

Vision Prayer Group Biddings 2025

We pray for a fresh outpouring of the Holy Spirit on Christ Church in 2025

Worship

Preaching; marriages; funerals; baptism team and baptisms; choir; band; flower arrangers; Readers; Intercessors; Welcomers; Sacristan; Servers; Communion Assistants; Home Communion Team; Sidespeople; Confirmation courses; 5@5 services; Mid-week services; Occasional services eg schools and memorials; Transport to church; After church hospitality; Bubble Church; Forest church.

Pastoral Care

Pastoral Assistants; relationships; service (including shopping) to lonely and homebound; the sick and those who are anxious or in trouble or need; Epsom Mental Health Week (October); Sheltered Housing; Epsom Refugee Network; Safeguarding; Bereavement counselling; Bereavement Journey course.

Discipleship

Bible study and Learning Programmes; Home Groups; Online resources; Christian conferences/festivals; Men's Group; Rest and recreation; Emotions and relationships; Discipleship Team; Lent courses; Alpha.

Prayer - Prayer Groups; Vision Prayer Group; Prayer Ministry Team and ministry; Prayer rooms; Call to Pray booklet; Meditation; Prayer Chain; 24/7 Prayer Movement; Prayer courses.

Leadership

Vicar; Clergy; Lay Ministers; the Churchwardens; PCC; Youth and Family Worker; Choir Director; Band Director; Lay leaders; Verger; Home Group Leaders; Business and Resources Committee; Treasurer and Finance Team; Parish Administrator; Safeguarding

Officers; Mission Champions; Bubble Church leaders; Ministers
Sabbatical Leave; Mission Enabler.

Young People

Bubble Church; children; young people; Youth Alpha course;
Safeguarding; Rosebery School, Kingswood House School,
Stamford Green School, Southfield Park School; Spinnaker
Christian work Epsom; CC United/Shooting Stars; Uniformed
organisations (Scouts, Guides, Cubs, Rainbows and Brownies);
Wheels & Squeals; Creche; Sunday Groups and leaders
and helpers; Youth Club; University of Creative Arts and student
accommodation: Youth Cinema.

Community

Evangelism; Social, Compassionate and Outreach Programmes;
Alpha courses; Evangelism and Outreach Team; Missions
Committee; Justice and Care; Church Hire; Hall hire; Foodbank;
Communications; Parish Office and staff; Tea Club; Epsom
Hospital; Borough Council; our MP; Street Pastors; The Cricketers
and The Jolly Coopers; Police and Emergency Services; Old Moat
Garden Centre; Manor Green Road and Livingstone Park shops;
Donations policy; Epsom Hope into Action; Horton Arts Centre;
Hobbledown Adventure Farm Park and Zoo.

Ecology & Stewardship

Epsom Common Association; Conservation; the Environment and
our handbook; Environmental Group and building on our silver
award; Net Carbon Zero Response; Sharing or saving transport;
reduction of Carbon Footprint; Finance and stewardship and
especially our need to improve our income; Appreciate Epsom;
Support local shops; projects and charities; review planned
donations; Recycle; avoid waste; Stamford Green and West Park
Allotments.

Buildings & Grounds

Premises Committee major repairs needed (heating, stone-work); general maintenance; ways to keep church open during the day for 100 days a year in addition to services, Sound desk/projector operators and the system; Church cleaning Teams; Brass cleaners; Mowers and Gardeners; Living Well Project; Church/Hall Development that will help people – including office location and kitchen - and the Architect and his Support; Prayer Group; the Scout hut; parking spaces; Greenway property; Vicarage and Grounds.

Church Life

Parish Needs Process for PCC; Mothers' Union; Bell ringers; Hall booking; The Common Ladies Book Club; CC Library; Hospitality and service; Walking Group; Electoral roll; Social Media and Publicity; CC website; Social Team and events; Community Events; our Bishops, Archdeacons, Deanery, Area Deans; Church House Guildford and staff; Cathedral Chapter and Dean; Churches Together in Epsom; clergy/lay ministers in training; Diocesan Initiative Transforming Church transforming lives; The Warm Wednesday initiative of the Methodist Church; Warm Welcome Monday at St Barnabas.