

## Notices and Future Events

- **Toddlers and Tea** a Mums (or Carers) and Toddlers group. Each Monday in the Church hall. 10.00am – 11.30am.
- **All Souls** Details of those to be remembered by name are at the back of church. Please check the details and make amendments as required.
- **Barn Dance** Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October, 8pm at the Playing Fields Hall. Tickets and information from Margaret Hinson, 01234 349028. Choice of Chicken or fish, with chips. Bring your own drinks.
- **Concert by Bill Fudge** at Elstow Abbey on behalf of Friends of Elstow Abbey. 21<sup>st</sup> October, 7.30pm. Tickets available on the door, £5 (or £4.50 for members of Friends of Elstow)

Jeremy Crocker: Day off: Friday 13<sup>th</sup> October

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 8<sup>th</sup> October  
17<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

10.15am	JRC at St Michael's service
11.00am	Parish Communion (Rev'd Mary Parrett)
Hymns:	NEH: 443, 387, 383, Anthem: Lead me Lord, 401
3.00pm	Baptism at Elstow of Maisy Grace Storr (JRC)
6.30pm	Evensong (JRC)
Hymns:	NEH: 351, 76, 246, 294, 250

### **COLLECT**

Almighty God,  
you have made us for yourself,  
and our hearts are restless till they find their rest in you:  
pour your love into our hearts and draw us to yourself,  
and so bring us at last to your heavenly city  
where we shall see you face to face;  
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**

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	6.30pm	Evensong (JRC)
Monday 9 <sup>th</sup>	8.30am	Morning Prayer at Cardington
	10-11.30am	Toddlers and Tea Church in Hall
	1.00pm	Abbey Middle School meeting
Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup>	8.30am	Morning Prayer at Cardington
	11.00am	Burial of Ashes at Elstow of Bett and Bert Hawkins (JRC)
Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup>	8.30am	Morning Prayer at Cardington
	10.45am	Service at Crematorium for Winifred Hammond (JRC)
	11.30am	Coffee Morning in Elstow Church Hall
	2.00pm	Meeting regarding St Michaels Roof
	6.30pm	Wedding Interview
Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup>	8.30am	Morning Prayer at Cardington
	9.30-10.00am	Springfield Lower School visit to Abbey (JRC)
	11.00am	Holy Communion (JRC)
	12.00noon	Ethical Group Meeting
	3.00pm	Dedication of premises of Kempston Funeral services
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup>	8.30am	Morning Prayer at Cardington
	8.00pm	Bellringing
Saturday 14 <sup>th</sup>	9.30-4.00pm	Archdeacons study day, Rufus centre Flitwick

**Next Sunday****15<sup>th</sup> October, 18<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

9.30am	Family Communion (JRC)
11.00am	Morning Prayer (JRC)
6.30pm	Evensong (Robert Heley)

**Visiting Guest Preachers**

8 <sup>th</sup> October	11.00am	Rev'd Mary Parrett
15 <sup>th</sup> October	6.30pm	Robert Heley
12 <sup>th</sup> November	6.30pm	Canon Philip McDonough

**Please pray for:***The Sick:*

Ron Chapple, Judith Carpenter

*The Recently Deceased:*Keith Pearson, Bett and Bert Hawkins  
Winifred Hammond