

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

Sunday 18th October 2026
Twentieth 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 18th October	1830	Sung Evensong
Tuesday 20th October	1900	Said Eucharist (CW)
Thursday 22nd October	1000	Said Eucharist (BCP)
Sunday 25th October	0900	Said Eucharist
	1100	Sung Eucharist

Morning and Evening Prayer 0900 and 1730 Monday to Saturday

Readings: Isaiah 45:1-9, 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10, Matthew 22: 15-22

Dates for Your Diary

Articles for the **Parish Magazine** need to be with Celia by October 20th.

The next **Church Clean** will be on Friday 23rd October at 1000 – do come along to help keep the Church neat and clean!

Please sign up for the first **Men's Breakfast** on 24th October – 0900 in the Church Hall.

This year's **Service of Light, Hope and Remembrance** takes place on Saturday 31st October at 1500.

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Messy Church's "Festival of Light" is on Saturday 31st October from 1700 - 1830 in the Church Hall.

Bright Beginnings, the Bourne Abbey Church Toddler group for children from 0-4, starts on Friday 6th November (and then every Friday during term time) from 1000 - 1200 in the Church Hall.

The next **Nibble and Natter** is on November 7th from 1000 - 1200. As ever, there will be stalls, books, a raffle, handmade candles and refreshments; all proceeds to Church Funds.

Our first **Healing and Wholeness Service** will be on Sunday 29th November at 1500.

Well done!

The Abbey's Foodbank donations totalled 205.5kg this year – thank you to everyone who gave so generously. You can make a cash donation to the Foodbank, as ever, using the envelopes at the back of church.

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 John Gridley and Jeff Warner.