

Welcome to our worship

Ingrave Churches: St Stephen's, St Nicholas'
and All Saints East Horndon (CofE)

15th February 2026

Today is the Sunday Before Lent -

'This is my Son, the Beloved; with him I am
well pleased; listen to him!' Matt 17:v5

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Today's Collect

Almighty Father, whose
Son was revealed in
majesty before he
suffered death upon the
cross: give us grace to
perceive his glory,
that we may be
strengthened to suffer
with him and be changed
into his likeness, from
glory to glory; who is
alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy
Spirit, one God, now and
for ever.



Join us to start Lent on
Wed. 10am at St
Nicholas' or 8pm at St
Stephen's



At St Stephen's, Sunday
19th April, 4pm.

Speak to Paul if you're
interested in being
confirmed.

Brentwood Foodbank February shortages:

Tuna/sardines, cornbeef,
tinned fruit, tinned custard,
tinned macaroni cheese,
long life milk, instant
coffee, rice bags/pouches,
washing powders.

**Please be as generous
as you can to help local
people in need of help.**

Special Notice

*Please consider joining our
team of readers or
intercessors for Sunday
worship. Speak to Paul or
one of the PWs for more
info.*

*One of our IJS teachers is
running the London
Marathon to raise funds for
St Francis Hospice. Click
[here](#) to support*

300th Anniversary of St Nicholas' 2034-36

To join the group looking
at preparing the building
for the next 300 years,
please speak to Paul

£ Giving Support the Church £

*Offering plate and a QR
code at the back of
church. To give on a
monthly basis please visit
the website.*

This week .

Tuesday

PCC/St N, 8pm

No Alpha this week

Wednesday

10am Holy Communion/N

8pm Holy Communion/S

Thursday

11am, Holy Communion at
St Stephen's

Friday

10am - 12noon:

Foodbank collections at St
Stephen's

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Today's Bible Readings

2 Peter 1.16-end

16 For we did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we had been eyewitnesses of his majesty. ¹⁷For he received honour and glory from God the Father when that voice was conveyed to him by the Majestic Glory, saying, 'This is my Son, my Beloved, with whom I am well pleased.' ¹⁸We ourselves heard this voice come from heaven, while we were with him on the holy mountain.

19 So we have the prophetic message more fully confirmed. You will do well to be attentive to this as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts. ²⁰First of all you must understand this, that

no prophecy of scripture is a matter of one's own interpretation, ²¹because no prophecy ever came by human will, but men and women moved by the Holy Spirit spoke from God.



Matthew 17.1-9

¹⁷Six days later, Jesus took with him Peter and James and his brother John and led them up a high mountain, by themselves. ²And he was transfigured before them, and his face shone like the sun, and his clothes became dazzling white. ³Suddenly there appeared to them Moses and Elijah, talking with him. ⁴Then Peter said to Jesus,

'Lord, it is good for us to be here; if you wish, I will make three dwellings here, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah.' ⁵While he was still speaking, suddenly a bright cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud a voice said, 'This is my Son, the Beloved; with him I am well pleased; listen to him!' ⁶When the disciples heard this, they fell to the ground and were

overcome by fear. ⁷But Jesus came and touched them, saying, 'Get up and do not be afraid.' ⁸And when they looked up, they saw no one except Jesus himself alone. ⁹As they were coming down the mountain, Jesus ordered them, 'Tell no one about the vision until after the Son of Man has been raised from the dead.'

Prayers for renewal, revival and growth throughout Lent

Wed 10am at St Nicholas' Thu 11am at St Stephen's, Thu 8pm at St Stephen's