

Notices and Future Events

- **Bible Group** at Cardington Centenary room each Wed 8-9.30pm
- **Thursday Lunch** usually the 1st Thursday of the month after the communion service, at the Red Lion Pub, from 12 noon. Next date 3rd July. All welcome. Choice of starter and main with Tea/Coffee for £5.99.
- **Sunday Lunch group** is being co-ordinated by Laura and Alistair (768137) for couples to meet on the 2nd Sunday of each month. Sunday roast, dessert and coffee. Next date July 13th
- **Midsummer Music** Free concert of music, bells and entertainment at 7pm on 21st June at Howard Church Cardington. Free. All welcome.
- **Afternoon Tea** at the Rectory on 25th June 3.30pm-6pm. All welcome. Please use sign up list at the back to help with planning.
- **Celebrity Organ Recital** Bedfordshire Organists Association celebrate their 70th Anniversary at Woburn Parish Church on Saturday 20th September, 3pm. Celebrity organist is Prof Ian Tracey, Organist of Liverpool Cathedral. Admission £10 (£5 concessions) incl. light refreshments. Further details from Stephen McDonald.
- **St Michaels After-School club** for 5-10yr olds Tuesdays 3.45-5.15pm in St Michaels church.
- **Abbey Choir Vacancies** both junior 7 years+ and adults. Interested? More information email Director of Music Stephen McDonald – stevetmcdonald@btinternet.com
- **St Michael's Mums and Toddlers** on Tuesdays 10-11.30am in St Michael's church, each week.
- **Isle of Wight** balances are now due. No more places are available as all 53 spaces on the coach for the holiday have been booked.
- **Team Secretary Vacancy** to work part time 2 or 3 days a week starting in October. General administration and secretary role for Jeremy Crocker and possible Stephen Smith. Job description to be confirmed. Initial enquiries to Jeremy.
- **Cardington Fete** at Home Farm 2-4.30pm, Saturday July 5th

JRC Day off: Friday 20th June

Church Wardens Contact details: Colin Albon 01234 407084 & Barbara Routledge 01234 854369. Wedding Bookings/enquiries or Notices for weekly Bulletin to Diana Hill, Tues/Thurs 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 15th June 2008 Fourth Sunday after Trinity Fathers Day

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| 10.00am | Family Communion with Sunday School (SS) |
| Hymns: | SoF: 466, 510, 418, Anthem: Now let us from this table rise, 40, 147 |
| 11.15am | Morning Prayer (Mattins Group) |
| Hymns: | NEH: 333, 114, 74, 434, 427, Psalm 86 Vs 1-8 |
| 6.00pm | Open Air Service at Cardington |
| (NO 6.30pm | Evensong at Elstow) |

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

	(9.30am	JRC at Hatfield St Johns 50 year Anniversary service)
Sunday 15 th	10.00am	Family Communion with Sunday School (SS)
	11.15am	Morning Prayer (Matins Group)
	6.00pm	Open Air Service at Cardington
	NO 6.30pm	Evensong at Elstow
Monday 16 th	8.30am	Morning Prayer at Cardington
	10.00am	Toddlers and Tea in Church Hall
	2.00pm	Prayer group meet in Summer House
	7.30pm	John Bunyan Upper School Awards Evening
Tuesday 17 th	8.30am	Morning Prayer at Cardington
	9.30am	to 5.30pm JRC at Bishops Conference at University of Hertfordshire
	10.00am	Mums and Toddlers at St Michaels
	10.00am	Sing and Sign in Elstow church hall
	4.00pm	Dance class in Elstow Church Hall
	8.00pm	Pastoral Visit
Wednesday 18 th	8.30am	Morning Prayer at Cardington
	11.30am	Coffee morning and Soup in Hall
	6.00pm	Youth Club joined by Elstow Brownies
	8.15pm	Benefice Wardens meeting at Bindon Abbey
Thursday 19 th	8.30am	Morning Prayer at Cardington
	11.00am	Holy Communion service at Elstow (JRC)
	2.30pm	Clergy Team review meeting at Rectory
	6.30pm	Wedding Rehearsal for Jason Parke and Donna Reed (JRC)
	7.30pm	Cardington PCC

Diary for the Week continued

Friday 20 th	8.30am	Morning Prayer at Cardington
Saturday 21 st	2.00pm	Children's Workshop Picnic
	2.00pm	Wedding at Elstow of Jason Parke and Donna Reed (JRC)
	7.00pm	Midsummer Music evening at Howard Church Cardington

Next Sunday 22nd June 2008, Fifth Sunday after Trinity

10.00am	Young Peoples Service (JEH)
11.15am	Parish Communion (JRC)
6.30pm	Evensong service (JRC)

Advance notices concerning services

29th June there is to be a Joint service with St Michaels at 10.15am so there will be NO 10am service at Elstow Abbey.
