

# Kingston Deverill St. Mary's Church 1851 Census

Where situated	Kingstone Deverill	
Superintendent Registrar's District	Mere	
County and Diocese	Wilts., Sarum	
When Consecrated or Licensed	The Church rebuilt on the old site was re-consecrated August 31 - 1847	
Under what Circumstances Consecrated or Licensed	The present Rector when he entered on the Incumbency in 1846 found the Church with the exception of the Tower in a dilapidated condition & determined on pulling it down & rebuilding it (leaving the old tower). The date of the earliest portion of the old was about 100 AD	
How or by Whom Erected	The old Tower was repaired where needed & the Church was erected by the Marchioness of Bath & the Estate of the Marchioness of Bath; aided as specified in the next column. The Chancel was erected by the Rector aided by a few contributions from his [?]	
Cost, how defrayed	By Parliamentary Grant	
	By Parochial Rate [?]	£150
	Grant from Incorp Church Bldg Society	£100
	Private Benefaction or Subscription etc. (about)	£2,500
	Total Cost (about)	£2800
Space available for Public Worship	Free Sittings	114
	Other Sittings	32
	Childns Do.	84
	Total Sittings	230
Free Space or Standing Room for		

Now Endowed			
Land	£315	Pew Rents	
Tithe		Fees	
Glebe		Dues	
[?]		Easter Offerings	
£300		Other Sources	

Estimated Number of Persons attending Devine Service on Sunday, March 30, 1851			
	Morning	Afternoon	Evening
General Congregation	82	106	
Sunday Scholars	64	63	
Total	146	169	

VII Average Number of Attendees during months next preceding March 30, 1851			
	Morning	Afternoon	Evening
General Congregation			
Sunday Scholars			
Remarks: In summer on a fine day the Ch is often full to overflowing. Average is from 65 to 70			
Total			

Remarks: Proportionately I believe  
 – The largest deficit is in the appropriated [?] from [?] of formerly amongst some of the [?]  
 - The morning congregation is generally from 90 to 100 persons; exclusive of the Sunday [?] - It was the Sunday (monthly) on this sacrament of the Lords Supper is usually administered & I [?] found that [?] of the usual attendance [?]

Witness my hand	
Signature	D.M. Clerke
Official Character	Rector
Address by Post	Kingstone Deverill