



THE NORTH BOSMERE BENEFICE
Coddenham, Creeting St Mary,
Creeting St Peter, Crowfield, Earl Stonham
with Stonham Parva, Gosbeck,
Hemingstone, Stonham Aspal and Mickfield.



SUNDAY 21 September, Trinity 14 (Proper 20)

Readings: Amos 8. 4-7, 1 Timothy 2. 1-7,
Luke 16. 1-13

9.30am	Crowfield	Harvest Worship
11.00am	Creeting St Peter	Holy Communion BCP
11.00am	Gosbeck	Morning Worship
6.00pm	Coddenham	Harvest Songs of Praise

NEXT SUNDAY 28 September, Trinity 15 (Proper 21)

Readings: Amos 6 1a, 4-7, 1 Timothy 6. 6-19,
Luke 16. 19-end

9.30am	Hemingstone	Morning Worship
10.30am	Stonham Aspal	Holy Communion
11.00am	Earl Stonham	Harvest Worship
2.00pm	Creeting St Mary	Forest Church
6.30pm	Coddenham	Evening Prayer

Friday 29 September

2.00pm	Earl Stonham	Thanksgiving and Celebration for the life of Bob Warnes
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If you would like a visit in hospital or at home, or need any other help,
please contact a member of the Ministry Team or Churchwardens listed in
Ten Village News. For transport to a service contact Judy Hailes 01449
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READINGS: 21 September, Trinity 14, Proper 20

Amos 8. 4-7, 1 Timothy 2. 1-7, Luke 16. 1-13

Amos 8: 4-7

⁴ Hear this, you that trample on the needy,
and bring to ruin the poor of the land,
⁵ saying, 'When will the new moon be over
so that we may sell grain;
and the sabbath,
so that we may offer wheat for sale?
We will make the ephah small and the shekel great,
and practise deceit with false balances,
⁶ buying the poor for silver
and the needy for a pair of sandals,
and selling the sweepings of the wheat.'
⁷ The Lord has sworn by the pride of Jacob:
Surely I will never forget any of their deeds.

1 Timothy 2: 1-7

2First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings should be made for everyone, ²for kings and all who are in high positions, so that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and dignity. ³This is right and is acceptable in the sight of God our Saviour, ⁴who desires everyone to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth. ⁵For there is one God;
there is also one mediator between God and humankind,
Christ Jesus, himself human,
⁶ who gave himself a ransom for all
—this was attested at the right time. ⁷For this I was appointed a herald and an apostle (I am telling the truth,* I am not lying), a teacher of the Gentiles in faith and truth.

Luke 16:1-13

16Then Jesus said to the disciples, "There was a rich man who had a manager, and charges were brought to him that this man was squandering his property. ²So he summoned him and said to him, 'What is this that I hear about you? Give me an accounting of your management, because you cannot be my manager any longer.'
³Then the manager said to himself,

'What will I do, now that my master is taking the position away from me? I am not strong enough to dig, and I am ashamed to beg. ⁴I have decided what to do so that, when I am dismissed as manager, people may welcome me into their homes.' ⁵So, summoning his master's debtors one by one, he asked the first, 'How much do you owe my master?' ⁶He answered, 'A hundred jugs of olive oil.' He said to him, 'Take your bill, sit down quickly, and make it fifty.' ⁷Then he asked another, 'And how much do you owe?' He replied, 'A hundred containers of wheat.' He said to him, 'Take your bill and make it eighty.' ⁸And his master commended the dishonest manager because he had acted shrewdly; for the children of this age are more shrewd in dealing with their own generation than are the children of light. ⁹And I tell you, make friends for yourselves by means of dishonest wealth so that when it is gone, they may welcome you into the eternal homes. ¹⁰"Whoever is faithful in a very little is faithful also in much; and whoever is dishonest in a very little is dishonest also in much. ¹¹If then you have not been faithful with the dishonest wealth, who will entrust to you the true riches? ¹²And if you have not been faithful with what belongs to another, who will give you what is your own? ¹³No slave can serve two masters; for a slave will either hate the one and love the other, or be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and wealth."

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Liberating Love – Autumn Bible study group looking at Exodus

The book of **Exodus** is absolutely key to understanding who Jesus is and what He did – to appreciating the liberating love that brought Him into this world and took Him to the Cross.

We will be starting an eight part study this Autumn which will take you through **Exodus**, showing you God, thrilling you about being a member of His people, and challenging you to live in joyful awe of Him. And, as it points you to Jesus Christ and inspires you to worship Him, you'll see that this is *your* story. Do come and join us for this exciting series. All are welcome across the Benefice– no previous knowledge required! Refreshments as we start at 2 pm on Thursdays, beginning on 18th September.

Venue: Chapel Farm, Fen lane, Forward Green IP14 5EF
Lifts can easily be organised.

WHAT'S ON

Friday 19 September, 10.30 am - 12noon, Earl Stonham Village Hall: COFFEE AND CAKE. Ample car parking. Plenty of homemade cakes! Always the third Friday of each month.

Saturday 20 September, 11am-4pm and Sunday 21 September, Coddendam Church: FLOWER FESTIVAL. Refreshments available.

Sunday 21 September, 6pm, Coddendam Church: FLOWER FESTIVAL SONGS OF PRAISE

Sunday 21 September, 9.30am, Crowfield Church: HARVEST FESTIVAL. Produce for the Stowmarket Food Bank.

Mondays, 10am – 11am, Crowfield Village Hall: COFFEE on MONDAYS. All welcome. Contact nicholasjardine40@gmail.com

Thursdays, 10am-11.30am, Stonham Aspal Church: COMMUNITY COFFEE. Free Coffee, tea and biscuits for everyone.

Thursday 25 September, 2.00pm, Chapel Farm, Fen Lane, Forward Green IP14 5EF: EXODUS BIBLE STUDY. More details on this sheet.

Sunday 28 September, 2pm, Creting St Mary Churchyard: FOREST CHURCH. Celebrate Harvest with Harvest themed activities followed by worship and a free tea. Booking not required but numbers useful for catering. Contact Debbie Deborah.mcdonnell3@btinternet.com, Alex 07484 808527 alexjenkinson@btopenworld.com or Glynis 01449 720740.

Saturday 4-Sunday 5 October, 11am-4pm, Hemingstone Church: FLOWER FESTIVAL: Theme Anniversaries. Stalls, refreshments and lunches in the hut. **Sunday 6.30pm Harvest Evensong.**

Wednesday 8 October, 9am, Meeting place to be confirmed: TEN VILLAGE WALKING GROUP.

For your event on here or to receive this by email, or post,
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