

ST JOHN'S CHURCH, RANMOOR

SUNDAY 10th FEBRUARY 2019

Proper I

10:30am **PARISH COMMUNION & THE BAPTISM OF FRANCESCA SWINSCOE**

Presiding Revd Canon Dr Matthew Rhodes
Sermon **Alison Wragg**
Setting Missa Ave Maris Stella *Tocher*
Motet Behold! God is great! *Naylor*
Hymns HON 25 Alleluia! Alleluia! Hearts to heaven
HON 452 (T.467) Soul of my saviour
HON 133 Firmly I believe and truly
HON 272 Jesus lives! Thy terrors now

Old Testament Reading: Page 645 Isaiah 6: 1-8
New Testament Reading: Page 172 I Corinthians 15: 1-11
Gospel Reading: Page 59 Luke 5: 1-11.

6:30pm **CHORAL EVENSONG**

Responses Clucas
Psalm I
Canticles Phillips in Eb
Anthem Vexilla Regis *Bruckner*
Sermon **Revd Canon Dr Matthew Rhodes**
Hymns NEH 494 (T.413) Christ is the world's true light
NEH 245 God that madest earth and heaven
NEH 372 He that would valiant be

SERVICES & EVENTS THIS WEEK		
TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
9:00am Morning Prayer	9:00am Morning Prayer	
	10:30am Holy Communion (said)	
5:45pm Choral Evensong	5:45pm Choral Evensong	5:45pm Choral Evensong
NEXT SUNDAY: 17 th FEBRUARY		
9:30am Matins (BCP Said)	10:30am Parish Communion	6:30pm "A Venetian Evensong"

PLEASE PRAY

Please pray for those who are sick:

Margaret, Graham and Hazel

Please pray for those whose anniversary of death occur this week:

Mabel Lister, Robert Moffatt, Emily Mason, Leon Lehman, Gill Lomas, Phyllis Dornan, Eric Gregory, Elma Casson, Marjorie Garlick, Basil Mortimer, Christine La Pla, Jean Glossop,

Those who have died:

Norman Jepson and Brenda Wright

Flowers in church:

The pedestal of flowers in church this week has been sponsored by Rosie Gregory in memory of Eric Gregory.

NOTICES

MATTHEW'S CONTACT DETAILS – Matthew can be contacted on his mobile which is **07754 068 391** via the church office on 0114 230 1199 or on his email vicar@stjohnsranmoor.org.uk. Matthews day off is a Monday.

SERMONS – Matthews's sermons can now be downloaded from our website following the service. These can be found on the home page of the website. www.stjohnsranmoor.org.uk.

THE SUNDAY CHORAL EVENSONG SERVICE will take place in the church at 6:30pm this evening - all are most welcome!

THIS WEEK – Morning Prayer is *said* in church on Tuesday and Wednesday this week at 9am. Choral Evensong will be sung on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at 5:45pm. All are most welcome!

NEXT SUNDAY EVENING AT 6:30PM – there will be a liturgical performance of the setting for Venetian Vespers by Biaggio Marini (1597-1665) reconstructed by the Director of Music and given within the context of Choral Evensong - all are most welcome!

MID-WEEK HOLY COMMUNION will take place on Wednesday at 10:30am in the Church.

PCC MINUTES – The minutes of the PCC will be available on the church website following approval at the following month's meeting. This is for your information only.

BEFORE AND AFTER SERVICES - Please allow people space for prayer and reflection before and immediately after the service and keep conversations to a minimum. Thank you very much. Matthew

FUNERAL OF NORMAN JEPSON – The funeral of the late Norman Jepson will be in Church on Friday 15th February at 1pm.

INSPIRE – The March edition of Inspire is available for £1 and yearly subscriptions are due.

TODDLER GROUP – Thursdays 10-11.30am in the Parish Centre during term time.

WEDNESDAY LUNCHESES - This is a great opportunity to meet new people and have a meal together, every Wednesday in the Parish Centre. Transport will collect you early. If you

would like to come along to lunch any Wednesday please contact Claire in the office who can help to organise transport or give you more details. 230 1199.

LENT COURSE - This year we will be running a Lent course on Wednesday evenings in the Garden Room in the Parish Centre. The meetings will start at 7.30pm and finish at 9.00pm. The course will run for five weeks, starting on Wednesday 13th March. Each week has a different theme so it is not necessary to attend every session. The book we have chosen as the basis for our discussions is 'Feast or Famine? - How the Gospel challenges austerity'. The course has been produced in association with the beliefs and ethics think-tank Ekklesia. The course looks at the practical issues of economic austerity versus plenty in modern Britain and across the world. It is based on the core gospel theme of feast versus famine. We think this course will complement St John's involvement in social justice. There is a signup sheet at the back of church. If you would like to purchase the book through church it is available for £6.30, please indicate on the sheet. We do hope you will join us.

