

ST JOHN'S CHURCH, RANMOOR

Sunday 25th July 2021

Trinity 8

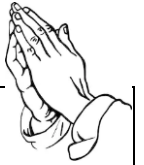
10.30am Parish Communion (In Church, On ZOOM and Facebook Live)

Readings	Acts 11.27-12.2	
	2 Corinthians 4.7-15	
	Matthew 20.20-28	
Introit Hymn	HON 115	Eternal ruler of the ceaseless round
Gradual Hymn	HON 27	Amazing grace
Offertory Hymn	HON 342	My God, and is thy table spread
Recessional Hymn	HON 518	Thy hand, O God has guided

6.30pm Said Evensong (In Church and Facebook Live)

Readings	Jeremiah 26.1-15; Mark 1.14-20
Psalm	Psalm 94

PRAYERS



Please pray for those who are sick:

Graham C, Janet L, Margaret, Mark, Mary, Pauline C, Peter

Please remember those whose anniversaries fall at this time:

Anne Jocelyn Coombe, Wilfred Saunders, Alfred Jowett, Doreen Bales,
Thomas Peel, Christopher Lack, Margaret Ivy Schofield, Susan Margaret Hangan,
Laurence Kershaw, Jen Bailey, Jan Trickett, Grace Stoddart,
Richard Brooke, Maud Tyler, Douglas Bingham

NOTICES

CHURCH BUILDING – NEW RISK ASSESSMENT FOR CHURCH – now that we are in stage 4 of the recovery plan, we have revised our guidelines for the church. The main difference is that we have removed social distancing in the middle of the church (side aisles are still socially distanced), and masks are not compulsory. Our guidance is that you wear a mask whilst moving around in church and singing. Sanitiser will be available, and Communion will take place without wine. We hope to review these guidelines again in September before the choirs return fully. We understand that some people are still shielding and may not feel ready to return to the church building and we will continue to broadcast on ZOOM and Facebook live each week for the morning service and Facebook Live for the evening service. We have now reverted to our regular service pattern – [please see the church website](#).

JOINING WORSHIP FROM HOME – The Sunday morning service will continue to be in Church, on Zoom and Facebook live until further notice.
Our Sunday evening services are open to all in Church and will broadcast on Facebook Live only.

LIVING IN LOVE AND FAITH- How do questions about identity, sexuality, relationships and marriage fit within the bigger picture of the good news of Jesus Christ? What does it mean to live in love and faith together as a Church? These are important questions which the C of E is looking at and will be debating over the next year. In our Mission Area there will be opportunities for doing the LLF course together (face to face or on Zoom) starting in the middle of September. This will be a good way of both studying the areas in question and contributing to the debate, and getting to know one another better across the three churches. Look out for more details. *John Schofield*



THANK YOU - When the music is as good as it is week in week out at St John's it's easy to forget how blessed we are to have such an excellent team of musicians enhancing our worship in church. As the choir term draws to a close today we say a huge 'thank you' to Georgina Hulse, Joe Hutchinson, Fran Wells, Julian Gunn, Matthew

Warbis and James Stone for their dedication and hard work. For over a year now we have been in a Director of Music 'interregnum' and dealing with all that a global pandemic brings. Throughout this extremely challenging period this team and our choirs have been led, guided and encouraged by a gentlemen whose musicianship, energy and patience in the face of ever-changing restrictions have been nothing short of remarkable. On behalf of the whole church family at St John's may I therefore express our deep gratitude to Derek Grover for all that he has done to keep the standard of music so high at a time when many churches have fallen silent. Thank you, Derek!

Revd Matt Wood

THE CHILDREN'S SOCIETY fight for the hope and happiness of young people when it's threatened by abuse, exploitation and neglect. Mary Booth has recently taken over as Box Coordinator in our area for The Children's Society. Each year the network of house box holders raises around £1.4 million to support the work of The Children's Society. If you would be interested in becoming a box holder to collect small change that can make a massive difference to a young persons life, please get in touch with Mary on 07853 208309 or Mary.c.booth@icloud.com If you are a current box holder Mary will be contacting you to arrange collection, or alternatively please bring along to church on either 18th July or 8th August. If you would like any further information, please do chat to Mary or drop her a call or email.

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LUNCH CLUB - APPEAL FOR COOKS - we are hoping to start back our lunch club in September. We would like to hear from you if you are able to cook for the lunch club. You can work as a pair which many of our cooks have done in the past, or work alone. We have lots of willing helpers to serve and wait on tables, but would love to hear from you if this is something you are interested in too. Please speak to Matthew, Matt or Claire.

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.

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:**

ACCOMMODATION SEARCH FOR UNIVERSITY CHAPLAIN-The Anglican Chaplaincy Trust at the University of Sheffield are appointing an Anglican Chaplain (self-supporting), for a September start and are helping find suitable accommodation for a commuting

arrangement. The anticipated post-holder intends to live part-time in Sheffield and travelling here each week. Their preference is for either: i) a studio flat; ii) a small self-contained area in a larger home with shared kitchen as long as it is en-suite. They may, alternatively, consider lodging somewhere for 1-2 nights per week typically. If anyone has any suggestions of suitable accommodation please contact the coordinating chaplain, Jeremy Clines (j.clines@sheffield.ac.uk)



YOUNG CHRISTIAN CLIMATE NETWORK (YCCN) The Young Christian Climate Network (YCCN) has launched its Relay to COP26. The route will pass through Sheffield in on the 5th September on the way to Glasgow. If you are able to provide accommodation for anyone please get in touch. Find out more and sign up at <http://yccn.uk>

CHURCH SOCIAL EVENTS FOR YOUR DIARY:



SATURDAY 25TH SEPTEMBER – HARVEST PIE AND PEA SUPPER with a quiz. Tickets on sale soon.

SERVICES NEXT WEEK:

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

Monday to Thursday: 8pm Compline (on Zoom)

Sunday 1st August 2021 - Trinity 9:

10.30am All Age Communion (In Church, Facebook live and ZOOM)

6.30pm Said Evening Prayer (In Church & Facebook live)

GET IN TOUCH WITH US:

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