



Newsheet 20th September 2026 Trinity 15

Welcome to St Paul's Egham Hythe, especially if you are visiting for the first time today. Do stay for refreshments after the service.

Hymns: SHEET God the maker of the heavens, 29 Amazing Grace, SHEET All who are thirsty, SHEET Holy Forever, SHEET Indescribable

Collect: Eternal God, you crown the year with your goodness and you give us the fruits of the earth in their season: grant that we may use them to your glory, for the relief of those in need and for our own well-being; 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.

Post Communion: Lord of the harvest, with joy we have offered thanksgiving for your love in creation and have shared in the bread and the wine of the kingdom: by your grace plant within us a reverence for all that you give us and make us generous and wise stewards of the good things we enjoy; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Reading: Psalm 65 A Psalm of David.

¹ Praise is due to you, O God, in Zion; and to you shall vows be performed,

² O you who answer prayer! To you all flesh shall come.

³ When deeds of iniquity overwhelm us, you forgive our transgressions.

⁴ Happy are those whom you choose and bring near to live in your courts. We shall be satisfied with the goodness of your house, your holy temple.

⁵ By awesome deeds you answer us with deliverance, O God of our salvation; you are the hope of all the ends of the earth and of the farthest seas.

⁶ By your^{*} strength you established the mountains; you are girded with might.

⁷ You silence the roaring of the seas, the roaring of their waves, the tumult of the peoples.

⁸ Those who live at earth's farthest bounds are awed by your signs; you make the gateways of the morning and the evening shout for joy.

⁹ You visit the earth and water it, you greatly enrich it; the river of God is full of water; you provide the people with grain, for so you have prepared it.

¹⁰ You water its furrows abundantly, settling its ridges, softening it with showers, and blessing its growth.

¹¹ You crown the year with your bounty; your wagon tracks overflow with richness.

¹² The pastures of the wilderness overflow, the hills gird themselves with joy,

¹³ the meadows clothe themselves with flocks, the valleys deck themselves with grain, they shout and sing together for joy.

Luke 12:16-21

¹⁶ Then he told them a parable: "The land of a rich man produced abundantly. ¹⁷ And he thought to himself, 'What should I do, for I have no place to store my crops?' ¹⁸ Then he said, 'I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. ¹⁹ And I will say to my soul, Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry.' ²⁰ But God said to him, 'You fool! This very night your life is being demanded of you. And the things you have prepared, whose will they be?'

For Prayer

- For those living in The Hythe, Thorpe Lea Road, Thorpe Road and Timsway.
- For Messy Church on Monday 21st.
- For those who are unwell and who have asked for prayer.
- We pray for those who are grieving and at their year's mind we remember Patricia Dully, John Forster, Edward Symonds, Helen Johnson, Duncan Dwane, Sidney Dyos, Sue Adey, Peter Belcher, and Evelyn Baldwin.

Please also consider how you may pray for our church and community during our time without a vicar. You may wish to create a prayer group to share your prayer time or introduce a separate time slot in the day to pray about this. **1 Thessalonians 5:16-18.** "Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you."

This week at St Paul's

Sunday 20 st September 10am	Holy Communion in church (<i>streamed to Zoom and YouTube</i>)
Monday 21 st 3:15pm	Messy Church
Tuesday 3pm 6.30pm	Youth Space in church Foodbank
Thursday 9.30am-11am 1pm 2pm	Stepping Stones in church Tea and Chat in church Communion in church
Sunday 27 th September 10am	Holy Communion in church (<i>streamed to Zoom and YouTube</i>)

Contact office@speh.org.uk for zoom joining codes or to sign up for email updates

Youth Space continues in church Tuesday 15th September from 3-4:30pm for all Year groups 7-11

Stepping Stones meets on Thursdays from 9.30am – 11am. Suitable for babies and pre-school children with parents or carers. Do come along.

Tea and Chat meets on Thursdays from 1pm, followed by Communion at 2pm for those who would like to stay. Why not come along and share a cuppa?

Messy Church meets on Monday 21st September at 3.15pm – all welcome. Food, craft, talk and our resident DJ – this month we're celebrating God's work in Creation

Harvest Festival parade service is at 10am on Sunday 11th October, gifts for Foodbank

2026 Christmas Tree Festival will run from Weds 2nd to Sunday 6th December. Application forms will be available next week as well as a volunteers rota for some of the events.

Vacancy update

On Monday 21st September one of the Diocesan Mission Enablers visiting St Paul's for a Vacancy Vision Workshop with the PCC. From there we will push on with shaping the Parish Profile so expect lots of engagement in this process!



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