



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



**SUNDAY 31 May, Trinity Sunday**

**Readings:** Isaiah 40. 12-17, 27-end, 2 Corinthians 13. 11-end,  
Matthew 28. 16-end

10.00am      Stonham Parva      Benefice Holy Communion

**NEXT SUNDAY 7 June, Trinity 1 (Proper 5)**

**Readings:** Hosea 5. 15-6.6, Romans 4. 13-end. 11-end,  
Matthew 29. 9-13, 18-26

9.30am	Creeting St Peter	Morning Worship
9.30am	Crowfield	Morning Worship
11.00am	Coddenham	Holy Communion
11.00am	Gosbeck	Morning Worship
6.30pm	Hemingstone	Evening Prayer

If you would like a visit in hospital or at home, or need any other help,  
please contact [northbosmerebenefice@gmail.com](mailto:northbosmerebenefice@gmail.com). For transport to a  
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# READINGS – 31 May, Trinity Sunday

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## Isaiah 40:12-17, 27-end

<sup>12</sup> Who has measured the waters in the hollow of his hand  
and marked off the heavens with a span,  
enclosed the dust of the earth in a measure,  
and weighed the mountains in scales  
and the hills in a balance?

<sup>13</sup> Who has directed the spirit of the Lord,  
or as his counsellor has instructed him?

<sup>14</sup> Whom did he consult for his enlightenment,  
and who taught him the path of justice?

Who taught him knowledge,  
and showed him the way of understanding?

<sup>15</sup> Even the nations are like a drop from a bucket,  
and are accounted as dust on the scales;  
see, he takes up the isles like fine dust.

<sup>16</sup> Lebanon would not provide fuel enough,  
nor are its animals enough for a burnt-offering.

<sup>17</sup> All the nations are as nothing before him;  
they are accounted by him as less than nothing and emptiness.

Why do you say, O Jacob,  
and speak, O Israel,

‘My way is hidden from the Lord,  
and my right is disregarded by my God’?

<sup>28</sup> Have you not known? Have you not heard?  
The Lord is the everlasting God,  
the Creator of the ends of the earth.

He does not faint or grow weary;  
his understanding is unsearchable.

<sup>29</sup> He gives power to the faint,  
and strengthens the powerless.

<sup>30</sup> Even youths will faint and be weary,  
and the young will fall exhausted;

<sup>31</sup> but those who wait for the Lord shall renew their strength,

they shall mount up with wings like eagles,  
they shall run and not be weary,  
they shall walk and not faint.

## **2 Corinthians 13:11-13**

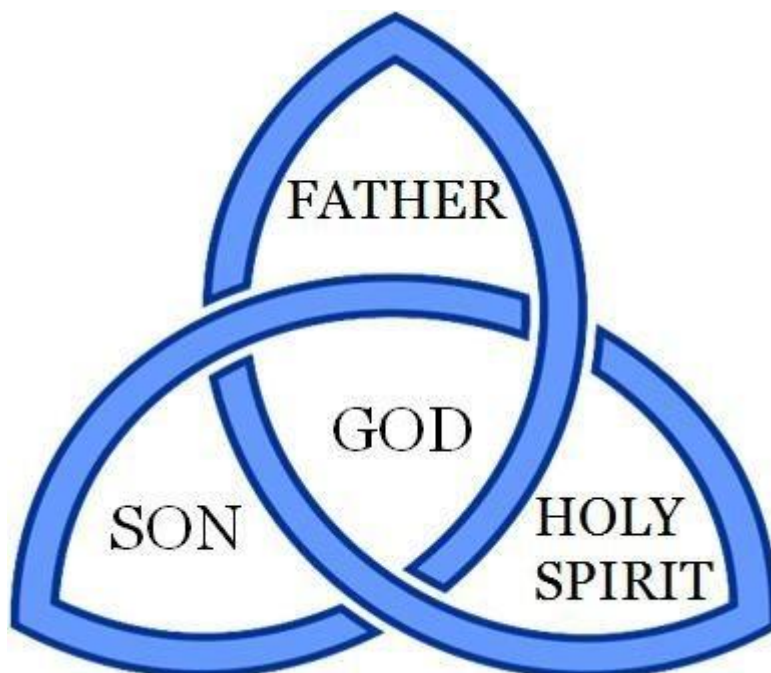
<sup>11</sup> Finally, brothers and sisters, farewell. Put things in order, listen to my appeal, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. <sup>12</sup> Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the saints greet you.

<sup>13</sup> The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

## **Matthew 28:16-20**

<sup>16</sup> Now the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. <sup>17</sup> When they saw him, they worshipped him; but some doubted. <sup>18</sup> And Jesus came and said to them, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. <sup>19</sup> Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, <sup>20</sup> and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.'

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# WHAT'S ON

**Sunday 31 May, 10am-4.40pm, Church Farm Gosbeck: OPEN GARDEN** in aid of St Elizabeth Hospice. Plants on sale and refreshments all day. Entrance £5, under 16s free.

**Sunday 31 May, 10am, Stonham Parva Church: BENEFICE HOLY COMMUNION.** We welcome back Rev Helen Norris as she takes her first service since her major operation last October.

**Mondays, 10am – 11am, Crowfield Village Hall: COFFEE on MONDAYS.** All welcome. Contact [nicholasjardine40@gmail.com](mailto:nicholasjardine40@gmail.com)

**Tuesday 2 June, 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

**Tuesday 2 June at 2pm, Earl Stonham Parish Room: ECUMENICAL PRAYER MEETING** Should you be unable to join us, please let Maggie Podd know if you have any prayer requests (07939 912080).

**Thursdays, 10am-11.30am, Stonham Aspal Church: COMMUNITY COFFEE.** Free coffee, tea and biscuits for everyone, and often cake!

**Thursday, 4 June, 2.00pm, Chapel Farm, Fen Lane IP14 5EF: LIVING WELL ON THE WAY HOME; 1 PETER:** Six sessions to study Peter's first letter with a small group. Refreshments at the start. Contact Henry [henrystanford@btinternet.com](mailto:henrystanford@btinternet.com) or Anne 07766 830977

**Saturday 6 June, 12noon-4pm, Hemingstone Hut: HEMINGSTONE FETE.** Stalls, refreshments etc.

**Saturday 13 June, 10am-12 noon, Coddendam church: SAVOURY SATURDAY** - sausage rolls, cheese scones and other savoury delights. Fresh coffee and homemade cakes are also available.

**Saturday 13 June, 10am-12noon, Creting St Peter church hall: MONTHLY COFFEE MORNING.** Contact [jennylhitt@icloud.com](mailto:jennylhitt@icloud.com) for details.

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