

St Mary the Virgin Church Great Brickhill



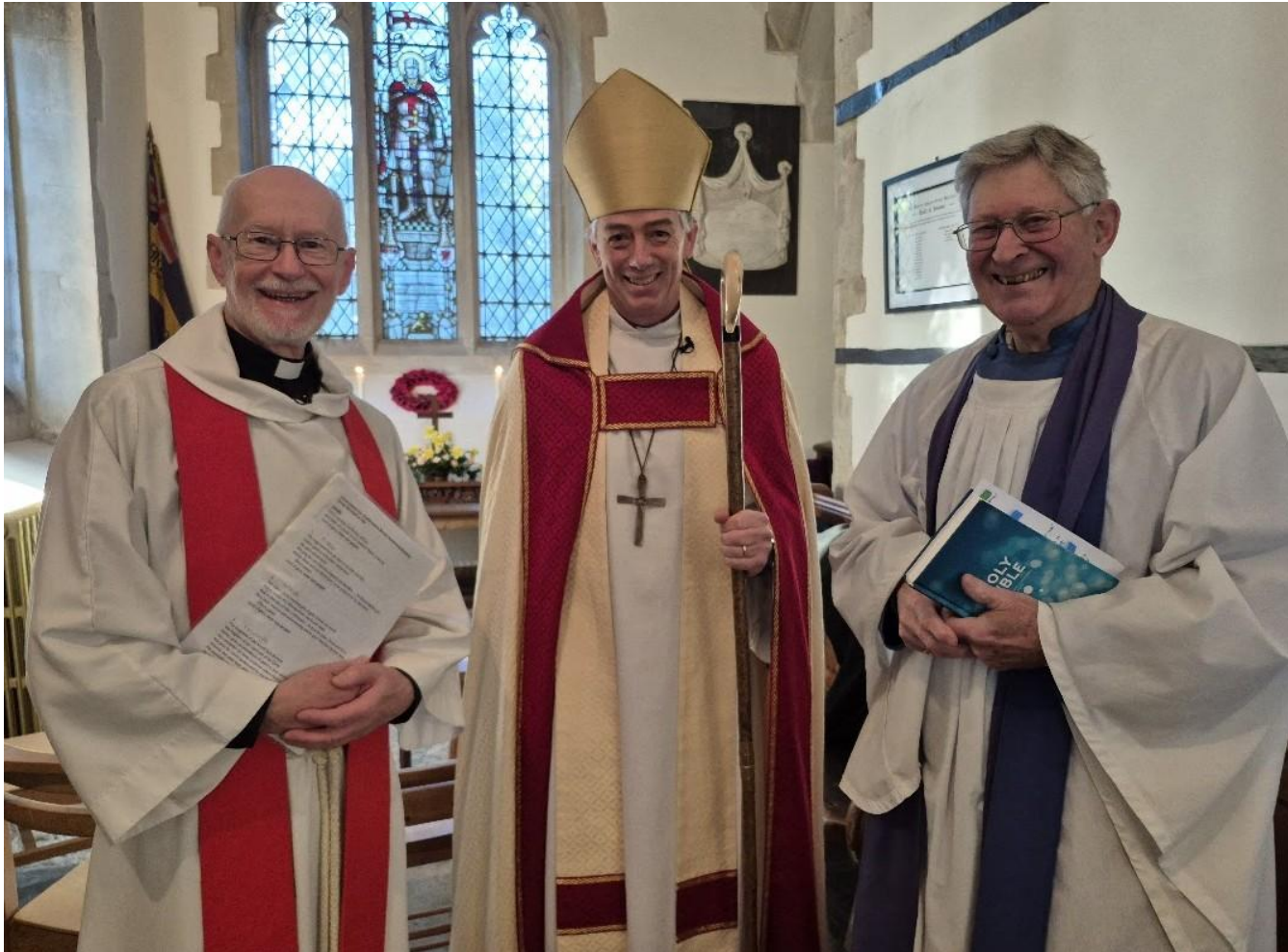
**Confirmation Service
Sunday 4th January 2026**

**The Bishop of Buckingham, the Rt Revd
Dave Bull made his maiden visit to the
Benefice for our Benefice Holy
Communion service during which our
three candidates (Jasper Smith from Great
Brickhill and Evelyn Woolley & Harry
Neale from Stoke Hammond) were
confirmed.**

The candidates meet Bishop Dave



The Bishop with the Rector and Jeremy Hopkinson, the Bishop's Chaplain for the day



Reading the lessons: Jasper



Evelyn & Harry



The music group for “Amazing Grace”



The Sermon



The Bishop addresses the candidates



The Bishop lays his hands on the candidates:

Jasper **Harry** **Evelyn**



The families look on



The Communion table is prepared



The candidates are presented with a candle



The Bishop leads the procession



..... and they wait at the south door



..... while the choir sing the recessional
anthem “Gaudete”



..... enjoyed by the families



The end of a wonderful service



The Rector with friends from Stoke Hammond



The Bishop meeting the congregation

