**Team:** The believers of Elmdon **Rector:** Revd Bekah Clark

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# Next Sunday, 16th February

Our time together begins with refreshments at 10.30am

## 11.00am Holy Communion with Kids in Christ

Karen Matthews will preach on Habakkuk 3:1-19

Open Church: 2.00pm-3.30pm

Tuesdays at Two: 18th February at 2pm



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# 9<sup>th</sup> February 2025

"Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace."

(Ephesians 4, verse 3)

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 Family Service and Baptism

Rob Dean will preach on Ephesians 4:1-16

Open Church: 2.00pm-3.30pm

Tuesdays at Two: 11th February at 2pm

## **Readings:**

| Mon | 10 <sup>th</sup> February | Mark 9:38-10:34  |
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| Tue | 11 <sup>th</sup> February | Mark 10:35-11:25 |
| Wed | 12 <sup>th</sup> February | Mark 11:27-12:34 |
| Thu | 13 <sup>th</sup> February | Mark 12:35-13:31 |
| Fri | 14 <sup>th</sup> February | Mark 13:32-14:42 |
| Sat | 15 <sup>th</sup> February | Mark 14:43-15:20 |
| Sun | 16 <sup>th</sup> February | Habakkuk 3:1-19  |

## Please pray for:

- Bekah, our Rector.
- The residents of Whar Hall Road and Wharton Avenue.
- Our Mission Partners, Gift and Kathryn Asiku and for their sons James and Simon-Peter, back in Uganda.
- Karen Matthews preaching next Sunday.
- Sophie, baptised on Sunday, 9<sup>th</sup> February, and for her parents and godparents.
- Those known to us who are sick in body, mind or spirit.

## News, and dates for your diary:

**Church Rota:** The rota for March-June will be produced shortly. If you serve on a rota and there are any Sundays you won't be available, please speak to Lesley Huss or email <u>contact@elmdonchurch.org</u> by **Sunday 9th February**.

**Bleed control emergency kit**: We are advised by Chris Rumney, Project Lead for the supply of the defibrillator sited in Elmdon Church courtyard that in light of the recent tragic stabbing incidents in Hall Green and elsewhere, it is important that people are aware there is a bleed control emergency kit stored inside the cabinet housing the defibrillator.

**Tearfund Lent Devotional**: If you would like to sign up for a weekly email of reflections, stories and prayers helping you to draw closer to God as we approach Easter, visit <u>www.tearfund.org/campaigns/lent-devotional</u>.

News for the 16<sup>th</sup> February edition of the news sheet should be sent to <u>news@elmdonchurch.org</u> by 7pm on Wednesday, 12<sup>th</sup> February.