



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



SUNDAY 5 October, Trinity 16 (Proper 22)

Readings: Habakkuk 1. 1-4, 2. 1-4, 2 Timothy 1. 1-14,
Luke 17. 5-10

9.30am	Creting St Peter	Harvest Worship
9.30am	Crowfield	Morning Worship
11.00am	Coddensham	Holy Communion
11.00am	Gosbeck	Morning Worship
6.30pm	Hemingstone	Flower Festival & Harvest

Wednesday 8 October

10.30am	Earl Stonham	Holy Communion
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Friday 10 October

9.00am	Creting St Mary	School Harvest Service
2.00pm	Stonham Aspal	School Harvest Service
7.30pm	Stonham Aspal	Harvest Choral Evensong

NEXT SUNDAY 12 October, Trinity 17 (Proper 23)

Readings: 2 Kings 5. 1-3, 7-15c, 2 Timothy 2. 8-15,
Luke 17. 11-19

9.30am	Hemingstone	Holy Communion
10.30am	Stonham Aspal	Harvest for All
11.00am	Creting St Mary	Harvest Worship
11.00am	Earl Stonham	Morning Worship
6.30pm	Gosbeck	Evening Prayer

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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Habakkuk 1. 1-4, 2. 1-4, 2 Timothy 1. 1-14, Luke 17. 5-10

Habakkuk 1:1-4, 2. 1-4

¹ The oracle that the prophet Habakkuk saw.

² O Lord, how long shall I cry for help,
and you will not listen?

Or cry to you 'Violence!'
and you will not save?

³ Why do you make me see wrongdoing
and look at trouble?

Destruction and violence are before me;
strife and contention arise.

⁴ So the law becomes slack
and justice never prevails.

The wicked surround the righteous—
therefore judgement comes forth perverted.

I will stand at my watch-post,
and station myself on the rampart;
I will keep watch to see what he will say to me,
and what he will answer concerning my complaint.

² Then the Lord answered me and said:

Write the vision;
make it plain on tablets,
so that a runner may read it.

³ For there is still a vision for the appointed time;
it speaks of the end, and does not lie.

If it seems to tarry, wait for it;
it will surely come, it will not delay.

⁴ Look at the proud!
Their spirit is not right in them,
but the righteous live by their faith.

2 Timothy 1:1-14

¹ Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, for the sake of the promise of life that is in Christ Jesus,

² To Timothy, my beloved child:

Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord.

³ I am grateful to God—whom I worship with a clear conscience, as my ancestors did—when I remember you constantly in my prayers night and day. ⁴ Recalling your tears, I long to see you so that I may be filled with

joy. ⁵ I am reminded of your sincere faith, a faith that lived first in your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice and now, I am sure, lives in you. ⁶ For this reason I remind you to rekindle the gift of God that is within you through the laying on of my hands; ⁷ for God did not give us a spirit of cowardice, but rather a spirit of power and of love and of self-discipline. ⁸ Do not be ashamed, then, of the testimony about our Lord or of me his prisoner, but join with me in suffering for the gospel, relying on the power of God, ⁹ who saved us and called us with a holy calling, not according to our works but according to his own purpose and grace. This grace was given to us in Christ Jesus before the ages began, ¹⁰ but it has now been revealed through the appearing of our Saviour Christ Jesus, who abolished death and brought life and immortality to light through the gospel. ¹¹ For this gospel I was appointed a herald and an apostle and a teacher, ¹² and for this reason I suffer as I do. But I am not ashamed, for I know the one in whom I have put my trust, and I am sure that he is able to guard until that day what I have entrusted to him. ¹³ Hold to the standard of sound teaching that you have heard from me, in the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. ¹⁴ Guard the good treasure entrusted to you, with the help of the Holy Spirit living in us.

Luke 17:5-10

⁵ The apostles said to the Lord, 'Increase our faith!' ⁶ The Lord replied, 'If you had faith the size of a mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, "Be uprooted and planted in the sea", and it would obey you.

⁷ 'Who among you would say to your slave who has just come in from ploughing or tending sheep in the field, "Come here at once and take your place at the table"? ⁸ Would you not rather say to him, "Prepare supper for me, put on your apron and serve me while I eat and drink; later you may eat and drink"? ⁹ Do you thank the slave for doing what was commanded? ¹⁰ So you also, when you have done all that you were ordered to do, say, "We are worthless slaves; we have done only what we ought to have done!"'

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Liberating Love – Autumn Bible study group looking at Exodus

Refreshments as we start at 2 pm on Thursdays, beginning on 18th September for 8 weeks.

Venue: Chapel Farm, Fen lane, Forward Green IP14 5EF

Lifts can easily be organised.

WHAT'S ON

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.**

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

Tuesday 7 October, 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

Wednesday 8 October, 9am, Meeting place to be confirmed: TEN VILLAGE WALKING GROUP. Contact: suehargadon@outlook.com

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

Thursday 9 October, 2.00pm, Chapel Farm, Fen Lane, Forward Green IP14 5EF: EXODUS BIBLE STUDY. More details on this sheet.

Friday 10 October, 7.30pm Stonham Aspal: HARVEST CHORAL EVENSONG. This traditional service led by the benefice choir and followed by a shared supper with a bar stocked with beer from Debenham and cider from Aspal. Graham Miles – the Diocesan Agricultural Chaplain - will be taking the service and preaching. Everyone welcome!

Saturday 11 October, 10am-noon, Creting St Peter: COFFEE MORNING. All welcome

Saturday 11 October, 10.00-12 noon, Coddensham Church, COFFEE MORNING. Our very popular **PRESERVES MORNING** - fresh coffee and homemade cakes, along with jams, chutneys and marmalade for sale.

Saturday 11 October, 10am-12noon, Stonham Aspal: CHURCHYARD CLEAR UP.

Sunday 12 October, 10.30am, Stonham Aspal church: HARVEST FOR ALL. Packets and cans for Stowmarket Food Bank.

Sunday 12 October, 11am, Creting St Mary, HARVEST FESTIVAL. Gifts for Stowmarket Food Bank.

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