

12 May 2019

“Paul looked straight at the Sandhedrin and said, ‘My brothers, I have fulfilled my duty to God in all good conscience to this day.’”

(Acts 23:1 NIV)



Welcome all who have come to Abbey today. We hope you enjoy and find the service helpful - please let us know if we can help in any way.

### Morning Service

10:30-noon

**Series:** Acts

**Subject:** The Plot against Paul (Acts 22:30— 23:35)

**Speaker:** Graham Dancy

*Tea and coffee will be served after the service*

### FOR THE CHILDREN

**Up to 3 years** Creche  
**Age 3 - School Year 6** FROG Squad  
**School Years 7-11** Faith

*If you would like someone to pray with you after the service, then members of the Prayer Team are available (wearing blue lanyards)*

### Special notices

#### Naomi's Mission Trip—Zambia

As Naomi makes final preparations for the trip, please pray that:-  
- she would build good relationships with those around her;  
- the Lord would use her to further his kingdom;  
- she would have a safe and enjoyable stay

The Church is donating £300 from the World Vision Team Budget and £200 from General Giving towards Naomi's Mission Trip.

#### Ladies' Pamper & Pudding Evening

Flyers on the Information Table or see Churchsuite or ask Sam. Please pray that all invited would come, enjoy the evening and be challenged by the testimony that Liz will share. Please pray for Liz as she prepares, and

### This coming week...

Weds	10.15am	Coffee & Chat	Hillview
Weds	10.30am	Prayer for Abbey Church	Member's home
Weds	7 for 7.30pm	Church meeting	Lindsey Rm, Abbeydale Community Centre
Thur	10—11.30am	Abbey Tots	Christchurch
Fri	10am	Refresh	Member's Home
Sat	7pm	Ladies' Pamper & Puddings Evening	Christchurch

### Next Sunday...

#### Morning Service

(10:30-noon)

**Series:** Acts

**Subject:** Paul on Trial in Caesarea (Acts 24:1-27)

**Speaker:** David Bradford

#### Worship & Communion

(6pm)  
Barnwood Reading

All welcome to this open time.

### What's coming up...

Day	Time	Activity	Venue
26 May	6.30pm	Going Deeper: Public Faith	Hillview
8 June	7.30pm	Just One	Gloucester Cathedral

### Special notices contd.

#### Friday Fun Football, 6.15pm fortnightly

Please pray for wisdom for Graham Dancy, Ben Bradford and others involved in running this new club and pray:-

- that those who came to the launch on Friday would come back, bringing their friends;

- for safe and friendly sessions;

- for good relationships to be built with the children and their parents and opportunities to share the Gospel through Bible stories and conversations;



## Special notices

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### Church Meeting Wednesday 7.30pm: refreshments from 7pm

Please make every effort to pray about and attend this meeting where the Elders will speak about the following:-

1. Neighbourhood and Sunday Team plans;
2. Interim Finance Report
3. Elders/Youth/Community Groups update
4. New Abbey Church Trust

### Counties Fun Day at TRAC, Sat 29th June

More details on Churchsuite or at <https://www.countiesuk.org/get-involved/counties-fun-day-conference>

If you have any specific prayer requests for the church to be praying for, or any updates/answers to prayer please email them to **prayer@abbeychurch.net**

Or put a note for the Prayer Team in the Prayer Box on the Information Table

## Things to pray for this week ...

**Sun** • Please see printed copy of bulletin

**Mon** •

**Tue** •

**Wed** •

**Thur**

**Fri** • .

**Sat** •

**Sun**



7.30pm

Gloucester Cathedral

£12 for two seats  
Supported by local churches joining together.

Tickets and more information:

<https://3choirs.org/whats-on/just-one-with-j-john/>

Inspirational stories, praise & worship, Gospel choir and message from J.John.

## Meeting needs...

The Elders are always pleased to help with any practical or spiritual issue. Please contact Andrew Conlan if you would like to see an Elder. Darren Chandler is currently on sabbatical so please do not contact him on Elder matters.



If you have any items for inclusion in next week's bulletin, please let Abby Brook know by email or phone by noon Thursday - thank you.

## Abbey Church information ...

### Place of Worship

Heron School, Heron Way, Abbeydale  
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### Church Office

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Charity Information Company No : 5899178

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Church, Colwell Avenue, Hucclecote,  
Gloucester, GL3 3LX

### Banking arrangements

Cheques for Abbey Church to be made out to: 'Hillview EC - Abbey 1'

### The Elders of Abbey Church are:

Mark Bashford  
Darren Chandler  
Andrew Conlan  
Graham Dancy  
Chris Wintle

Any elders can be emailed directly by using their first name before '@abbeychurch.net' e.g. [andrew@abbeychurch.net](mailto:andrew@abbeychurch.net)