

ST JOHN'S CHURCH, RANMOOR

Sunday 26th September Trinity 17



10.30am Parish Communion

(In Church, On ZOOM and Facebook Live)

Prelude	Ich dank Dir, Liebe Herre Op 65, # No 37 Sigfrid Karg-Elert (1877-1933)
Readings	Joel 2.21-27; Timothy 6.6-10; Matthew 6.25-33
Introit	HON 101 Come ye thankful
Gradual	HON 302 Let us with a gladsome mind
Offertory	HON 534 We plough the fields and scatter
Recessional	HON 524 To thee O Lord
Setting	Haugen Mass of Creation Mass for Four Voices - Byrd
Anthem	Fairest Lord Jesus - Trad. arr. How
Voluntary	Nun danket alle Gott Op 65, # 59 Sigfrid Karg-Elert

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6.30pm Choral Evensong

(In Church and on Facebook Live)

Psalm	Psalm 12
Readings	Exodus 24 Matthew 9.1-8
Introit	NEH 456 Teach me, my God and King
Office hymn	NEH 214 Let the round world with songs rejoice
Final hymn	NEH 243 At even when the sun was set
Responses	Ayleward
Canticles	Vaughan Williams in C
Anthem	Thou visitest the earth - Greene
Voluntary	Voluntary no. 3 in A minor by Maurice Greene

PRAYERS



Please pray for those who are sick:

Graham C, Margaret, Mark, Mary, Peter

Please pray for those who have died:

Elizabeth Holton

Please remember those whose anniversaries fall at this time:

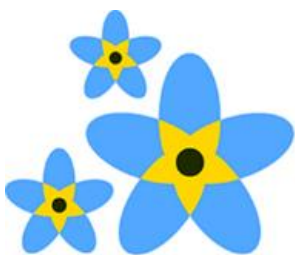
Stephanie Cotton, Harry Jones, Alec Forster, Mark Balfour, David Thomas, Shirley Mary Todd, Marjorie May, Michael Henry, Reginald Green

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 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 (until Harvest Sunday) and Facebook live each week for the morning service. We have now reverted to our regular service pattern – [please see the church website](#).

SANCTUARY - Our monthly gathering in church for a time of prayer, stillness and prayerful reflection returns this week on Monday at 7.30pm (and on the last Monday of each month). All are very welcome. If you'd like to know more please contact Matt.

JOINING WORSHIP FROM HOME – This Sunday will be the last day our Sunday morning service will be on ZOOM. After this the morning and Evening Service will take place in church and will be broadcast on Facebook live only. 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're actually live.



Working to become
**Dementia
Friendly**

We encourage you to join in a Mission Area initiative to raise awareness about the ways in which dementia affects a person and how we can make a difference. Sessions will be interactive and relevant to our

ministry to people with dementia and their carers in our churches and the local community. Sunday October 10th 11.45 – 13.00 at St John's Church or Sunday

October 17th 11.45 – 13.00 at St Mary's Church, Walkley. Contact Claire in the office for more information.



DECORATING THE CHURCH FOR HARVEST FESTIVAL- THANKYOU TO EVERYONE WHO HAS CONTRIBUTED TO OUR HARVEST FLOWERS. The theme for harvest this year is 'Nature', so you will see autumnal arrangements on the windowsills to which some additional information about some of our most endangered species will be given.

THE SHEFFIELD HALF MARATHON – Takes place today Sunday 26th September (<https://www.runforall.com/events/half-marathon/sheffield-half-marathon/>) please be aware that this will affect the roads throughout the day from 5am – 6pm. Many of the roads around Ranmoor will be closed so please allow extra time for getting to church.

INAUGURAL ORGAN RECITAL AND BOOK LAUNCH- We are delighted that Paul Hale, consultant on the restoration project, will give the inaugural recital on our newly restored organ on **Thursday 7th October** at 8pm. Paul has written a booklet about the development of our fascinating instrument and the evening will combine an illustrated talk with a demonstration. This event will be ticketed and tickets will include a copy of the booklet and refreshments. Tickets will cost £15, with proceeds going towards the upkeep of the organ. Tickets can be purchased on Eventbrite [LINK](#). We hope you will be able to join us to celebrate the culmination of this significant project.



Lunch Club – The lunch club started back on **Wednesday 22nd September.**

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.

LIVING IN LOVE AND FAITH COURSE - Here are the details about the four opportunities to take part in the Living in Love and Faith course. Each group is open to members of any of the churches across the Mission Area. Monday afternoon, from 2.30 at St John's, Ranmoor, (27 Sept; 4, 11, 18 Oct) Wednesday evening, from 7.30 on Zoom (29, Sept; 6, 13, 20 Oct) Thursday evening, from 7.30, at St Mark's, Broomhill (23, 30 Sept; 7, 14, 21 Oct) Friday evening, from 6.30, at St Mary's (24 Sept; 1, 8, 15, 22 Oct) If you would like to take part in one of these groups please email office@stmarkssheffield.co.uk letting us know which one you would like to join. We will confirm your choice and give further details closer to the start of the course.

John Schofield

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:**



S10 LITTER PICKERS- Next meeting on Saturday 2nd October. Meeting place 10:00-12:00 at the area in front of Lavang Restaurant, opposite Nether Green Junior School.



We have had a new defibrillator donated to the church. The defibrillator can be used in an emergency and is located at the back of church by the exit to the North Door (Restricted access door). Thank you to the generous donors who made this kind contribution. If the church is closed and you need access to a defibrillator, please use the one by the front doors of the Parish Centre external wall.

CHURCH SOCIAL EVENTS FOR YOUR DIARY:

COMING SOON: The Ranmoor Rex - Community Cinema at St John's.
Watch this space!

Thursday 7th October at 8pm – **Organ Recital with Paul Hale. Tickets on sale via Eventbrite:** <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/170135490833>

SERVICES NEXT WEEK:

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

Monday to Thursday: 8pm Compline (on Zoom)

Monday 7.30pm in Church: Sanctuary – a quiet space for prayer and contemplation

Wednesday 5.30pm in Church: Choral Evensong

Sunday 3rd October 2021 - Trinity 18:

10.30am All Age Animal Service (*In Church & Facebook live*)

6.30pm BCP Communion Service (*In Church & Facebook live*)

GET IN TOUCH WITH US:

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