# ST JOHN'S CHURCH, RANMOOR

# Sunday 20th November 2022

## Christ the King



#### 10.30am Parish Communion

(In Church and Facebook Live)
Choristers and Junior Choir

**Prelude** Dialogue sur les grands jeux

Francois Couperin 1668-1733

**Reading** Jeremiah 23.1-6

Colossians 1.11-20

Luke 23.33-43

Introit HON 329 Make way, make way
Gradual HON 432 Rejoice, the Lord is King

Offertory HON 103 Crown him with many crowns Recessional HON 484 The King of Love my Shepherd

Setting Mass of Creation – Marty Haugen

Aston in F

Anthem Glory to the Lamb - David Blackwell

**Voluntary** Gavotte and Variation

John Stanley 1712-1786

### 6.30pm Choral Evensong

(In Church and Facebook Live)

Adult Choir

Prelude Intrada - John Ireland

Psalm 72

**Readings** 1 Samuel 8.4-20

John 18.33-37

Hymns NEH 332 All hail the power of Jesu's name

NEH 499 Thy kingdom come, O God NEH 465 Thou didst leave thy throne

**Responses** Tomkins

Canticles Collegium Regale - Charles Wood

Anthem O thou, the Central Orb – Charles Wood

Voluntary Fantasia Op. 57 - C. V. Stanford

#### **PRAYERS**

# Please pray for those who are sick: Bryan, Harold, Reg



Please remember those whose anniversaries fall at this time:

Jane Grundy, Margaret Morgan, Neil Patterson Stanley

### **NOTICES**

<u>Church Building Covid Guidance</u> - Facemasks are not a legal requirement and are therefore optional. We have removed specified areas of socially distanced seating, but the side aisles tend to be quieter, so do sit there if you'd prefer more space. Sanitiser is readily available around the building. If you feel uncomfortable with any aspect of our approach to Covid safety, please contact us. A full risk assessment is on the church website.

CHURCH FLORAL DECORATIONS FOR CHRISTMAS - We will be decorating the church



window sills on **Friday 16**<sup>th</sup> **December** between 9.30am – 12.00am and the porch, pedestals, welcome arrangement and font on **Wednesday 21**<sup>st</sup> **December** between 9.30am-12.00 am. We will need lots of arrangers to help us on both dates please. Sandra and Jackie will purchase the flowers from the market. If you have fatsia, phormium, laurel, skimmia, variegated holly or tree ivy available to cut and bring with you on the day that would be great.

If you are new to flower arranging and are interested in learning we are a very friendly group of people and we'd gladly give you help and encouragement on the day or perhaps you might like to just come along and watch the arrangements take shape! If you would like to help or be involved, please could you get in touch with us. Thank you. We look forward to hearing from you. Jackie Lowe (0114 2303999, <a href="mailto:jackielowe22@btconnect.com">jackielowe22@btconnect.com</a>) Sandra Green (0114 2309180, <a href="mailto:sandra.green70@gmail.com">sandra.green70@gmail.com</a>) Donations towards the cost of Christmas Flowers - We rely on the generous donations of the congregation to be able to purchase flowers to decorate the church and we would be very grateful for any donations towards the Christmas flowers please. Thank you.

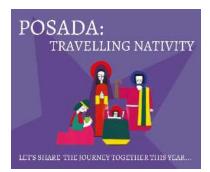
<u>Discussion Group -</u> Would you be interested in meeting for an open discussion about matters of life and faith? Please talk to Matthew or send him an email, letting him know what days/times are good for you. (matthew.rhodes@stjohnsranmoor.org.uk)

<u>PETE's Quiz</u> - Thank you to Pete Chatterton who held a quiz last week in aid of the Church funds. We really appreciate this wonderful gesture and thank Pete for all his fundraising efforts.

<u>GILLIAN STANLEY - CHRISTMAS CAKE AND PUDDINGS -</u> Gillian is making delicious cakes and Christmas puddings again this year with profits going to St John's. Gillian is keeping

the price the same as last year. <u>Cakes</u> 8" (20cm) £14 and 6" (15cm) £12 or <u>Puddings</u> Approximately £3 per serving <u>gillianstanley@hotmail.com</u>, 07557 052858. Please let Gillian know asap if you would like one (or more!) or by the end of November at the latest.

VIRTUAL POSADA - Posada is a travelling nativity. Mary and Joseph travel from house



to house to proclaim the imminent arrival of Jesus and request that the newborn baby be given a room. This idea has been adapted so that each day throughout advent, a different household will share hospitality by using their nativity figures in short videos, gradually telling the nativity story. If you would like to take part in the virtual posada, please pick up a leaflet at the back of Church or get in touch with Claire in the office.



<u>FAIR TRADE STALL</u> - We will be selling goods from the fair-trade stall on the second Sunday of the month. Starting on the 11<sup>th</sup> December, - there will be some stocking fillers and small treats and gifts available. The following dates will be 8<sup>th</sup> January, 12<sup>th</sup> February and 12<sup>th</sup> March.

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. <a href="https://www.stjohnsranmoor.org.uk">www.stjohnsranmoor.org.uk</a> 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).



The Children's Society <u>CHILDREN'S SOCIETY BOXES</u> – Mary Booth will be collecting the Childrens society boxes on **Sunday 4**<sup>th</sup> **December**. If you have one to be returned, please bring it to the service or bring it to the parish office before then.

#### **FOODBANK COLLECTION DATES:**

23rd November; 7th and 14th December; 11th January (note that the dates are not our normal pattern for collection)

23<sup>RD</sup> November is our Christmas Collection

**JOINING WORSHIP FROM HOME**: <u>click here to join any of our facebook services</u>: or type the following into your browser:

https://www.facebook.com/StJohnsChurchRanmoor/live\_videos It shows a gallery of all past broadcasts, and shows

#### **CONTACTING THE OFFICE:**

Please contact the office on

0114 230 1199<u>administrator@stjohnsranmoor.org.uk</u> www.stjohnranmoor.org.uk a LIVE tab when we are actually live.

### **UPCOMING SERVICES AND EVENTS**

- \*\*10TH DECEMBER Christmas Extravaganza tickets on sale from the Church office, Sarah Beardsmore or via Eventbrite
- \*\* **20**<sup>TH</sup> **DECEMBER MESSY CHRISTMAS –** A morning of fun and craft for Christmas. Free Ticket to be reserved on Eventbrite.
- \*\* **24**<sup>TH</sup> **DECEMBER CHRISTINGLE AND NATIVITY** please reserve your ticket for this service. On **Eventbrite**



### **SERVICES NEXT WEEK**

Monday to Saturday:

9am Morning Prayer (on Zoom)

Wednesday: 11.30am Holy Communion (in the Parish Centre) & 5.30 pm Evensong

### Sunday 27th November 2022 Advent Sunday

10.30am Parish Communion (In church and on Facebook Live) 6.30pm Advent Procession (In Church and on Facebook Live