

ST JOHN'S CHURCH, RANMOOR

Sunday 9th May 2021

The Sixth Sunday of Easter

10.30am Parish Communion (In Church, On ZOOM and Facebook Live)

Readings	Acts 10.44-end John 5.1-6 John 15.9-17
Introit Hymn	Come down, O love divine
Gradual Hymn	God is love
Offertory Hymn	Take my life and let it be
Recessional Hymn	Love divine
Setting	Hassler <i>Missa Secunda</i>
Motet	Gesualdo <i>In te, Domine, speravi</i>
Organ Voluntary	Toccatina in C BWV 566 - J.S. Bach

6.30pm Choral Evensong (In Church and Facebook Live)

Readings	Song of Solomon 6.16-52;8.6,7 Revelation 3.14-end
Psalm	45
Anthem	<i>Ireland</i> Greater Love

Prayers

Please pray for those who are sick:

Graham C, Howard, Margaret, Mary, Peter, Valerie, Xavier



Please remember for those who have died:

Leslie Mellor & Tom Dakin

Please remember those whose anniversaries fall at this time:

Margaret Freedlander, Constance Margaret Thorpe, Evelyn Gledhall, Donald Sinclair Munro, Alastair Fretwell-Downing, Harold Johnson, Edna Horsepool

NOTICES

CHURCH BUILDING – We re-opened the Church Building for Worship on Sunday 28th March 2021. It has been really lovely to see so many people back in church, as well as on ZOOM and on Facebook Live.

We have now reverted to our regular service pattern – please see the website



CONFIRMATION There will be a Confirmation service on 13th May at 7.30pm with Bishop Pete. Please pray for Clare Wood and other candidates from the Deanery as they are confirmed by Bishop Pete at St Mark's Broomhill.

TOM DAKIN – our thoughts and prayers are with Tom's family as they prepare for his funeral on Saturday 15th May at 9.45am. Many people from St John's have asked to attend the funeral, however the numbers are restricted to invited guests only due to covid restrictions. The funeral will be live streamed onto Facebook live. Here is the link to attend on Facebook Live. <https://fb.me/e/IGKLfCo0>

WEEKLY QUIZ – Pete's quiz will take place at 3.30pm this Friday.

CRAFT AND CHATTER – the craft and chatter group continue to meet on Mondays and Wednesdays on zoom between 1 and 3pm each week. If you want to join in anytime just logon to the church zoom. They are hoping to start meeting again in person soon.

APCM – The APCM will take place on Sunday 23rd May 2021 straight after the morning service. It will be held in church and broadcast on ZOOM.

If you would like to join our electoral roll, please do over the next 2 weeks when we are revising our roll. We will publish the roll 2 weeks before the APCM

We have some space on the PCC for membership. If you would like to join please get in touch with Matthew, Brian, Mark (Churchwardens) or Claire. The APCM Reports and Account for 2020 are now published and available on the website under APCM, and on email to those on the electoral roll and some copies are available at the back of church.

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK - We have a week of activities planned for Christian Aid Week. On Friday 15th May we are holding a talent show. Please let Claire in the office know if you have a talent that you are able to send to Claire on video before the event. Deadlines for entries is **Monday 10th May**. Poetry, singing, playing an instrument, dancing, or something else – we would love to see it. **PAULINE HEATH CHRISTIAN AID STEPS**- As Alan is not doing a Christian Aid walk this year Pauline is going to do the '300k step challenge' during the month of May. This equates to walking about 5 miles a day every day and Pauline hopes to be able to update us on her progress each week via the news sheet. So far this month Pauline has walked 69,595 steps so only another 230,405 before the end of the month. There are no sponsorship sheets this year but if you are able to support her in this step challenge, please use the St John's options for giving to Christian Aid. **CHRISTIAN AID QUIZ** – this is happening on Monday Night (10th) - don't forget to pick up a quiz sheet and have a look at the quiz before the event. The quiz sheets will also be emailed out. £1 per entry. **CHRISTIAN AID 2021 FILM** – Please watch the film [here](https://christianaid.resourcespace.com/pages/view.php?ref=4187&k=66efe9ccc9)
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ST JOHN'S CHURCH RANMOOR SUPPORTING CHRISTIAN AID WEEK

