

THE NORTH BOSMERE BENEFICE

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



SUNDAY 24 August, Trinity 10 (Proper 16)

Readings: Isaiah 58. 9b-end, Hebrews 12.18-end

Luke 13. 10-17

| 9.30am | Hemingstone | Morning Worship |
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| 10.00am | Crowfield | Flowers Festival Worship |
| 10.30am | Stonham Aspal | Morning Worship |
| 11.00am | Creeting St Mary | Holy Communion |
| 11.00am | Earl Stonham | Morning Worship |
| 6.30pm | Coddenham | Evening Prayer |

NEXT SUNDAY 31 August, Trinity 11 (Proper 17)

Readings: Ecclesiasticus 10. 12-18, Hebrews 13. 1-8, 15-16

Luke 14. 7-14

10.00am Stonham Aspal Holy Communion

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 760375 judithhailes@btinternet.com

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Isaiah 58. 9b-end, Hebrews 12.18-end, Luke 13. 10-17

Isaiah 58:9b-14

If you remove the yoke from among you, the pointing of the finger, the speaking of evil, ¹⁰ if you offer your food to the hungry and satisfy the needs of the afflicted, then your light shall rise in the darkness and your gloom be like the noonday. ¹¹ The Lord will guide you continually, and satisfy your needs in parched places, and make your bones strong; and you shall be like a watered garden. like a spring of water, whose waters never fail. ¹² Your ancient ruins shall be rebuilt; you shall raise up the foundations of many generations; you shall be called the repairer of the breach, the restorer of streets to live in. ¹³ If you refrain from trampling the sabbath, from pursuing your own interests on my holy day; if you call the sabbath a delight and the holy day of the Lord honourable; if you honour it, not going your own ways, serving your own interests, or pursuing your own affairs; ¹⁴ then you shall take delight in the Lord,

and I will make you ride upon the heights of the earth;

I will feed you with the heritage of your ancestor Jacob,

for the mouth of the Lord has spoken. **Hebrews 12:18-29**

18 You have not come to something that can be touched, a blazing fire, and darkness, and gloom, and a tempest, 19 and the sound of a trumpet, and a voice whose words made the hearers beg that not another word be spoken to them. 20 (For they could not endure the order that was given, 'If even an animal touches the mountain, it shall be stoned to death.' 21 Indeed, so terrifying was the sight that Moses

said, 'I tremble with fear.') 22 But you have come to Mount Zion and to

the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem, and to innumerable angels in festal gathering, 23 and to the assembly of the firstborn who are enrolled in heaven, and to God the judge of all, and to the spirits of the righteous made perfect, 24 and to Jesus, the mediator of a new covenant, and to the sprinkled blood that speaks a better word than the blood of Abel.

25 See that you do not refuse the one who is speaking; for if they did not escape when they refused the one who warned them on earth, how much less will we escape if we reject the one who warns from heaven! 26 At that time his voice shook the earth; but now he has promised, 'Yet once more I will shake not only the earth but also the heaven.' 27 This phrase 'Yet once more' indicates the removal of what is shaken—that is, created things—so that what cannot be shaken may remain. 28 Therefore, since we are receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, let us give thanks, by which we offer to God an acceptable worship with reverence and awe; 29 for indeed our God is a consuming fire.

Luke 13:10-17

¹⁰ Now he was teaching in one of the synagogues on the sabbath. 11 And just then there appeared a woman with a spirit that had crippled her for eighteen years. She was bent over and was quite unable to stand up straight. 12 When Jesus saw her, he called her over and said, 'Woman, you are set free from your ailment.' 13 When he laid his hands on her, immediately she stood up straight and began praising God. ¹⁴ But the leader of the synagogue, indignant because Jesus had cured on the sabbath, kept saying to the crowd, 'There are six days on which work ought to be done; come on those days and be cured, and not on the sabbath day.' 15 But the Lord answered him and said, 'You hypocrites! Does not each of you on the sabbath untie his ox or his donkey from the manger, and lead it away to give it water? ¹⁶ And ought not this woman, a daughter of Abraham whom Satan bound for eighteen long years, be set free from this bondage on the sabbath day?' 17 When he said this, all his opponents were put to shame; and the entire crowd was rejoicing at all the wonderful things that he was doing.

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WHAT'S ON

Saturday - Monday 23-25 August, 10.30am-5pm, Crowfield Church: FLOWER FESTIVAL. Theme 'Time'. Refreshments all weekend and various stalls. Everyone welcome.

Sunday 24 August, 10am, Crowfield Church: A SPECIAL CELEBRATORY SERVICE for the Flower Festival. Refreshments and various stalls. Everyone welcome!

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. Stay for as little or long as you like.

Tuesday 2 September, 12 noon, Gosbeck Village Hall: SOUP AND SERVICE on the first and third Tuesday in the month. Contact Judy Hailes 01449760375. Just turn up for food and fellowship.

Saturday 6 September, 2pm, Creeting St Mary Vestry: SUMMER TEA AFTERNOON. Bring and buy and plants. Proceeds for Vestry roof appeal.

Wednesday 10 September, 9.30am, Meet at Crowfield Church: TEN VILLAGE WALKING GROUP. Contact Sue to join mailing list on 07754 611004 or suehargadon@outlook.com

Saturday 13 September, 9am-5pm, All Churches: RIDE AND STRIDE. Sponsor forms available in churches. Proceeds shared between your nominated church and the Suffolk Historic Churches Trust who give grants to repair Suffolk Churches.

Saturday 13 September, Creeting St Peter Church Hall, 10am-12 noon, COFFEE MORNING.

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