

# ST JOHN'S CHURCH, RANMOOR

## Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> April 2021

The Third Sunday of Easter

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

Organ Prelude	Prelude on 'The strife is o'er'	Alan Bullard b 1947
Readings	Acts 3.12-19 * 1 John 3.1-7 * Luke 24.36b-48	
Introit Hymn	Rejoice, the Lord is King	
Gradual Hymn	We have a Gospel to proclaim	
Offertory Hymn	It is a thing most wonderful	
Recessional Hymn	Ye choirs of new Jerusalem	
Setting	Darke in F	
Anthem	Shepherd <i>The Easter Song of Praise</i>	
Organ Voluntary	Postlude on 'This joyful Eastertide'	Alan Bullard

### 6.30pm Choral Evensong (In Church, On Zoom and Facebook Live)

Organ	Joe Hutchison
Psalm	142
Readings	Deuteronomy 7.7-13 * Revelation 2.1-11
Canticles Magnificat	Nunc Stanford in C
Anthem	Whitlock, He is risen

# Prayers

Please pray for those who are sick:  
*Graham C, Margaret, Mary, Peter*



Please remember for those who have died:  
*Audrey Kirby, The Duke of Edinburgh*

Please remember those whose anniversaries fall at this time:  
Jillian Lawson, Betty Thompson, Muriel Frances, Derek Stubbins,  
Joan Kirbyshaw, Annie Hawkins, Clifford Talbot

## NOTICES

**CHURCH BUILDING** - We re-opened the Church Building for Worship on Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> 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.

- Sundays 10.30am- Parish Communion and 6.30pm Evensong (Both Sunday services are open to the public in church, on zoom and Facebook live).
  - Monday to Thursday 8pm Compline
  - Monday to Saturday 9am Morning prayer.
- Morning prayer & Compline will be on ZOOM only.



**CONFIRMATION** There will be a Confirmation service on 13<sup>th</sup> May at 7.30pm with Bishop Pete. If you are interested in being confirmed or would just like to know more, please talk to Matthew, Matt or Alison.

**PCC** - The PCC meeting will take place on ZOOM on Monday 19<sup>th</sup> April 2021 at 7.30pm

**STUDENT CHRISTIAN MOVEMENT GROUP @ ST MARK'S.** - St Mark's and the mission area have a Student Christian Group (SCM) for young Christians (age 16-25) Currently they are meeting on the third Sunday of the month at 4.00pm on Zoom. You can join here: Join Zoom Meeting <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8358850233> Meeting ID: 835 8850 2335. If you want to find out more speak to Lu Skerratt or through the SCM website: <https://www.movement.org.uk/>

**FOREST CHURCH SHEFFIELD - NEXT OUTDOOR WORSHIP** Forest Church Sheffield are back. Join us on the Green at St Mark's on Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> April at 4.00pm for family friendly outdoor worship as we explore the idea of journeying in faith through the book 'We're

Going On A Bear Hunt' and additional prayer stations to explore. The service will be socially distanced in household groups. We are limited to 20 households so please email [sheffield.forest.church@gmail.com](mailto:sheffield.forest.church@gmail.com) to book your place.

**HRH PRINCE PHILIP** - There will be a special county-wide service of commemoration for HRH Prince Philip on Friday 16 April at 7:30pm in Sheffield Cathedral. Though attendance will be limited, the service will be livestreamed and further details will follow. We do hope that you will join us as we give thanks for the Duke's life and pray for all who will attend and watch the funeral the following day.

**JUBILEE BOOKLET** - Many of you will have read an article in this month's issue of Inspire about a 36 page booklet that has been unearthed entitled "Church of St. John the Evangelist: Its History and Jubilee, 1879-1929". This fascinating document has been converted to a pdf and is available to view on the history pages of our website.



**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](http://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:**



**FRIENDS OF THE EARTH** - hustings details for local elections. The link is: Friday 23rd April 7pm – 8:30pm Hallam constituency area (Crookes & Crosspool, Dore, Fulwood, Ecclesall and Stannington wards) For more information and to register go to <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/sheffield-council-elections-environment-hustings-hallam-tickets-149589092001>

**INVITE WILDLIFE INTO YOUR GARDEN.** Gardens are crucial lifelines for nature and cover more space than all of the UK's national nature reserves put together. Discover how to create the perfect wildlife garden [here](#) and learn about all the incredible creatures you could attract and enable to thrive at home or, with permission, in your churchyard, if it has one. Support Plantlife's [#NoMowMay](#) by simply locking up your lawn mower

for the month and letting the wild flowers in your garden bloom, providing a feast of nectar for our hungry pollinators.



## 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.

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

Online: [www.justgiving.com/fundraising/stjohnsranmoorchristianaid2021](http://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/stjohnsranmoorchristianaid2021) -  
make a card payment via Claire 0114 230 1199— send a cheque Payable to St John's Church, Ranmoor  
[www.stjohnsranmoor.org.uk](http://www.stjohnsranmoor.org.uk)

**CHRISTIAN AID WEEK** -We have a week of activities planned for Christian Aid Week. On Friday 15<sup>th</sup> May we are holding a talent show. Please let Claire in the office know if you have a talent you are able to provide us with a MPEG of. Poetry, singing, playing an instrument, dancing, or something else – we would love to see it.

**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](mailto:administrator@stjohnsranmoor.org.uk) Thank you!

#### SERVICES NEXT WEEK:

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

**Monday to Thursday:** 8pm Compline (on Zoom)

**Every alternate Wednesday when the foodbank is on:**

10am and 12noon – Church opens for private prayer

**Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> April 2021:**

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

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

#### GET IN TOUCH WITH US:

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