

THE ABBEY & PARISH CHURCH OF SS PETER & PAUL, BOURNE

Sunday 13th September 2026

Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity

A warm welcome to all!

Are you visiting the Abbey today?

If you are a communicant member of your own church, you are invited to take communion here.

If you prefer to receive a blessing, please come forward with the service booklet as an indication to the priest.

Gluten-free wafers are available – please ask a greeter before the start of the service.

Services for this week

Sunday 13th September	1100	Sung Eucharist
Tuesday 15th September	1900	Said Eucharist (CW)
Thursday 17th September	1000	Said Eucharist (BCP)
Sunday 20th September	1100	Sung Eucharist
	1830	Sung Evensong

Morning and Evening Prayer 0900 and 1730 Monday to Saturday

No Morning Prayer Tuesday and Wednesday this week because of building works.

Readings: Genesis 50.15–21, Romans 14.1–12, Matthew 18. 21–35.

Dates for Your Diary

Confirmation classes continue on Saturday at 1000. Classes are open to anyone wishing to be confirmed or anyone wishing to explore their faith. The **Service of Confirmation** is on Saturday 3rd October at 1500; please do come along to support our candidates!

Starting today, and on every second Sunday of the month, there is now a new 0900 Said Eucharist service.

Messy Church will meet at 1400 on 19th September in the Church Hall.

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The next **Church Clean** is on Friday 25th at 1000; come along and help get the church tidy and clean for Harvest and the Confirmation.

Our **Harvest Festival** service this year is at 1100 on 4th October; as last year, our harvest gifts will be donated to the Bourne Food Bank so should be appropriate tinned or dried goods and toiletries and household supplies. You can make a cash donation to the Foodbank, as ever, using the envelopes at the back of church.

The **Julian Group** meeting planned for 5th October will now not take place.

Harvest Supper – 9th October at 1830 in the Church Hall; tickets are £15 – please see Merryn for tickets.

The first **Bourne Grammar School Lunchtime Concert** of the new term will be on Friday 16th October at 1300.

Coming soon to Bourne Abbey Church...

A monthly **Mens' Breakfast** (Saturdays), a weekly **Mother and Toddler Group** (Fridays) and, at the beginning of Advent, our first **Healing and Wholeness Service**. Further details on all these events will follow!

Please pray for -

The diocese, parish and deanery: for Bishops Nicholas and Jean, Fr Stephen, Fr Isaac, Bishop Hall, Fr Peter, Rev Sylvia, Canon David and our Ministry Team.

Those whose year's mind falls this week.

The recently departed particularly Ricky Tissier, Michael Sherwin and Philip Pettitt.

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