



St Andrews Church Taunton

Reaching lives for change and hope

Registered Charity no: 1196804

Double Issue **10th August 2025**

The Eighth Sunday after Trinity

10.00am Parish Eucharist

Welcome to St Andrew's; we hope you enjoy the service.

Pre-school children are welcome to use the Children's Area in the South Aisle during the service but must be looked after by their parents or carers.

School age children will have their own activities led by today's helpers.

Tea and coffee will be available from the servery after the service. If you need help with anything, do ask one of the welcomers.

Most services are live streamed to our Facebook page. If your child is enrolled with "Children@10" leaders will know who may not be filmed.

Otherwise, please inform them before the service begins.

Collect (Prayer):

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.

Bible Readings:

Genesis 15.1-6, Hebrews 11.1-3, 8-16, Luke 12.32-40

Prayer After Communion

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.

Zoom Morning Prayer - Tuesdays at 9am – For 12 and 19 August

The joining details are below:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85499166351?pwd=6X3IOW57eX84bvG1t2E2ejfLQNvtjF.1>

Meeting ID: 854 9916 6351 Passcode: 360825

Facebook

Please note there will be no livestreaming of the Sunday service for the next few weeks and there may be some disruption to viewing the site as updates are being made.

Pyrland School

When Alison Vercoe, School Chaplain came to a recent SALT night, she told us that a lot of the children don't have enough pens, pencils etc. This is one way we can support the pupils and so during August we will be collecting the following items so that we can give them to the school at the start of the new term.

Please can you donate: **Pencil cases, black, blue & red pens, highlighters, rulers, pencils, rubbers and colouring pencils.**

There will be a large container at the back of church for the items.

We do not need pencil sharpeners or scissors.

Thanks very much for your support.

Ruth Cook



August Light up the Spire



- ❖ Remembering Alan Cook, with much love from Ruth and all his family and many friends
- ❖ Happy memories of Tony Hearne, a much loved brother
- ❖ In memory of David Anderson, and to celebrate our 65th Wedding Anniversary on 20th August
- ❖ Remembering Mrs Peggy Harris, Burma Star Nurse and The Royal West Kent Regiment Burma 1946 – Never forgotten

Church Diary

The Church will be open during office hours

Tuesdays to Fridays 8.30-11.30am

The Parish Office will be closed 12-15 August

Tuesday	August 12	9.00am Zoom Morning Prayer
Wednesday	August 13	10.00am Parish Eucharist, <i>followed by coffee</i> 7.30pm Lectio Divina group, <i>Church</i>
Thursday	August 14	1.30pm Talk and Tea, <i>Church</i>
Tuesday	August 19	9.00am Zoom Morning Prayer
Wednesday	August 20	10.00am Parish Eucharist, <i>followed by coffee</i>
Thursday	August 21	1.30pm Talk and Tea, <i>Church</i>

For Your Prayers...

Those who are unwell: Joanna, Neil, Paul, Julia, Catherine, Gilly, Toby, Les

Years Mind: 13/08 Alan Cook

- For a swift end to the Israel-Iran conflict
- For a just and lasting peace in Ukraine
- For the people of Gaza

17th August 2025

The Ninth Sunday after Trinity

10.00am Parish Eucharist

12.00 Renewal of Vows

Collect (Prayer):

Gracious Father,
revive your Church in our day,
and make her holy, strong and faithful,
for your glory's sake
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Bible Readings:

Jeremiah 23.23-29, Hebrews 11.29-12.2, Luke 12.49-56

Prayer After Communion

Holy Father,
who gathered us here around the table of your Son
to share this meal with the whole household of God:
in that new world where you reveal the fullness of your peace,
gather people of every race and language
to share in the eternal banquet of Jesus Christ our Lord.

24th August 2025

Bartholomew the Apostle

10.00am Parish Eucharist

Readings: Isaiah 43.8-13
Acts 5.12-16
Luke 22.24-30

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