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#### Next Sunday, 1st June 2025

Our time together begins with refreshments at 10.30am

11.00 am Holy Communion with Kids in Christ

Bekah Clark will preach on Acts 2:14-47

Open Church: 2.00pm-4.00pm

Tuesdays at Two: 3rd June @ 2pm



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# 25<sup>th</sup> May 2025

"All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them."

(Acts 2, verse 4)

The Elmdon Church 'verse of the week'.

#### **Welcome to Elmdon Church!**

Elmdon Church exists for you. Because Christ loves you. Whoever you are, whatever your story, we'd love to get to know you.

Our time together begins with refreshments at 10.30am

11.00 am All Age Morning Worship

Richard Huss will preach on Acts 2:1-13 & 8:14-17

Open Church: 2.00pm-4.00pm

## Readings:

| Mon | 26 <sup>th</sup> May | 1 Corinthians | 8:1-9:27    |
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| Tue | 27 <sup>th</sup> May | 1 Corinthians | 10:1-11:16  |
| Wed | 28th May             | 1 Corinthians | 11:17-12:31 |
| Thu | 29 <sup>th</sup> May | 1 Corinthians | 13:1-14:25  |
| Fri | 30th May             | 1 Corinthians | 14:26-15:34 |
| Sat | 31st May             | 1 Corinthians | 15:35-16:24 |
| Sun | 1st June             | Acts 2:14-47  |             |

#### Please pray for:

- The residents of Elmdon Park Road and Fallowfield Road.
- Bekah Clark preaching next Sunday.
- All those known to us who are sick in body, mind or spirit.
- Those on the new electoral roll that their faith may be strengthened by joining in our work of "Sharing the Love of Christ" together.
- The people seriously affected by the present day conflicts throughout the world: for all civilians, that God would protect them from harm, particularly the most vulnerable, including children, older people, and people with disabilities, and for the safe distribution of food, water, sanitary items, medical supplies and fuel.

### News, and dates for your diary:

Service Boxes for Families: As you may be aware, we've been trying out 'Service Boxes' for families as a way to be more intentionally 'intergenerational' (all ages being active participants) when we worship together, particularly in our 4th Sunday 'All Age Morning Worship' service. This notice is just to let you know that the boxes will be unavailable for the time being as Bekah, in consultation with others, reviews what's working well and what's not working so well, to help our Sunday worship to be engaging for all ages.

Tuesdays @ Two will not meet on 27th May.

**Women's Mental Health Networking Event**: The Solihull Community Development Team are hosting a networking event around Women's Mental Health, where the community can meet and chat to various organisations and services. All are welcome to just drop in and talk to the organisation to receive information, support and advice. Date: Tuesday 27 May, 10:30 am - 12:00 **noon**. Location: Hatchford Brook Family Hub, Old Lode Lane, B92 8JE.

**The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe** is coming to the Alexandra Theatre, Birmingham from Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> May - Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> May as part of a UK-wide tour throughout 2025. For details and to book go to: lionwitchonstage.com
To get an idea of what to expect see youtube.com/watch?v=ihLwncHYq1U

Ukulele Concert for Christian Aid by the Olton Amazing Pluckers: Saturday, 31<sup>st</sup> May at 7.30pm at Acocks Green Methodist Church, 1 Botteville Road, B27 2YE. Favourite songs, old and new. Interval refreshments available (cash only!). Tickets £5 each, under 16s free with a paying adult. Ring 0121 711 2362 for tickets, or take your chances at the door.

News for the 1<sup>st</sup> June edition of the news sheet should be sent to news@elmdonchurch.org by 7pm on Wednesday, 28<sup>th</sup> May.