

SUNDAY 6TH SEPTEMBER 2026 10AM & 11.30AM

Worship Prayer Bible Teaching Community

Jesus On the Eve of the Cross (John 13: 1-30)

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 pulpit. All Welcome.

10:00AM MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE (FORDHAM CHURCH)

Leading: Aëlla Gage & Preaching: Francis Blight



The ASC autumn term begins today with

Luke Group (4 - 11 years) *Help in God's hands (Psalm 121).*

Children and young people begin with their parents/carers in the main service. **A play creche** is available with a livestream of the service, for parents to use with 0 - 3s. Matthew Group (11-16s) stay in the main service.

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

Leading: Aëlla Gage & Preaching: Francis Blight

**YOU ARE INVITED TO STAY FOR
A DRINK AND CHAT AFTER EITHER SERVICE**



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.

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BAPTISM AND CONFIRMATION SERVICE
NEXT SUNDAY 13TH SEPTEMBER, 10AM
FORDHAM CHURCH
WITH THE BISHOP OF EBBSFLEET, ROB MUNRO.



Please pray for and come to support your brothers and sisters in Christ as they profess and confirm their Christian faith.

Baptism & Confirmation candidates: **Hawi Amimo, Bill Kagiri.**

Confirmation candidates: **Sam Bond, Josh Brett, Marco Farruggio, Elizabeth Olajumoke, Matthew Marsh.**

The All Saints Club won't be running on this Sunday and all are invited to the service. Refreshments will be served afterwards.

CHURCH DIARY

Tuesday 8th September, 9-11am **Babies and Toddlers** (John Owen Barn). New term begins with play, snack, bible story and song time. £3.00 suggested donation. Contact Georgina Blight for further details.

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

Friday 11th September, 7.30 - 9.00pm, **421 Youth Group for 11-18 year olds** (John Owen Barn). New term begins with table games, team games, craft, tuck shop, Bible teaching, discussion and prayer. Contact Aëlla Gage for further details <https://fordhamchurch.org.uk/421-youth-group/>

Saturday 12th September 9am - 1pm **Churchyards & Church's Tidy Up**
 You are invited to join a working party at either church, followed by a BBQ, at Fordham Church from 1pm. Please bring your own gardening tools and equipment to use on the day. If you can bring a contribution towards the lunch (salads, puds etc) there is a sign-up sheets at the back of the Church or email marydurlacher@hotmail.com
 Fordham organiser - David Suttling davidsuttling123@gmail.com
 EAG organiser - Alistair Grote grote@btopenworld.com

Sunday 13th September, 10am **Baptism & Confirmation Service** (Fordham Church) Romans 6:1-13. See page 2.

Monday 14th September, two short **Church of England Evangelical Council online gatherings to pray for the General Synod Elections**, 12.30 - 1pm or 6.30 - 7pm. Please contact the church office or Francis for the Zoom link.

Sunday 27th September 10am **Explore Sunday** (Fordham Church).
Tales of the Unexpected: Jesus Chooses the Wrong Person (Luke 19:1-10)
 Who can you invite to come as your guest to the service?

TERMINALLY ILL ADULTS (END OF LIFE) BILL

Not Dead Yet UK Campaign You are invited to send a post-card to your MP (available from the table by the door) asking them to vote 'No' at the second reading of the Bill on Friday 11th September. Not Dead Yet UK is a network led by disabled people who oppose legalising assisted suicide.



National Day of Prayer Affinity, CARE, Christian Concern, The Christian Institute, the Christian Medical Fellowship and the Evangelical Alliance are calling for a national day of prayer against assisted suicide on **Thursday 10th September**. On the day of prayer in June 2025, people prayed that MSPs would change their minds and vote down the suicide Bill in the Scottish Parliament. MSPs did indeed change their minds and the Bill was defeated by a significant margin. This should encourage us to pray that MPs at Westminster will also see through the spin and reject the Terminally ill Adults Bill. May God protect our nation from bad law.

GIVING TO THE WORK OF ALL SAINTS FORDHAM & EIGHT ASH GREEN

If you would like details of how to support our church ministry financially, or you have any questions about giving, please speak to our treasurer Victoria Rolfe or send her an email victoria.emma.rolfe@gmail.com
Bank Account Name: "FORDHAM AND EAG PCC"
Sort Code 20-22-67 Account Number 20369047.

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 this website: <https://www.churchofengland.org/safeguarding/national-safeguarding-standards> Our Parish Safeguarding Officer (PSO) is Ann Rolfe who can be contacted on 07968 087726, ann.rolfe@fordhamchurch.org.uk

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