

St Anne's, Eastville
5th January 2025
The Epiphany of Christ



TODAY 10am Sung Eucharist

Celebrant & Preacher: John Hadley

Opening Hymn: 641 The First Nowell

Greeting:

Blessed are you, Lord our God, King of the universe.

**From the rising of the sun to its setting
your name is proclaimed in all the world.**

The Lord of glory be with you. **The Lord bless you.**

First Reading: Ephesians 3.1-12

Gradual Hymn: 85 Brightest and best of the suns of the morning

Gospel: Matthew 2.1-12

After the gospel gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh are brought to the altar. After each offering all respond:

Blessed be God for ever!

Offertory Hymn: 552 O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness

At the Breaking of Bread:

We break the Bread of Life,
and that life is the light of the world.

**God here among us, light in the midst of us
bring us to light and life!**

Communion song: 933 Sing praise and bless the Lord

*Hymn for Going Out: 100 Christ is the world's true light
(tune 474 Now thank we all our God)*

8pm Taize Service, with singing from 7.45

SERVICES THIS WEEK *Evening Prayer on Zoom*

Tuesday 5.30pm Evening Prayer

Wednesday 10am Eucharist(*in church*), 6pm Evening Prayer

Thursday 5.30pm Evening Prayer

SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY (The Baptism of Christ)

10am Sung Eucharist

Celebrant & Preacher: Melanie Otto

Readings: Isaiah 42.1-9, Matthew 3.13-17

Congratulations to Thomas , Alyssa, Carla and all the family
on the arrival of Felix (born on Monday 30th December).

Pioneering Parishes Taster Day

Date and Time: 25th January 2025 - 10:00am -
3:30pm

Location: Christ Church Downend (Downend Road,
Bristol BS16 5UF)

Booking: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/pioneering-parishes-taster-day-tickets-1047926184427>



The Diocese of Bristol, in partnership with Pioneering Parishes, are hosting a day to equip ordinary parishes with tools to become more outward looking and extend the care of souls into all the parish. Believing that pioneering is integral to parish life, Pioneering Parishes enable churches shift energy outwards, engaging with those not like them in the community to create a mixed ecology of church.

The day is being run at the start of a one-year pilot project between the Diocese of Bristol and Pioneering Parishes who will work with any churches interested in applying the tools to their context. This day is for everyone: clergy, lay, leader and congregation member.

For more information about the pilot, contact mmsupport@bristoldiocese.org or visit Pioneering Parishes for more information about their training <https://churchmissionsociety.org/pioneering-parishes/>



St Anne's Church Information

Please keep the team updated with any news from you or others in the congregation.



Priest in Charge - Melanie 07535798916

Associate Priest John 0117 9446153

Churchwarden - Carla 07999578018

More info on our Facebook page "St Anne's Church"

The website has a calendar which is kept up to date

www.stanneschurchbristol.org.uk

For enquiries about baptisms, weddings and funerals please leave a message on 0117 9514745 or email

stanneseastville@gmail.com

A church building sanctuary for everyone

You are invited to join us in the church or on Zoom

Eucharist on Wednesday and Sunday 10 am

Zoom Meeting ID: 818 2315 0862

Evening Prayer on zoom only

Zoom Meeting ID: 864 0151 2262

Taizé Service at 7.45pm on the first Sunday of each month.

Zoom Meeting ID: 822 0873 9820

Prayer for the world

TODAY we pray for

- ◆ Our own church and parish, particularly those who live or work in Heath Street, Henrietta Street, Herbert Crescent, High Street, Hinton Road,; and all who worship at the Church of God of Prophecy and the New Testament Church of God; .
- ◆ Those who are in special need of our prayers, among them Pearl Quashie-Williams, Anne Hepper, Baldev Raj Kohli, James Maigurira, Lolita Rolle, Helen Shirley, Stefan Dean, Jonathan Munn, Dorothy & Michael Lloyd, Margaret Sahir, Paula Patrocinio, Roger Harrison, Anthea Anthony & David Stagg.

THIS WEEK we pray for

- ◆ The souls of Doris Poole, Winifred Hyman, Cecil Moon, Winifred Parker, Hilda Pope and others, whose anniversaries of death are this week.
- ◆ For the people of Egypt, Israel, Jordan, Lebanon, Palestine: an end to religious differences being exploited to perpetuate conflict and further displacement of people, political leaders who will courageously bring about justice and reconciliation for the sake of all.

Collect for this week

O God, who by the leading of a star
manifested your only Son to the peoples of the earth:
mercifully grant that we, who know you now by faith,
may at last behold your glory face to face;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen**