



# ST JOHN'S CHURCH, RANMOOR

SUNDAY 27<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2025  
6<sup>TH</sup> AFTER TRINITY PROPER 12

## 10.30am Parish Communion

Organ Prelude	Prelude de 3me Ton and Tierce en Taille from Premiere Live d'Orgue Nicolas Lebegue (1631-1702)
Readings	Genesis 18.20-32 Colossians 2.6-19 Luke 11.1-13
Introit	HON 55 Be thou my guardian and my guide
Gradual	HON 519 Thy kingdom come, O God
Offertory	HON 311 Lord, Jesus Christ
Recessional	HON 293 Lead us, heavenly father, lead us
Organ Voluntary	Dialogue and Plein Jeu Nicolas Lebegue

## 6.30pm Sung Evensong

Organ Prelude	Prelude modal - Jean Langlais
Readings	Genesis 42.1-25 1 Corinthians 10.1-24
Psalm	88
Hymns	NEH 452 Stand up and bless the Lord NEH 360 Firmly I believe, and truly NEH 445 Rock of ages
Organ Voluntary	Nimrod- Edward Elgar

## PRAYERS

Please pray for those who are sick:

*Beryl H*

Please remember those whose anniversaries  
are around this time:

*Doreen Bales. Thomas Richard Peel, Christopher Lack, Margaret Ivy Schofield,  
Susan Hargas, Laurence Kershaw, Maud Tyler, Douglas Bingham,  
Brian Allcard, Janet Ann Lee, Marguerite Greenstreet*



# NOTICES

## SAVE OUR SPIRE

We have launched our Inspire Project (Save Our Spire – SOS) appeal! We need to make our beautiful church welcoming for all our community. The spire needs work to keep it safe and we need more toilets, accessibility and a servery for church and other events. And to improve the heating!!! We aim to raise £1million from grants and local fundraising. There are fundraising envelopes at the back of Church. Thank you! **Donate [here](#)**



**GIVING TO ST JOHN'S-** We have a variety of ways set up that you can give to St Johns. We have 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.

**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.*

**LUNCH CLUB –** Our Lunch Club runs weekly on a Wednesday. We would love to see you so if you would like to come along speak to Claire in the office. Transport can be arranged. We will be running straight through to the end of July

**SUNDAY SOCIAL-** The next dates for the Sunday social are: July 27, Sept 28, Oct 26, and Nov 23

## **DEMENTIA MATTERS – RED SHOE WALK MEADOWHALL**

On **Sun 3rd August at 10am** I will be joining the Sheffield hospitals charity's **Red Shoe Walk**. This is a sponsored 5k walk (3k for children) fun walk. Money raised will go towards dementia care initiatives



funded by the Charity in the hospital and across Sheffield. Please consider giving your support in one of 2 ways. 1) Sponsor me for the walk, 5k might not seem far for you young athletes but it is far enough for an 80+ old grandmother or, 2) Look up Red Shoe Walk Meadowhall and do it yourself or with your family. Either way you are helping play an important part in raising the level of care for the people with dementia in Sheffield. PS Red Shoes are desirable but not essential, shoe covers (Red of course!) will be provided if needed. If you can sponsor, please give donations directly to me or Claire in the office. Thank you, Wendy Weeks.

**DEMENTIA MATTERS – ALL STARS TRAINING** – Step into the world of someone living with dementia. Join the other Churches in our Mission Partnership for the *Dementia Stars* training and gain the knowledge, empathy, and skills to offer better support to those living with dementia. 3 interactive sessions: Bronze, Silver & Gold.

**Fridays 12th, 19th & 26th September, 1:30–3:30pm at St Mary's, Walkley**

**Sign up at the back of church** to reserve your place—spaces are limited! More information please speak to Wendy Weeks

## **THE SUMMER CHOIR TOUR**

The Choir are going on tour to Northumberland and Newcastle this August. They will be singing a concert at St Mary's Church on Holy Island at 4pm on Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> August and then on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> August the morning service at St Aidan's, Bamburgh (11am) and Evensong at Newcastle Cathedral (4pm).

The next Burngreave Foodbank Dates: 6<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> August; 3<sup>rd</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> September; 1<sup>st</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> October; 12<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> November. Collections can be brought to any Church service, to the office during opening hours or to the Church drive on collection day between 10am and 12.30pm



**Scissors Paper Stone**

Blog 23:  
**A Special Occasion at St John's**

[www.stjohnsranmoor.org.uk](http://www.stjohnsranmoor.org.uk)

In which a prince, a philanthropist, 40 constables and a large dog go to church...

In October 1879 Royalty came to St John's. Prince Leopold (1853-1884), Queen Victoria's youngest son, was in Sheffield to open Firth College, a forerunner of the University of Sheffield. The Prince stayed at Oakbrook with the industrialist Mark Firth, who was, as its name suggests, the moving force behind the new college.

When it came to church on Sunday, St John's was the obvious choice. Read about the visit on the blog this week.

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Pick up a copy of the blog at the back of church or read it on our [website](http://www.stjohnsranmoor.org.uk)

## FORTHCOMING EVENTS

- 6<sup>th</sup> September – The Sheffield Code (Scissors Paper Stone)
- 13<sup>th</sup> September – Heritage Open Day Events (Scissors Paper Stone)
- 1<sup>st</sup> September 7pm – Alisons licencing as Associate Priest of St Johns and St Marys. (Taking place at St Marys, Walkley)
- 26<sup>th</sup> September 7pm – Harvest Quiz – tickets on sale soon.

## NEXT WEEK

**Monday to Friday**

9am Morning Prayer

**Wednesday 30th July**

10-12.30pm – Foodbank collection from the Church Drive

11.30am Holy Communion in the Parish Centre

12.30pm Wednesday Lunch Club

5.30pm Evening Prayer

**Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> August**

10.30am All Age Communion

6.30pm Sung Evensong

Speak up confidentially

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## Heritage Open Day

### The Wills of Ranmoor Residents Who gave What to Whom

Following the success of our summer wills workshop exploring how the men and women who rented seats in our church in 1890 left their money and property, Mary Grover and the research team will give a talk to share the findings. What did the wealthy residents of Ranmoor leave in their wills and who did they leave it to?

Tours will be available on request. Children can explore the church with our children's trail.

**FREE**

Refreshments will be available.

Saturday 13 September

Church open to visitors from 2.00  
Talk begins at 4.00



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## The Sheffield Code Domestic taste in eighteenth and nineteenth century Sheffield

A talk by Dr Julie Banham

South facing and away from the smoke and grime of the town, from the mid-nineteenth century, Ranmoor began to attract Sheffield's leading industrialists, manufacturers and professional classes as an ideal location to build their mansions and villas.

In contrast to the consecutive peer-reviewed and approved styles of the eighteenth-century found in homes to the east and centre of Sheffield, the nineteenth century heralded the Battle of the Styles with the fear the nouveau riche would fail to deploy good taste. How did Sheffield respond?

Saturday 6th September  
5.30pm at St John's Church

Refreshments will be available  
before the talk.

Tickets £5  
students and under 18s FREE

Booking via TicketSource  
using the QR code or  
via the Parish Office



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