

Horsford Benefice Weekly News Sheet



Parishes of

Felthorpe, Hevingham & Horsford



Sunday 6 September 2026: 14th Sunday after Trinity
Festival of Creation in Christ

Felthorpe: Psalm 145: 13–16; Deuteronomy 10: 12–19; Luke 7: 36–39

Horsford: Isaiah 55: 12 to end; Colossians 1: 15–20; Matthew 8: 23–27

Collect for Creation in Christ

O God and Father of all that was, is and ever shall be, help us to be thankful for all that is made at the hands of your Son and through the wisdom of your Spirit, that we may care in heart and in deed for the life of our world, to the praise and glory of your holy name. Amen

Collect for the 14th Sunday after Trinity

Merciful God, your Son came to save us and bore our sins on the cross: may we trust in your mercy and know your love, rejoicing in the righteousness that is ours through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

STREAMS:

<https://exploringstreams.org>

How has your faith made a
difference to creation?

Everyone has a story.
What's yours?



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Roof Repair, St Margaret's Church, Felthorpe

The scaffolding is being erected on the 10 September with the repairs taking place week of the 14 September. During this time, there will be restricted access to the church building. The planned service on the 13 September will still take place in the church. Community Payback will be cleaning the church towards the end of September, once the work is completed.

St Mary's & St Botolph's Church, Hevingham

- 17 September, between 1pm up to 5pm please come along to Hevingham to help put everything back in the right place in the church building and/or lay some reserved stones in the churchyard. Refreshments will be provided!
- Emergency Service Choir concert, Friday 16 October - details to follow

Norfolk Churches Trust Bike Ride Saturday 12 September

Thanks to our coordinators:

- Gill Marchand, Felthorpe
- Christine Pert, Hevingham
- Rachel Stowell, Horsford

You'll find a Parish Church sponsorship sheet for our cyclists, walkers and drivers in your Parish Church so saving us the decision on who to sponsor! Every blessing to Susan and Richard, Frances, David and Rachel, all taking part next Saturday.

Raffle for the All Saints Altar Frontal and Fall Repairs

Raffle tickets coming soon! 1st prize a beautiful handmade quilt. 500 tickets will be available at £1 each, including at the Quiz on the 23 October and the Christmas Tree Festival 9 to 12 December inclusive.

Specific prayers for this coming week

- 100th Anniversary of Horsford Church Room;
 - giving thanks for its community value
 - for the Committee who manage this community asset
- The family and friends of Violet Mann whose funeral takes place on Tuesday 8 September at St Faiths Crematorium
- Margaret attending Horsford Parish Council meeting, Monday evening
- Margaret attending the John Hall Charity Trustees meeting, Monday evening
- Margaret taking Collective Worship at both sites of Horsford C of E VA Primary School, Thursday morning
- All those taking part in the Norfolk Churches Bike Ride for our Parishes on Saturday
- The work being undertaken at Felthorpe Church:
 - The quinquennial inspection on Friday
 - Roof repairs week commencing 14 September

Next Week's Services

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

Sunday:

- **Felthorpe:** Creation in Christ Holy Communion, 5pm, St Margaret's, Felthorpe
- **Horsford:** All Age Worship, 10.30am, All Saints, Horsford

Our Benefice Team

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