THE NORTH BOSMERE BENEFICE



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



CORONAVIRUS

Restrictions in church will remain as before for the time being. Please continue to wear masks and maintain distance until advised otherwise.

For track and trace purposes, please advise Rev Philip (revphilippayne@btinternet.com) if you plan to attend any church service at least one day in advance.

To join a Zoom service: email northbosmerebenefice@gmail.com at least 2 days before the service. Click on the link you receive.

THIS SUNDAY 25 July - Trinity 8 (Proper 12)

Readings: 2 Kings 4. 42-44, Ephesians 3. 14-21, John 6. 1-21

9.30am Zoom Morning Worship 11.00am Creeting St Peter Holy Communion

11.00am Crowfield Fete Worship in marquee

on Recreation ground

6.30pm Stonham Aspal Evening Prayer

Wednesday 28 July 9.00am Zoom Morning Worship Wednesday 28 July 10.30am Coddenham Holy Communion

Saturday 31 July 1.00pm Stonham Aspal Wedding Saturday 31 July 2.00pm Earl Stonham Memorial to Brian Sayers

NEXT SUNDAY 1 August - Trinity 9 (Proper 13)

Readings: Exodus 16. 2-4, 9-15, Ephesians 4. 1-16, John 6. 24-35

9.30am Zoom Morning Worship 11.00am Stonham Aspal Holy Communion 11.00am Earl Stonham Morning Worship

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READINGS 25 July – Trinity 8 (Proper 12)

2 Kings 4:42-44

⁴² A man came from Baal-shalishah, bringing food from the first fruits to the man of God: twenty loaves of barley and fresh ears of grain in his sack. Elisha said, 'Give it to the people and let them eat.' ⁴³ But his servant said, 'How can I set this before a hundred people?' So he repeated, 'Give it to the people and let them eat, for thus says the LORD, "They shall eat and have some left."' ⁴⁴ He set it before them, they ate, and had some left, according to the word of the LORD.

Ephesians 3:14-21

¹⁴ For this reason I bow my knees before the Father, ¹⁵ from whom every family in heaven and on earth takes its name. ¹⁶ I pray that, according to the riches of his glory, he may grant that you may be strengthened in your inner being with power through his Spirit, ¹⁷ and that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith, as you are being rooted and grounded in love. ¹⁸ I pray that you may have the power to comprehend, with all the saints, what is the breadth and length and height and depth, ¹⁹ and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, so that you may be filled with all the fullness of God.

²⁰ Now to him who by the power at work within us is able to accomplish abundantly far more than all we can ask or imagine, ²¹ to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus to all generations, for ever and ever. Amen.

John 6:1-21

6 After this Jesus went to the other side of the Sea of Galilee, also called the Sea of Tiberias. ² A large crowd kept following him, because they saw the signs that he was doing for the sick. ³ Jesus went up the mountain and sat down there with his disciples. ⁴ Now the Passover, the festival of the Jews, was near. ⁵ When he looked up and saw a large crowd coming towards him, Jesus said to Philip, 'Where are we to buy bread for these people to eat?' ⁶ He said this to test him, for he himself knew what he was going to do. ⁷ Philip answered him, 'Six months' wages would not buy enough bread for each of them to get a little.' ⁸ One of his disciples, Andrew,

Simon Peter's brother, said to him, ⁹ 'There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish. But what are they among so many people?' ¹⁰ Jesus said, 'Make the people sit down.' Now there was a great deal of grass in the place; so they sat down, about five thousand in all. ¹¹ Then Jesus took the loaves, and when he had given thanks, he distributed them to those who were seated; so also the fish, as much as they wanted. ¹² When they were satisfied, he told his disciples, 'Gather up the fragments left over, so that nothing may be lost.' ¹³ So they gathered them up, and from the fragments of the five barley loaves, left by those who had eaten, they filled twelve baskets. ¹⁴ When the people saw the sign that he had done, they began to say, 'This is indeed the prophet who is to come into the world.'

¹⁵ When Jesus realized that they were about to come and take him by force to make him king, he withdrew again to the mountain by himself.

¹⁶ When evening came, his disciples went down to the lake, ¹⁷ got into a boat, and started across the lake to Capernaum. It was now dark, and Jesus had not yet come to them. ¹⁸ The lake became rough because a strong wind was blowing. ¹⁹ When they had rowed about three or four miles, they saw Jesus walking on the lake and coming near the boat, and they were terrified. ²⁰ But he said to them, 'It is I; do not be afraid.' ²¹ Then they wanted to take him into the boat, and immediately the boat reached the land towards which they were going.

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Saturday 31 July 2pm

St Mary's Church, Earl Stonham

MEMORIAL TO BRIAN SAYERS

Everyone welcome, who knew him and his late wife Bridget.

WHAT'S ON

SUFFOLK CHURCHES RIDE AND STRIDE 2021

After the success of last year's Ride, which raised a total of over £180,000 for our beautiful, historic churches; Suffolk Historic Churches Trust have decided to go ahead with the ride and stride again this year.

All the churches in North Bosmere Benefice except for Stonham Parva which remains closed for safety reasons, are open on SATURDAY 11 SEPTEMBER from 9.00am to 5.00pm.

Started in 1982, most people think this is an event for cyclists, but walkers are welcome to join the fun and help increase the share of funds raised that our churches receive.

Sponsorship forms can be obtained from:

Coddenham: Ian Galbraith 01449 760694

Creeting St Mary: Hazel Mackintosh 01449 720753

Creeting St Peter: Sarah Stott 01449 771490 Crowfield: Tony Clarke 01449 760381

Earl Stonham and

Stonham Parva: Diana Hurt 01449 711879
Gosbeck: Phil Turnbull 01473 890760
Hemingstone: Faye Smith 07578545705

Stonham Aspal

and Mickfield: Andrew Fuller 01449 711443

Please put the date in your diary and consider walking or cycling to visit a few of the wonderful churches in Suffolk. It doesn't have to be a marathon, just an enjoyable way to spend a few hours.

Details of how to donate through "Just Giving" will follow on another Notice Sheet. Thank you.

Saturday 31 July 2pm Earl Stonham: MEMORIAL TO BRIAN SAYERS All welcome who knew him and his late wife Bridget.

Friday 6 August 7.30pm Creeting St Mary: A MUSICAL CONCERT with Yelda on the cello and her colleague on the bassoon. Refreshments later in the evening. Tickets £10 from Glynis Clint 01449 720740

Wednesday 11 August 9.30am Crowfield Village Hall: TEN VILLAGES WALKING GROUP more information from Sue on 01449 711906 or suehargadon@outlook.com

For your event on here or to receive this by email, contact Liz on 01449 711365 or lizandjohnince@gmail.com by Tuesday