

GRABBIST HILL BENEFICE

Alcombe

Dunster

Timberscombe

Wootton Courtenay

Newsletter 27th October 2023

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Eco Advent – A Journey to Christmas

This December, the Diocese of Bath and Wells is inviting families and households to join in with a special Advent journey that combines the spirit of the season with our commitment to caring for God's creation. 'Eco Advent: a Journey to Christmas' is a creative journey through Advent that people of all ages and stages can recreate in their own homes, beginning on 1st December. For more information and to download resources click [here](#) to go to the Bath and Wells website.

Souper Thursday

All welcome to join us for a soup lunch after the 11am midweek Eucharist at St Michael the Archangel, Alcombe, on **Thursday 2nd November**.

Readings & Collect

Sunday 29th October (Bible Sunday)

Merciful God, teach us to be faithful in change and uncertainty,
that trusting in your word and obeying your will
we may enter the unfailing joy of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

This week's readings may be viewed on Bible Gateway by clicking on the links below:

[Nehemiah 8.1-4a, 5-6, 8-12](#)

[Colossians 3.12-17](#)

[Matthew 24.30-35](#)

SERVICES THIS SUNDAY

Alcombe (Parish Eucharist, CW) at 10am

Timberscombe (All Souls' Service) and Wootton Courtenay (All Saints' Service) at 11am

Alcombe (All Souls' Service) at 6pm

SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY (5th NOVEMBER)

Wootton Courtenay (Holy Communion, BCP, said) at 9.30am

Alcombe (Parish Eucharist, CW) at 10am

Dunster (Holy Communion, CW) and Timberscombe (Holy Communion, CW) at 11am

Alcombe (Evensong) at 5pm

There is a midweek Eucharist at Alcombe every Wednesday at 9am and every Thursday at 11am

Code: BCP=Book of Common prayer CW=Common Worship

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Mondays (1.30pm-5pm) and Wednesdays (11.30am-1.30pm).

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