

8th Sunday after Trinity

St Brannock's Patronal

26th July

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**ST BRANNOCK'S & ST ANNE'S**  
**Historic Church ~ Living Faith**

**Website: [brauntonparishchurch.org.uk](http://brauntonparishchurch.org.uk)**

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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

10.00am Holy Communion, St Brannock's
(St Anne's, Saunton – Outdoor Trail)

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#### **Monday 27<sup>th</sup>**

(St Anne's, Saunton – Outdoor Trail)

#### **Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup>**

(St Anne's, Saunton – Outdoor Trail)  
8.30am Morning Prayer St Brannock's

#### **Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup>**

(St Anne's, Saunton – Outdoor Trail)  
10.00am Holy Communion, St Brannock's.  
Coffee in the hall following the service.  
12.00pm Community Café South Street

#### **Thursday 30<sup>th</sup>**

(St Anne's, Saunton – Outdoor Trail)  
8.30am Morning Prayer St Brannock's  
2.30 – 4.30pm Community Cafe  
Christ Church (opposite the Library)

#### **Friday 31<sup>st</sup>**

(St Anne's, Saunton – Outdoor Trail)  
8.30am Celtic Morning prayer St Brannock's.  
4.30pm Choir Practice, St Brannock's

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NEXT SUNDAY 2nd August

10.00am Holy Communion, St Brannock's
11.00am BCP Holy Communion, St Anne's

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**Summer  
Outdoor  
Bird Trail**  
St Anne's  
Saunton

Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> July 11.30am – 1.00pm  
**Free Picnic, Activities & Games**  
Then open daily to 31<sup>st</sup> July



St Anne's is directly opposite the  
Saunton Golf Club.  
Parking is available on an open space  
behind the church

Children must be accompanied by an adult.  
To be aware the ground can be muddy & slippery  
and there is a small stream running through the grounds.  
Well behaved owners with Dogs  
are welcome.  
Enjoy & Explore ... leaving only your footprints.

See our website for more information:  
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# Welcome

#### **OPENING HYMN No 503**

O Jesus I have promised

#### **COLLECT OF THE DAY**

Lord God, your Son left the riches of heaven and became poor for our sake: when we prosper save us from pride, when we are needy save us from despair, that we may trust in you alone; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

#### **READING Romans 8:26-39**

Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with sighs too deep for words. And God, who searches the heart, knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God. We know that all things work together for good for those who love God, who are called according to his purpose. For those whom he foreknew he also predestined to be conformed to the image of his Son, in order that he might be the firstborn within a large family.

And those whom he predestined he also called; and those whom he called he also justified; and those whom he justified he also glorified. What then are we to say about these things? If God is for us, who is against us? He who did not withhold his own Son, but gave him up for all of us, will he not with him also give us everything else? Who will bring any charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. Who is to condemn? It is Christ Jesus, who died, yes, who was raised, who is at the right hand of God, who indeed intercedes for us. Who will separate us from the love of Christ? Will hardship, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword? As it is written, 'For your sake we are being killed all day long; we are accounted as sheep to be slaughtered.' No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. For I am convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor rulers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

#### **GRADUAL HYMN** No 323

In heavenly love

#### **GOSPEL READING**

Matthew 13:31-33 & 44-52

He put before them another parable: 'The kingdom of heaven is like a mustard seed that someone took and sowed in his field; it is the smallest of all the seeds, but when it has grown it is the greatest of shrubs and becomes a tree, so that the birds of the air come and make nests in its branches.' He told them another parable: 'The kingdom of heaven is like yeast that a woman took and mixed in with three measures of flour until all of it was leavened.' 'The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field, which someone found and hid; then in his joy he goes and sells all that he has and buys that field. 'Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a merchant in search of fine pearls; on finding one pearl of great value, he went and sold all that he had and bought it.

'Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a net that was thrown into the sea and caught fish of every kind; when it was full, they drew it ashore, sat down, and put the good into baskets but threw out the bad. So it will be at the end of the age. The angels will come out and separate the evil from the righteous and throw them into the furnace of fire, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.

'Have you understood all this?' They answered, 'Yes.' And he said to them, 'Therefore every scribe who has been trained for the kingdom of heaven is like the master of a household who brings out of his treasure what is new and what is old.'

#### **OFFERTORY HYMN** No 661

There's a spirit

#### **POST COMMUNION COLLECT**

Strengthen for service, Lord, the hands that have taken holy things; may the ears which have heard your word be deaf to clamour and dispute; may the tongues which have sung your praise be free from deceit; may the eyes which have seen the tokens of your love shine with the light of hope; and may the bodies which have been fed with your body be refreshed with the fullness of your life; glory to you for ever.

#### **CLOSING HYMN** No 411

Lord Jesus Christ



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Please take this sheet home for your prayers & reference in the coming week. God Bless