



THE NORTH BOSMERE BENEFICE

Coddenham, 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.

SUNDAY 9 July – Trinity 5 – Proper 9

Readings: Zechariah 9.9-12, Romans 7.15-25a, Matthew 11.16-19, 25-30

9.30am	Online 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
6.30pm	Stonham Aspal	Evening Prayer

TUESDAY 11 July

9.00am	Zoom	Morning Prayer
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WEDNESDAY 12 July

10.30am	Earl Stonham	Holy Communion
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NEXT SUNDAY 16 July – Trinity 6 – Proper 10

Readings: Isaiah 55.10-13, Romans 8.1-11, Matthew 13.1-9, 18-23

9.30am	Online Zoom	Morning Worship
9.30am	Coddenham	Morning Worship
11.00am	Creeting St Peter	Holy Communion BCP
11.00am	Crowfield	Fete Service
2.30pm	Stonham Aspal	Baptism

Rector: **Revd Philip Payne 01449 711684**
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READINGS 9 July – Trinity 5 - Proper 9

Zechariah 9:9-12

⁹ Rejoice greatly, O daughter Zion!

Shout aloud, O daughter Jerusalem!

Lo, your king comes to you;

triumphant and victorious is he,

humble and riding on a donkey,

on a colt, the foal of a donkey.

¹⁰ He will cut off the chariot from Ephraim

and the warhorse from Jerusalem;

and the battle-bow shall be cut off,

and he shall command peace to the nations;

his dominion shall be from sea to sea,

and from the River to the ends of the earth.

¹¹ As for you also, because of the blood of my covenant with you,

I will set your prisoners free from the waterless pit.

¹² Return to your stronghold, O prisoners of hope;

today I declare that I will restore to you double.

Romans 7:15-25

¹⁵ I do not understand my own actions. For I do not do what I want, but I do the very thing I hate. ¹⁶ Now if I do what I do not want, I agree that the law is good. ¹⁷ But in fact it is no longer I that do it, but sin that dwells within me. ¹⁸ For I know that nothing good dwells within me, that is, in my flesh. I can will what is right, but I cannot do it. ¹⁹ For I do not do the good I want, but the evil I do not want is what I do. ²⁰ Now if I do what I do not want, it is no longer I that do it, but sin that dwells within me.

²¹ So I find it to be a law that when I want to do what is good, evil lies close at hand. ²² For I delight in the law of God in my inmost self, ²³ but I see in my members another law at war with the law of my mind, making me captive to the law of sin that dwells in my members. ²⁴ Wretched man that I am! Who will rescue me from this body of death? ²⁵ Thanks be to God through Jesus Christ our Lord!

So then, with my mind I am a slave to the law of God, but with my flesh I am a slave to the law of sin.

Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30

¹⁶ 'But to what will I compare this generation?

It is like children sitting in the market-places and calling to one another,

¹⁷ "We played the flute for you, and you did not dance;
we wailed, and you did not mourn."

