



Join Us for Morning Prayer, Every Tuesday & Thursday Jeremy Douglas will be leading morning prayers each Tuesday & Thursday in Ian's absence. Why not come along and join with him and others? We meet: 8:45-9:30am each Tuesday in All Saints' (with coffee!) 9:00-9:30am each Thursday on ZOOM (click the link on the home page of our website: <https://www.eastleighparish.com/>) "The fervent prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective." James 5:16



The Diocese holds an Online Prayer Gathering and each day pray specifically for benefices in the Diocese, and they will be praying for the Benefice of Eastleigh on Monday 11th May. They have asked if there is anything we would particularly like prayer for and they will make sure this is included as part of their intercessions. Please let Dot (details below) be aware of any such prayer requests.



EXAM SEASON IS STARTING!

Please pray for our young people revising for GCSEs and A levels.

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At CAP (Christians Against Poverty) we are looking to grow two key teams over the coming months.
- **Befrienders** - If you have a compassionate heart to see people reached with the gospel, can give 2 hrs 2-3 times a month (Daytime/evenings or weekends) to visit clients with our debt coach, then we would love to hear from you. We are particularly in need of more women at the moment to join the team.

All training will be provided. Email: danbrain@capuk.org or call 07902 464428
- **Fundraisers**- We want to see our centre grow to reach more people with the gospel. To do this we need to raise funds and greater awareness of the work of CAP locally. We are looking for individuals who would like to attend community events with a stand, as well as those who enjoy coming up with fundraising idea's/ events. All training will be provided. Email: danbrain@capuk.org or call 07902 464428



Please see a [thankyou](#) from Bishop Philip re. Common Mission Fund

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OUTLOOK

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Sunday 10th May 2026



1 Kings 8:22-30

"Solomon stood before the altar of the Lord in the presence of all the assembly of Israel, and spread out his hands toward heaven."

"Hear the supplication of Your servant and of Your people Israel. When they pray toward this place, hear in heaven Your dwelling place; and when You hear, forgive."

We continue our short season on the dedication of Solomon's Temple in Jerusalem. Solomon stands before the altar and prays publicly at the dedication of the temple. He praises the LORD as the faithful God who keeps covenant and fulfils promises made to David. Solomon acknowledges God's greatness, confessing that even heaven cannot contain him, much less the temple just built. Yet he asks that God's eyes be open toward this place, listening to prayers offered there. He petitions God to hear supplications directed toward the temple and to forgive his people when they pray, trusting that God dwells in heaven and responds with mercy and faithfulness according to his eternal steadfast love.

We are grateful today to have the Rev. Oliver (9:30am) and Phil Watson (11.00am) officiating.

1 Kings 8:22-30 Solomon's prayer of dedication

²² Then Solomon stood before the altar of the LORD in front of the whole assembly of Israel, spread out his hands towards heaven ²³ and said: 'LORD, the God of Israel, there is no God like you in heaven above or on earth below – you who keep your covenant of love with your servants who continue wholeheartedly in your way. ²⁴ You have kept your promise to your servant David my father; with your mouth you have promised and with your hand you have fulfilled it – as it is today.

²⁵ 'Now LORD, the God of Israel, keep for your servant David my father the promises you made to him when you said, "You shall never fail to have a successor to sit before me on the throne of Israel, if only your descendants are careful in all they do to walk before me faithfully as you have done." ²⁶ And now, God of Israel, let your word that you promised your servant David my father come true.

²⁷ 'But will God really dwell on earth? The heavens, even the highest heaven, cannot contain you. How much less this temple I have built! ²⁸ Yet give attention to your servant's prayer and his plea for mercy, LORD my God. Hear the cry and the prayer that your servant is praying in your presence this day. ²⁹ May your eyes be open towards this temple night and day, this place of which you said, "My Name shall be there," so that you will hear the prayer your servant prays towards this place. ³⁰ Hear the supplication of your servant and of your people Israel when they pray towards this place. Hear from heaven, your dwelling place, and when you hear, forgive.

John 14:15-21 Jesus promises the Holy Spirit

¹⁵ 'If you love me, keep my commands. ¹⁶ And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another advocate to help you and be with you for ever – ¹⁷ the Spirit of truth. The world cannot accept him, because it neither sees him nor knows him. But you know him, for he lives with you and will be in you. ¹⁸ I will not leave you as orphans; I will come to you. ¹⁹ Before long, the world will not see me anymore, but you will see me. Because I live, you also will live. ²⁰ On that day you will realise that I am in

my Father, and you are in me, and I am in you. ²¹ Whoever has my commands and keeps them is the one who loves me. The one who loves me will be loved by my Father, and I too will love them and show myself to them.'



Collect for the week.

O GOD King of glory,

you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven:

we beseech you, leave us not comfortless, but send your Holy Spirit to strengthen us and exalt us to the place where our Saviour Christ is gone before, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

where you reign with the Spirit in glory,



Suggestions for Outlook? If you have any ideas for items that might be included in Outlook, please send your suggestions to Mike Sarson via outlook@EastleighParish.com