

January 2025			
<b>Sat 18th</b> Bourne  Bourne	9.00am 9.30am  6.00 pm	The Rosary Mass: <b>Of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b>  Vigil Mass of <b>second Sunday of Ordinary Time</b>	Protection of the Unborn  People of the Parish
<b>Sun 19th</b> Bourne  Deeping	8.45am  10.30am	<b>Second Sunday of Ordinary Time</b> Sunday Mass  Sunday Mass	Peace in the Holy Land  Hania Jasinska RIP
<b>Mon 20th</b> Bourne	9.00am 9.30am	The Rosary Mass: <b>St Fabian Pope and martyr</b>	The health of Kieran & Kay Deasy
<b>Tues 21st</b> Bourne	<b>*8.00am</b>  <b>8.45am</b>	Mass: <b>St Agnes, virgin and martyr</b> The Rosary	Holy Souls (November Dead Lists)
<b>Wed 22nd</b> Deeping	9.30- 10.15am  10.30am	Exposition and Sacrament of Reconciliation  Mass: <b>St Vincent deacon and martyr</b>	Fr Thomas Kenny RIP (Northampton Diocese)
<b>Thurs 23rd</b> Bourne	9.30am 10.00am  10.45-11.45 am	The Rosary Mass: <b>Feria</b>  Exposition and Sacrament of Reconciliation	The Sick & the dying
<b>Fri 24th</b> Deeping  Bourne	<b>9.30am</b>  2:15-3.30pm	Mass: <b>St Francis de Sale bishop and doctor</b>  Flame of Love Rosary and Chaplet	The Children & Youth of the Parish
<b>Sat 25th</b> Bourne  Bourne	9.00am 9.30am  6.00 pm	The Rosary Mass: <b>Conversion of St Paul</b>  Vigil Mass of <b>Third Sunday of Ordinary Time</b>	Protection of the Unborn  For Christian Unity



## THE JUBILEE YEAR OF HOPE January 19<sup>th</sup> 2025 The Second Week of Ordinary Time

### BOURNE & THE DEEPINGS CATHOLIC PARISH NEWSLETTER

Readings Sunday Cycle Year C, the Weekday Cycle is Year 1

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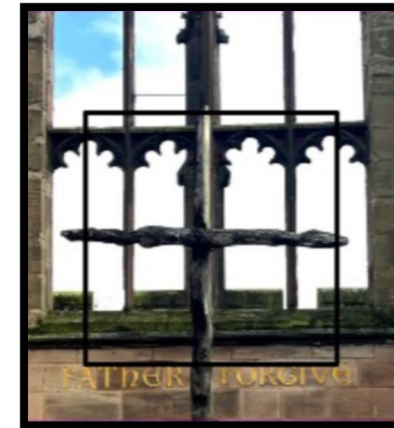


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## Peace Sunday 2025

*"Forgive us our trespasses, grant us your Peace."*

Our nearest Catholic School

St. Augustine's Catholic Voluntary Academy. Tel: 01780 762094

Email: [enquiries@st-augustine.lincs.sch.uk](mailto:enquiries@st-augustine.lincs.sch.uk)

Website: [www.st-augustine.lincs.sch.uk](http://www.st-augustine.lincs.sch.uk)

### Please pray for all our sick

Danielle Heath, Yvonne D'Cruz, Ruth Tibbs, Lorena Zalyte, Vivien Robinson, Molly McDermott, Bernard Westwood, Philip Constantine, Sarah McDermott, Toni King, Julie Wolfarth, Caroline Pope, Therese Greville, Odessa Lodge, Bobby Kane, Maria Berry, Rose Starkey, Audrey Hazeldine, Grace Gamble, Coryn Nixon, Bernie Emery, Searle Clark, Anne Watson, Jo Tarpey, Gill Krender, Maria, Josie Gentry, Margaret Kline, Chris, Adrian Howarth, Gregory Elliott, Mr Thomas, Sylvia Fleming, Mandy Azzopardi, Norman Stewart, Cheryl Nuthall, Matthew Gallagher, James, Peter McKenzie, Tony Miles, Grace Kendrick, Catherine Farndell, Nadia O'Brien, Catherine Dooley, Susan Pullen and Pam Manville.

*If you would like someone else's name included on the sick list and have received their permission, then please email Fr Paul.*

### Finance:

Last Sunday's Collection: £301, Funeral Donation: £50,  
Votive Candles: £22.20  
Second collection this weekend for **the sick and retired priests' fund.**

### Octave of Christian Unity

The Octave of Christian Unity, also known as the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, is an annual Christian observance that takes place from January **18–25**. It is an eight-day period of prayer for Christian unity.

