Bourne Abbey and Parish Church www.bourneabbey.uk Sunday, 30 July, 2023 Eighth 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 3 August:10.00am-Holy Communion (BCP). Sunday 6 August 11.00am – Sung Eucharist N.B. No 8.00am Eucharist.

Service Times from August. Service times will change with effect from August. The main Sunday service will in future start at **11.00am**. Full details are given in the orange note, copies of which are available at the back of the church.



Dates for Your Diary

PCC Meeting Thursday 3 August at 7.00pm in the Church Hall.

Nibble & Natter coffee morning, Saturday 5 August from 10am-12noon - Church Hall. Book stall, raffle & refreshments. Proceeds to Church Funds.

Mahajanga Support Fund. The Fund has closed, having raised £14,775 to support Bishop Hall's work in Madagascar. Grateful thanks to all who donated.

Website - **www.bourneabbey.uk** 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.

Foodbank. Urgently needed are 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, 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, Nichola Theaker, Clive Bean and Richard Tibbert.

Those whose year's mind falls this week:

George Jarvis, Doreen Lees, Raymond Booth, Vera Clarke, Georgina Troop, Elsie Swain, Wilfred Manderfield, John Wright, Elsie Cullen, Maureen Davison, Ruby Knight, John Tilley, Robin Harwood.

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.**