Bourne Abbey and Parish Church

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Sunday, 2 July, 2023

Fourth 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:
Thursday 6 July: 10.00am-Holy Communion (BCP).
Sunday 9 July: 10.00am – Sung Eucharist

Dates for Your Diary

Fr. Peter Lister is refocusing his ministry to Bourne. This will allow him to contribute to the care of the parish during the vacancy, but he will continue to offer ministry across the whole of the Beltisloe Deanery and LMP. Fr. Peter will be licensed at the **Visitation Service at St. John's, Corby Glen,** this evening at 6.30pm, when churchwardens will be sworn in and the Beltisloe LMP will also be formally inaugurated. Your support welcomed.

PCC Meeting, Thursday 6 July at 7.00pm in the Vicarage.

Website - www.bourneabbey.uk
The Abbey's new website is live! Services for the month, the pew sheet and the parish magazine are all available to download; news is posted as appropriate.

Foodbank - Urgently needed: tinned vegetables/fruit, soups, custard & rice puddings, jam, marmalade, instant desserts, UHT milk, tea, chocolate & children's lunch snacks, and toiletries. Please leave donations in the plastic box at the back of the church. Many thanks.

Please pray for:
The parish and deanery: for Fr. Chris, Rev. Canon David Staples, the Rev. Sylvia Rice-Oxley, Fr. Peter Lister, 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 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: Bill Johns, Graham Thorold, Bob Brown.

Those whose year's mind falls this week: Jessica Burrell, Leonard Lingard, John Lightfoot, Marjorie Lunn, Lionel Cunnington, Tony Rodgers, Michael Clipsham, Nancy Ward, Susan Neale, Ethel Hicks, Francis Blades, Brian Gardner, John Gamble, and Margaret Ranson.

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.