

ST JOHN'S CHURCH, RANMOOR

Sunday 22nd January 2022

3rd Sunday of Epiphany

10.30am Parish Communion

(In Church and Facebook Live)

Choristers and Juniors

Organ Prelude	Introit from Messe Basse Op. 30 Louis Vierne (1870-1937)
Reading	Isaiah 9.1-4 1 Corinthians 1.10-18 Matthew 4.12-23
Introit	HON 560 Will you come and follow me?
Gradual	HON 106 Dear Lord and Father
Offertory	HON 227 I come with joy
Recessional	HON 235 I, the Lord of sea and sky
Setting	Coventry Gloria – Peter Jones Messe Basse – Gabriel Fauré
Anthem	The Call – Ralph Vaughan Williams
Organ Voluntary	Sortie from Messe Basse Op. 30 Louis Vierne

6.30pm Choral Evensong

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Adult Choir

Organ prelude	Aria - Noel Rawsthorne
Psalm	33
Readings	Ecclesiastes 3.1-11 1 Peter 1.3-12
Hymns	NEH 433 O worship the King NEH 385 Jesu, the very thought of thee NEH 249 Round me falls the night
Responses	Shepherd
Canticles	Jackson in G
Anthem	Cantate Domino – Claudio Monteverdi
Organ Voluntary	Ode - Kenneth Leighton

PRAYERS

Please pray for those who are sick:

Hilary, John, Reg, Tony

Those who have died:

Harold Fisher, Harold Smith

Please remember those whose anniversaries fall at this time:

Colin Shawcross, Edris Hopkins, Norman Jepson, Martin Ellis,
Paul Ward, Tim Rees, John Fretson Smith, Brenda Wright



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.

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.



TO MARK THE CORONATION OF HIS MAJESTY KING CHARLES III, the PCC has agreed to commission a new set of white vestments for the church. The PCC will underwrite the cost but if anyone would like to contribute to this project, please speak to Matthew or Alison.

LENT GROUPS - The Lent Study Groups will take place in the Annexe on Wednesday evenings 7.30 - 9.00pm (5 weeks - 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd & 29th March) or rooms 1&2 of the Parish Centre on Thursday afternoons 2.30 - 4.00pm. (5 weeks - 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd & 30th March). More information to follow in the next week or so.



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 -jrgreen212@gmail.com or 07985459923.

You can also register to do the count in your own garden - look on the [RSPB website](#)



YEARS MIND / MEMORIAL BOOK / CHURCH PRAYERS - From the 1st February we will read out names in the Years mind prayers if the person has died within the last 10 years, or, if you have let Claire in the office know about the name you wish to be remembered. If your loved one's death is longer than 10 years ago please complete the sheet at the back of church or contact Claire to advise you would like their names remembered. The name will be removed unless you advise us otherwise. Thank you.

Join us for our services of
Communion
With imposition of Ashes

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WEDNESDAY

Wednesday 27th
February at
10.30am and 7.30pm

Morning service in the Parish Centre and
Evening Service in Church
administrator@stjohnsranmoor.org.uk
0114 230 1199
www.stjohnschurchranmoor.org.uk

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

****Choral Bangers with Cantores Feriatum.** Conductor: Philip Collin: 11th February at 7.30pm. Free entry retiring collection in aid of Guide Dogs for the Blind.

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

The next Foodbank Collection will be on Wednesday 24th January. Please bring your items to the Parish Office between 10am and 12.30pm. Thank you.

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 29th January -Candlemas

10.30am Parish Communion (In church and on Facebook Live)

12.30pm Baptism of Polly

6.30pm Choral Evensong (In Church and on Facebook Live)

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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