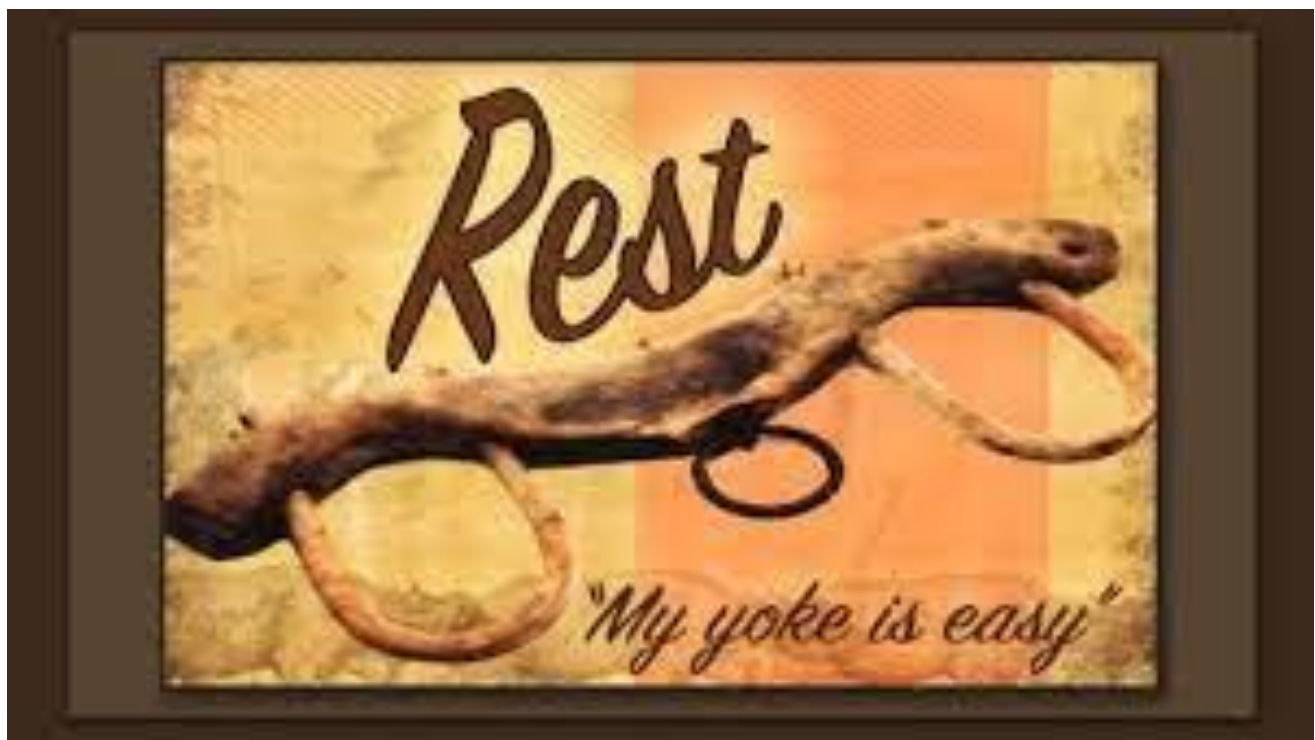
¹⁸ For John came neither eating nor drinking, and they say, "He has a demon"; ¹⁹ the Son of Man came eating and drinking, and they say,

"Look, a glutton and a drunkard, a friend of tax-collectors and sinners!"
Yet wisdom is vindicated by her deeds.'

²⁵ At that time Jesus said, 'I thank you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, because you have hidden these things from the wise and the intelligent and have revealed them to infants; ²⁶ yes, Father, for such was your gracious will. ²⁷ All things have been handed over to me by my Father; and no one knows the Son except the Father, and no one knows the Father except the Son and anyone to whom the Son chooses to reveal him.

²⁸ 'Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest. ²⁹ Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me; for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. ³⁰ For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.'

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WHAT'S ON

Friday 7 July, 9.30am, Barham Green: TEN VILLAGE COMMUNITY WALKING GROUP. Meet outside Rose Cottage, Mill Lane IP6 0QQ, to walk 3-4 miles. More information from Sue 07754 611004 / 01449 711906 or suehargadon@outlook.com.

Saturday 8 July, 10.00 - 12 noon, Coddtenham: COFFEE MORNING. Coffee, cakes, cards, wrappings and bows for that special occasion. We look forward to welcoming you.

Every Monday, 10am-11am, Crowfield Village Hall: COFFEE ON MONDAYS IN CROWFIELD. All welcome from any village. Details from: nicholasjardine40@gmail.com.

Every Thursday 10am –11.30am, Stonham Aspal Church: COFFEE INN. Do call in for coffee/tea and a chat. Note the new time. See you there. Everyone welcome.

Saturday 15 July, 1pm-4pm Crowfield: CROWFIELD FETE AND FLOWER SHOW.

Sunday 16 July, 11am, Crowfield Village Hall: JOINT FETE SERVICE.

Saturday 15 July, 7pm, Stowmarket Parish Church of St Peter and St Mary: THE COMBINED CHURCHES' CHOIR INVITES YOU TO A CONCERT FOR PEACE. Including the Choral Suite from Karl Jenkins' Armed Man, Mass for Peace, and other music and readings on the theme of peace. Free admission - Retiring collection for Stowmarket Relief Trust and Disasters Emergency Committee.

Tuesday 18 July, 2pm, CREETING ST MARY: CHRISTIAN AID TEA AFTERNOON. Tea, cake, books, gifts, plants. All welcome

Sunday 23 July, 11am-3pm, Gosbeck church: OPEN SUNDAY. 11am service and refreshments from 12 noon onwards. Tower trips, bring your teddy to parachute. Musical interlude and display of the Iona visit and other village events during the year. Donations welcomed.

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