

Notices and Future Events

- It has been decided to replace the Boiler system. Work has almost been completed.
- Work on the ruins restoration has begun and is now due to be completed around 24th June.
- Interested or thinking about being confirmed? Please talk to Rev Jeremy Crocker.
- On Sunday 26th June there will be an Open Air Praise service at Cardington starting at 6pm. Please note there will be no 6.30pm Evensong service that day at Elstow.
- The date of the next PCC meeting has been changed and will now meet on 30th June at 8pm in Hall.
- Puppets will be here on 2nd July 10-4pm. Further information from John Hinson.
- Cardington Summer Fete is on 2nd July 2-4pm at the Lakes Farm.
- 4th July, 7.30pm at Elstow Abbey, The Right Rev'd Christopher Herbert, The Bishop of St Albans, will present a Lecture on 'Images of the Resurrection' (part of the current study programme)
- Choir Club outing on 5th July. Meet 7pm.
- South Beds Council of Churches AGM on 7th July at London Road Methodists 7.45pm.
- The study course 'A Journey into Faith' continues and meets on Monday's. All welcome to join in even if you haven't been to the previous sessions. Times 7.30-9.15pm in the Hall. For further information please see leaflets at the back of church.
- Elstow Summer Fete will be on 16th July from 1pm.
- IOW final balances are due by the end of the month. Full details are at the back of church.

Jeremy Crocker Day Off: Friday 17th June

Notices for inclusion in the weekly bulletin to the Rectory FAO Diana Hill by 12 noon Tuesdays. Wedding Bookings and enquiries to Diana Hill either Tuesday or Thursday mornings. (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 19th June 2005
4th Sunday after Trinity**

9.30am	Family Communion (Rev Stephen Smith)
Hymns:	SoF: 127, 51, 192, Anthem: I will lift up mine eyes, 316, 599
Banns:	2 nd July: Clare Dear and Kevin Ellis 9 th July: Andrea Wigggett and David Blanchard 30 th July: Louise Martin and Magnus Witheat
10.30am	Rev Jeremy Crocker at Cardington Service
11.00am	Morning Prayer (Canon Philip McDonough)
Hymns:	NEH: 413, 491, 495, 234, 292, 333
6.30pm	Evensong with Holy Communion and Laying on of Hands for Healing (Jeremy Crocker)
Hymns:	NEH: 16, 442, 248, 244

COLLECT

O God, the protector of all who trust in you,
without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy:
increase and multiply upon us your mercy;
that with you as our ruler and guide
we may so pass through things temporal
that we lose not our hold on things eternal;
grant this, heavenly Father,
for our Lord Jesus Christ's sake,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Diary for the Week

Sunday	9.30am	Family Communion (Stephen Smith)
19 th	10.30am	Jeremy at Cardington Service
	11.00am	Morning Prayer (Canon Philip McDonough)
	3-6.00pm	Concert at Elstow Abbey
	6.30pm	Evensong with Holy Communion and Laying on of Hands for Healing (Jeremy Crocker)
Monday	8.30am	Morning Prayer at Cardington
20 th	7.00pm	General Synod Briefing at Holywell Lodge
	7.00pm	Prayer Group in the Summerhouse
	7.30pm	Bible Study in Elstow Church Hall (Clive Bell)
Tuesday	8.30am	Morning Prayer at Cardington
21 st	11-4pm	Jeremy at Archbishops Council Meeting
Wednesday	8.30am	Morning Prayer at Cardington
22 nd	10.00am	Clergy Team Meeting at Stephen Smiths house
	12.00noon	Diocesan Meeting in St Albans
	6.00pm	Meeting with Patron
	6.30pm	Choir Practice no Choir Club
Thursday	8.30am	Morning Prayer at Cardington
23 rd	11.00am	Holy Communion (Jeremy Crocker)
		Please note PCC meeting changed to 30th June 8pm
Friday	8.30am	Morning Prayer at Cardington
24 th	8.00pm	Bellringing
Saturday	10.15am	Bunyan Tour of Abbey
25 th	2-4.00pm	Children's Workshop

Next Sunday 26th June, 5th Sunday after Trinity

9.30am	Young Peoples Service
11.00am	Morning Prayer (Matins Group)
6.00pm	Cardington Open Air Praise Service NO 6.30pm Evensong at Elstow

Monthly Guest Preachers at Elstow

10 th July	Rev Ysmena Pentalow
11am	(Curate at Holy Trinity Stevenage) Preach and Preside
17 th July	The Right Rev'd Christopher Foster
6.30pm	(The Bishop of Hertford)
24 th July	Rev Richard Howlett
6.30pm	(Vicar at Marston Moreteyne and Lidlington)

Please pray for:

The Sick: Ron Chappell, Glenys Godden,
Campbell Fraser, Shirley Teague

The Recently departed:

Mary Cole, Fred Hunt, Isobel Thompson