

# ST JOHN'S CHURCH, RANMOOR

Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> May 2023

5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter



## 10.30am All Age with Coronation Celebration

*(In Church, Facebook & You Tube)*

*Pop-up Choir, Juniors, Choristers and Adult Choir*

<b>Organ Prelude</b>	Bourree and Minuets from Musick for the Royal Fire works by G F Handel (1685-1759) arr. David Patrick
<b>Psalm</b>	148
<b>Reading</b>	Luke 15.15-24
<b>Introit</b>	HON 17 All people that on earth do dwell
<b>Gradual</b>	HON484a The King of love (tune Saint Columba)
<b>Offertory</b>	HON 188 Guide me, O thou great Redeemer
<b>Recessional</b>	HON 31 Jerusalem
<b>Anthem</b>	Jesu, joy of man's desiring – J.S. Bach
<b>Organ Voluntary</b>	Imperial March Op 32 Edward Elgar (1857-1934)

## 6.30pm Festal Evensong

*(In Church, Facebook & You Tube)*

*Adult Choir*

<b>Organ Prelude</b>	La Paix from Musick for the Royal Fire works by G F Handel (1685-1759) arr. David Patrick
<b>Readings</b>	Psalm 147.1-12 Zechariah 4.1-10 Revelation 21.1-14
<b>Hymns</b>	NEH 436 Praise, my soul the King of heaven NEH 493 Rejoice, O land, in God thy might NEH 413 Now thank we all our God
<b>Responses</b>	Rose
<b>Canticles</b>	Stanford in C
<b>Anthem</b>	Beati Quorum Via – C V Stanford
<b>Te Deum</b>	Vaughan Williams in G
<b>Organ Voluntary</b>	Overture from Musick for the Royal Fire works by G F Handel (1685-1759) arr. David Patrick

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## PRAYERS

Please pray for those who are sick:  
Deborah, Graham, Reg, Tony

Please remember those whose anniversaries fall at this time:

Margaret Freedlander, Constance Margaret Thorpe,  
Evelyn Gledhall, Donald Sinclair Munro



## BURNGREAVE FOODBANK

The next Foodbank Collection will be on  
**17<sup>th</sup> May, 31<sup>st</sup> May**

Please bring your items to the CHURCH between 10am and 12.30pm.

**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](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 (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:** Our Services are now broadcast live on Youtube. If you do not use Facebook you may find it easier to use Youtube. Click here or follow this link: <https://www.youtube.com/@stjohnsranmoor4448/streams> OR If you prefer to watch on Facebook please join via our Facebook Page or type the following into your browser: <https://www.facebook.com/StJohnsChurchRanmoor> when we are live on YouTube it will appear on the newsfeed of our Facebook Page.





**MONDAY 8TH MAY - THE BIG HELP OUT** - On this Coronation Bank Holiday we're encouraged to volunteer in our community. 10.30-12.30 there will be a Parish Centre grounds working party (please bring tools!) as well as a litter pick from opposite Nether Green School (grab sticks and bags are provided).


**CALLING ALL PERFORMERS!** - After the success of last year's event, we are once again holding a 'Concert of Talents' as part of our Christian Aid Week activities. This year's event will be on Friday 19th May. We're looking for people with an array of talents to join us for an evening celebrating the gifts and skills of people in our church community. Are you secret juggler or have a hidden talent for comedy? Contact Sarah Beardsmore ([sarahehbeardsmore@gmail.com](mailto:sarahehbeardsmore@gmail.com)) if you'd like to take part.  
Sunday Social -

**COACH TRIP** – We are having a coach trip to the seaside on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> July. The tickets will be £10 per adult and £5 per child. If you are interested in coming, please sign up at the back of church. At this stage we are gauging interest so further details will follow in due course.

