



**WALBURY BEACON
BENEFACT**

The Parishes of Kintbury with Avington and Hamstead Marshall, Inkpen, West Woodhay and Combe



Sunday 28th September 2025

The Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity

THIS SUNDAY'S SERVICES

9:45am Kintbury Holy Communion – CW

11:15am West Woodhay Holy Communion – CW

READINGS

Amos 6.1a, 4-7

1 Timothy 6.6-19

Luke 16.19-end

COLLECT

God, who in generous mercy

sent the Holy Spirit upon your Church in the burning fire of your love:
grant that your people may be fervent in the fellowship of the gospel that,
always abiding in you, they may be found steadfast in faith and active in service;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

POST COMMUNION

Keep, O Lord, your Church, with your perpetual mercy;
and, because without you our human frailty cannot but fall,
keep us ever by your help from all things hurtful,
and lead us to all things profitable to our salvation;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.



Welcome! Visitor or local resident,
we hope that you will find something in our worship today
to inspire, comfort or stimulate you.
Please feel free to introduce yourself to the clergy
after the service.
They would love to meet you.

SERVICES & MEETINGS THIS WEEK

Sunday 28th September

11:30am Nancy Adams, Baptism

Monday 29th September

12:45pm Pastoral Visit, Kintbury

7:00pm Inkpen PCC

Wednesday 1st October

11:45am – 2:00pm Launchpad, Theale

Thursday 2nd October

10:00am Home Communion, Notrees

10:30am Friendship Café

SMR Kintbury

1:30pm Prayers & Bears, SMR Kintbury

Services next Sunday 5th October

8:00am Kintbury Holy Communion – BCP

9:45am Kintbury Family Service Harvest

6:00pm Inkpen Compline

UPCOMING EVENTS

MONDAY 29th SEPTEMBER

7:00pm

Inkpen PCC
Inkpen Church

THURSDAY 2nd OCTOBER

THURSDAY 6th NOVEMBER

THURSDAY 4th DECEMBER

1:45am

Prayers & Bears
Kintbury Church

SUNDAY 2nd NOVEMBER

4:00pm

Bereavement Service
Kintbury Church

SUNDAY 30th NOVEMBER

6:00pm

Opus 2 concert
Kintbury Church

Pop-in Café

2nd & 16th October

(1st & 3rd Thursdays of the month)

Inkpen Playing Field Pavilion.

Tea/Coffee, delicious cakes
and friendship.

St Mary's Café

on Thursday mornings

from 10:30am – 12:00noon

in St. Mary's Room

(attached to Kintbury Church)

**Kintbury Church needs
a new Treasurer –
could that be YOU?**

SPECIAL EVENTS AHEAD

Harvest Festivals

Kintbury 5th October 9:45am Family Harvest Festival with drama

Inkpen 19th October 9:45am Family Harvest Eucharist

Combe 19th October 11:15am Harvest Service

Avington 19th October 11:00am Harvest Festival Mattins

West Woodhay 26th October 11:15am Harvest Eucharist

Adult and Youth **Alphas** to begin in January!

BANNS READINGS



No Banns to be read

PRAYERS



This week's Gospel passage tells the parable of the rich man who ignores the plight of Lazarus, the starving beggar at his gate. Let us pray for all who are in need, and all who face the horrors of war, famine, drought and lack of medical facilities:

Help us as individuals to be generous in our responses; may those who hold power act with justice, mercy and compassion.

Please also hold in your prayers this week:

- + **The Anglican Communion and the Church of England**
as the Crown Nominations Committee continues its search for the next A of C continues:
May their judgement be founded in wisdom
and reflect your will for the Church;
- + **The churches of our benefice:**
May their role within their villages grow in relevance,
as we continue to discern and progress initiatives
to respond to the needs of our communities;
- + **All who live within our parish boundaries:**
especially those who are sick, those who care for them
and all who mourn the loss of a loved one.

Benefice Contacts for all questions, general queries & services

[Home - Walbury Beacon Benefice](http://www.walburybeaconbenefice.org.uk)

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All readings can be found on the website or in the pew Bibles in Kintbury.

If you would like to bring your own Bible, you are most welcome.