

Horsford Benefice Weekly News Sheet



Parishes of

Felthorpe, Hevingham & Horsford



Sunday 19 April 2026: 3rd Sunday of Easter

Reading: Luke 24: 13 - 35

Collect for The Day

Risen Christ, you filled your disciples with boldness and fresh hope: strengthen us to proclaim your risen life and fill us with your peace, to the glory of God the Father. Amen

Notice of Church Warden Elections at Horsford

Sunday 19 April, 11.45am, All Saints Church

Nomination forms to be submitted before the meeting

Benefice APCM: Sunday 31 May

This is directly after the 10.30am Benefice Service at All Saints Church, Horsford. It's an opportunity to give thanks to all that God has done across our 3 Parishes in 2025 and to elect new PCC members.

To be able to vote, you must be on your Parish Church Electoral Roll. These will be open to new members for a period of 2 weeks:

- Sunday 26 April to Saturday 16 May 2026.

If you're not on your Parish Church Electoral Roll, contact your Electoral Roll Officer (see final page of news sheet). Notices will be placed in your Parish Church with full details.

Easter Services Collections

We give thanks for the offerings given to our Parish Churches at our Easter services: Felthorpe to be confirmed; Hevingham £71.35; Horsford £225.60

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Remedial Electrical Work & installation of LED lighting at St Margaret's Church, Felthorpe

The works are complete. A grant of £634 from the Quick Win grant scheme was awarded, a wonderful contribution to the £2,709.12 cost. The ECIR Certificate has been granted for the electrical work of £1,300; no grants were available for this aspect.

Confirmation Service, Sunday 29 November

This will take place at 10.30am, All Saints Church, Horsford with the Bishop of Norwich. Confirmation is for anyone 12 years old and over who wishes to confirm their baptismal vows and formally to start receiving Holy Communion. If you wish to be received into the Communion of the Church of England having previously attended another denomination, this can take place within the same service. Do chat to Margaret or Richard if you'd like to find out more.

Quiz night - 5 places left. Book in advance to guarantee your place!



Quiz Night

FUND RAISING EVENT
RAFFLE - PRIZES - REFRESHMENTS

24 April 2026 at 7.30 pm
Horsford Church Room
Holt Rd, Horsford, NR10 3RD

TICKETS £6

BYO Drinks & Nibbles
6 PEOPLE PER TEAM - 8 TABLES AVAILABLE

Help us preserve a treasured part of Horsford's heritage; this fundraising event will support the restoration of a rare antique Altar Frontal and Pulpit Fall, in All Saints Church. Together, they are a beautiful piece of Horsford's shared history, which we aim to save so that current and future generations can enjoy seeing them back in use once more.

📧 tickets from margaret.mcphiee@horsfordbenefice.org.uk



**Raising funds for
Horsford Church Room**

Refreshments
Raffle & Prizes
doors open 1.45 pm

**£8.00
Entry**

BELL FOLK

**Handbell
Concert**

Sunday June 7th 2-4 pm

Book your tickets via **Horsford Church Room**
Frances Dawson Holt Road
email: dawsonfg@yahoo.co.uk Horsford
tel: 01603 897251 NR10 3DB

www.horsfordbenefice.org.uk/the-church-room

Specific prayers for this coming week

- The team taking the service at The Old Rectory Residential Home, Monday 13 April
- Margaret's School Work this week:
 - Hevingham Primary School assembly, Monday afternoon
 - Collective Worship at both sites of Horsford C of E VA Primary School, Thursday morning
- Horsford Church Room Committee meeting, Monday evening
- All Age Worship planning meeting, Thursday evening
- The family and friends of those whose funerals take place this week:
 - Mairi Child, Hevingham Church, Thursday afternoon
 - Neil Fielder, St Faith's Crematorium, Friday afternoon
- For those coming along to the Quiz Night, Friday evening
- PAT testing being carried out at all 3 churches and Horsford Church Room on Wednesday
- The Tuesday morning congregation and their visit to The Dog on Tuesday
- All those currently undertaking the Food Safety Certificate
- The APCM on the 31 May and for new people to join our PCCs

Next Week's Services

Tuesday: Holy Communion, 10.30am, All Saints, Horsford

Sunday 26 April:

- Morning Worship, Horsford, 10.30am
- BCP Holy Communion, Felthorpe, 5pm

Deanery Ascension Day Service

Thurs 14 May, 7pm, St Mary & St Andrew's Church, Horsham St Faith

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Our Benefice Team

Rector:	Rev Margaret McPhee <i>off duty each Wednesday & 4th Friday each month</i>	01603 893108
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Church Wardens: <i>Felthorpe</i> <i>Hevingham:</i> <i>Horsford:</i>	Vacant Vacant Jeremy Sly	07984623332
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Electoral Roll Officers <i>Felthorpe:</i> <i>Hevingham:</i> <i>Horsford:</i>	Brian Rowlands Rev Margaret Rachel Stowell	

Contact Rev Margaret McPhee, Rector on 01603 893108 or
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Prayerful

Pastoral

Prophetic

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