

**SUNDAY 1ST MARCH 2026 10AM & 11.30AM**

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Life

Preparing for A Passion for Life (March & Easter '26)

The 10am service will be **livestreamed** and the sermon published as a **recording** on YouTube, podcast providers and the church website.

**9.35AM PRAYING FOR THE GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE**

Join us to pray for the ministry of God's Word through his Spirit at the two services. We meet by the wooden cross in the JOB. All Welcome.

**10:00AM MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE (JOHN OWEN BARN)**

Leading: Nick Durlacher & Teaching: Francis Blight

The All Saints Club will be running for 4 - 11 year olds and a creche will be available with a livestream of the service for parents to use with 0 - 3s.

**11:30AM HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE (EIGHT ASH GREEN)**

Leading: Roger Miles & Teaching: Francis Blight

**YOU ARE INVITED TO STAY AFTER EITHER  
SERVICE FOR A CUP OF TEA OR COFFEE.**



**WELCOME TO ALL SAINTS FORDHAM & EIGHT ASH GREEN**

If you are new to All Saints Church, we are glad you have joined us today and hope you enjoy your time with us. You are invited to fill in the green **Welcome Card** so that we can be in touch to say 'hello'.

These are available from the table by the entrance.



## CHURCH DIARY

Tuesday 3rd March, 9-11am **Babies and Toddlers** (John Owen Barn).  
Play, snack, bible story and song time. £2.00 suggested donation.

Thursday 5th March, 12.30 - 2pm **Lunchtime Prayer Focus** (John Owen Barn). Prayer with a lite lunch. Join with your church family to pray together for the needs of our church and the Passion for Life mission. Please let Mim Jelfs know if you plan to attend (01787 473422) so that she can organise the catering.



Friday 6th March, **Community Hub Café** (10:00am-1:00pm),  
**Post Office** (11:45am –1:45pm) at the John Owen Barn.

ALL SAINTS FORDHAM & EIGHT ASH GREEN CHURCH  
**COMMUNITY HUB**  
At The John Owen Barn  
10:00 am - 1:00 pm  
1st Friday of every month  
Refill Shop - Fresh Bakes & Cakes - Cheese and Pie Man  
Meats & Pies - Craft stalls  
11:45am - 1:45pm Post Office  
Have a coffee, cake and chat

Friday 6th March, 7.30 - 9.00pm, **421 Youth Group for 11-18 year olds** (John Owen Barn). Table games, team games, craft, tuck shop, Bible teaching, discussion and prayer. Find out more at <https://fordhamchurch.org.uk/421-youth-group/>

Sunday 8th March, **All Age Worship Service** (John Owen Barn). **God's Love and Future Salvation** (Romans 5:6-11). Bacon butties, tea & coffee from 9.40am. The seating will be organised around tables.



Thursday 12th March **Chelmsford Diocesan Evangelical Network** (CDEN) meeting, 11.30am - 3pm (St Peter's Harold Wood).

Saturday 14th March, 9.00-10.30am **Men's Breakfast**  
**John Newton: From Slave Trader to Amazing Grace** (John Owen Barn).  
Tickets £3. Booking through Eventbrite [fordhamchurch.org.uk](http://fordhamchurch.org.uk)

Thursday 19th March, 1.30pm **Easter Chat with Holy Trinity School**

Monday 13th April, 7:45 – 9.15pm **Christianity Explored Course** begins.

## PREPARING FOR A PASSION FOR LIFE MARCH & EASTER '26

The programme of events and services will be published on the church website on Monday. Tickets for events can be bought through Eventbrite.

Please take an A3 poster today, to put in the window of your home.

See this Sunday's encouraging article by Gavin Calver *"Are We Living in a 'New Season' in the UK?"*

Start to invite friends, colleagues, and neighbours to specific events.

Please pray each day for:

God's Holy Spirit to give us and churches across the UK (325 signed up) **boldness, vision, and strength** to share his gospel.

God to lead us forward in mission and outreach and use our church in the process of saving people for eternal life.

People who attend one of our church ministries or live in the area to come to Passion for Life events and services.

God's Holy Spirit to convict people regarding sin, righteous and judgement (John 16:8) and into our church life and other church communities.



**THIS CHURCH IS PART OF THE EBBSFLEET NETWORK:** As part of the Church of England, we have passed a resolution requesting the extended spiritual and pastoral care of the Bishop of Ebbsfleet, Rt Rev Dr Rob Munro. Bishop Rob supports churches who have requested their Diocesan Bishop to provide for their evangelical and complementarian convictions - that is their commitment to the authority of the Bible, to direct the life of the Church and express the equal but different roles of men and women in family and Church.

<https://www.bishopofebbsfleet.org>

**SAFEGUARDING:** We, as a church, are committed to safeguarding children, young people, victims/perpetrators of domestic abuse and vulnerable adults. The PCC has adopted the Church of England's policies and best practice on safeguarding which may be found on the Church of England's website: <https://www.chelmsford.anglican.org>  
Our Parish Safeguarding Officer is Linda Stenner, who may be contacted through the church office 01206 243262 or by email [linda.stenner@fordhamchurch.org.uk](mailto:linda.stenner@fordhamchurch.org.uk)

**FIRE EVACUATION:** In the event of a fire, leave via fire exits and gather at the fire assembly point: Eight Ash Green - car park, Fordham Church - lawn outside Fordham Hall, John Owen Barn - field **MUSIC COPYRIGHT:** CCLI Licence No. 287994