



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

**Second Sunday after  
*Epiphany***

**Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> January 2026**

**THIS SUNDAY'S SERVICES**

8:00am Kintbury Holy Communion – BCP  
9:45am Inkpen Bless the Plow with Family Baptism  
5:00pm Mason's Farm Youth Alpha

**READINGS**

Isaiah 49.1-7  
1 Corinthians 1.1-9  
John 1.29-42

**COLLECT**

Almighty God,  
in Christ you make all things new:  
transform the poverty of our nature by the riches of your grace,  
and in the renewal of our lives make known your heavenly glory;  
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**

God of glory,  
you nourish us with your Word  
who is the bread of life: fill us with your Holy Spirit  
that through us the light of your glory  
may shine in all the world.  
We ask this in the name of 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

### **Monday 19th January**

2:30pm Collective Worship  
Kintbury School  
3:00pm Home Communion  
Kintbury

### **Thursday 15th January**

10:30am Kintbury  
St. Mary's Room  
St. Mary's Friendship Café  
2:00pm Hamstead Marshall  
Pastoral Visit

### **Tuesday 20th January**

9:00am Morning Prayer  
Kintbury  
7:00pm Alpha  
The Old Rectory, Kintbury

### **Services next Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> January 2026**

9:45am Kintbury HC-CW  
11:15am West Woodhay HC-CW  
5:30pm Mason's Farm Youth Alpha

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Hungerford Food Community Cook-in

24<sup>th</sup> January 2026 from 10:00am at Hungerford Youth Centre

### NEW BISHOP OF OXFORD

We are currently discerning who might be our new Diocesan Bishop for Oxford. Anyone living, working or worshipping in the diocese can contribute their views via the link below.

https://  
//oxford.anglican.org/consultation

### Pop-in Café

15<sup>th</sup> January 2026

(1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays of the month)

From 10:30am to 12 noon

Inkpen Playing Field Pavilion

Tea/Coffee, delicious cakes and friendship

### St Mary's Friendship Café

Every Thursday morning from 10:30am – 12:00noon

in St. Mary's Room

(attached to Kintbury Church)

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The Old Rectory, The Croft, Kintbury

Its not too late to sign up.



## SPECIAL EVENTS AHEAD

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## BANNS READINGS



No Banns to be read this week

## PRAYERS



Lord, bring peace to areas of rising tension, especially Ukraine, the South China Sea, and the Middle East, and guide leaders with wisdom.

God of mercy, comfort those caught in war in Syria, Yemen, and Ethiopia, and turn hearts from violence.

For couples planning weddings in the benefice churches: Bless these couples with love, patience, and joy as they prepare to marry in our benefice churches.

God inspire and guide all Youth and Adult Alpha candidates in their journey to know and follow you.

Lord, guide those discerning our next bishop in Oxford with clarity, unity, and discernment.

Benefice Contacts for all questions, general queries & services

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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.