

St Anne's, Eastville

20th September 2026

In the Season of Creation



TODAY 10am Sung Eucharist with Godly Play

Celebrant : John Hadley

Preacher : David Durston

Theme : Living Water Readings : Ezekiel 47.1-12, John 4.4-15

Hymns:	6	All Creatures of our God and King
	310	I heard the voice of Jesus say
	387	Let us break bread together on our knees
	186	For the healing of the nations

Emma is on leave this week

COLLECT

O God whose Spirit hovered over the waters at the beginning,
we give thanks for water which sustains the life

of plants and birds and animals and human beings,

We confess that we have treated your gift as a commodity
and have polluted streams and river and oceans.

Stir up in us a calling to care for the water you have given us

till justice runs down like waters

and righteousness like an overflowing stream

through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

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
	5.30 pm	Evening Prayer (online)	Life of the parish
Wed	10 am	Eucharist (in church)	
	5.30 pm	Evening Prayer (both)	Gaza
Thu	7.30 am	Morning Prayer (in church)	Persecuted Believers
	5.30 pm	Evening Prayer (online)	Climate change

Prayer for Easton – Thurs 24th Sept, 7.30pm at St Mark's Baptist Church, preceded by prayer walk at 6.30pm from the same location

Macmillan Coffee Morning – Sat 26th Sept, 10am in the church hall

PRAYER FOR THE WORLD

TODAY we pray for

- Our own church and parish, particularly those who live and work in Church Avenue, Church Street, Chapel Road, Clay Bottom, and Cromer Road; and all who worship and minister at St Mark's Baptist Church.
- Those who are in special need of our prayers, among them Pearl Quashie-Williams, Lolita Rolle, Jonathan Munn, Margaret Sahir, David Stagg, Doris Davis, Baldev Raj Kohli, Sunita Patole, Roger Harrison, Stefan Dean and Simon.

THIS WEEK we pray for

- Sandra de Montagnac (Rachel's aunt) who died recently.
- Please pray for the souls of Martyn Blythe, Ernest Targett, Bernard Charlesworth and all whose anniversaries are this week.
- The people of Gaza, Pray for true peace and justice there.
- The people Argentina, Paraguay, Uruguay: greater respect for Indigenous people and greater acceptance of all peoples across bounds of ethnicity and religion.

SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY

27th Sep ~ 17th Sunday after Trinity

10am Harvest Community Communion

Celebrant & Preacher : Emma Langley

Readings : Luke 12.22-30

If you can, please bring fresh and homegrown produce or tinned and packet foods. These will be donated to the Sisters of the Church and their Loaves and Fishes Foodbank.

The Season of Creation is not just for Sundays. Please pick up a leaflet offering ways to engage throughout the week. It includes scripture, prayer, invitations to wonder and practical ways to act. After the summer we have just had, none of us can be unaware that our climate is changing in dangerous ways. God's creation is calling us to pay attention and respond more deeply. This resource is intended to help us do just that.

East Bristol Mission Area ~ Conversations on Mission

The new East Bristol Mission Area is bringing together four communities in a new partnership and we're keen to explore what mission looks in East Bristol and what we can learn from one another.

This autumn, people from Easton Christian Family Centre, Hazelnut Community, All Hallows and St Anne's are invited to join a series of conversations exploring mission in our churches and neighbourhoods.

We'll share our experiences, listen to different perspectives and use the Five Marks of Mission to help us think together about how we can take part in God's work in East Bristol.

You don't need any special knowledge or experience—just an interest in finding out more about mission and a willingness to join the conversation.

The group will be led by Emma Langley and David Durston.

**5 Monday evenings, 7.30–9pm 12 October–16 November
(excluding the Monday of half-term - 26th October)**

St Anne's Vicarage, 75 Greenbank Road

(between St Anne's Church and Greenbank Cemetery)

Places are limited. To find out more or express an interest, please contact David Durston: david.durston36@btinternet.com

The next QUIET DAY AT TYMAWR convent is on Saturday 3rd October

Each Quiet Day begins at 10.00am with coffee (Terce at 9.30am is optional), followed by our speaker for the day and time for rest and prayer before the midday Eucharist. After a 'bring your own' lunch, our speaker will lead the afternoon session, which will end with Vespers at 3.45pm. There is no charge for the day but donations are welcome.

Please book your place for each Quiet Day by email to SSCchaplain@gmail.com or by post to The Chaplain, Tymawr Convent, Lydart. Monmouth NP25 4RN



Creation Care
Encouraging households
to care for God's world

Caring for creation

St Anne's has recently signed up to Creation Care, a simple online tool that helps individuals and households understand their environmental impact and discover practical ways to care for God's creation. We're encouraging members of the congregation to take part. As well as helping you reflect on your own footprint, the anonymous information gathered will help us identify where we can focus our efforts as we continue our Eco Church journey. Taking part only takes a few minutes. To find out more and sign up, visit creationcare.org.uk. **Together, we can take small steps that make a real difference.**



St Anne's Church Information

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



Priest in Charge - Emma Langley
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(Please note that Emma's day off is Friday)

Associate Priest - John 07393740428

Churchwarden - Val 07941394163 / Claire 07779305829

For more information please visit our website
<https://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 Prayer (in the church)

Evening Prayer (link in church calendar on website)

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