This year we are asked to focus on the Nicene creed that has been used to declare our belief in our faith since the Council of Nicaea **1700 years ago**.

During this week we are also invited to reflect on the story of Martha's confession of faith in Jesus as narrated in John 11:17-27

Each is called to sit with Jesus' provocative question to Martha:

**"Do you believe this?"**

### Churches Together in Deeping – Event - THIS SUNDAY

Please join us for a United Church Service on Sunday the **19<sup>th</sup> of January** 2025 at 6pm. It will be held at the Open Door Church, 5 Spalding Road, Deeping St James PE6 8 NJ

### Churches together in Bourne - Event

Please join us for a United Church Service at **Sacred Heart and St Gilbert's Church at 4pm on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> January.**

### The Jubilee Hymn

Ev'ry nation, tongue, and people,  
find a light within your Word.  
Scattered fragile sons and daughters  
find a home in your dear Son.

*Chorus*

*Like a flame my hope is burning,  
may my song arise to you:  
source of life that has no ending,  
on life's path I trust in you.*

*Verse 2*

God, so tender and so patient,  
dawn of hope, you care for all.  
Heav'n and earth are recreated  
by the Spirit of Life set free.

*Verse 3*

Raise your eyes, the wind is blowing,  
for our God is born in time.  
Son made man for you and many  
who will find the way in him.

## **The Jubilee Prayer**

God our Father in heaven, may the faith you have given us

in your son, Jesus Christ, our Saviour,  
and the flame of charity enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit,  
awaken in us this Jubilee Year a missionary heart for the coming of your  
Kingdom.

May the gift of your grace transform us, Pilgrims of Hope, into your  
missionary disciples, blessed with the gifts and talents you give us.  
Strengthen us to share our Saviour's message of love, joy, and peace with  
all the people we meet this year,  
so that we may help build up your Kingdom on earth.  
To you our God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit,  
be glory and praise for ever and ever.  
Amen.

## **You Can Help Your Marriage**

Do you feel alone? Are you frustrated or angry with each other? Do you  
argue ... or have you just stopped because it only makes it worse?  
Retrouvaille has helped 10s of 1000s of couples experiencing difficulties in  
their marriage. For confidential information about the next programme  
which will be presented on Zoom, **Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> February – Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup>  
March** please email: [info@retrouvaille.org.uk](mailto:info@retrouvaille.org.uk), telephone 07887 296983, or  
visit [www.retrouvaille.org.uk](http://www.retrouvaille.org.uk)

## **Are you planning to get married in 2025?**

Please remember that the Church requires six months' notice of your  
intention to marry, and official documentation needs to be completed for  
our diocese. This also includes all those who intend to get married abroad

## **St Augustine's school Stamford**

This is our nearest catholic primary school, and we are pleased to say that  
we now have access to their weekly newsletter via a link on our parish  
website. (Our Faith tab – catholic schools)  
[Catholic Schools - Bourne and Deeping RC Parish](#)

## **The First Reconciliation / First Holy Communion Course**

Continues on Thursday at 6.00pm finishing at 7.15pm. All the children are  
expected to attend and to arrive in good time. Fr Paul

## **Word on Fire UK Bible Conference:**

Bishop Robert Barron will be hosting the Conference at the Excel Centre,  
East London, **on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> until Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> of February**. Thousands  
of Catholics from across the UK and beyond are anticipated to participate  
in this opportunity to gain a deeper appreciation of the Sacred Scriptures  
and their relevance to the Church's mission today. For more information  
and to register, visit: [www.wordonfire.org/the-bible-event](http://www.wordonfire.org/the-bible-event)

## **Young Adult Formation Course.**

If you would like to deepen your faith, grow in community with other 18-35  
years olds as well as engage more fully in your parish then the brand-new  
Young Adult Formation Course run by the Diocese of Nottingham is the  
course for you. For more information  
contact [charles.archer@dioceseofnottingham.uk](mailto:charles.archer@dioceseofnottingham.uk) or sign up  
at: <https://forms.office.com/e/9qvH5SjRHh>

## **The Adult Formation team**

has organised a **Young Adult (18-35) Retreat Day** from 3.00pm on  
**Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> January** at Holy Trinity Church, Newark. The day  
comprises Mass, spiritual input, a light supper, and social time. To book  
your place (including dietary requirements) visit:  
<https://buy.stripe.com/7sl7t6aJYbCugve14b> or donate on arrival. For  
further details contact [charles.archer@dioceseofnottingham.uk](mailto:charles.archer@dioceseofnottingham.uk)

## **Fish and chips quiz supper**

We will be holding a quiz with fish and chip supper at **7pm on Friday  
07/02/25** in Bourne. Tickets will be on sale after the weekend masses,  
cost £10 pp. Teams of six. If you don't have a ready-made team, you will  
be able to join others on the night. Small prize for the winning team.  
There will be a raffle- tickets available on the night. Thanks Gill.

