ST JOHN'S CHURCH, RANMOOR Sunday 31st January 2021 Candlemas



10.30am Parish Communion (On ZOOM and Facebook Live)

Organ Prelude Voluntary II: William Russell

Readings Malachi 3.1-5 Hebrew 2.14-end Luke 2.22-40

Introit Hymn Come thou long-expected

Gradual Hymn Christ whose glory

Offertory Hymn My God how wonderful

Setting Plainsong Missa Orbis Factor **Anthem** Hampson Nunc Dimittis in G

Recessional Hymn Faithful vigil ended

Organ Voluntary Allegro marziale: Frank Bridge

6.30pm Choral Evensong (On Zoom and Facebook Live)

Organ Prelude Elevation, Léon Boëllmann (1862-97)

Readings Haggai 2. 1-9 John 2. 18=22

Psalm 132

Canticles Sumsion in G

Anthem Mudd Let thy merciful ears O Lord

Organ Voluntary Sortie, Léon Boëllmann



Prayers

Please pray for those who are sick: Graham C, Hazel, Mark, Margaret, Peter,

Please pray for those whose anniversary of death is this week: George William Pryor, Gillian Edgely, Frank Wragg, James Hall, Richard Hawkswell, Albert Howard, Robert St Leger

NOTICES

<u>CORONAVIRUS</u> -Following the latest government announcement, the church is currently closed to congregational worship but you can join our services on ZOOM and Facebook Live. If you would like to come to church for private prayer, please ring Matthew (07754 068 391) or Matt (07900 436 762).



<u>CANDLEMAS</u> - This Sunday morning we celebrate the Presentation of Christ in the Temple or 'Candlemas'. If you are joining us on Zoom, and have a candle you can light at home, please have it with you for the service. Thank you.

LENT STUDY COURSE - The season of Lent offers an opportunity intentionally to set a little time aside for reflection and study. This year's Lent Course will be based on the Bloomsbury Lent Book for 2021 'Thy Will Be Done' by Stephen Cherry, Dean of King's College, Cambridge. The book takes an in-depth look at the Lord's Prayer and uses six key words from the prayer as themes for reflection: Heaven, Earth, Bread, Temptation, Forgiveness, Glory. Everyone is very welcome. No previous experience of study courses is necessary! The sessions will include space for reflection, prayer and conversation based on the short chapters in each of the six topic areas mentioned above. We are delighted to be linking again with our friends at Nether Green Methodist Church who will be joining us for the course. Do let friends from other churches know about the course if their church is unable to run one this year. Each week there will be two session times available:

- Tuesdays 2.30pm-3.30pm (23rd February to 30th Mar incl.)
- Wednesdays 7.00pm-8.00pm (24th February to 31st March incl.)

Books will be purchased centrally and distributed to participants in good time ahead of the first session. If you would like to join the course, please get in touch with Claire Webber in the Parish Office (email: administrator@stjohnsranmoor.org.uk | phone 0114 230 1199)

GIVING TO ST JOHN'S - many thanks to everyone who has continued to give so



generously to St John's. With fewer people in church and the Government discouraging the use of cash, along with the closure of bank branches in Sheffield, receiving cash has become more difficult. Would you please consider setting up a regular standing order to St John's for our general fund. Our bank details are: CAF Bank Ltd, Account St John the Evangelist, Ranmoor, Sort Code 40-52-40 Account No.

00097913. When in church, you can use your card and make a donation using the contactless machine. Thank you, your support is appreciated. Questions about giving can be raised with Sandie, via the church office or email: sandie.parfett@stjohnsranmoor.org.uk.

INSPIRE MAGAZINE - Please let us know if you would like to receive a copy of our monthly church magazine. It is published 10 times per year at a cost of £1 per edition. You can have one posted to you (postage extra charge) or you can have one delivered by our many volunteers who help every month. We also have limited space for advertisers, so if you know of anyone who would like to advertise their service or business, please get in touch. We print around 300 magazines and additionally it is emailed out to everyone on our database. The annual Subscriptions for Inspire 2021-22 will be due when the February is sent out.



The supporter conference is coming up on **22-26**th **February**. We have around 50 sessions taking place as well as regional sessions and talks from some of our in-country partners. <u>Here</u> is the link to have a look if you'd be interested.





S10 LITTERPICKERS – Geraldine Houlton who leads this volunteer group is looking for volunteers who may like to help in our area. Equipment for picking is provided. Please get in touch with Geraldine on her email if you can support this initiative in any way. ghoulton4@gmail.com

<u>CONTACTING THE OFFICE</u> -Government Guidelines are in place asking for people to work at home, Claire will be working from home and can be contacted on the office number 0114 230 1199 which redirects to Claire's mobile. Claire can also be contacted on her email anytime. <u>administrator@stjohnsranmoor.org.uk</u> Thank you!

SERVICES NEXT WEEK:

Monday to Saturday: 9am Morning Prayer (on Zoom)

Monday to Thursday: 8pm Compline (on Zoom)

Sunday 7th February 2021:

10.30am Parish Communion (Facebook live and ZOOM) 6.30pm Choral Evensong (Facebook live and ZOOM)

GET IN TOUCH WITH US:

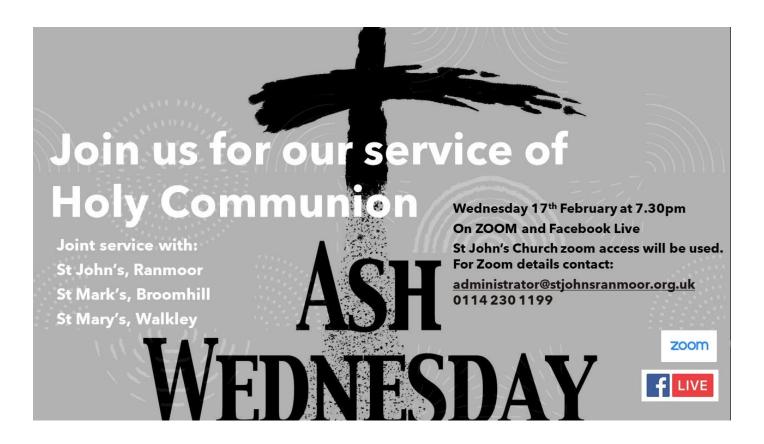
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Tuesday 16th February 6.30pm-7.30pm

ST JOHNS CHURCH RANMOOR

Make your own pancakes and join us online
for a fun themed quiz!
Taking place on the **Church** ZOOM
Fun for all ages
Send in your favourite recipes before the night
and we will put them on a screen
share for all to see.



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Join us for a themed quiz about the worlds most Inspirational women!

Sit down relax with a cuppa and cake.
Share any news with each other.

Sunday 14th March 3pm- 4pm On the Church ZOOM

Fortnightly collection from St John's Church, Ranmoor

Please bring your items and leave at the entrance to Church on the following alternate Wednesdays between 10am and 12noon:

> 10th &, 24th February, 10th &, 24th March, 7th & 21st April.

Items that are needed currently are:

- sugar, peanut butter, long life fruit juice
 - UHT milk, tinned veg, tinned tomatoes
- tinned soup, tinned rice pudding/custard
 Thank you





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