

ST JOHN'S CHURCH, RANMOOR

SUNDAY 24TH MAY 2026



10.30am Parish Communion

Adult Choir

Organ Prelude	Deux strophes sur l'hymne Veni Creator Spiritus - Alexandre Guilmant
Readings	Acts 2.1-21 1 Corinthians 12.3b-13 John 20.19-23
Introit	HON 90 Come down O love divine
Gradual	HON 91 Come, Holy Ghost, our hearts inspire
Offertory	HON 392 O thou who camest from above
Recessional	HON 69 Breathe on me, Breath of God
Setting	Coventry Gloria Peter Jones Missa Brevis in F (K192) W A Mozart
Anthem	Come, Holy Ghost - Cedric Thorpe Davie
Organ Voluntary	Veni Creator Spiritus - Marcel Dupré

6.30pm Choral Evensong

Adult Choir

Organ Prelude	In Nomine - Orlando Gibbons (1583-1625)
Psalm	67
Readings	Joel 2.21-end Acts 2.14-21
Hymns	NEH 139 Come, thou Holy Spirit, Come NEH 138 Come, Holy Ghost, our souls inspire NEH 367 Gracious Spirit, Holy Ghost
Responses	Leighton
Setting	The Second Service - Orlando Gibbons
Anthem	Loquebantur variis linguis - Thomas Tallis
Organ Voluntary	Verse for the organ - Christopher Gibbons (1615-1676)

CONTACT US

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PRAYERS

Please pray for those who are sick:

Debbie, Emma, Gwen E, Neil H



Please remember those whose anniversaries
are around this time:

James Flint, Dr John Anderson, Leslie Trowell,
John Leo Hargas, Ruth Linacre

NOTICES

SAVE OUR SPIRE

Our beloved church is at the heart of Ranmoor, and we need your help to keep it safe, welcoming, and comfortable for everyone. The spire urgently needs repair, and we are planning improvements including more toilets, better accessibility, a new servery for events, and upgraded heating. Our goal is to raise **£1 million** through grants and local fundraising—fundraising envelopes are available at the back of the church. Thank you for helping us preserve this special place for generations to come! **Donate [here](https://www.stjohnsranmoor.org.uk/donate)** or visit our website to find out more ways to donate. www.stjohnsranmoor.org.uk/donate



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 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

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK 2026 Thank you to everyone who worked so hard for this year's Christian Aid Week appeal. At the time of writing the sum raised is over **£2,700** for the work which Christian Aid do in the poorest parts of the world, including Nairobi. We are enormously grateful for all the commitment, generosity and good will of so many who gave time, energy and donations to this very important and needed work. Janet and Malcolm Anker

THE NEXT "LIFE AND FAITH" group meeting is on **Wednesday 3rd June from 7.30pm - 9.00pm** in the parish centre. Refreshments from 7.15pm. If you would like to attend, please sign up on the sheet at the back of church, with an email or other contact, for preparatory notes. For more information, just ask Julian.

SUNDAY SOCIAL – The dates for the Sunday social are: **31st May, 28th June, 19 July and 27 September** (No Social in August), **25th October and 6th December**. All welcome, please have a word with Janet Anker or Wendy Weeks. *Please note the dates are not all the 4th Sunday*

MISSION AREA WEEKEND IN 2026 – TREASURE HUNTING – St John's, St Mark's and St Mary's will be spending time together sharing food, fun, study and worship with activities suitable for all ages between 10 - 12 July 2026.

[See the lovely welcome message from Bishop Leah Here on our website.](#)

An information booklet is available at the back of church and can be downloaded from our website. Booking for the weekend can be done [online](#) or use the QR code:



CONFIRMATION AT ST JOHN'S 12TH JULY AT 10.30AM - Bishop Leah, the Bishop of Doncaster, confirming candidates at our morning service on 12th July. Confirmation is when we confirm the promises made at our baptism and is open to people from Year 6 up. Preparation will take place after Easter and anyone is welcome to try it out without having to commit to being confirmed in advance. please speak to Matthew or Alison for more information.



The next Foodbank Dates are: **27th May, 3rd & 17th June.** 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.

As you will know Pauline always collects the Foodbank donations fortnightly from the Church drive. There are a few dates in the year Pauline cannot do. If anyone can offer their time, please get in touch with Pauline. It's not necessary to take the goods to the foodbank – just collect them on the drive. Thank you

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

- **13th June** – Bishops Garden Party
- **4th July** – Summer Gala Concert (St John's choirs)
- **10th-12th July** – 3 Spires mission weekend- book [here](#)
- For tickets to any of our events visit www.ticketsource.com/st-johns-church

NEXT WEEK

Monday to Friday

9am Morning Prayer

Wednesday 26th May

10-12.30pm Foodbank Collection from the Church Drive

11.30am Holy Communion in the Parish Centre

12.30pm Lunch Club

5.30pm Evening Prayer

Sunday 31st May

Trinity Sunday

10.30am Matins

12.30pm Sunday Social

6.30pm Parish Communion

Bishop Pete and Cathy
invite you to a
Garden Party
in support of three local charities:
The Archer Project, ASSIST, and
Refurnish Doncaster

13 JUNE | **2-5PM**
Bishopscroft,
Snaithing Lane
S10 3LG

Join us for free entry, craft stalls,
delicious refreshments, live music,
family fun, plus a raffle with prizes, a
silent auction and more!



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WE NEED YOUR HELP!

We are hosting the refreshments at
the Bishop's Garden Party on
13th June and would love your
support to make it a success.

Can you help set up, clear away, bake
a cake, or serve refreshments?
Please sign up on the sheet here or
speak to
Claire Webber or Janet Anker

Acts 2.1-21

When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. ²And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. ³Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. ⁴All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability. ⁵Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. ⁶And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. ⁷Amazed and astonished, they asked, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans?" ⁸And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? ⁹Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, ¹⁰Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, ¹¹Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power." ¹²All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" ¹³But others sneered and said, "They are filled with new wine." ¹⁴But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them, "Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. ¹⁵Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. ¹⁶No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel: ¹⁷'In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams. ¹⁸Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy. ¹⁹And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist. ²⁰The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day. ²¹Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.'