

Notices

- Our Harvest Festival Service is on Sunday 22nd September at 10am. The service will be led by our Eco Warriors. We will be using the harvest gifts in our foodbank so if you are able to make a donation please could you bring tins of fish, meat, potatoes, vegetables, fruit, custard, soup or packets of biscuits. Please could you check that that the use by date is not in the near future as sometimes it can be several weeks before a tin or packet is used. Please do not donate fresh produce as we are not able to use it.

Georgina Arnold on 0121 458 1590 or 07107214604

In the case of a fire

If there is a fire, please leave the building by the nearest exit, and assemble in the main church car park at the rear of the church. People attending J.A.M. (Jesus and Me) will be taken to the assembly point by their leaders, so please meet them there.

Safeguarding

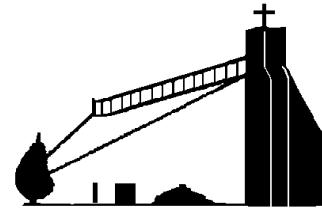
If there are any safeguarding concerns in and out of the church, please speak to Parish Safeguarding Officers:

Chrissie Price: chrissie.price@blueyonder.co.uk or

Janet Bradley: janet22bradley@gmail.com

St Anne's email: stannewestheath@gmail.com

St Anne's website: www.stannewestheath.org



St Anne's Church

West Heath

Notice Sheet

Sunday 8th September 2024

Fifteenth Sunday After Trinity

Welcome to St Anne's Church where we strive to be a home to invite everyone into.

Currently the hearing induction loop is not working as it needs some repairs.

Please ensure mobile phones are turned off or are on silent mode.

Refreshments will be served in the Church Hall after the service.

Collect

God, who in generous mercy sent the Holy Spirit upon your Church in the burning fire of your love: grant that your people may be fervent in the fellowship of the gospel that, always abiding in you, they may be found steadfast in faith and active in service; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Readings for this week:

Isaiah 35 4-7a

James 2 1-17

Mark 7 24-end

Readings for next week:

Isaiah 50 4-9a

James 3 1-12

Mark 8 27-end

Calendar

Sunday 8th September	10 am	Holy Communion Service, including J.A.M. Club, led by Revd. Jayne Crooks.
Monday 9th September	3pm— 4 pm	Prayer Group led by Janet on What's App.
Tuesday 10th September	9:15 am – 11:15 am 2 pm 7 pm	Little Stars Stay and Play Group meets in the church hall. Mothers' Union visit Webbs Garden Centre. Choir practice in the church.
Wednesday 11th September	1:30 pm — 4 pm	Sing-a-long and dance group meeting in the Church Hall.
Thursday 12th September	9:15 am – 11:15 am 10:30 am 11:15 — 11:45 am	Little Stars Stay and Play Group meets in the church hall. Morning Prayer service in St Francis Chapel followed by refreshments in the George Goodger Hall. The Foodbank is open in the George Goodger Hall and refreshments are available.
Friday 13th September	9 am 11 am 2 pm	Church buildings being cleaned. Pastoral Team meeting in the George Goodger Hall. St Anne's leads a service for the residents at The Limes Care Home.
Saturday 14th September	11:15 — 11:45 am	The Foodbank is open in the George Goodger Hall and refreshments are available.
Sunday 15th September	10 am	Morning Worship Service, including J.A.M. Club, led by Church Warden Georgina Arnold with Reader Joan Ayre preaching the sermon.

Prayers

Interregnum Prayer: Almighty Father, who in your love has drawn us together as members of your Church in our parish of St. Anne; during this interregnum especially deepen our love for you and strengthen our fellowship one with another. Hear the prayers of your people and send to us the person who shall faithfully and wisely exercise their role as vicar in our parish, to the good of your Church and the glory of your name; though Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.

Other Prayers

Please pray for those who are not well especially for Ian, Malcolm, Bebe, Gillian E, Nick and Heather, Paulene, Barbara (Dean's wife), Sandra (Sally's sister), Vivienne, Brenda A, Brenda S and Derek.

If you have a prayer request please speak to Janet Bradley or email her: janet22bradley@gmail.com, or complete a form and put it in the prayer request box in the entrance to the church.

Thought for the Week: Utter Freedom by Ian Bradley

You shall know the truth, Jesus told his disciples, and the truth shall make you free.

Free from leprosy, free from mental weakness, free from blindness and the diseases that afflict mankind. As Christians, we stand in the freedom and the truth of God. We stand together, recognizing that we are servants of a great mandate to take Christ to our world, through words of truth and deeds of kindness.

We do it, because the gospel of Christ has no fear of the twenty-first century, and is still God's way of changing the world.