- Saturday 8th** Plant Sale and the Big Breakfast—come and buy all your plants for spring & summer, and grab a bacon sandwich whilst you wait. 8.30am until 10.30am
- Sunday 9th** 10.30am Christian Aid Service In Church, On ZOOM and Facebook Live
- Monday 10th** Quiz night on ZOOM at 7pm
- Wednesday 12th** Flower Arranging Demonstration by Jackie Lowe and Sandra Green on zoom at 7pm
- Friday 14th** Ranmoor Talent Evening—7pm. All talents welcome. Sing, Dance, poetry, comedy and so on—lets keep everyone entertained! Contact Claire in the office if you would like to take part. Deadline for entries is Friday 7th May.
- Saturday 15th** Vicarage Open Garden from 10.30am –12..30pm (389a Fulwood Road 30 people max at a time)

PLEASE MAKE A DONATION TO Christian Aid ON BEHALF OF ST JOHN'S

www.justgiving.com/fundraising/stjohnsranmoorchristianaid2021

card payments call 0114 230 1199; send a cheque payable to St John's Church, Ranmoor - drop into the black box at the parish centre.

www.stjohnsranmoor.org.uk. For ZOOM details email administrator@stjohnsranmoor.org.uk or call 0114 230 1199

FROM ASCENSION DAY (13TH) TO PENTECOST (23RD) there will be 11 inter-generational outdoor prayer stations spread out across our Mission Area. You can do the prayer stations in groups at each church or in order starting at St John's, then St Mark's, and

St Mary's. The prayer stations are part of the Thy Kingdom Come global initiative where the Church encourages us to explore mission and evangelism.

THY KINGDOM COME- As a Mission Partnership we are joining the global prayer movement Thy Kingdom Come during the period from Ascension Day to Pentecost. There will be a number of prayer-focussed activities open to all throughout this time including a series of prayer stations at St John's, St Mary's and St Mark's. On Tuesday 18th May at 7.30pm we will be joined by our friends from Nether Green Methodist Church for a special service of Evening Prayer with music at St John's. The service will draw on some of the themes that were discussed about the Lord's Prayer in this year's Lent study groups. All are very welcome.

GIVING TO ST JOHN'S - many thanks to everyone who has continued to give so



generously to St John's. With fewer people in church and the Government discouraging the use of cash, along with the closure of bank branches in Sheffield, receiving cash has become more difficult. We have a variety of ways set up that you can give to St Johns. We have now set up a **donation** page on our website.

www.stjohnsranmoor.org.uk You can give one off payments or set up regular payments via the secure portal on the website. We have also got QR Codes and a fixed Text to give number that you can donate on.

We hope that we have made giving to St John's much easier.

Text RANMOOR to 70085 to donate £5

Texts cost £5 plus one standard rate message



**OR CLICK, TAP OR SCAN THIS QR CODE TO
MAKE AN ONLINE DONATION TO OUR CHURCH:**

CONTACTING THE OFFICE - Government Guidelines are in place asking for people to work at home, Claire will be working from home and can be contacted on the office number 0114 230 1199 which redirects to Claire's mobile. Claire can also be contacted on her email anytime. administrator@stjohnsranmoor.org.uk Thank you!

SERVICES NEXT WEEK:

Monday to Saturday: 9am Morning Prayer (on Zoom)

Monday to Thursday: 8pm Compline (on Zoom)

Thursday 13th - Ascension Day Service and Confirmation Service from St Marks in person or on St Marks ZOOM.

Sunday 16th May 2021:

10.30am Parish Communion (*In Church, Facebook live and ZOOM*)

6.30pm Choral Evensong (*In Church, Facebook live*)

GET IN TOUCH WITH US:

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