



# ST JOHN'S CHURCH, RANMOOR

**SUNDAY 9TH AUGUST 2026**  
**10<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

## 10.30pm Parish Communion

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| Organ Prelude   | Aria. Georgi Mushel (1909-89)                         |
| Readings        | 1 Kings 19.9-18<br>Romans 10.5-15<br>Matthew 14.22-33 |
| Introit         | HON 565 Ye servants of God                            |
| Gradual         | HON 106 Dear Lord and Father                          |
| Offertory       | HON 114 Eternal Father, strong to save                |
| Recessional     | HON 164 Go forth and tell!                            |
| Organ Voluntary | Toccata. Georgi Mushel                                |

## 6.30pm Sung Evensong

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| Organ Prelude   | Pavane. Paul Drayton b1944                                                                               |
| Readings        | 1 Kings 11.41-12.20<br>Acts 14.8-20                                                                      |
| Psalm           | 86                                                                                                       |
| Hymns           | NEH 461 There's a wideness in God's mercy<br>NEH 464 Thou art the way<br>NEH 239 Lord of all hopefulness |
| Organ Voluntary | Te lucis ante terminum. John Rutter b1945                                                                |



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## PRAYERS

**Please pray for those who are sick:**

Debbie

**Please pray for those who have died:**

Norma Chatterton, Irene Valentine

**Please remember those whose anniversaries are around this time:**

Brenda Lewis, Kelly Wilson, Paul Brady, Patricia Edmonds,



# 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](https://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](https://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*

**NORMA CHATTERTON** Norma's funeral will take place at **11.00am** on **Tuesday 25th August** at St John's Church, Ranmoor, followed by a wake in the Parish Centre. A private family cremation will take place afterwards.

All are welcome to attend the funeral service and join the family at the wake as we give thanks for Norma's life. Please continue to keep Pete, & all of the family and friends in your thoughts and prayers at this very difficult time.

**SUNDAY SOCIAL** – The dates for the Sunday social are **27 September** (No Social in August), **25<sup>th</sup> October** and **6<sup>th</sup> December**. All welcome, please have a word with Janet Anker or Wendy Weeks.

**WEDNESDAY LUNCH CLUB – NEW MEMBERS WELCOME** Our popular Wednesday Lunch



Club has spaces available for new members. The Lunch Club meets every Wednesday in the Parish Centre following the Holy Communion service. We will continue throughout July before taking our usual summer break during August. For just **£5.50** (plus

a small charge for transport if required), you can enjoy a delicious home-cooked meal in a warm and friendly atmosphere. Our community bus is available to collect those who would otherwise find it difficult to attend. If you, or someone you know, would like to join us, please contact **Claire in the Parish Office** for more information or to book a place. We are taking a break for August and will be back on **Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> September**.

**Could you entertain our Lunch Club?** We are also looking for people who could provide around **20 minutes of entertainment** after lunch. If you are a singer, musician, speaker, or have another suitable performance or activity to share, we would be delighted to hear from you. Please contact **Claire in the Parish Office** if you are able to help.

**RED  
SHOE  
WALK**

**RED SHOE WALK** – I will be closing the collection for the red shoe walk which I took part in on 2<sup>nd</sup> August. If you still have any donations you wish to make for this important dementia focused charity please give them to me after the morning service on August 9<sup>th</sup>. With Many Thanks, Wendy Weeks.



**THE NEXT FOODBANK DATES ARE: 19<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST & 2,16 AND 30<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER. 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.**

## FORTHCOMING EVENTS

### • **Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> August York Minster Choir Trip**

- Our choir tour this year in August is to York. We have organised a coach trip so that members of the congregation, family and friends can travel to York to support them. The coach will depart from St John's at **9.30am**, giving you the opportunity to enjoy a day exploring the beautiful city of York before gathering at **York Minster for Evensong at 5.30pm**, where our choirs will be singing. Tickets on sale now from [Ticketsource](https://www.ticketsource.co.uk). We hope many of you will join us for what promises to be a wonderful day out
- **Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> September – Board Games Café.** 2pm-5pm in the Parish Centre
- **Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> September – Back Pack Blessing –** As we prepare for a new school year, we'd love to invite all children, young people and students to bring their backpack or book bag to our September All Age Service for a special Backpack Blessing. Grandparents and Parents bring your children along.

### • **The King's Afternoon Tea** 🍰🍵

Following the fantastic success of last year's VE Day Afternoon Tea, we're d hosting another special afternoon tea this year to celebrate four years since His Majesty The King acceded to the throne (*The Coronation took place later in May*). Join us on **Thursday 10th September** for a delicious afternoon of sandwiches, scones, cakes, tea, coffee and great company. 🇬🇧 Tickets: £15 Available from TicketSource and the Parish Office. All proceeds to Save our Spire

- For tickets to any of our events visit [www.ticketsource.com/st-johns-church](https://www.ticketsource.com/st-johns-church)

## NEXT WEEK

**Monday to Friday**

**9am Morning Prayer**

**Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> August**

**11.30am Holy Communion in the Parish Centre**

**5.30pm Evening Prayer**

**Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> August**

**The 11<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

**10.30am Parish Communion**

**6.30pm Sung Evensong**



COME AND JOIN US TO

# CELEBRATE 4 YEARS of THE KING'S REIGN

*A Royal Afternoon Tea*

**THURSDAY 10<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2.00PM**

Come and join us to celebrate four years of the King's reign.  
His Majesty acceded to the throne in September 2022. His Coronation took place the following May, on 6 May 2023.

Enjoy a traditional afternoon tea featuring:

- FRESH SANDWICHES
- SCONES WITH JAM & CREAM
- DELICIOUS CAKES
- TEA AND COFFEE

**TICKETS: £15**  
Available from the Parish Office, Claire Webber or via TicketSource

SCAN ME to book your tickets on TicketSource

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## Backpack Blessing

Everyone Welcome

As we begin a new school term, we invite all children, young people, and students to bring their backpack or book bag to our All Age Service for a special blessing of school bags.



September All Age Service

Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> September, 10.30am

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

## YORK MINSTER CHOIR TRIP

**Saturday 22nd August**

Come and support our choirs as they sing at York Minster Choral Evensong!

Coach departs St John's at 9.30am

Enjoy a day exploring the beautiful city of York  
Join us at York Minster at 5.30pm for Evensong, sung by our choirs

Tickets £15 per person

Open to congregation members, family and friends

Tickets on sale via ticketsource or the parish office

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Everyone is welcome!

*A wonderful day out in one of England's most historic cities while supporting our talented choirs.*

