ST JOHN'S CHURCH, RANMOOR Sunday 15th January 2022 2nd Sunday of Epiphany

10.30am Parish Communion

(In Church and Facebook Live) Choristers and Adults

Organ Prelude	Wie schőn leuchtet der Morgenstern BWV 739 J. S. Bach (1685-1750)		
Reading	Isaiah 49.1-7 1 Corinthians 1.1-9 John 1.29-42		
Introit	HON 172 God is working his purpose out		
Gradual	HON 94 Come, let us join		
Offertory	HON 287 Just as I am		
Recessional	HON 31 And did those feet		
Setting	Coventry Gloria - Peter Jones		
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Anthem	O for a Closer walk with God – C V Stanford		
Organ Voluntary	Wie schőn leuchtet der Morgenstern BuxWV 223 Dieterich Buxtehude (1637-1707)		

6.30pm Choral Evensong

(In Church and Facebook Live) Adult Choir

Organ prelude Readings Hymns	Psalm 96 Ezekiel 2.1 Galatians 2		
	NEH 54	O Trinity of blessed light	
	NEH 57	The race that long in darkness pined	
Responses	Shepherd		
Canticles	Brewer in D		
Anthem	The Spirit of the Lord – Edward Elgar		
Organ Voluntary	Psalm Prelude Set 1 No. 2 Herbert Howells		

PRAYERS

Please pray for those who are sick: Bryan, Hilary, John, Reg, Tony

Those who have died:

Harold Fisher, Harold Smith

Please remember those whose anniversaries fall at this time:

Gillian Padfield, George Carter, Gordon MacQueen, Alistair Priestley, John Grundy, Ursula Tomkins, Bill Kelly, Roy Wooley, Marjorie Stuart Harris, Jonathan Cowley, Ben Hodges, Walter Hudson, Dorothy Sybell Laybarn, Gwen Tobey, Joan Ross, Joan Green, Eric Hopkins

NOTICES

CHURCH BUILDING COVID GUIDANCE - Facemasks are not a legal requirement and are therefore optional. We have removed specified areas of socially distanced seating, but the side aisles tend to be quieter, so do sit there if you'd prefer more space. Sanitiser is readily available around the building. If you feel uncomfortable with any aspect of our approach to Covid safety, please contact us. A full risk assessment is on the church website.

HOLY COMMUNION - From 8th January, those receiving Communion will be able to drink from the common cup but there is no compulsion to do so. Communicants can just receive bread if they wish and this is still a valid Communion.

WE WELCOME THE REVD CANON IAN PARKINSON, our Associate Archdeacon, as our preacher and celebrant at the 10.30 service. Matthew is at St Mary's Walkley.

DISCUSSION GROUP AT RANMOOR VICARAGE Tuesday 31st January 7.30pm Discussion Group at Ranmoor Vicarage 389a Fulwood Road. This is an initial meeting of what will hopefully be a monthly discussion group to talk about issues of life and faith. Please talk to Matthew if you are interested in coming.



RSPB BIG GARDEN BIRDWATCH 27-29TH JANUARY - We will be taking part in this annual census as part of our Eco Church commitment. If you would like to help by spending an hour, sometime over that weekend, recording birds that land in our church grounds, for more details then please contact John Green on <u>-jrgreen212@gmail.com</u> or 07985459923.

You can also register to do the count in your own garden - look on the <u>RSPB website</u> Thank you **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 (scan this) and a fixed 'text to give' number that you can



donate on. Text 70085 to give £5 (plus your standard network text message rate).

JOINING WORSHIP FROM HOME: 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 broadcasts and shows a LIVE tab when we are actually live.

Morning Services will always be live on Facebook.

Evening Services will appear within 24 hours of them taking place.

THE WEDNESDAY LUNCH CLUB If you know anyone who would like to come along, please



get in touch with us – we can provide transport. Our numbers are growing and it would be great to have some new helpers to serve food, help the cooks in the kitchen or cook - please speak to Claire or Matthew if this is something you are interested in. Everyone that is involved in the Lunch Club find it really rewarding.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Ash Wednesday service: Wednesday 27th February. 11.30am in the Parish Centre and 7.30pm in Church.

There are lots of events planned in the diary already for 2023 – including activities to celebrate the Kings Coronation, Alison Wragg's Ordination, theatre trips and a coach trip to the seaside. More information to follow.

SERVICES IN JANUARY

Monday to Saturday: 9am Morning Prayer (on Zoom) **Wednesday:** 11.30am Holy Communion (in the Parish Centre) & 5.30 pm Evensong

Sunday 22nd January -3rd Sunday of Epiphany

10.30am Parish Communion (In church and on Facebook Live)6.30pm Choral Evensong (In Church and on Facebook Live)

ST JOHN'S CHURCH, RANMOOR

Please bring your foodbank items to Ranmoor Parish Centre Office on the following Wednesdays between 10am and 12.30pm: 11th and 25th January; 8th and 22nd February;

8th and 22nd March; 5th April

Everyday Items

tinned fish and meat, UHT milk, long life fruit juice, tinned fruit/veg, shampoo, single toothbrushes, Cereal, Soup, Pasta, Rice, Tinned tomatoes, pasta sauce, Tea/coffee, Tinned fruit, Biscuits



In 2022 St John's Ranmoor donated over 3385 kg, which was 13% of the total donations to the Burngreave Foodbank!!!

www.stjohnsranmoor.org.uk 0114 230 1199

The Sunday Social



For those who would like to share a simple lunch, fellowship and the opportunity to try out some tabletop games. The first of the monthly Sunday Socials will be held in the Parish Centre on Sunday January 29th immediately following coffee in church. Tea and cakes will be served shortly before departure at 3pm.

If you would like to join us, please notify Claire in the office by Monday January 23rd.

There will be a box for voluntary donations (for the church refurbishment fund). It is likely that the next Sunday Social will be on February 26th.

> We look forward to seeing you. Janet Anker and Wendy Weeks.

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