

ST JOHN'S CHURCH, RANMOOR

6th March 2022



10.30am Parish Communion

(In Church and Facebook Live)

Pop-up Choir, Juniors, Choristers and Adult Choir

Prelude	Expression 1, Jean Langlais 1907-91
Readings	Luke 4.1-13
Introit	HON 145 Forty days and forty nights
Gradual	HON 442 Seek ye first
Offertory	HON 27 Amazing grace
Recessional	HON 372b O Jesus I have promised
Setting	Mass of the quiet hour - Oldroyd
Motet	Take up your cross - arr. Groom te Velde
Voluntary	Expression 14, Jean Langlais

6.30pm Choral Evensong

(In Church and on Facebook Live)

Adult Choir

Prelude	Chorale Variations on Durch Adams Fall ist ganz verderbt – Jan Pieterszoon Sweelinck
Readings	Psalm 119.73-88 Jonah 3 Luke 18.9-14
First Hymn	NEH 74 O for a heart to praise my God
Second Hymn	NEH 294 Just as I am
Third Hymn	NEH 382 Jesu, grant me this, I pray
Responses	Plainsong
Canticles	Magnificat Octavi Toni – Lassus
Nunc Dimittis	On tone iii -Victoria
Anthem	Peccantem me quotidie - Morales
Voluntary	Ground in E Minor – Henry Purcell

PRAYERS

Please pray for those who are sick:

Janet N, Thomas, Flo, Peter, Alan

Please pray for those who have died:

Beryl Aslam, Jacqueline Wragg

Please remember those whose anniversaries fall at this time:

Frances Lilleyman, Ray Clegg, Bob Fearnough, George Gleadhall,
Dorfy Casson, Ralph Evans, John Thompson, Marge Warner, Henry Dickens



NOTICES

CHURCH BUILDING COVID GUIDANCE - Face masks are optional whilst singing and moving around in church. We removed social distancing in the middle of the church (side aisles are still socially distanced). Sanitiser is available, and Communion will take place without wine. If you feel uncomfortable with any aspect, please contact us.

Full risk assessment is on the church website.

For our service pattern – please see the church website.



FAIRTRADE FORTNIGHT takes place from 21 February to 6 March and has as its theme again this year “Choose the world you want”. Join in the [many events online](#) – and remember to buy Fairtrade! The Fairtrade shop will be here on Sunday 6th March.

JOINING WORSHIP FROM HOME – Joining on Facebook Live is easy – [click here to join any of our facebook services](#): or type the following into your browser: https://www.facebook.com/StJohnsChurchRanmoor/live_videos It shows a gallery of all past lives, and shows a live tab when we are actually live.



Lent Groups- Our Lent Groups will start next week, beginning on Monday 7th March. We are running three groups this year. We are pleased to be joined by friends from Crosspool & Nethergreen churches. On **Monday evenings** there will be a Zoom meeting starting at 7.30pm. Please use the church Zoom login (below) to join this meeting.

<https://zoom.us/j/816969789?pwd=ejl3ZGZvVC9QS1BTbFBRTjhCbFRiUT09>

(double clicking this link should take you straight into the study group).

Meeting ID: 816 969 789 Password: 662736

On **Tuesday mornings** the Lent Group will meet in the Parish Centre Annexe from 11am - 12.30pm. Our third group will meet on **Wednesday evenings** in the Parish Centre Annexe from 7.30 - 9pm. This year we will be using the Archbishop of Canterbury's Lent Book 2022 'Embracing Justice' by Isabelle Hamley (ISBN 978-0-281-08654-2) as the basis of our discussions. There is also a booklet 'LiveLent: Embracing Justice' (ISBN: 978-1-789140-259-7) which contains a reflection for each

day of Lent, starting on Ash Wednesday with a theme for each week which corresponds to the chapters in the 2022 Lent Book. There is still time to join one of these groups either by signing the sheet at the back of church (giving name, book order, time & contact details) or email Claire in the office. We do hope you will join one of the groups and we look forward to seeing you next week. Sandra Green

PEWS OR CHAIRS ??? - This month we are thinking about whether we should replace our pews with chairs. There is a display about this with some examples of chairs at the back of church. Please have a look and try out the chairs. We hope to get people's views via an online poll and after the service on 3rd April. Thank you.

