St Anne's, Eastville 16th November 2025



Safeguarding Sunday (2nd before Advent)

TODAY 10am Sung Eucharist with Godly Play

We welcome as celebrant and preacher the Ven. Becky Waring, Archdeacon of Bristol.

Readings: James 2: 14 – 26, Matthew 25: 31 – 46

Hymns:

105 Christ, whose glory fills the skies517 O Love that wilt not let me go

60 Beauty for brokenness

O Jesus, giver of bread: O Jesus, giver of life

391 Let us talents and tongues employ

This Saturday at 10.30 a.m. **Singing Practice** in the vestry (during the Christmas Fair)

SERVICES THIS WEEK Focus of prayer

Mon 9 am Morning Prayer (in church)

Tue 7.30 am Morning Prayer (in church) Schools' staff and pupils

Wed **9 am** Eucharist (in church)

5.30 pm Evening Prayer (in church) Gaza

Thu 7.30 am Morning Prayer (in church) Persecuted Believers

5.30 pm Evening Prayer (on Zoom) Climate change

COLLECT THIS WEEK

Heavenly Lord, you long for the world's salvation: stir us from apathy, restrain us from excess and revive in us new hope that all creation will one day be healed in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

PRAYER FOR THE WORLD

TODAY we pray for

- Our own church and parish, particularly those who live and work in Bloy Street, Boswell Street, Brenner Street, Bridge Street, Britannia Road, Bruce Road, Bruce Cole Lane; and for our police, fire, and ambulance services.
- Those who are in special need of our prayers, among them Pearl Quashie-Williams, Baldev Raj Kohli, (Sonia's father) James Maigurira, Lolita Rolle, Stefan Dean, Jonathan Munn, Margaret Sahir, (Rachel's mother) Paula Patrocinio, (a friend of David Stagg) Roger Harrison (Virginia's father) and David Stagg (who joins us on Zoom).

THIS WEEK we pray for

- Please pray for the soul of Helen Shirley, and for Patrick and all the family at this time and for the souls of Reginald Trace, George Wintle, Joy Sedgemore, Owen Henry and all whose anniversaries are this week.
- the people of Gaza, Pray for continuing ceasefire and free access for all aid agencies and medical help to Gaza.
- The people of Aotearoa New Zealand, Australia: careful preservation of the fragile land, sea, and resources.

SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY

10am Sung Eucharist 23rd November ~ Christ the King

Celebrant & Preacher: David Durston Readings: Col. 1-11-20, Luke 23. 33-43

Prayer for Easton ~ November meeting

Our next meeting will be on Thursday Nov 27th at 7.30pm, hosted by Bishop Hugh Gardner at New Testament Church of God, 141 Fishponds Rd, Eastville, Bristol BS5 6PR.

Volunteers needed for the Christmas Fair on the 22nd November.

Please speak to Carla

~ setting up and clearing away ~ making cakes and serving refreshments ~ selling raffle tickets.

~ putting up posters

Let's make this a season of giving, together!



Mary and Joseph will soon be starting on their journey to Bethelhem (St Anne's Church) If you would like to host them for a night. Please sign up on the sheet at church or let Carla know.

Prayer for Easton October report

We met at Easton Christian Family Centre on *Thursday 23rd October*, hosted generously and thoughtfully by Bishop Veneta Peart from Bethel Tabernacle of God International UK.

We worshipped and prayed together for each other and our community amidst all the current community tensions. We took Holy Communion together. 37 people from 8 churches.

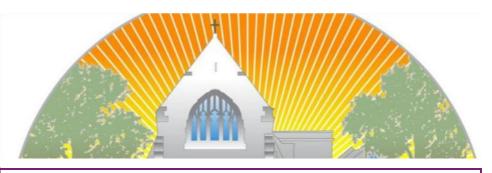
It was a really special time as the Body of Christ in Easton showed unity in diversity, which we aim for in the Church and long for in our communities.

DATE for the Diary



Next year is the 100th anniversary of the consecration of St Anne's Church. We are honoured that Rowan Williams has agreed to speak at our Matronal Service

on the 26th July 2026. Put the date in your diary and be sure to be here.



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 01179446153

Churchwarden - Carla 07999578018 / Val 07941394163

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

Morning and Evening Prayer

Zoom Meeting ID: 843 8566 9809

Taizé Service at 8 pm on the first Sunday of each month,

with singing practice from 7.30 pm Zoom Meeting ID: 822 0873 9820