

Newsheet 28th September 2025

Welcome to St Paul's Egham Hythe, and especially if you are visiting or here for the first time. Do stay for refreshments after the service. Today we are delighted that Thomas Niblett will be speaking.

Hymns: 819 He's got the whole world, Indescribable (sheet), Like a sea (sheet), 29 Amazing grace, 509 O Lord all the world belongs to you.

Collect: Merciful God, your Son came to save us and bore our sins on the cross: may we trust in your mercy and know your love, rejoicing in the righteousness that is ours through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Post Communion: Lord God, the source of truth and love, keep us faithful to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, united in prayer and the breaking of bread, and one in joy and simplicity of heart, in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Genesis 2: 7-8 21-25

⁷then the LORD God formed man from the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and the man became a living being. ⁸And the LORD God planted a garden in Eden, in the east; and there he put the man whom he had formed.

²¹So the LORD God caused a deep sleep to fall upon the man, and he slept; then he took one of his ribs and closed up its place with flesh. ²²And the rib that the LORD God had taken from the man he made into a woman and brought her to the man. ²³Then the man said, 'This at last is bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh; this one shall be called Woman, for out of Man this one was taken.'

²⁴Therefore a man leaves his father and his mother and clings to his wife, and they become one flesh. ²⁵And the man and his wife were both naked, and were not ashamed.

John 13:1-17

¹Now before the festival of the Passover, Jesus knew that his hour had come to depart from this world and go to the Father. Having loved his own who were in the world, he loved them to the end. ²The devil had already put it into the heart of Judas son of Simon Iscariot to betray him. And during supper ³Jesus, knowing that the Father had given all things into his hands, and that he had come from God and was going to God, ⁴got up from the table, took off his outer robe, and tied a towel around himself. ⁵Then he poured water into a basin and began to wash the disciples' feet and to wipe them with the towel that was tied around him. ⁶He came to Simon Peter, who said to him, 'Lord, are you going to wash my feet?' ⁷Jesus answered, 'You do not know now what I am doing, but later you will understand.' ⁸Peter said to him, 'You will never wash my feet.' Jesus answered, 'Unless I wash you, you have no share with me.' ⁹Simon Peter said to him, 'Lord, not my feet only but also my hands and my head!' ¹⁰Jesus said to him, 'One who has bathed does not need to wash, except for the feet, but is entirely clean. And you are clean, though not all of you.' ¹¹For he knew who was to betray him; for this reason he said, 'Not all of you are clean.' ¹²After he had washed their feet, had put on his robe, and had returned to the table, he said to them, 'Do you know what I have done to you? ¹³You call me Teacher and Lord—and you are right, for that is what I am. ¹⁴So if I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another's feet. ¹⁵For I have set you an example, that you also should do as I have done to you. ¹⁶Very truly, I tell you, servants are not greater than their master, nor are messengers greater than the one who sent them. ¹⁷If you know these things, you are blessed if you do them.



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What's on this week

Sunday 28th Sept 10am	Holy Communion in church with talk by Thomas Niblett (<i>streamed to YouTube and zoom</i>).
12 noon	<i>Baptism</i>
Monday 7.30pm	Alpha continues in church – all welcome
Tuesday 9.30am 3pm 7.00pm	Morning Prayer in the chapel Youth space for year 7s in church Foodbank in church
Thursday 9.30-11am 1pm	Stepping Stones in church Tea and chat in church followed by Communion at 2pm
Sunday 5th Oct 10am	Harvest Festival Parade Service (<i>streamed to YouTube and zoom</i>) <i>All welcome.</i>

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

For prayer

- For those living in Wapshott Road, Wards Place, Wendover Place and Wendover Road.
- For the Alpha course and Youth Space.
- For Creationtide and our ministry as an Eco Church.
- For those who are unwell or have asked for prayer including: Alma, Beth, Richard, Ken, Taylor, Jill, Jon, Heather, Judith, Sophia and Rosi.
- We pray for all who mourn and at their year's mind we remember Frederick Ivey, Jack Claydon, Alice Gander, Keith White, Leslie Hedges, Marian Squillaci and Chi Chung.

Alpha: Alpha runs weekly on Mondays at 7.30pm, with talks by members of St Paul's. There's some food to share, and time for discussion. Whether you're exploring faith or wanting a refresher all are welcome.



Youth Space continues for year 7's after school on **30th September** and then a monthly group open to all years starts on 7th October.

Harvest Festival Parade service is at 10am next Sunday 5th October
Non-perishable donations to Runnymede Foodbank welcomed. This month they are especially short of tinned fruit, tinned spaghetti, tinned vegetarian meals, meat soup, fruit juice, instant mash, biscuits or sponge pudding.



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