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Next Sunday, 10th August 2025

Our time together begins with refreshments at 10.30am

11.00am Family Service

Bekah Clark will preach on Matthew 5:13-16

Open Church: 2.00pm-4.00pm



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3rd August 2025

"But what about you?" he asked. "Who do you say I am?" Peter answered, "The Christ of God."

(Luke 9, verse 20)

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.

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11.00am All Age Holy Communion

Karen Matthews will preach on Luke 9:10-20

Open Church: 2.00pm-4.00pm

Readings:

4th August Revelation 14:1-15:8 Mon Revelation 16:1-17:18 5th August Tue Revelation 18:1-24 6th August Wed Thu 7th August Revelation 19:1-20:10 8th August Revelation 20:11-21:27 Fri 9th August Revelation 22:1-21 Sat Sun 10th August Matthew 5:13-16

Please pray for:

- Bekah Clark preaching next Sunday.
- The residents of Kitwood Drive and Langley Rise.
- The victims of modern slavery.
- The work of the Fishermen's Mission around the coasts of the UK.
- The victims of natural disasters around the world.
- All who care for the sick, in hospital, in care homes, and at home; for doctors, nurses, care assistants and chaplains.
- Give thanks for holidays and times of leisure.

News, and dates for your diary:

Elmdon Church & St Mary's Hobs Moat, *Praying Together:* For the world, the local community, our churches and those in any kind of need. Wednesday, 6th August at St Mary's, 7.30pm – 8.30pm.

Tuesdays at Two is taking a short break until September. The return date will be advised nearer the time.

Cuppa with a Copper: Sunday, 10th August, 2-4pm at Elmdon Church. An informal opportunity to meet the Elmdon Neighbourhood Designated Officer, PC Daniel Murray, and colleagues from the Partnerships Team. They will be available to listen to any concerns and offer advice relating to local crime, burglary, violence against women and girls, and domestic abuse.

The Big Butterfly Count 2025: Calling all wildlife lovers! Spend just 15 minutes counting butterflies, any time from now until 10th August. Last summer Britain's butterflies sent an urgent SOS through the Butterfly Conservation's Count after results revealed a marked and deeply concerning decline in butterfly numbers, which were the lowest in the Count's history. For more information and to register visit butterfly-conservation.org/events/the big-butterfly-count-2025.

Summer Fun in Solihull: Google 'Visit Solihull' for lots of things to do and see over the summer.

News for the 10th August edition of the news sheet should be sent to news@elmdon.church.org by 7pm on Wednesday, 6th August.