9th after Trinity

17th August 2025

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

9.45am Holy Communion, St Brannock's. 11.00am Morning Prayer, St Anne's

Tuesday 19th

8.30am Morning prayer St Brannock's

Wednesday 20th

10.00am Said Holy Communion. We are joined with our friends from Christ Church. Coffee in the hall after the service.
12.00pm Community Café & Foodbank South Street Church

Thursday 21st

8.30am Morning prayer St Brannock's 2.30 – 4.30pm Community Cafe Christ Church (opposite the Library)

Friday 22nd

8.30am Celtic Morning prayer St Brannock's

Saturday 23rd

10.00am Burial of ashes, late CarolDerbyshire, St Brannock's11.00am Tyspany Care Home Service

NEXT SUNDAY 24th August

9.45am Holy Communion, St Brannock's



OPENING HYMN No 541

O Thou who camest

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Gracious Father, revive your Church in our day, and make her holy, strong and faithful, for your glory's sake in Jesus Christ our Lord.

READING Jeremiah 23:23-29

Am I a God near by, says the Lord, and not a God far off? Who can hide in secret places so that I cannot see them? says the Lord. Do I not fill heaven and earth? says the Lord. I have heard what the prophets have said who prophesy lies in my name, saying, 'I have dreamed, I have dreamed!' How long? Will the hearts of the prophets ever turn back those who prophesy lies, and who prophesy the deceit of their own heart? They plan to make my people forget my name by their dreams that they tell one another, just as their ancestors forgot my name for Baal. Let the prophet who has a dream tell the dream, but let the one who has my word speak my word faithfully. What has straw in common with wheat? says the Lord. Is not my word like fire, says the Lord, and like a hammer that breaks a rock in pieces?

GRADUAL HYMN No 625

Take my life

GOSPEL READING Luke 12:49-56

'I came to bring fire to the earth, and how I wish it were already kindled! I have a baptism with which to be baptized, and what stress I am under until it is completed! Do you think that I have come to bring peace to the earth? No, I tell you, but rather division! From now on, five in one household will be divided, three against two and two against three; they will be divided: father against son and son against father, mother against daughter and daughter against mother, mother-in-law against her daughter-in-law and daughter-in-law against mother-in-law.'

He also said to the crowds, 'When you see a cloud rising in the west, you immediately say, "It is going to rain"; and so it happens. And when you see the south wind blowing, you say, "There will be scorching heat"; and it happens. You hypocrites! You know how to interpret the appearance of earth and sky, but why do you not know how to interpret the present time?

OFFERTORY HYMN No 320

I need thee

POST COMMUNION COLLECT

Holy Father, who gathered us here around the table of your Son to share this meal with the whole household of God: in that new world where you reveal the fullness of your peace, gather people of every race and language to share in the eternal banquet of Jesus Christ our Lord.

CLOSING HYMN No 409

Lord for the years



Lord, for that word,
the word of life which fires us,
speaks to our hearts
and sets our souls ablaze,
teaches and trains,
rebukes us and inspires us:
Lord of the word,
receive Your people's praise.

Duck Race



Monday 25th August

Now collecting

Jewellery & Scarves

For the Duck Race Day to

Jill Cottingham

Thank you





Last week Names on the rota list for selling Ducks on the village Green.

Back of the church, Tombola prizes – Jewellery and Scarves, Plants and Produce on the day.



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



Thank You



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