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

Sunday 29th November 2026

Advent Sunday

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 29th November	1100	Sung Eucharist
	1500	Service of Healing and Wholeness
Tuesday 1st December	1900	Said Eucharist (CW)
Thursday 3rd December	1000	Said Eucharist (BCP)
Sunday 6th December	0900	Sung Eucharist
	1830	Sung Evensong

Morning and Evening Prayer 0900 and 1730 Monday to Saturday

Readings: Isaiah 64:1-9, 1 Corinthians 1:3-9, Mark 13:24-end

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia
Prepare the way of the Lord, make his paths straight,
and all flesh shall see the salvation of God.
Alleluia

Dates for Your Diary

Bright Beginnings, the Bourne Abbey Church Toddler group for children from 0-4, meets on Fridays during term time from 1000 - 1200 in the Church Hall.

The **Mothers' Union** meet on 2nd December at 1400 in the Church Hall.

The **Abbey Band** will be playing outside Tesco (5th December) and M and S (19th December) – some "tin shakers" will be required! Please see Trevor or Jenny for details and to offer help!

The next **Nibble and Natter** will be on Saturday 5th December at 1000 in the Church Hall; Christmas is coming with items to buy in aid of Church Funds.

Come and join us to put up and decorate the Church **Christmas Tree** on Monday 7th December at 1500.

The **Julian Group** will meet on 7th December at 1000; see Sarah for details.

The **Bourne Grammar School** lunchtime concert is on Friday 11th December.

The **Messy Church** Christmas Party is on Sunday 13th December at 1400 in the Church Hall – families welcome.

The next **Men's Breakfast** is on Saturday 19th December at 0900 in the Church Hall – sign up in the usual way.

Our **Abbey Christmas Card**, detailing all our Christmas Services, is available for distribution – please take a bundle from the back and distribute them to friends and neighbours.

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 Dennis Read, Roy Mason and John Godfrey