

## Notices and Future Events

- It has been decided to replace the Boiler system. Work has almost been completed.
- Work on the ruins restoration has begun and is now due to be completed around 24<sup>th</sup> June.
- Interested or thinking about being confirmed? Please talk to Rev Jeremy Crocker.
- Today - Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> June there will be an Open Air Praise service at Cardington starting at 6pm. Please note there will be no 6.30pm Evensong service that day at Elstow.
- The date of the next PCC meeting has been changed and will now meet on 30<sup>th</sup> June at 8pm in Hall.
- Puppets will be here on 2<sup>nd</sup> July 10-4pm. Further information from John Hinson.
- Cardington Summer Fete is on 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2.30-4.30pm at the Home Farm, opposite the Kings Arms Cardington.
- 4<sup>th</sup> July, 7.30pm at Elstow Abbey, The Right Rev'd Christopher Herbert, The Bishop of St Albans, will present a Lecture on 'Images of the Resurrection' (part of the current study programme)
- Choir Club outing on 5<sup>th</sup> July. Meet 7pm.
- South Beds Council of Churches AGM on 7<sup>th</sup> July at London Road Methodists 7.45pm.
- The study course 'A Journey into Faith' continues and meets on Monday's. All welcome to join in even if you haven't been to the previous sessions. Times 7.30-9.15pm in the Hall. For further information please see leaflets at the back of church.
- Elstow Summer Fete will be on 16<sup>th</sup> July from 1pm.
- IOW final balances are due by the end of the month. Full details are at the back of church.

Jeremy Crocker Day Off: Friday 1<sup>st</sup> July

Notices for inclusion in the weekly bulletin to the Rectory FAO Diana Hill by 12 noon Tuesdays. Wedding Bookings and enquiries to Diana Hill either Tuesday or Thursday mornings. (01234 261477)



## **THE ABBEY CHURCH OF ST MARY AND ST HELENA, ELSTOW *Part of the Elstow Team***

We extend a warm welcome to everyone today

**Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2005  
5<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

9.30am	Young Peoples Service
11.00am	Morning Prayer
Hymns:	NEH: 397, 73, 411, 407, 485, 235
6.00pm	Cardington Open Air Praise Service NO 6.30pm Evensong at Elstow

### **COLLECT**

Almighty and everlasting God,  
by whose Spirit the whole body of the Church  
is governed and sanctified:  
hear our prayer which we offer for all your faithful people,  
that in their vocation and ministry  
they may serve you in holiness and truth  
to the glory of your name;  
through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ,  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.

## Diary for the Week

Sunday 26 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Young Peoples Service
	11.00am	Morning Prayer (Matins Group)
	6.00pm	Cardington Open Air Service
Monday 27 <sup>th</sup>	No 6.30pm Evensong	
	8.30am	Morning Prayer at Cardington
	11.00am	Pastoral Visit
	3.00pm	Jeremy at Stewardship Conference until Thurs 30 <sup>th</sup>
	7.00pm	Prayer Group in the Summerhouse
Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup>	7.30pm	Bible Study in Elstow Church Hall (Rev Stephen Smith)
	8.30am	Morning Prayer at Cardington
Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup>	8.30am	Morning Prayer at Cardington
	6.30pm	Choir Practice no Choir Club
Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup>	8.30am	Morning Prayer at Cardington
	11.00am	Holy Communion (Jeremy Crocker)
	5.00pm	Baptism interview
	6.30pm	Wedding Rehearsal for Clare Dear and Kevin Ellis
	7.00pm	Wedding Rehearsal Ervine and Andrene Robinson
Friday 1 <sup>st</sup>	8.00pm	PCC Meeting in Church Hall
	8.30am	Morning Prayer at Cardington
Saturday 2 <sup>nd</sup>	8.00pm	Bellringing
	10-4pm	Puppets in the Church Hall
	2.00pm	Wedding at Elstow of Kevin Ellis and Clare Dear
	2.30-4.30pm	Cardington Summer Fete at Home Farm
	4.00pm	Wedding Blessing of Ervine and Andrene Robinson

## Next Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> July, 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity

9.30am	Family Communion (Jeremy Crocker) including the Baptism of Karl Payne
11.00am	Morning Prayer (Matins Group)
6.30pm	Evensong (Jeremy Crocker)
6 or 6.30pm TBC	SBCC Healing Service at London Road Methodists

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## Monthly Guest Preachers at Elstow

10 <sup>th</sup> July	Rev Ysmena Pentalow
11am	(Curate at Holy Trinity Stevenage) Preach and Preside
17 <sup>th</sup> July	The Right Rev'd Christopher Foster
6.30pm	(The Bishop of Hertford)
24 <sup>th</sup> July	Rev Richard Howlett
6.30pm	(Vicar at Marston Moreteyne and Lidlington)

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## Please pray for:

<i>The Sick:</i>	Ron Chappell, Glenys Godden, Campbell Fraser, Shirley Teague
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