

## Notices and Future Events

- **Youth Club Outing** to Kempston Outdoor Adventure on Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> August 6.30pm. Details from Team Youth Worker David Wells 01234 838279.
- **Evening with Primrose Oyle** one-woman show by Sarah Grace is on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> September at The Salvation Army, Commercial Rd, 6-7.45pm. Free admission with a collection at the end.
- **Thursday Lunch** following the communion every 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of the month at the Red lion Pub, from 12 noon. Next date 6<sup>th</sup> Sept. All welcome. Prawn Risotto / Sausage 'n' Mash / Half Roast Chicken, followed by Chocolate Fudge cake / warm peach tart or chocolate indulgence with tea or coffee for £5.99.
- **Annual Hog Roast** 16<sup>th</sup> September from 4pm in the Rectory Garden. All welcome. Sign up list for numbers and salads needed is at the back of church.
- **Harvest Festival** will be on Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> September. Harvest Bring and Share Lunch will be from 12 noon on that day. Please use the sign up sheet at the back of church to help with organising and numbers.
- **Bedfordshire Organists Association Annual Recital** is on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> September at 3pm at the Woburn Parish Church (edge of Woburn Estate) given by Sarah Baldock, Assistant Organist Winchester Cathedral. Admission £5 payable at the door.
- **Songs of Praise** service will be held at St Paul's Church Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> October at 3pm led by Pam Rhodes. Those interested to go please let Jeremy know by 31<sup>st</sup> August so invitation cards can be arranged.
- **Africa Weekend** 27-28<sup>th</sup> October at St Paul's Church to celebrate their links with Africa. Concert on Sat Evening featuring Zulu Nation. Anyone interested in providing material or items for a stand please contact James Collett-White on 01234 266839 for more information. (Email [ann@simla.org.uk](mailto:ann@simla.org.uk))
- **Panto** 15<sup>th</sup> December 6.30pm followed by bring and share in the church hall. Auditions and first meeting 30<sup>th</sup> Sept 4-6pm in church hall.
- Wedding Bookings/enquiries or Notices for weekly Bulletin to Diana Hill, Tuesday or Thursday mornings at the Rectory - 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 19<sup>th</sup> August 2007** **Eleventh Sunday after Trinity**

9.30am	Family Communion (Rev Mervyn Terrett)
Hymns:	SoF: 32, 12, 79, 40, 400
Banns:	(3 <sup>rd</sup> ) 15 <sup>th</sup> Sept 12.30pm: Pietro Panarisi & Lisa Towell
11.00am	Morning Prayer (Matins Group)
Hymns:	NEH: 443, 353, 438, 15, 427
6.30pm	Evensong (Jane Findlay)
Hymns:	NEH: 430, 374, 436, 393, 244

### **COLLECT**

O God, you declare your almighty power most chiefly in showing mercy and pity: mercifully grant to us such a measure of your grace, that we, running the way of your commandments, may receive your gracious promises, and be made partakers of your heavenly treasure; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

## Diary for this week

Sunday 19 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Family Communion (Rev Mervyn Terrett)
	11.00am	Morning Prayer (Matins Group)
	6.30pm	Evensong (Jane Findlay)
Monday 20 <sup>th</sup>	8.30am	Morning Prayer at Cardington
	10.00am	NO Toddlers and Tea in Church Hall
	7.00pm	Prayer Group in Summer House
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup>	8.30am	Morning Prayer at Cardington
	1.30pm	Tour group visit Elstow Abbey
Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	8.30am	Morning Prayer at Cardington
	11.30am	Coffee morning in Elstow Church Hall
	6.30pm	NO Youth Club
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	8.30am	Morning Prayer at Cardington
	9.30am	Morning Prayer at St Michael's
	11.00am	Holy Communion at Elstow (Rev Stephen Smith)
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup>	8.30am	Morning Prayer at Cardington
	5.30pm	Wedding rehearsal at Elstow for Mathew Atchison & Sandra Dixon (JRC)
	6.15pm	Wedding rehearsal at Elstow for Michael Gallagher and Kerrie-Ann MacDonald (JRC)
	7.00pm	Wedding rehearsal at Elstow for Ian Tomlinson and Haley Abbs (JRC)
	8.00pm	Bellringing
	8.15pm	Baptism interview
Saturday 25 <sup>th</sup>	12.30pm	Wedding at Elstow of Michael Gallagher and Kerrie-Ann MacDonald (JRC)
	2.00pm	Wedding at Elstow of Mathew Atchison and Sandra Dixon (JRC)
	2-4.00pm	Children's workshop in Church Hall
	3.30pm	Wedding at Elstow of Ian Tomlinson and Haley Abbs (JRC)

**JRC Holiday:** Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> August to Friday 24<sup>th</sup> August incl.

## Next Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> August, 12<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity

9.30am	Young Peoples Service with Baptism of Lucy Bromfield (JRC and JEH)
11.00am	Morning Prayer (JRC)
12.15pm	Baptism at Elstow of Olivia Saralli (JRC)
3.00pm	Baptism at Elstow of Robyn Scott, Aaron Scott and Ella Scott (JRC)
3.45pm	Baptism at Elstow of Joshua Ford (JRC)
4.30pm	Baptism at Elstow of Tomas Kemp (JRC)
6.30pm	Evensong with Holy Communion and Laying on of Hands for Healing (JRC)

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### Guest Preachers

23 <sup>rd</sup> August	11.00am	Rev Stephen Smith
2 <sup>nd</sup> September	9.30am	Rev Len Moore

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### Please pray for:

#### *The Sick:*

William Coward, Judy Carpenter, John Wagstaff, Doris Simmonds, Barbara Gale, Lyn Bromage, Clare Knox

#### *The Recently Deceased:*

Herbert Brown, Winifred Sharp, Doris Murphy