ST JOHN'S CHURCH, RANMOOR

SUNDAY 22ND DECEMBER <u>2024</u> THE 4TH SUNDAY OF ADVENT



10.30am Parish Communion

	Adult Choir				
Organ Prelude	Creator alme siderum - Marcel Dupré				
Readings	Micah 5.2-5a; Hebrews 10.5-10				
	Luke 1.39-45				
Introit	HON 491 The race that long in darkness pined				
Gradual	HON 471 The angel Gabriel				
Offertory	HON 467 Tell out my soul				
Recessional	HON 307 Lo, he comes with clouds descending				
Setting	Missa Dixit Maria - H L Hassler				
Anthem	Ave Maria - Edward Elgar				
Organ Voluntary	Fantasia on Veni Emmanuel - Alec Rowley				

6.30pm Nine Lessons & Carols

	Choristers and Adult Choir				
Organ Prelude	Noëls - Louis-Claude Daquin (1694-1772)				
Music to include	l sing of a Maiden - Alison Willis				
	The little road to Bethlehem - Michael Head				
	Puer Nobis - Richard Rodney Bennett				
Organ Voluntary	Toccata - Marcel Lanquetuit				

Tuesday 24th December 11.30pm Midnight Mass

Adult Choir

Organ Prelude	Christmas Chorale Preludes - JS Bach (1685-1750)				
Readings	Hebrews 1.1-12				
	John 1.1-14				
Introit	HON 377 O Little town of Bethlehem				
Gradual	HON 444 Silent Night				
Offertory	HON 253 It Came upon the midnight Clear				
Recessional	HON 199 Hark! The Herald Angels Sing				
Setting	Missa Sancti Nicolai - Joseph Haydn				
Anthem	The Nativity Carol - John Rutter				
Organ Voluntary	Toccata in F BWV 540 - JS Bach				

Wednesday 25th December Christmas Morning 10.30am Parish Communion

	Choristers, Juniors and Adult Choir				
Organ Prelude	Christmas Cradle Song Alfred Hollins (1865-1942				
Readings	Titus 2.11-14				
	Luke 2.1-14				
Introit	HON 84 Christians Awake				
Gradual	HON 51 Away in a Manger				
Offertory	HON 554 While Shepherd's Watched				
Recessional	HON 357 O Come all ye Faithful				
Setting	Coventry Gloria Peter Jones				
	Ireland in C				
Anthem	The Holly and the Ivy - John Gardner				
	Silent Night - Franz Gruber				
Organ Voluntary	Noel Suisse. L-C Daquin (1694-1772)				

Sunday 29th December 10.30am Parish Communion (Said)

Readings

1 Samuel 2:18-20,26 & Luke 2:41-end



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PRAYERS

Please pray for those who are sick: John H

Please remember those whose anniversaries fall at this time:

w/c 22nd December 2024: John Proctor, Charlie Ward, Geoffre Warburton, Doris Page, Iris Whalley, Geoffrey Weeks, Stanley Freelander, Anice Hancock, Gillian Edgely

w/c 29th December 2024: Charles Henry Ainsworth Finch, Elsie Trowell, Andy King, Gerald Dabell, George Sewell, Sally Young, Geraldine Goldsmith, Harold Fisher, Mneme Richardson

NOTICES

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. <u>www.stjohnsranmoor.org.uk</u> 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).

Pink Cards – if you make a direct bank payment you can pick up a pink card to put on the offertory plate in lieu of your cash / cheque donation.

ST JOHN'S RANMOOR	LUNCH CLUB – We will take a break over the holidays and resume on Wednesday, 8th January 2025.			
Wednesday	SUNDAY		Social	2025
Lunch Club	Sunday 26 th Jan,			
CLUU	Sunday 2	3 rd Feb	& Sunday	23 rd Mar.

BOARD GAMES CAFÉ - Join us for the launch of our first *Board Games Café* on Sunday, 12th January, from 2-4 PM at the Parish Centre! We are seeking donations of board games to help stock the café. If you have games you'd like to donate, please speak to Claire Eaton. Interested in helping or getting involved? We'd love to hear from you! Contact Claire Eaton for more information.

Scissors Paper Stone

LATEST BLOG - Sylvia Dunkley recently gave an insightful talk on Frank Tory and Sons, renowned for their remarkable carvings at St John's, Ranmoor. The article, *Blog 14*, is now available to read on our website. Copies are at the back of Church.

> The next Foodbank Dates are: Wednesday 8th & 22nd January

NEXT WEEK

Morning Prayer

Mon 23rd Dec & Tues 24th Dec, then there will be a break until Monday 6th January. Tuesday 24th December 4pm Nativity (Sorry this is fully booked) 11.30pm Midnight Mass Wednesday 25th December 10.30am Christmas Morning Parish Communion

Sunday 29th December

 10.30am Parish Communion (said) No evening service
Sunday 5th January
10.30am All Age Eucharist
6.30pm Epiphany Procession



CHRISTMAS MORNING

Wednesday 25th December 10.30am "A joyful celebration of Christ's birth with worship and Communion on Christmas morning"

In Church & YouTube www.stjohnsranmoor.org.uk 0114 230 1199

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

5th January 10.30am All Age Communion Service
5th January 6.30pm Epiphany Procession
12th January 2-4pm Board Games Café – NEW!