PALM CROSSES – Please can you bring back any crosses from last year and we will prepare them for Ash Wednesday. There will be a basket at the back of church.

KNEELERS – Thank you to Margaret Pyecroft who has given the kneelers in memory of her husband Alan Pyecroft, who was a Deputy Warden of Readers in the Diocese of Sheffield when he died in February 2017.

MISSION PARTNERSHIP - ST. MARY'S, WALKLEY – A Vigil Eucharist will take place on the 3rd Saturday of Each Month. Beginning Saturday 16 February 2019 @ 5.30pm *followed by a pub trip*

S10 LITTER PICKERS – Are a local group inspired by David Attenborough and the blue planet. These Sheffield folk share information about Litter Picking Groups and support litter picking initiatives. The leader Geraldine Houlton is look for a litter ambassador to help coordinate local collections in Ranmoor. If you are interested or would like more information please contact Geraldine on 07763 048054

THE SOCIAL JUSTICE YOUTH GROUP REACH will be helping at Burngreave food bank this half term by sorting and packing food collections and serving at the café. Friday 22nd February 2019 from 1:30pm to 4:30pm. To know more contact Mary Grover or Sumi Fernandez Email: mkg0401@aol.com or Sumitha.Festus@gmail.com

Mi Amigo Service - will take place at 2pm on Sunday 24th February. This follows a wreath laying in Endcliffe Park at 1:15pm. US military from a nearby base attend this service each year. The preacher will be the Bishop of Sheffield. A Flypast will take place at 8:30am on Friday 22nd February.



BISHOP PETE WILL BE VISITING HALLAM DEANERY ON SATURDAY 4TH MAY - This will be an open meeting. Everyone will be invited – including those not on PCC and Deanery Synod as it will focus on the new Diocesan Strategy, the financial challenge facing the diocese and incorporate a prayer event for the Diocese. It will be a morning and afternoon and include a lunch. Further

details to come, but please pencil this in. **POVERTY AND PASTRIES** – You are invited to a talk about the priorities of the Charity for this year. 16th March 10-12noon at the United Reform Church, Norfolk Street. All invited to attend.

CHRISTIAN AID GARDEN PARTY – Will take place in the Parish Centre on 18th May 2.30-4.30. Please can you start to look out books, plants, preserves and anything for the tombola stall.

More information to follow, but please save the date.

COLLECTORS – Janet and Malcolm Anker will be organising our street collection this year and will be in touch soon to ask you for your help.

KNITTING - We have received -and continue to receive- many new born baby garments and Moses basket blankets from our knitters and the Baby Basics volunteers are truly grateful for our efforts. It has been suggested that we have a 'Knit and Natter' meeting once a month in the Parish Centre, to encourage others to join in and enjoy each other's company over our knitting and a coffee. Room 1 in the Parish Centre is available on Tuesday mornings so if you are interested please contact Claire on 2301199 or Susan on 230137.

COFFEE – Please let us know what you think about our new coffee which is sourced fair trade from the Good Taste shop in Broomhill.

FAIR TRADE SHOP – will be here at our 10.30am services on March 3rd and March 10th to support fair trade fortnight. The stall will then be here in church at every all age service. Thank you to the Social Justice Committee for organising this.

SOCIAL EVENING

The NHS
Then & Now

Dr Andrew Raftery will trace the history of the National Health Service in a factual but most amusing fashion. His many years of experience as a transplant surgeon have given him a marvellous insight .

The talk is light hearted and funny and describes the advances in health care in each decade of the past seventy years.

Friday 1st March 2019 at 7.30pm
In the Parish Centre
All profits to the ceiling fund.

Further information please contact Claire in the Parish Office on 230 1199 or administrator@stjohnsranmoor.org.uk
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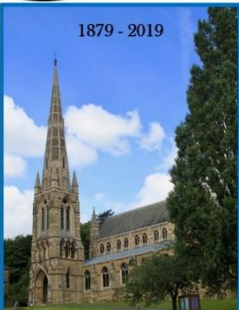
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YEARS
OF THE NHS
1948 - 2018

Tickets on sale from
Ranmoor Parish Office
£10 each

CELEBRATING 140 YEARS

Join us as we
celebrate 140 years
of Worship at
**St John's,
Ranmoor**

We are hosting a celebration
lunch to commemorate this
special anniversary.



1879 - 2019

Sunday 28th April at
1pm
*£12 ticket includes
Roast dinner, dessert, Coffee and mints*

For more information:
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- **COACH TRIP TO THE EAST COAST** – Save the date of **Saturday 29th June 2019**
Please keep this notice sheet or pass it onto a friend or neighbour.