



St Andrews Church
Taunton

Reaching lives for change and hope

Registered Charity no: 1196804

19th October 2025

The Eighteenth 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.

Collect (Prayer):

God, our judge and saviour,
teach us to be open to your truth
and to trust in your love,
that we may live each day
with confidence in the salvation which is given
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Bible Readings:

Genesis 32.22-31, 2 Timothy 3.14-4.5, Luke 18.1-8

Prayer After Communion:

We praise and thank you, O Christ, for this sacred feast:
for here we receive you,
here the memory of your passion is renewed,
here our minds are filled with grace,
and here a pledge of future glory is given,
when we shall feast at that table where you reign
with all your saints for ever.

Zoom Morning Prayer - Tuesdays at 9am

The joining details are below:

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

Meeting ID: 854 9916 6351 Passcode: 360825

Service of Remembering – 2 November – 5.00pm

We will be marking All Soulstide with **"A Service of Remembering" at 5.00pm.** Tea will be at **4.00pm.**

As before, we invite to **afternoon tea** those who have been bereaved in the last two years. If you can bring a contribution for the tea on the morning of the service, please sign the list in the Narthex.

If you would like a loved one remembered at this service, please sign the list in the Narthex by the 27 October. Thank you.

GoFundMe Appeal for funds to restore the Southwest Window

For anyone who would like to donate, you can find the page at

<https://www.gofundme.com/f/repair-our-wonderful-church-window>

Lone Worker Policy

This Policy has recently been reviewed by the PCC. Letters with a copy of the Policy have been issued to all Key Holders, Home Communion, Sacristy, Flower and Cleaning Teams. These letters are in the Narthex for collection. Please could you read the Policy and return the acknowledgment slip to Lesley in the Parish Office. Thank you.



October Light up the Spire



Happy 21st Birthday
Grace Elizabeth May
With love, Mum, Gran and Harry

Church Diary

The Church will be open during office hours
Tuesdays to Fridays 8.30-11.30am

The Parish Office will be closed on Thursday 23 October

Tuesday	October 21	9.00am Zoom Morning Prayer 9.30am Church Mice
Wednesday	October 22	10.00am Parish Eucharist, <i>followed by coffee</i> 7.30pm Lectio Divina Group, <i>Church</i>
Thursday	October 23	1.30pm Talk and Tea, <i>Church</i>

For Your Prayers...

Those who are unwell: Joanna, Neil, Paul, Julia, Catherine, Gilly, Toby, Les, Sheila, Dave, Frida, Trish

Those who have died recently:

Years Mind:

- The Rt Revd and Rt Hon Dame Sarah Mullally DBE as she prepares for her role as the Archbishop of Canterbury
- For a just and lasting peace in Ukraine
- Give thanks for the current cessation of hostilities in Gaza and Israel

26th October 2025

Bible Sunday

10.00am Parish Eucharist

Readings: Isaiah 45.22-end
Romans 15.1-6
Luke 4.16-24

Parish Directory

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