



THE NORTH BOSMERE BENEFICE



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

To join a Zoom service: **email** northbosmerebenefice@gmail.com with your screen name at least 2 days before the service.

THIS SUNDAY 14 August –Trinity 9 (Proper 15)

Readings: Jeremiah 23. 23-29, Hebrews 11. 29-12.2, Luke 12. 49-56

9.30am	Zoom	Morning Worship
9.30am	Hemingstone	Holy Communion
9.30am	Stonham Aspal	Worship for All
11.00am	Creeting St Mary	Morning Prayer BCP
11.00am	Earl Stonham	Holy Communion
6.30pm	Gosbeck	Evening Prayer

Tuesday 16 August

9.00am	Zoom	Morning Prayer
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NEXT SUNDAY 21 August –Trinity 10 (Proper 16)

Readings: Isaiah 58. 9b-end, Hebrews 12. 18-end, Luke 13. 10-17

9.30am	Zoom	Morning Worship
9.30am	Coddensham	Morning Worship
9.30am	Crowfield	Morning Worship-CANCELLED
11.00am	Creeting St Peter	Holy Communion BCP
11.00am	Gosbeck	Holy Communion

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READINGS 14 August – Trinity 9 (Proper 15)

Jeremiah 23:23-29

²³ Am I a God near by, says the LORD, and not a God far off? ²⁴ Who can hide in secret places so that I cannot see them? says the LORD. Do I not fill heaven and earth? says the LORD. ²⁵ I have heard what the prophets have said who prophesy lies in my name, saying, 'I have dreamed, I have dreamed!' ²⁶ How long? Will the hearts of the prophets ever turn back—those who prophesy lies, and who prophesy the deceit of their own heart? ²⁷ They plan to make my people forget my name by their dreams that they tell one another, just as their ancestors forgot my name for Baal. ²⁸ Let the prophet who has a dream tell the dream, but let the one who has my word speak my word faithfully. What has straw in common with wheat? says the LORD. ²⁹ Is not my word like fire, says the LORD, and like a hammer that breaks a rock in pieces?

Hebrews 11:29-12:2

²⁹ By faith the people passed through the Red Sea as if it were dry land, but when the Egyptians attempted to do so they were drowned. ³⁰ By faith the walls of Jericho fell after they had been encircled for seven days. ³¹ By faith Rahab the prostitute did not perish with those who were disobedient, because she had received the spies in peace.

³² And what more should I say? For time would fail me to tell of Gideon, Barak, Samson, Jephthah, of David and Samuel and the prophets— ³³ who through faith conquered kingdoms, administered justice, obtained promises, shut the mouths of lions, ³⁴ quenched raging fire, escaped the edge of the sword, won strength out of weakness, became mighty in war, put foreign armies to flight. ³⁵ Women received their dead by resurrection. Others were tortured, refusing to accept release, in order to obtain a better resurrection. ³⁶ Others suffered mocking and flogging, and even chains and imprisonment. ³⁷ They were stoned to death, they were sawn in two, they were killed by the sword; they went about in skins of sheep and goats, destitute, persecuted, tormented— ³⁸ of whom the world was not worthy. They wandered in deserts and mountains, and in caves and holes in the ground.

³⁹ Yet all these, though they were commended for their faith, did not receive what was promised, ⁴⁰ since God had provided something better so that they would not, without us, be made perfect.

12 Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight and the sin that clings so closely, and let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us, ² looking to Jesus the pioneer and perfecter of our faith, who for the sake of the joy that was set before him endured the cross, disregarding its shame, and has taken his seat at the right hand of the throne of God.

Luke 12:49-56

⁴⁹ 'I came to bring fire to the earth, and how I wish it were already kindled! ⁵⁰ I have a baptism with which to be baptized, and what stress I am under until it is completed! ⁵¹ Do you think that I have come to bring peace to the earth? No, I tell you, but rather division! ⁵² From now on, five in one household will be divided, three against two and two against three; ⁵³ they will be divided:

father against son
and son against father,
mother against daughter
and daughter against mother,
mother-in-law against her daughter-in-law
and daughter-in-law against mother-in-law.'

⁵⁴ He also said to the crowds, 'When you see a cloud rising in the west, you immediately say, "It is going to rain"; and so it happens. ⁵⁵ And when you see the south wind blowing, you say, "There will be scorching heat"; and it happens. ⁵⁶ You hypocrites! You know how to interpret the appearance of earth and sky, but why do you not know how to interpret the present time?

WHAT'S ON

Sunday 14 August, 2 - 5pm Creeting St Peter Church: CREAM TEAS and other goodies. Cake stall and Raffle. Contact Lynne 07766030505 or lynne@lynnejardine.co.uk In aid of Cancer Research and Creeting St Peter church.

Monday 15 August, 2.30pm, Earl Stonham Parish Room, ECUMENICAL PRAYER MEETING. All welcome. More information in Ten Village News.

Tuesday 16 August, 12 noon. SERVICE AND SOUP IN A GARDEN. More information from Judy Hailes, [01449 760375](tel:01449760375).

Wednesdays, 6.30pm, Gosbeck Village Hall: WEDNESDAY WALKIES with a dog or without. Footpaths around Gosbeck. Contact Nicole 07738 387508 or nicolehollas1985@gmail.com

Every Thursday, 10am – 11.30am, Stonham Aspal Church: COFFEE for EVERYONE. Come for as little or as long as you like, bring a friend, children - bring an adult!

Saturday – Monday 27-29 August, 10.30am – 5pm Crowfield Church: FLOWER FESTIVAL Theme: 'The world around us' Refreshments, Books and jigsaws for sale, produce stall, Tombola, Raffle, Plant stall. More information from Sue Hargadon 01449 711906 / 07754 611004 or suehargadon@outlook.com

Sunday 28 August, 10am-4pm, Woodward's, Blacksmiths Lane, Coddham: OPEN GARDEN and plant sale. £2.50, children free. In aid of St Elizabeth Hospice Great Garden Trail.

Monday 29 August, 5pm, Creeting St Peter Church Hall: BANK HOLIDAY MONDAY BARBECUE.

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