

# ST JOHN'S CHURCH, RANMOOR

Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> May 2023

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

## 10.30am Parish Communion

*(In Church, Facebook & You Tube)*

**Choristers and Junior Choir**

<b>Organ Prelude</b>	Offertoire pour le jour d'Ascension, Alexandre Cellier (1883-1968)
<b>Reading</b>	Acts 1.6-14 1 Peter 4.12-14; 5.6-11 John 17.1-11
<b>Introit</b>	HON 26 Alleluia, sing to Jesus
<b>Gradual</b>	HON 242 Immortal, invisible
<b>Offertory</b>	HON 277 Jesus shall reign
<b>Recessional</b>	HON 46 At the name of Jesus
<b>Setting</b>	Mass of Creation – Martyr Haugen Messe Basse – Gabriel Fauré
<b>Motet</b>	Glory to the Lamb - David Blackwell
<b>Organ Voluntary</b>	Incantation pour un jour saint, Jean Langlais (1907-1991)

## 6.30pm Choral Evensong

*(In Church, Facebook & You Tube)*

**Adult Choir**

<b>Organ Prelude</b>	Chant de Paix - Jean Langlais
<b>Readings</b>	2 Samuel 23.1-5 Ephesians 1.15-end
<b>Hymns</b>	NEH 443 Rejoice, the Lord is King NEH 128 Eternal Monarch, King most high NEH 345 Christ is the King
<b>Psalm</b>	47
<b>Responses</b>	Rose
<b>Canticles</b>	The Gloucester Service – Herbert Howells
<b>Anthem</b>	God is gone up – Gerald Finzi
<b>Organ Voluntary</b>	Chorale prelude "Gelobt sei Gott" - Healey Willan

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# PRAYERS

Please pray for those who are sick:

Graham, Reg, Tony

Please remember those whose anniversaries fall at this time:

Herbert Gordon, Dr John Anderson



## BURNGREAVE FOODBANK

The next Foodbank Collection will be on

**31<sup>st</sup> May and 14<sup>th</sup> June**

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

**APCM ELECTIONS** – Following the APCM last Sunday (15<sup>th</sup>) we are pleased to welcome Pauline Heath and Mark Gregory as re-elected Churchwardens. Welcome to Jane Thickett as a new PCC member. Thank you to Claire Webber, David Booker and Mary Grover who have all been re-elected for a further 3 years. Finally thank you to John Green who has been re-elected as our Deanery Synod Representative.

**INSPIRE PROJECT COMMUNITY CONSULTATION** - A community consultation has been launched to capture feedback on how people would like to see our building used in the future. The findings will inform our plans for the building. You can complete the survey by visiting our website [www.stjohnsranmoor.org.uk](http://www.stjohnsranmoor.org.uk) (link via the QR code) or pick up a paper copy in church. We want lots of people to contribute so please share with neighbours and friends.



**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.

**WOULD YOU LIKE TO TRAIN IN CARBON LITERACY?** The Church of England Carbon Literacy course aims to encourage and equip Christians to respond to the climate crisis as people of faith. Through greater awareness and understanding of our impact



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on the planet, we can take positive action at home, in our churches and beyond. The Diocese of Sheffield Environmental Projects Team is looking for participants for a pilot course in Sheffield. This is an opportunity to receive free, accredited training. The course has been developed by the Church of England in partnership with the Carbon Literacy Project and is an interesting and interactive day of group learning. At the end of the course you will have the opportunity to apply for a Certificate of Carbon Literacy. Saturday 24th June, St John's Ranmoor (Church Building) 10am-5pm + 2 hours of (gentle!) pre-prep work. The event is free and drinks and cake will be provided but please bring your own lunch. To book a place or for further information, please contact Sally at [environment.admin@sheffield.anglican.org](mailto:environment.admin@sheffield.anglican.org) by 23rd May.



### **PETER LOWE - LANDS END TO JON O'GROATS FOR CHRISTIAN AID AND ALZHEIMER'S**

Peter has now completed his epic cycle. If anyone reading this wishes to donate to his 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



### **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.

**SANCTUARY** - The next meeting of Sanctuary will take place on Monday 22nd May at 7.30pm in the side chapel due to the 29th May being a bank holiday. This is a time for quiet reflection. All welcome.

**TUESDAY 23RD 7.30PM DISCUSSION GROUP AT THE VICARAGE:** How do we read the Bible? Please bring a favourite of challenging Bible passage.

**ALISON'S ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD** - There are some tickets available for my Ordination Service in Sheffield Cathedral on Saturday 1st July at 4pm. If you would like to attend there is a sign up sheet at the back of church. Currently there are 23 tickets available but please carry on signing the sheet in the hope that more will be made available nearer the time. Thank you, Alison.

**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.

**SATURDAY 14TH 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.

## 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 28<sup>th</sup> May; Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> June; Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> July; Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> August; Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> September

We look forward to seeing you.

Janet Anker and Wendy Weeks.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**\*\* Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> May – Sunday Social** - If you are thinking about coming to the Sunday Social on May 28<sup>th</sup> please remember that this is a Bank Holiday weekend so do check that you have no prior commitments before letting Claire know that you will be coming. We look forward to seeing you”. Janet Anker and Wendy Weeks.

### NEXT WEEK

#### Monday to Saturday:

9am Morning Prayer (on Zoom)

#### Wednesday:

11.30am Holy Communion (RPC)

5.30pm Evensong

#### Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> May

10.30am Parish Communion and 6.30pm Choral Evensong