



**WALBURY BEACON
BENEFACT**

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



Sunday 21st September 2025

The Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

THIS SUNDAY'S SERVICES

8:00am Kintbury Holy Communion – BCP

9:45am Inkpen Holy Communion – CW

~~11:15am Combe Holy Communion – BCP~~ **cancelled**

READINGS

Proverbs 3.13-18

2 Corinthians 4.1-6

Matthew 9.9-13

COLLECT

O Almighty God,
whose blessed Son

called Matthew the tax collector to be an apostle and evangelist:
give us grace to forsake the selfish pursuit of gain and the possessive love of riches,
that we may follow in the way of your Son Jesus Christ,
who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

POST COMMUNION

Almighty God,
who on the day of Pentecost sent your Holy Spirit to the apostles
with the wind from heaven and in tongues of flame,
filling them with joy and boldness to preach the gospel:
by the power of the same Spirit strengthen us to witness to your truth
and to draw everyone to the fire of your love;
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 21st September

11:30am Isla Dazell, Baptism

Thursday 25th September

10:30am Friendship Café
SMR Kintbury

Monday 22nd September

3:00pm Home Communion
Kintbury

Services next Sunday 28th September

9:45am Kintbury Holy Communion – CW
11:15am West Woodhay Holy Communion – CW

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



Open our eyes, Lord, to see suffering in Ukraine and all places torn by war, and help us sow peace in our own community. Amen.

Bless our farmers and gardeners as they care for the land and bring food to our tables. Amen.

Give us ears to hear the cries of the displaced and oppressed, and also the quiet voices of neighbours who feel forgotten. Amen.

Bless our schools, teachers, and children, and help us to nurture faith, kindness, and learning. Amen.

Guide our leaders across the world and in our parish council, that their choices bring fairness and hope. Amen.

Strengthen all who serve our village—shopkeepers, carers, volunteers, and those who keep our church alive. Amen.

Help us to live with gratitude for the seasons, the harvest, and the gift of each other, as we walk in your peace. Amen.

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.