## **Film night**

Film night will resume on Monday **27/1/25 at 7pm Bourne**. The film this  
month will be Babette's Feast.

## **Peace Sunday**

Pope Francis' message for the World Day of Peace was published last week and his theme is '**Forgive us our trespasses: Grant us your peace**'.

*"True peace can only be born from a heart "disarmed "of anxiety and the fear of war." Pope Francis peace Sunday 2025*

The message speaks of our obligation to listen to the 'pleas of an endangered humanity', how the year of Jubilee inspires us to seek the liberating justice of God in our world and how by 'opening our hearts to our brothers and sisters, we will restore God's justice on earth' and 'move forward to achieve the goal of peace'. Pope Francis asks us to seek the true peace granted by God to disarmed hearts and reminds us that disarming hearts is a task for everyone.

You can download the full message from the Peace Sunday page on the Pax Christie website [paxchristi.org.uk/peace-sunday-2025/](http://paxchristi.org.uk/peace-sunday-2025/).

As Pax Christi, we give practical expression to this call to disarm hearts through promoting the gospel message of nonviolence, in our campaigning and advocacy work and through peace education in schools. For further information please visit our website listed above.

## **February 2<sup>nd</sup> is the traditionally the day**

when we pray for those living the **Consecrated Life**. If you would like to explore what Consecrated Life means, you are invited to join the Sisters in Matlock for a cup of tea and informal chat on **Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> February** between 2.30pm and 4.30pm, at the Presentation Convent, Matlock, DE4 3FT. Just turn up.

## **Bishop Patrick warmly invites all married couples**

to Saint Barnabas Cathedral (NG1 5AE) on **Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> February** when we will celebrate Mass at 3.00pm to mark the **Jubilee of Marriages**. The Bishop will lead a Renewal of Vows during the Mass, impart a special Jubilee Blessing, and afterwards host a Reception in Cathedral Hall. All married couples (and their families) are very welcome to attend, especially those recently married, and those celebrating significant anniversaries this Jubilee year.

## **Assisted Suicide Legislation – what happens next?**

Bishop John Sherrington writes regarding an update on the assisted suicide legislation, known as the *Terminally Ill Adults (End of Life) Bill*, that the next stage is evidence-gathering by the committee examining the Bill, and Bishop John will submit written evidence to that. This committee will examine the Bill in detail, after which it will then return to the floor of the House of Commons for a further substantive vote. This vote will probably take place in late April or early May. The Bill could be defeated in that important division. Individuals and interested organisations can submit written evidence to the committee, and further details can be found at [www.parliament.uk/business/news/2025/january/terminally-ill-adults-end-of-life-bill-call-for-evidence/](http://www.parliament.uk/business/news/2025/january/terminally-ill-adults-end-of-life-bill-call-for-evidence/)

## **Parish Pastoral Council meeting**

The next PPC meeting will take place on **Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> of January** 7.30pm at Bourne.

Any questions or matters for the agenda should be directed to the ppc secretary at [bdrcppcsec@gmail.com](mailto:bdrcppcsec@gmail.com) before the meeting.

## **100 Club — Our Parish Fundraiser. Peter Taylor**

The Monthly Draw was held on Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> January 2025, at Deeping Parish Church, after 10.30 Mass, in the refreshment room.

The Numbers were drawn by Fr Paul, accompanied by Mark Currier who was holding the numbers bag, Peter Taylor was observing, Kay Martin, called out the winning numbers, and names. 146 purchased numbers were in the numbers bag for January 2025.

The winning numbers and names are:

1st - Prize - £ 43.80 – Number 09 Anne Watson

2nd -Prize - £ 29.20 - Number 96 Joseph Wey

3rd -Prize - £ 14.60 – Number 83 Mary Reeves

Congratulations to the winners this month and a very big thank you to those who purchased a number or numbers.

## **Email address for the newsletter and website additions**

Please forward what you would like to be included by **Wednesday** to [bdrcpweb@gmail.com](mailto:bdrcpweb@gmail.com) Thank you.