St.Mary's walberton
Loving God-Loving Community

Sunday **1 November** All Saints

Theme for today

This morning's theme is All Saints Day as our eyes are lifted up to the great crowd of witnesses in heaven who have gone before us.

9.00am Holy Communion BCP Rev Tim Ward	Revelation 7 v 9-17 Matthew 5 v 1-12
10.30am Holy Communion CW Rev Tim Ward	Revelation 7 v 9-17 Matthew 5 v 1-12
4.00pm Families at 4 Julie Allday	Hebrews 12 v 1-2

Set Prayer for Today

God of holiness, your glory is proclaimed in every age:
as we rejoice in the faith of your saints, inspire us to follow their example with boldness and joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Please pray for those who have asked for our prayers:
Please pray for the Richards family, especially after the loss of Levi, and Walberton and Binsted CE School as it approaches Ofsted this term.

Pray for our Community:
Dowling Way, Montague Place and Rosemary Lane, Avisford Grange

St Mary's Events

Tuesday 3 November

8.15am Zoom Parish Prayer meeting. Please email Tim Ward vicar@stmaryswalberton.org.uk if you need a link which stays the same throughout the month.

9.00am Churchyard Working Party. Churchyard working group on today. Do come and join in. Contact Peter Brown *551829*.

12 noon Lunch Time Alpha including a free light lunch at the Vicarage. We will be looking at the subject 'Why and how should do I pray?'

Wednesday 4 November

10.30am Morning Home Group will meet at Vanessa's house studying the Psalms. If attending, please email Vanessa at: vchurch@btopenworld.com or *07717 075848*.

Friday 6 November

10.30 Coffee Stop. Come and enjoy tea and coffees and a chat in the Pavilion. £2 donation requested - all profits go to charity. **Post Office** is open from **9am –12 noon.**

5.30pm Family fireworks and bonfire at Hungerdown House, the cost is £5.00 a head. Children to be supervised by a responsible adult**.** Let Caroline Sewell 01243 *542111* know if any allergies. Sausages, burgers and soup provided and marshmallows.

Saturday 7 November

4.00 – 6.00 pm Beetle Drive in the Small Village Hall**.** Light refreshments. Prizes. It's a laugh but we'll also be raising funds for Baby Bundles, AFIA & other charities supported by Walberton MU. Tickets £5 adults, £2.50 children (8+ or so). Book your place with Susan Martineau susanmart953@gmail.com Tel: *07813 311941*.

Thursday 12 November

2.00pm at St Mary's, Walberton: Revd Brian Cunningham, Custos (warden) of St Mary's Hospital Almshouses, Chichester will be presenting a talk with slides to Walberton Mothers' Union. A rare chance to hear about some of the oldest almshouses in the country and to see a glimpse inside. Come and join us. All welcome.

Tuesday 17 November

7.00pm Walberton PCC at the Church.

Thursday 19 November

10.00am Little Lambs for pre-school children, babes and their carers. Come and enjoy songs, crafts, story, coffee and chat.

Friday 4 December

9.30am-4.30pm Lectio 365 Advent Retreat at Waverley Abbey, Farnham. With Carla Harding of 24-7 Prayer. Cost is £66.50 including lunch. A group of us are going. Please let Caroline Sewell know if you are going to this. Tickets will sell out very quickly: **www.waverleyabbey.org/event**

Thursday 10 December

11.00am Mothers Union Advent Eucharist at St. Mary's Walberton, followed by lunch at the Spur, Slindon.

Saturday 12 December

10.00am Binsted Christmas Scratch Choir Rehersal at The Old Rectory, Binsted in preparation for Binsted Carol Service on 20 December at 4pm. All singers welcome.

Church and Community News

~ Giving: To give by cheque please make a cheque payable to '**Walberton PCC' or** to **give electronically through our bank account** use **'your name' & 'STM' as the reference.**
Account Name: Walberton PCC
Sort Code: 60-01-18 Account No: 67502865

Our Vision

We aim to be a growing church: growing in love of God as we grow in prayer, in understanding of our faith, and in the use of the gifts each has been given; growing in love for our community as we grow in service, in sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ.

Services for Next Week

8 November **Remembrance Sunday**

9.00am	**Holy Communion said BCP**	Rev Tim Ward
10.50am	**Remembrance Service**	Rev Tim Ward
6.00pm	**Holy Communion CW**	Rev Tim Ward

CW = Common Worship BCP = Book of Common Prayer

Parish News Deadline for the **December 2026** issue is
10 November 2026
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Newsheet deadline:
Thursdays 9.30am

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Weds, Thurs & Fri
9.00am -11.00am

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PLEASE ASK A SIDESMAN.
A WHEELCHAIR IS ALSO AVAILABLE.