## THE NORTH BOSMERE BENEFICE



Coddenham, Creeting St Mary, Creeting St Peter, Crowfield, Earl Stonham with Stonham Parva, Gosbeck, Hemingstone, Stonham Aspal and Mickfield



THESE ARE ALL BENEFICE SERVICES AND ARE OPEN TO EVERYONE, WHETHER ON ZOOM OR IN A CHURCH BUILDING Adventure of the week: Which church? What service?

Check the details below carefully.

To come to a service in a church building you must follow Government and Church of England regulations. Wear a face covering and let Philip know by 6pm on Friday your name and how many will be coming. His contact details are below. To assist the Track and Trace process we will keep your contact details for 3 weeks after the service.

**To join a Zoom service**, please email <a href="mailto:reader.ruthdennigan@gmail.com">reader.ruthdennigan@gmail.com</a>. Click on the link in the email from Ruth to join the service

#### THIS SUNDAY 1 November - All Saints

Lectionary Readings: Revelation 7.9-17, 1 John 3.1-3, Matthew 5. 1-12

9.30am Zoom Service of Light
11.00am Coddenham Holy Communion
3.30pm Earl Stonham Service of Light
4.00pm Stonham Aspal Service of Light

### **NEXT SUNDAY 8 November – Remembrance Sunday**

**Lectionary Readings:** Amos 5. 18-24, 1 Thessalonians 4. 13-end, Matthew 25. 1-13

9.30am	Online Zoom	Remembrance Service	
9.30am	Creeting St Mary	Remembrance Service	Most of the
10.00am	Hemingstone	Remembrance Service	physical
10.30am	Crowfield	Remembrance Service	services will
10.45am	Coddenham	Remembrance Service	take place
10.45am	Earl Stonham	Remembrance Service	outside.
10.45am	Gosbeck	Remembrance Service	Wear warm
10.45am	Stonham Aspal	Remembrance Service	clothes.
10.50am	Creeting St Peter	Remembrance Service	

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# **LECTIONARY READINGS**1 November – All Saints

# Revelation 7:9-17

<sup>9</sup> After this I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. <sup>10</sup> They cried out in a loud voice, saying,

'Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!'

<sup>11</sup> And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshipped God, <sup>12</sup> singing,

'Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honour and power and might be to our God for ever and ever! Amen.'

- <sup>13</sup> Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, 'Who are these, robed in white, and where have they come from?' <sup>14</sup> I said to him, 'Sir, you are the one that knows.' Then he said to me, 'These are they who have come out of the great ordeal; they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.
- 15 For this reason they are before the throne of God, and worship him day and night within his temple, and the one who is seated on the throne will shelter them.
- 16 They will hunger no more, and thirst no more; the sun will not strike them, nor any scorching heat;
- 17 for the Lamb at the centre of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of the water of life, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.'

### 1 John 3:1-3

**3** ¹ See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him. ² Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is. ³ And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he is pure.

#### **Matthew 5:1-12**

#### The Beatitudes

- **5** When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. <sup>2</sup> Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying:
- <sup>3</sup> 'Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
- 4'Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.
- <sup>5</sup> 'Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.
- <sup>6</sup> 'Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.
- <sup>7</sup> 'Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.
- <sup>8</sup> 'Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.
- <sup>9</sup> 'Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.
- <sup>10</sup> 'Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
- <sup>11</sup> 'Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. <sup>12</sup> Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

#### CHURCHES OPEN FOR PRIVATE PRAYER ONLY

Coddenham: Thursdays 8am – 5pm

Creeting St Mary: Sundays 2pm-4pm
Creeting St Peter: Sundays 10am-5pm
Crowfield: Sundays 10am-4pm
Earl Stonham: Sundays 12pm-4pm

Gosbeck: Wednesdays and Sundays 9am-6pm

Stonham Aspal: Sundays 10am-4pm

#### CHURCH ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETINGS

Hemingstone 2 November 7.30pm in Church (unless rules change) Stonham Aspal 3 November 7.30pm on Zoom – Contact <u>alexjenkinson@btopenworld.com</u> for the link Crowfield 6 November 7.00pm in church

# WHAT'S ON

CHRISTMAS MUGS FOR THE HOMELESS Sue Hargadon plans to do these as before if it is possible. If you can collect large mugs, large plastic cups for children, babies' bottles and small things to go inside the mugs which could be kept for next year if necessary. Sue will provide more information as soon as she knows if this can go ahead this year.

Wednesday 4 November 2-3pm Creeting St Mary: CHURCH AUTUMN CLEAN Your help would be very welcome. Social distancing will be followed.

Saturday 7 November 9.30am-midday Coddenham: LOWER CHURCHYARD CLEAR UP Please bring strimmers, rakes and pruning tools if possible

**Thursday 19 November 9.30am meet at Gosbeck Village Hall: TEN VILLAGE WALKING GROUP** The December walk will be on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> – venue to be confirmed, probably Helmingham Hall. Contact Sue on <a href="mailto:suehargadon@outlook.com">suehargadon@outlook.com</a> or 01449 711906 for more details.

For your event here or to receive this by email, contact Liz on 01449 711365 or <a href="mailto:lizandjohnince@gmail.com">lizandjohnince@gmail.com</a> by Tuesday