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Next Sunday, 26th January

Our time together begins with refreshments at 10.30am

11.00am All Age Morning Worship

John Tsipouras will preach on Habakkuk 1:12-2:1

Open Church: 2.00pm-3.30pm

Tuesdays at Two: 28th January at 2pm



19th January 2025

"Look at the nations and watch – and be utterly amazed. For I am going to do something in your days that you would not believe, even if you were told." (Habakkuk 1, verse 5)

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.

Our time together begins with refreshments at 10.30am

11.00am Holy Communion with Kids in Christ

Rob Dean will preach on Habakkuk 1:1-11

Open Church: 2.00pm-3.30pm

Tuesdays at Two: 21st January at 2pm

Readings:

Mon	20 th January	Matthew 19:13-20:28
Tue	21st January	Matthew 20:29-21:32
Wed	22 nd January	Matthew 21:33-22:33
Thu	23 rd January	Matthew 22:34-23:39
Fri	24 th January	Matthew 24:1-51
Sat	25 th January	Matthew 25:1-46
Sun	26 th January	Habakkuk 1:12-2:1

Please pray:

- For Bekah, our Rector.
- For Emi and Tore Fernandez of Crosslinks.
- That the violence and bloodshed between Israel and Hamas in Gaza will indeed come to an end, and for a new dawn of peace across the Middle East.
- The NHS, under increasing pressure due to seasonal illnesses.
- For the residents of Victor Road and Waldeve Grove, Walford Drive and Walsgrave Close.
- For John Tsipouras preaching next Sunday.

News, and dates for your diary:

Emi and Tore Fernandez: As some of you will know, Emi and Tore were expecting twins, due to be born in February, but very sadly we have been informed by Crosslinks that Emi has suffered a miscarriage and has lost both babies. This has been a traumatic time for Emi and Tore. They have returned to their home in Mendoza, Argentina, and are being supported by their family and the local church. Please continue to uphold this couple that they will know the comfort and strength of the Lord by the Holy Spirit and through the love, prayers and support of those around them.

Psalm Roar: save the date! Have you been enjoying singing the Psalms in some of our services recently? Come to a "Psalm Roar" in Shrewsbury on Saturday, 17th May. A day to gather and sing a variety of psalms in a variety of styles, aiming for singing that is enthusiastic, robust, loud and encouraging! Do not imagine the gentle singing of a choir in a cathedral. Picture a rugby team about to go onto the pitch, or an army preparing for battle. Ask Richard for more info.

News for the 26th January edition of the news sheet should be sent to <u>news@elmdonchurch.org</u> by 7pm on Wednesday, 22nd January.