 **PETER LOWE – LANDS END TO JON O'GROATS FOR CHRISTIAN AID AND ALZHEIMER'S**  
“I'll be starting from Lands End in mid- April and cycling solo to Jon O'Groats via England, Wales, Scottish west coast, Kintyre and the length of the Outer Hebrides. The ride will end during Christian Aid week. I'm grateful to the wonderful supporters who are sponsoring me in aid of Christian Aid and Alzheimers Research. If anyone reading this wishes to donate to my chosen charities then please visit: [www.justgiving.com/page/peter-lowe-1678656114328](http://www.justgiving.com/page/peter-lowe-1678656114328) to give to Christian Aid or [www.justgiving.com/page/peter-lowe-1678654076163](http://www.justgiving.com/page/peter-lowe-1678654076163) to give to Alzheimer's research Thank you very much” Peter Lowe

 **PARISH BOUNDARY WALK 2023 SUMMARY -** We are planning a walk around the Ranmoor Parish boundary following the APCM on May 14<sup>th</sup> (Rogation Sunday). This is also the start of Christian Aid Week, so we will be asking for participants to raise some sponsorship for the event. The complete route is approximately 6 miles (9.5km) and includes a tricky climb, but we will be offering other options including one of about 5.5 miles (9km) which avoids any rough paths. The walk will start at 1:30 after allowing time for a picnic following the meeting and will be led by Pauline and Alan Heath. Maps will also be available for anyone not able to join us at that time.

 **GROW SOME PEAS FOR CHRISTIAN AID –** Christian Aid this year are having a **Pea Challenge**. In Malawi they try to grow pigeon peas which they make into flour, as these are drought and flood resistant, which is one of their staple foods. We are going to ask you to grow your own peas. You will be provided with 2 peas, a pot, a stick (to mark your name on and what you are growing) and these will be available at messy church on the 8<sup>th</sup> April and at the Easter Sunday service at 10.30am, for 50p per pot.

 **CHRISTIAN AID BOOK STALL MAY 20<sup>TH</sup> MORNING-** Mary Grover will be holding a book stall on the morning of the Christian Aid brunch on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> May. Please could you bring any donations to church on a Sunday and put them in the designated pew on the right of the Church in front of the children's area (After Easter please) or, bring them down to 8 Oakbrook Rd. If you ring beforehand [263 0691] Mary could put them straight in the car. Many thanks Mary

**SATURDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER - THE COMMUNITY OF THE RESURRECTION,** Mirfield are holding a study day on Julian of Norwich. The day begins with coffee at 9am and ends at 5pm. The cost is £25 and includes lunch. The day will be led by Dr Claire Gilbert using her new book called I, Julian which is written as an autobiography. The book will be available beforehand in the church library. Dr Claire Gilbert is Director of the Westminster Abbey Institute and is a regular visitor and long-standing friend of the community. If you are interested in joining a group and car sharing please have a word with Alison.

# UPCOMING EVENTS

## Christian Aid Week:

**\*\*Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> May** – Picnic and Sponsored walk around Ranmoor Parish boundary following the APCM. Walk at 1.30pm

**\*\*Friday 19<sup>th</sup> May** – Concert of Talents – given by members of St John's choir and congregation

**\*\*Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> May** – Big Breakfast / Brunch 10am-1pm plus stalls including plants, cakes, handcrafted cards, books and preserves.

## NEXT WEEK

### Monday to Saturday:

9am Morning Prayer (on Zoom)

### Wednesday:

11.30am Holy Communion (RPC)

5.30pm Evensong

### Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> May

10.30am Parish Communion

12noon APCM to take place in the Church

6.30pm Choral Evensong

## The Sunday Social



For those who would like to share a simple lunch, fellowship and the opportunity to try out some tabletop games. The Sunday Socials will be held in the Parish Centre on the 4th Sunday of the month 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 the Wednesday before.

There will be a box for voluntary donations (for the church refurbishment fund).

The next Sunday Social dates are as follows:

Sunday 28th May; Sunday 25th June; Sunday 23rd July; Sunday 27th August; Sunday 24th September

We look forward to seeing you.

Janet Anker and Wendy Weeks.