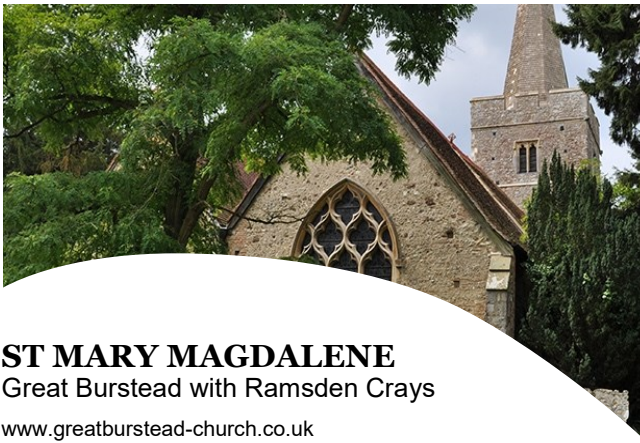




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Great Burstead with Ramsden Crays

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WELCOME

It is good to welcome you to our church today. We hope that you enjoy the experience of worshipping with us.

If you are new to our service and find it difficult to follow, please ask the person next to you, who will be delighted to help. If you have questions about our worship, please ask Fr Michael the Vicar, Karen White, our Associate Priest, or Nigel or Fola, our Churchwardens after the service.

SUNDAY 30th Aug (The Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity)

8:00 am BCP Said Communion with Homily
9:30 am CW Sung Eucharist with Sermon
2:00 pm Barbecue in the Vicarage Garden

UPCOMING WEEK'S SERVICES AND EVENT

Mon - Thu	9:30 am	Morning Prayer
Mon - Thu	5:30 pm	Evening Prayer
Wed	10:00 am	CW Said Eucharist
	1:00pm	CTIB meeting
	1:30 pm	Funeral
Fri	1:30 pm	Wedding
Fri		Vicar's Day of Rest
Sat	9:30 am	Morning Prayer
	6:00 pm	Evening Prayer

SUNDAY 6th Sep (Harvest Festival - Trinity 14)

Sun	8:00 am	BCP Said Communion with Homily
	10.00 am	Joint Harvest Service at St Nicholas, Laindon
	1:00 pm	Harvest Lunch at St Mary Church Hall
	3:00 pm	Baptism

NOTICE AND SOCIAL EVENTS BOARD

Please do look at the notice board and the posters at the back of our Church and in the porch for events happening around the deanery and diocese and our local community which you may wish to attend for yourself, or as a representative on behalf of our parish.

Harvest

Our Joint Harvest Service is at 10.00am next Sunday at St Nicholas, Laindon. Please note that there will be no 9.30am service at Great Burstead that morning. Our Harvest collection of food and other goods will be donated to Laindon Foodbank, so please do give generously if you are able. Following the Joint Harvest Service, we will be having a bring-and-share lunch in the Church Hall at Great

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Burstead. If you are coming to the lunch, please sign up to let us know that you will be attending, and also indicate on the sign-up sheet what food you are able to bring to share. We look forward to seeing as many of you as possible as we come together across our two churches to celebrate Harvest.

- Fr Michael

Climate Café hosted by Archdeacon Doris Nyaga from Kenya - 14th September

St. John the Evangelist, Moulsham (Moulsham Street, Chelmsford, CM2 0JD) are hosting a Climate Café on Monday the 14th of September between 2:30 & 4pm for people in Bradwell to meet and hear from Archdeacon Doris Nyaga about how climate change is impacting people in Kenya. You are all very welcome to attend and please share this with those in your parishes. It would be very helpful for catering purposes if you could let the team at St. John's know if you will be attending by emailing: lindapercival7@gmail.com

- René

Deanery Synod Refreshments

We are hosting a meeting of the Basildon Deanery Synod on Thursday 17 September. We are asked to provide tea, coffee and biscuits from around 7.15 for a 7.45 start. Could anyone able to help please speak to Fr Michael, or one of our Deanery Synod representatives, Nigel Blore, Peter Furness or Mary Edwards. Thank you.

- Nigel

Men's and Women's Lunch

Please join us for Lunch at the Blue Boar in Billericay High Street on Friday 25th September 2026 at 12 noon. All are very welcome.

- Mary and Mark (01277 750201)

Parish Giving Scheme Notice

We would like to encourage members of our congregation to consider supporting the church through the Parish Giving Scheme. At present, the church receives about £720 per month, plus Gift Aid from regular donations made through the Parish Giving website. This regular giving helps us plan ahead, meet ongoing costs, and continue the work and mission of our church.

Signing up is simple and can be done online using the link below: <https://www.parishgiving.org.uk/donors/find-your-parish/great-burstead-st-mary-billericay>

Every regular gift, no matter the amount, makes a real difference. Thank you for your continued generosity and support.

QR code and online link for St Mary Magdalene, Great Burstead

Our mission and ministry can now be supported by people by using the QR code and online donation page for our church. Please use either the QR code or follow this link: <https://givealittle.co/c/6xC5vQ1W6MqmiPRjAvrFS0>. Thank you.



A prayer for world peace

God of peace and justice, we pray for world peace today.

We pray for peace and the laying down of weapons.

We pray for all those who fear for tomorrow, that your Spirit of comfort would draw near to them.

We pray for those with power over war or peace, for discernment and compassion to guide their decisions.

Above all, we pray for all your precious children, at risk and in fear, that you would hold and protect them.

We pray in the name of Jesus Christ, the Prince of Peace. Amen.

We pray for all those in need, be it for sickness, be-

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