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Next Sunday, 23rd June

**Our time together begins with
refreshments at 10.30am**

11.00am All Age Morning Worship

Richard Huss will preach on Luke 5:12-16

Open Church: 2.00pm-4.00pm

Midweek service:

Tuesday, 25th June at 2.00pm

*News for the 23rd June edition of the news & prayer sheet
should be sent to news@elmdonchurch.org
by 7pm on Wednesday, 19th June.*



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16th June 2024

*“Remember this: Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly,
and whoever sows generously will also reap generously.”*

(2 Corinthians 9, verse six)

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 Holy Communion
with Kids in Christ**

Bekah Clark will preach on 2 Corinthians 9:6-15

Open Church: 2.00pm-4.00pm

Midweek service:

Tuesday, 18th June at 2.00pm

Readings:

Mon	17 th June	Isaiah	22:12-23:18
Tue	18 th June	Isaiah	24:1-25:12
Wed	19 th June	Isaiah	26:1-27:11
Thu	20 th June	Isaiah	27:12-28:22
Fri	21 st June	Isaiah	28:23-29:21
Sat	22 nd June	Isaiah	29:22-30:22
Sun	23 rd June	Luke	5:12-16

Please pray:

- For residents of Farm Close and Finchall Croft.
- For Richard Huss preaching next Sunday.
- For restorative time off for Bekah.
- That we'd all stay close to the Lord and draw strength from being with our strong God.

News, and dates for your diary:

Please note that Bekah will be on annual leave and unavailable from Monday 17th June-Sunday 30th June.

Kitty Evans' funeral: Thursday, 20th June, 12.30pm, at Robin Hood Crematorium.

Rota availability: Thank you to everyone who serves on any of the Sunday morning teams. We will shortly be starting work on the next rota, to cover July to October. Lesley will be contacting existing rota members this week, through our new ChurchSuite system, to ask about your availability – watch out for an email, or speak to Bekah if you're not yet involved but would like to be.

Solihull Community Development Team and Eastcote Park Retirement Village Community Roadshow with an adult focus. Date: 27 June 2024. Time: 10.00am-12.00 noon. Venue: Eastcote Park Retirement Village, Knowle Road, Barston, B92 0JA.

There will be a range of organisations and services offering the residents of Solihull the opportunity to discover what support and advice is available within their area, together with information sessions throughout the day including talk from Age UK Solihull & Solihull Council's Adult Social Care team. These are all FREE.

For more information please contact the CDT team on cdt@solihull.gov.uk

Refugee Week 2024 in Solihull - OUR HOME:

The Council is supporting a range of events to highlight the contributions of newly arrived communities in Solihull as part of Refugee Week 2024 (17-23 June) 2024. This year's theme is *our home*, a prompt for us all to showcase Solihull as a welcoming, safe and sustainable place for all. The events below are open to everybody and free to attend.

For more information about refugee week, please email newcommunities@solihull.gov.uk

Together in Solihull Cultural Market (4.30pm-8.30pm, 20th June)

Oliver Bird Hall: UK Welcomes Refugees is hosting a market event, sharing the best of Hong Kong food and handicrafts. A great opportunity for Solihull residents to sample traditional food and snacks as well as connecting with members of community.

Together In Solihull Music Festival (12–6pm, 22nd June) at The Core. A musical extravaganza of artists and musicians from across the diverse communities that have made Solihull their home.

Settled (7pm, Sunday June 23rd) The Core: A one-woman show, following the experiences of Ukrainian families in Solihull. The verbatim performance features the stories of three families, highlighting community spirit, resilience and generosity. To book a (free) space please use the following link [Settled \(thecoretheatresolihull.co.uk\)](http://thecoretheatresolihull.co.uk)

Joint Celebration Service with St Mary's, Sunday, 30th June:

At Elmdon Church, **start time: 10.30am**, refreshments after the service.

Revd Phelim O'Hare will be collated as Archdeacon of Aston at a special service at Aston Parish Church, Witton Lane, Aston, Birmingham B6 6QA, on Sunday, 14th July at 4:00 pm, with installation into the College of Canons of Birmingham Cathedral at a later date. All are warmly invited to attend the service.