

Bourne Abbey and Parish Church

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Sunday, 16 July, 2023

Sixth Sunday after Trinity

A warm welcome to all! Please take this pew sheet home and include those listed on the reverse in your prayers.

Are you visiting the Abbey today?

If you are a communicant member of your own church, Fr. Chris invites you to take communion here. If you would prefer to receive a blessing instead, please come forward holding the service booklet to indicate your preference.

Services this week:

Tonight: 6.30pm – Choral Evensong

Thursday 20 July: 10.00am-Holy Communion (BCP).

Sunday 23 July: 10.00am – Sung Eucharist

Dates for Your Diary

Choral Evensong

The Abbey Consort will sing Choral Evensong this evening at 6.30pm. All welcome.

August Parish Magazine

Material for the August magazine should be with Celia Howes by today please. It can be: emailed to celia.howes45@gmail.com; given to her at church; or delivered to 16 St Paul's Gardens, Bourne.

Team Clean. The next team clean of the Abbey will take place on Friday 21 July. Arrive between 1000 and 1030 and BYOD (bring your own duster); vacuum cleaners with crevice attachments also useful. All help most welcome.

Service Times from August. Service times will change with effect from August. The slip given out with this pew sheet, order of service and hymn book gives full details.

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Have you looked at the Abbey's new website yet? Services for the month, the pew sheet, This Week at the Abbey and the parish magazine are all available to download; news is posted as appropriate.

Please pray for:

The parish and deanery: for Fr. Chris, Fr. Peter Lister, the Rev. Sylvia Rice-Oxley, Rev. Canon David Staples, our Ministry Team, & Bishop Hall in his role in Madagascar.

Peace and goodwill within and between nations: especially for peace and justice in Ukraine, the Yemen and Afghanistan, and for the end to wars fought by proxy. We also pray for those in refugee camps for the displaced, wherever they may be.

Those suffering hunger, disease and oppression: especially those suffering from extreme heat in central and southern Europe; those people suffering from the shortage of food, water and medicines particularly in Turkey, Syria, Central Africa, Sudan and South Sudan, Afghanistan, Yemen, Haiti, Somalia & Pakistan; and those affected by the conflict in Ukraine. We pray for those in our own country who are homeless, hungry and in need of support, and for those affected by Covid 19.

Those in present need.

Those whose illness or recovery is longer-term.

The souls of the recently departed: William Ward and Graham Thorold.

Those whose year's mind falls this week:

John McGregor, Rosemary Lightfoot, George Bullimore, Fred Archer, Thomas Lewis, Frederick Felstead, Patricia Portsmouth, Dena Brown, and Jim Brooks.

Fr. Chris welcomes the names of those who are ill or awaiting an operation, so that prayers may be offered for them, and/or a visit arranged.

We also welcome the names of loved ones departed to be inscribed in the church's **Book of Remembrance**. Application cards are available by the prayer board. Following the death of Chris Moxley, we would be grateful to learn of someone who has calligraphy skills who might be prepared to take over making the Book of Remembrance entries. **Please speak to Fr. Chris.**