

Church Matters



The growing Benefice of All Saints' Martock, Holy Trinity Ash,
St Martin's Kingsbury Episcopi and St Peter & St Paul Muchelney

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Sunday 31st May 2026

Trinity Sunday

**St Martin's
Kingsbury Episcopi**

10am

**Benefice Service of Holy Communion
with Revd Paul Fillery**



The Collect :

Holy God, faithful and unchanging:
enlarge our minds with the knowledge
of your truth, and draw us more
deeply into the mystery of your love,
that we may truly worship you,
Father, Son and Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Amen.

Post Communion Prayer :

Almighty and eternal God,
you have revealed yourself as Father,
Son and Holy Spirit, and live and reign
in the perfect unity of love:
hold us firm in this faith, that we may
know you in all your ways and
evermore rejoice in your eternal glory,
who are three Persons yet one God,
now and for ever.

Amen.

FOR YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

We remember those who are sick including Richard Scrivener, Vivienne
Brissett, Mavis Hook, Tracey Fillery, Ken Witcombe, Keith Snelgrove, Yolanda
Hansford, Kathy Lewis

We remember those who have died including John Whiting

In Memoriam: Olive Taylor, Constance Illingworth, Archie Brown, Patricia West,
Bert Rugg

New Testament – 2 Corinthians 13 verses 11 to end :

Finally, brothers and sisters, farewell. Put things in order, listen to my appeal, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. ¹² Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the saints greet you. ¹³ The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

Gospel – Matthew 28 verses 16 to end :

Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. ¹⁷ When they saw him, they worshipped him; but some doubted. ¹⁸ And Jesus came and said to them, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. ¹⁹ Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, ²⁰ and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.'



NOTICES

Benefice Summer Newsletter by our lovely vicar, Revd Paul, has been published and is available to view on our webpages. A few printed copies will be available in church on Sunday.

Tiddlers – a BIG thank you to the wonderful pictures produced by the children of Tiddlers for Pentecost. Revd Paul brought a selection to Holy Trinity church last Sunday to share and show. The pictures are now back in All Saints' – have a look and be amazed!! Thank you Hannah for guiding & encouraging the children!

Medieval Tiles at Muchelney – on Saturday 30 May at 11am, the conservationist from Muchelney Abbey will be showing us how properly to clean the tiles in the church; a unique chance to study them closely and learn more! If you would like to help, please book your place on

Muchelney.church@gmail.com

Church Teas & Coffee – Muchelney Church will be serving coffee, tea & homemade cakes on Sunday 31 May from 11.30am to 3pm. All Welcome!

Kingsbury Episcopi Open Gardens – Sunday 31 May, 2-4.30pm. Tickets £5 + a map from The Lockup in the centre of the village. Cream Teas in the Church Rooms. All proceeds for the Garden & Countryside Club AND St Martin's Church! All welcome.

Martock Memory Café – the monthly café will next be held on Tuesday 2 June from 10am to 11.30am in All Saints', Martock. A friendly and relaxed place for people with dementia and their carers!

Time of Prayer – 7pm Friday 19 June in All Saints', Martock to introduce and pray for the stage presentation of 'I Am Mark' (on Friday 4 September); bringing the Good News of God's love to all people! More information in the Summer Newsletter. Let us pray together – all welcome!

Medical Life Lines Ukraine : Martyn Atkins (of All Saints') will be driving an old ambulance out to Ukraine in July. A Coffee Morning will be held in All Saints' Church on Saturday 20 June to support Martyn and raise funds to procure ambulances, medicines and medical equipment for Ukraine.

If you are able to provide a cake or help out in any way please let Sally know on 01935 824238. Thank you!

Next Week

Tue 2 nd	10.00am	Memory Café in All Saints', Martock
	7.30pm	Bell ringing practice in All Saints', Martock
Wed 3 rd	10.00am	Coffee 'n Chat in the Pavillion, Ash
	1.00pm	Funeral Service for John Whiting in Holy Trinity, Ash
	7.30pm	Bell ringing practice in St Martin's, Kingsbury Episcopi
Thu 4 th	10.00am	Tiddlers; toddler group in All Saints', Martock
	4.00pm	Burial of Ashes for John Whiting in Ash Cemetery
	7.00pm	Community Choir in All Saints', Martock
	7.30pm	Contemplation in Church Rooms, KE
Fri 5 th	10.00am	Guide Dogs meet in All Saints', Martock

NEXT SUNDAY – 7th June 2026 : Trinity 1

9.30am	Holy Communion in All Saints', Martock
11.00am	Morning Prayer in Holy Trinity, Ash
11.00am	Holy Communion in St Peter & St Paul, Muchelney

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Tiddlers – for toddlers with their mums, dads or carers in Martock in TERM TIME

All enquiries to tiddlers.martock@gmail.com

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