CHILDREN IN CHURCH - Children are always welcome in Church. On the first Sunday we have an All-age Worship and on the 3rd Sunday of each month there are leader led children's activities at the back of church and sometimes in the annexe. If you bring children to Church, please feel free to use the play area at the back and or take some of the activities from the relevant months activity folder. You can either take a clip board, some pens and colourings and bring them to the pew or sit at the back of church in the play area. Either way you are all very welcome at all our services.



FLOWERS IN CHURCH- This year it is our intention to provide a pedestal of flowers in church every week, apart from Lent and Advent. However, you are probably aware of the significant increase in the cost of flowers in the last year. Therefore to ensure that we are able to continue to provide suitable arrangements which enhance our worship, we are asking you if you would be prepared to sponsor a pedestal arrangement. A donation of £20 towards the cost of flowers would help us to continue to add to the beauty of our church each week. If you can help, please sign the sheet at the back of church. Thank you. Sandra Green & Jackie Lowe.

HAPPY FRIDAY MUSIC TIME - After Easter we will be starting up a toddler and baby singing and music group. This will take over from our very popular toddler group. We have a few leaders who will run the sessions and would appreciate anyone who could help on a Friday morning for an hour. This would involve helping with teas and coffees and join in the cheers with the little ones, have a chat with parents and or carers and just become part of this team. The commitment can be as little as once every couple of months or more regularly. If you can help at all with the group, please speak to Sally Booker, Barbara Wozencroft, Georgina Hulse or Mary Booth.



LUNCH CLUB -If you would like to register your interest in coming along to join us for a meal, or if you have a family member, loved one, friend or neighbour who you think might enjoy it please speak to Matthew, Matt or Claire. The lunch club takes place on a Wednesday at 12.30pm in the Parish Centre.

GIVING TO ST JOHN'S - 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. **OR Click, Tap or Scan this QR Code to make an online donation to our Church:**



YOUNG DISCIPLESHIP AND DEANERY CONFIRMATION SERVICE - Soon after Easter, Matt will be leading a short series of discipleship sessions aimed at young people of secondary school age who wish to explore the Christian faith in an informal and fun setting. The sessions will be at 4.00pm on Sundays 24th April, 8th May, 15th May, 22nd May in the Parish Centre. More details to follow - but there will be food! Do get in touch with Matt or catch up with him at church if you're interested. Bishop Pete will be visiting the Deanery to preside at a Confirmation Service on Thursday 26th May and it is hoped that many who take part in the course will use it as preparation for Confirmation. Any adults who are considering Confirmation and would like to know more, should get in touch with Matt or Matthew.

UPCOMING SOCIAL EVENTS:

ORGAN RECITAL – Derek Grover – Thursday 10th March at 8pm. Free entry.

**“A year in the peak district”
with Sally Mosley**

Friday 29th April
Doors open 7pm. Starts 7.15pm
Tickets on sale (£5 & Under 18s free)
via Parish Office or Pete Chatterton.
(Includes refreshments)
www.stjohnsranmoor.org.uk
0114 230 1199

Join us in Ranmoor Parish Centre as Sally gives an insightful and fun talk about the peak district. Enjoy photos and snippets of local history. Sally has been writing regular features for the Peak Advertiser for over 30 years and for 8 years was a feature writer for Derbyshire Life. For over 12 years Sally led guided walks around the Peak District and since 2007 worked part-time in Bakewell Visitor Centre advising people how to enjoy the Peak District. You could say she is potty about the Peak District!

SERVICES NEXT WEEK

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

Wednesday:

11.30am Holy Communion in the Parish Centre

5.30pm Choral Evensong

Sunday 13th March

10.30am Parish Communion (In church and on Facebook live)

6.30pm Choral Evensong (In Church and on Facebook Live)

CONTACTING THE OFFICE – Please contact Claire in the office on 0114 230 1199

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