

Coming up

‘Connecting Christ and culture’: An evening with Christian author Kristi Mair, Thursday 15th November, 7.30pm at Edgbaston Old Church. Organised by the Birmingham Diocesan Evangelical Fellowship. Free entry.

Church Council (PCC) meeting: Tuesday 19th November, 7.30pm at “the Church in the Park”. Papers will be circulated this week.

Men’s breakfast: Saturday 23rd November, 9.00am at Elmdon Church. It will be useful for catering purposes to know who is coming: please sign up or ask Toby for more information.

Also...

Our sermon this morning: Richard Huss looks at Paul’s letter to the Romans, chapter eight, and its reminder that Christian people are ‘more than conquerors’ through Christ’s death on the cross. We remember that, in the battle between God and the Devil, Christ’s victory is already won and our salvation is assured.

Daily Bible readings: In the New Year, we will be working our way through the book of Deuteronomy in our daily readings. There are sets of Bible notes by Alec Motyer on the book stall to accompany these, price £2.

New rota: Please let Jean Eyles know if you are unavailable on any dates in our next planning period, December 2019 - February 2020.

Cycle racks: These will be installed soon on the parking space nearest our building, financed from the Solihull Council ‘Wildlife Ways’ programme.

Missed a Sunday? You can find our Podcast on our website, iTunes or Spotify – just search for “Elmdon Church Sermons”.

Eco tip: If everyone boiled only the water they needed every time they used the kettle, we could save enough electricity in a year to power the UK’s street lights for nearly seven months! (*Source: Energy Saving Trust*)

News for the 17th November edition (40 words max) by 7pm on Wednesday 13th November to news@elmdonchurch.org please. We are an Eco-Church and this document is printed on recycled paper. It is also available on our website and via email.



“The Church in the Park”

10th November 2019 REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

***“We are more than conquerors
through him who loved us.”***

Romans chapter eight, verse 37 (Church Bibles, page 1135)

Welcome to Elmdon Church. It’s lovely to see you!

Sunday

10.15am Morning Service, all ages together.

Richard Huss will speak on Romans 8:28 - 39.

Got a question? Email sermon.questions@elmdonchurch.org

1.30 - 4.00pm Open Church

In the week

Mon 11 Nov	Women’s Bible study: 10.00am at Elmdon Church. Holy Communion: 2.00pm at Gaydon Road. Prayer group: 7.45pm at 142 Valley Road.
Tue 12 Nov	Holy Communion: 2.00pm at Coppice Road. Prayer night: 8.00pm at Elmdon Church.
Wed 13 Nov	Acorns toddler group: 9.30am at Elmdon Church.

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Read & pray...

Monday *Romans 8:28 - 39*

- Victims of flooding both in Africa and the UK.
- Christian residents of Stockwell Rise and Stoney Close, that they might be confident in sharing their faith with their neighbours.
- Members of our church who attended the Midlands Men's Convention.
- Those who are bereaved, including the families of Jason Rooker and Margaret Sparrey.

Tuesday *Genesis 48:1 - 22*

- All who are working on the General Election campaign.
- British postal staff, threatening a pre-Christmas strike.
- Our church prayer night, taking place this evening.
- Those who are sick, including Marjorie Allcott and Marie.

Wednesday *Genesis 49:1 - 33*

- Continuing anti-government protests in Bolivia.
- Unbelieving residents of Stockwell Rise and Stoney Close, that they might come to know and follow Jesus as Saviour and Lord.
- Our church focus group, meeting this evening to pray over our vision and strategy for 2020 and beyond.
- Regular attenders: June Williams, Mel Yates and Christine Arnsby.

Thursday *Genesis 50:1 - 26*

- The failing harvest in North Korea, and the many millions of people who may be affected by it.
- Those attending a Solihull Council meeting at Elmdon Church today.
- The Birmingham Diocesan Evangelical Fellowship meeting at Edgbaston Old Church tonight, and Kristi Mair as she speaks to it.
- Those who are sick, including Kitty Evans and Margaret Freeman.

*"We preach Christ crucified".
Nobody and nothing but Him.*

Friday *Exodus 1:1 - 2:25*

- The future of the international aviation industry following major safety concerns about the Boeing 737 Max and, to a degree, the 787 Dreamliner.
- British Jewish citizens, ever more fearful about their place in society.
- Karen Matthews, preparing to preach on Sunday, and those who will be leading groups for children and young people.
- Those who are sick, including Margaret Glenn, Dave Kimber and Rachel.

Saturday *Exodus 3:1 - 4:18*

- Scientists fighting the serious locust infestation in Ethiopia.
- Manager Tim Flowers, players and fans of Solihull Moors FC, at home to Fylde this afternoon.
- The work of our partners at the Fishermen's Mission, and today especially for Superintendents Miriam Kemp and Sylvia Hosie in Fraserburgh.
- Regular attenders: Sarah Baldwin, Moyra Bate and Chris Beere.

Sunday *Galatians 4:8 - 20*

- Peace and justice in Hong Kong.
- NHS managers and staff, preparing for the onset of winter.
- Our service in Elmdon this morning, that many will meet Jesus in it as we gather round his word in fellowship and prayer.
- Preparations for our Church Council (PCC) meeting on Tuesday.

*Please send prayer requests to prayer@elmdonchurch.org
and note that names will usually appear for a month at a time.*

*You can receive these prayers through the free PrayerMate app or by our
daily email bulletin. Details at www.elmdonchurch.org/prayer*

*We have a prayer chain for urgent prayer needs.
Please email prayer@elmdonchurch.org or call 0121-743 6336.*

Next Sunday, 17th November

10.30am Morning Service with groups for children & young people.
Karen Matthews will speak on Galatians 4:8 - 20.

1.30 - 4.00pm Open Church