

# Mothering Sunday

15<sup>th</sup> March 2026

**ST BRANNOCK'S & ST ANNE'S  
Historic Church ~ Living Faith**

**Website: brauntonparishchurch.org.uk**

*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

10.00am Holy Communion, St Brannock's  
11.00am Morning Prayer, Church Led.  
St Anne's Saunton

## Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup>

11.00am. Lent Morning Prayer at Christ Church followed by Lent lunch served by our Church. (No service at St Brannock's)  
12.00pm Community Café South Street

## Thursday 19<sup>th</sup>

2.30 – 4.30pm Community Cafe  
Christ Church (opposite the Library)  
7.00pm Deanery Synod St Paul's Sticklepath

## Friday 20<sup>th</sup>

4.30pm Choir practice, St Brannock's

## NEXT SUNDAY 22<sup>nd</sup> March

10.00am Holy Communion, St Brannock's  
We welcome Prebendary Giles King-Smith to lead and preach.



This week's Lent Lunch is being arranged by the St. Brannock's team on this coming Wednesday 18th March, at Christchurch. There will be a choice of soups, served with crusty bread, butter and cheese and coffee or tea to follow, and will be served from midday until 1 pm.

**All are welcome.**



*Baskets will be out for **Easter Flower** donations.*

*And set a reminder to bring a flower for the Easter Cross on Easter Sunday ! Thank You.*

# Welcome

## OPENING HYMN No 684

Thou whose almighty word

## Lent Prose Refrain:

**Hear us, O Lord, have mercy upon us:  
for we have sinn'd against thee.**

To thee, Redeemer, on thy throne of glory:  
lift we our weeping eyes in holy pleadings:  
listen, O Jesu, to our supplications. [Refrain]

O thou chief Corner-stone, Right Hand of the  
Father Way of Salvation, Gate of Life  
Celestial cleanse thou our sinful souls from  
all defilement. [Refrain]

God, we implore thee, in thy glory seated  
bow down and hearken to they weeping  
children pity and pardon all our grievous  
trespasses. [Refrain]

Sins oft committed now we lay before thee  
with true contrition, now no more we veil  
them grant us, Redeemer, loving absolution.  
[Refrain]

Innocent, captive, taken unresisting  
falsely accused, and for us sinners sentenced,  
save us, we pray thee, Jesu our Redeemer.  
[Refrain]

**COLLECT OF THE DAY**

God of love, passionate and strong, tender  
and careful: watch over us and hold us all the  
days of our life; through Jesus Christ our  
Lord.

**READING** Colossians 3:12-17

As God's chosen ones, holy and beloved,  
clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness,  
humility, meekness, and patience. Bear with  
one another and, if anyone has a complaint  
against another, forgive each other; just as  
the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must  
forgive. Above all, clothe yourselves with  
love, which binds everything together in  
perfect harmony. And let the peace of Christ  
rule in your hearts, to which indeed you  
were called in the one body. And be thankful.  
Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly;  
teach and admonish one another in all  
wisdom; and with gratitude in your hearts  
sing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs to  
God. And whatever you do, in word or deed,  
do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus,  
giving thanks to God the Father through him.

humility  
heart  
compassion  
patience  
gentleness  
put kindness  
love  
forgiving

**GRADUAL HYMN** No 212

God forgave my sin

**GOSPEL READING** John 19:25b-27

Meanwhile, standing near the cross of Jesus  
were his mother, and his mother's sister,  
Mary the wife of Clopas, and Mary  
Magdalene. When Jesus saw his mother and  
the disciple whom he loved standing beside  
her, he said to his mother, 'Woman, here is  
your son.' Then he said to the disciple, 'Here  
is your mother.' And from that hour the  
disciple took her into his own home.

**OFFERTORY HYMN** No 712

We cannot measure

**POST COMMUNION COLLECT**

Loving God, as a mother feeds her children at  
the breast you feed us in this sacrament with  
the food and drink of eternal life: help us  
who have tasted your goodness to grow in  
grace within the household of faith; through  
Jesus Christ our Lord.

**CLOSING HYMN** No 252

Guide me O thou great Redeemer



You can now scan the  
QR code to donate  
your offering to the  
Church.



Please take this sheet home for  
reference and prayer in the  
coming week.  
God Bless Thank You