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We preach Christ crucified Nobody and nothing but Him

Next Sunday, 24th March PALM SUNDAY 10.30am All Age Morning Worship

Bekah Clark will preach on John 12:12-16

Open Church: 2.00pm-3.30pm

Midweek service:

Tuesday, 26th March at 2.00pm

News for the 24th March edition of the news & prayer sheet should be sent to <u>news@elmdonchurch.org</u> by 7pm on Wednesday, 20th March



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17th March 2024

"When you enter Canaan, the land that will be allotted to you as an inheritance will have these boundaries..."

(Numbers 34, verse 2)

The Elmdon Church 'verse of the week'.

Welcome to Elmdon Church!

10.30am Holy Communion with Kids in Christ

Richard Huss will preach on Numbers 34:1-29

Open Church: 2.00pm-3.30pm

Midweek service:

Tuesday, 19th March at 2.00pm

Readings:

Mon	18 th March	Psalm 73:1-74:11
Tue	19 th March	Psalm 74:12-76:12
Wed	20 th March	Psalm 77:1-78:16
Thu	21st March	Psalm 78:17-64
Fri	22 nd March	Psalm 78:65-80:19
Sat	23 rd March	Psalm 81:1-83:18
Sun	24 th March	John 12:12-16

Please pray for:

- Residents of Windridge Crescent and Wolverley Road.
- Bekah Clark preaching on Sunday.
- The people of Haiti following the resignation of Prime Minister Ariel Henry, as law and order collapse in that country.
- The Asiku family in Uganda: for Gift as he manages 6 x OT translation projects, for Kathryn as she supervises and trains the Literacy & Education interns, and for Simon Peter, Titus and Asianzu as they settle into secondary schools and boarding life there.

News, and dates for your diary:

Sound system: Thank you for your understanding while we have been struggling with failing equipment in the sound system. We **hope** to be in a better place this Sunday, though this can't be confirmed when the notice sheet goes to print. (Richard has to write his sermon first!) And there may still be adjustments to be made, so please be patient with the sound operator.

Can you help by being a 'duty warden'?

We're looking for a number of people who would be happy to act as a 'duty warden' on a Sunday, on a rota basis, perhaps once a month or once every 6 weeks. The role will involve opening and closing the church and generally helping our time together to run smoothly. Please speak to Carol or Bekah for more information or if you think you could help. Thank you!

Poppies for St Alphage: St Alphage Church is to have a poppy cascade for Remembrance in November and is looking for people to help out with this project. Please speak to Sharon Love if you can help and would like a knitting/crochet pattern.

Midland Men's Convention:

Saturday 11th May 2024 at Monyhull Church in Birmingham. For more information or booking: https://bit.ly/MidlandMens24

Easter Eggs: Crème egg size, please, required for our Easter activities. Please see Sarah Leckie.

Holy Week and Easter:

Tuesday of Holy Week

2-3.30pm Eggsploring Easter activities, crafts, a Bible talk, Easter egg hunt and a snack, for children under 11 and their parents and carers.

To help with preparation and catering, please let us know you're coming by signing up here: https://elmdon.churchsuite.com/events/aplfxvcg or using the QR code



Please speak to Elizabeth Smye if you think you could help with this event, or if you'd like more information. Please do invite anyone you know with children under 11.

Maundy Thursday

9.30am Holy Communion at St Mary's

Good Friday

9.30am Holy Communion at St Mary's, 11.30am Act of witness with Hatchford Brook Churches Together, outside Savers on the Coventry Road, Sheldon, near the shopping precinct. 7pm Reflective Service at Elmdon

Easter Sunday

6.30am Sunrise Service in the park. 10.30am All Age Holy Communion at Elmdon (& 10am All Age Holy Communion at St Mary's)