

3rd Sunday of Easter

19th April 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.

Sunday Offertory Collection

Baskets for your Offertory Collection can be found as you enter the Church. Please consider using the Parish Giving Scheme (PGS).

Also available is the Contactless donation station.

Thank You.

TODAY

10.00am Holy Communion, St Brannock's
11.00am Morning Prayer, David Rushworth
LLM Lead & Preach, St Anne's

Monday 20th

2.00pm Funeral Service for the late Natalie Webb, St Brannock's

Tuesday 21st

8.30am Morning prayer St Brannock's

Wednesday 22nd

10.00am. Church Led Morning Prayer,
Coffee in the hall after the service.
12.00pm Community Café South Street
7.00pm Parish Council Presentation meeting,
Parish Hall.

Thursday 23rd

8.30am Morning prayer St Brannock's
2.30pm Events Team meeting, St Brannock's
Rooms (hall)
2.30 – 4.30pm Community Cafe
Christ Church (opposite the Library)

Friday 24th

8.30am Celtic Morning prayer St Brannock's
4.30pm Choir practice, St Brannock's

Saturday 25th

11.00am Burial of Ashes for the late
David W Baker, St Brannock's.

NEXT SUNDAY 26th April

10.00am Holy Communion, St Brannock's.

NOTICE:

Meeting of Parishioners followed by Annual Parochial Church Meeting (APCM)

Wednesday 6th May 7.00pm

St Brannock's Church

Electoral Roll forms along with
Churchwarden, PCC and Deanery Synod
nomination forms available at the back
of both Churches.

Consider what YOU could offer ?

OPENING HYMN No 680

This joyful Eastertide

COLLECT OF THE DAY

Risen Christ, you filled your disciples with boldness and fresh hope: strengthen us to proclaim your risen life and fill us with your peace, to the glory of God the Father.

READING Acts 2:14a & 36-41

Then Peter began to speak to them: 'Let the entire house of Israel know with certainty that God has made him both Lord and Messiah, this Jesus whom you crucified.'

Now when they heard this, they were cut to the heart and said to Peter and to the other apostles, 'Brothers, what should we do?' Peter said to them, 'Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ so that your sins may be forgiven; and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. For the promise is for you, for your children, and for all who are far away, everyone whom the Lord our God calls to him.' And he testified with many other arguments and exhorted them, saying, 'Save yourselves from this corrupt generation.' So those who welcomed his message were baptized, and that day about three thousand persons were added.

GRADUAL HYMN No 361

Jesus stand among us

GOSPEL READING Luke 24:13-35

Now on that same day two of them were going to a village called Emmaus, about seven miles from Jerusalem, and talking with each other about all these things that had happened. While they were talking and discussing, Jesus himself came near and went with them, but their eyes were kept from recognizing him. And he said to them, 'What are you discussing with each other while you walk along?' They stood still, looking sad. Then one of them, whose name was Cleopas, answered him, 'Are you the only stranger in Jerusalem who does not know the things that have taken place there in these days?' He asked them, 'What things?' They replied, 'The things about Jesus of Nazareth, who was a prophet mighty in deed and word before God and all the people, and how our chief priests and leaders handed him over to be condemned to death and crucified him. But we had hoped that he was the one to redeem Israel. Yes, and besides all this, it is now the third day since these things took place. Moreover, some women of our group astounded us. They were at the tomb early this morning, and when they did not find his body there, they came back and told us that they had indeed seen a vision of angels who said that he was alive. Some of those who were with us went to the tomb and found it just as the women had said; but they did not see him.' Then he said to them, 'Oh, how foolish you are, and how slow of heart to believe all that the prophets have declared! Was it not necessary that the Messiah should suffer these things and then enter into his glory?'

Then beginning with Moses and all the prophets, he interpreted to them the things about himself in all the scriptures. As they came near the village to which they were going, he walked ahead as if he were going on. But they urged him strongly, saying, 'Stay with us, because it is almost evening and the day is now nearly over.' So he went in to stay with them. When he was at the table with them, he took bread, blessed and broke it, and gave it to them. Then their eyes were opened, and they recognized him; and he vanished from their sight. They said to each other, 'Were not our hearts burning within us while he was talking to us on the road, while he was opening the scriptures to us?' That same hour they got up and returned to Jerusalem; and they found the eleven and their companions gathered together. They were saying, 'The Lord has risen indeed, and he has appeared to Simon!' Then they told what had happened on the road, and how he had been made known to them in the breaking of the bread.

OFFERTORY HYMN No 397

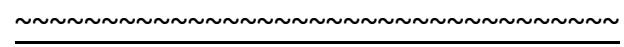
Light of the minds

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 741

When we walk with the Lord



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for reference and prayer for
the coming week. God Bless

Thank You