13th after Trinity

14th September 2025

ST BRANNOCK'S & ST ANNE'S

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Welcome St Brannock's church has a loop system. Set your hearing aid to the 'T' setting. Toilets are available in St Brannock's church through the large door on the left hand side of the church (looking towards the Altar). Disabled toilets are in St Brannock's Rooms. At St Anne's, the compost loo can be found outside to your right of the church.

Children's activity bags

are available in both churches.

TODAY

9.45am Holy Communion, St Brannock's.

(Parish Office closed this week)

Wednesday 17th

10.30am We join with our friends at Christ Church for their morning service.
No service at St Brannock's.
12.00pm Community Café & Foodbank South Street Church
2.00pm Funeral service for the late Bunty Staddon, St Brannock's.

Thursday 18th

2.30 – 4.30pm Community Cafe Christ Church (opposite the Library)

Friday 19th

7.30pm Choir practice, St Brannock's

NEXT SUNDAY 21st September

9.45am Holy Communion, St Brannock's. We welcome Revd Giles King-Smith to lead the service at St Brannock's 11.00am Church Led BCP Morning Prayer, St Anne's



OPENING HYMN No 314 Immortal, invisible

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Almighty God, you search us and know us: may we rely on you in strength and rest on you in weakness, now and in all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

READING 1 Timothy 1:12-27

I am grateful to Christ Jesus our Lord, who has strengthened me, because he judged me faithful and appointed me to his service, even though I was formerly a blasphemer, a persecutor, and a man of violence. But I received mercy because I had acted ignorantly in unbelief, and the grace of our Lord overflowed for me with the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. The saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners—of whom I am the foremost. But for that very reason I received mercy, so that in me, as the foremost, Jesus Christ might display the utmost patience, making me an example to those who would come to believe in him for eternal life. To the King of the ages, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honour and glory for ever and ever. Amen. I am giving you these instructions, Timothy, my child, in accordance with the prophecies made earlier about you, so that by following them you may fight the good fight, having faith and a good conscience. By rejecting conscience, certain persons have suffered shipwreck in the faith; among them are Hymenaeus and Alexander, whom I have turned over to Satan, so that they may learn not to blaspheme.

GRADUAL HYMN No 448

Meekness and majesty

GOSPEL READING Luke 15:1-10

Now all the tax-collectors and sinners were coming near to listen to him. And the Pharisees and the scribes were grumbling and saying, 'This fellow welcomes sinners and eats with them.'

So he told them this parable: 'Which one of you, having a hundred sheep and losing one of them, does not leave the ninety-nine in the wilderness and go after the one that is lost until he finds it? When he has found it, he lays it on his shoulders and rejoices. And when he comes home, he calls together his friends and neighbours, saying to them, "Rejoice with me, for I have found my sheep that was lost." Just so, I tell you, there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous people who need no repentance.

'Or what woman having ten silver coins, if she loses one of them, does not light a lamp, sweep the house, and search carefully until she finds it? When she has found it, she calls together her friends and neighbours, saying, "Rejoice with me, for I have found the coin that I had lost." Just so, I tell you, there is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents.'

OFFERTORY HYMN No 337

I will sing the wondrous story

POST COMMUNION COLLECT

God our creator, you feed your children with the true manna, the living bread from heaven: let this holy food sustain us through our earthly pilgrimage until we come to that place where hunger and thirst are no more; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

CLOSING HYMN No 303

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THEN RECYCLE IT



Lord, be with us in our times of feeling lost and confused. Be the Light in our darkness.