What might you do next?

Norfolk Churches Trust Bike Ride Saturday 13 September

Coordinator's: Gill Marchand, Felthorpe and Rachel Stowell, Horsford

One more week to go – every success and thank you for those taking part!

Specific prayers for this fortnight

- Lorna and Chris getting married at Horsford, 20 September
- Hollie, George & Billy being baptised at Hevingham Church on the 5 October
- Jeremy Sly, Horsford's Church Warden

Next Fortnight's Services

Tuesday: Mid-Week Communion, Horsford, 10.30am

Next Sunday:

- Horsford: 10.30am, All Age Worship
- Felthorpe: 5pm, BCP Holy Communion

Sunday 21 September:

- Horsford, 10.30am, All Age Holy Communion
- Felthorpe, 5pm, Celtic Evening Prayer

Our Benefice Team

Rector:	Rev Margaret McPhee <i>off duty each Wednesday & 4th Friday each month</i>	01603 893108
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