



The Windmill United Benefice

Burstow – Horne – Outwood

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Sunday 11 October 2026 **Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity**

Collect Prayer

O God, forasmuch as without you
we are not able to please you;
mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit
may in all things direct and rule our hearts;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Old Testament: **Isaiah 25:1-9**

Gospel: **Matthew 22:1-14**

Post Communion Prayer

Holy and blessed God, you have fed us
with the body and blood of your son
and filled us with your Holy Spirit:
may we honour you, not only with our lips
but in lives dedicated to the service
of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Rector's Absence

Due to his ongoing health issues, and a hopefully impending heart operation, the Rector is now on an extended period of light duties, and is not expected to return to his full Windmill United Benefice duties until the New Year.

Please hold Alan and Rachel in your prayers at this difficult and stressful time for them and their family.

We are very grateful to **Area Dean Michelle** and **Archdeacon Geoff** for their support to the United Benefice during this period.

Wardens

Burstow

Kay Hammond, 07808 322440

Ann Sheppard, 01342 842386

Horne

Andrew Goudie, 01342 843550

Outwood

Nick Case-Green, 01342 842373

Darren Emerton, 07948 583946

Weekday Services

Please note that until further notice there will be no weekday Morning Prayer, or Midweek Communion services.

PLEASE TAKE THIS LEAFLET AWAY WITH YOU

Services in Church

This Sunday, 11 October – Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity

9:30am Holy Communion

St Bartholomew, Burstow

10am Morning Worship

St Mary the Virgin, Horne

11am Holy Communion

St John the Baptist, Outwood

3pm Café Church

Smallfield Church Hall

Next Sunday, 18 October – Saint Luke

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Gluten-free Wafers

If you would like to receive a gluten-free wafer at Communion, please speak to the Sidespeople before the service.

Photography

Please do not take photographs or videos in our services without asking first. Speak to a Sidesperson.

All Souls' Service

The All Souls' Service on **Sunday 1 November** at

St Bartholomew, Burstow will include the reading of names of those to be remembered. If you would like a name to be included in this, please add it to the list at the back of the church, today.

Silent Auction

Burstow's event published in the Parish News to take place on 15 October is postponed and rescheduled for **Friday 12 March 2027**. Reminders with full details will be given in the New Year.

Harvest

Thank to all those who supported our Harvest Services across the Windmill United Benefice last Sunday. It was lovely to welcome the Uniformed Organisations to St Bartholomew's, where they read the lessons, led the prayers, and performed a short sketch on Harvest.

The gifts of produce provided have been shared between the work of the Crawley Open House for Homeless and the Horley Foodbank. Both organisations have expressed their gratitude for your generosity.

Thank you to Kay for delivering the food items.

Parish Magazine

Big congratulations to Harry Barrett, who has recently been named Best New Editor by the Association of Church Editors for his work on the Smallfield, Burstow and Horne Parish News.

Harry is quite possibly one of the youngest parish magazine editors in the country and is very much a deserved recipient of the award. Well done and thank you Harry.

Please send **items for the next notice sheet** to Peter Nye
(peternye44@gmail.com) by 6pm on **Wednesday 14 October**