



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



SUNDAY 7 July – TRINITY 6 (Proper 9)

Readings: Ezekiel 2. 1-5, 2 Corinthians 12. 2-10
Mark 6. 1-13

9.30am	Creeting St Peter	Morning Worship + Baptism
9.30am	Crowfield	Pet Service
11.00am	Coddenham	Holy Communion
11.00am	Gosbeck	Morning Worship for Open Day
6.30pm	Hemingstone	Evening Prayer

NEXT SUNDAY 14 July – TRINITY 7 (Proper 10)

Readings: Amos 7. 7-15, Ephesians 1. 3-14, Mark 6. 14-29

11.00am	Earl Stonham	Holy Communion + Commissioning of Lay Elders
6.30pm	Gosbeck	Evening Prayer
6.30pm	Stonham Aspal	Evening Prayer

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READINGS: 7 July – Trinity 6

Ezekiel 2:1-5

2 He said to me: O mortal, stand up on your feet, and I will speak with you. ² And when he spoke to me, a spirit entered into me and set me on my feet; and I heard him speaking to me. ³ He said to me, Mortal, I am sending you to the people of Israel, to a nation of rebels who have rebelled against me; they and their ancestors have transgressed against me to this very day. ⁴ The descendants are impudent and stubborn. I am sending you to them, and you shall say to them, ‘Thus says the Lord God.’ ⁵ Whether they hear or refuse to hear (for they are a rebellious house), they shall know that there has been a prophet among them.

2 Corinthians 12:2-10

² I know a person in Christ who fourteen years ago was caught up to the third heaven—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows. ³ And I know that such a person—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows— ⁴ was caught up into Paradise and heard things that are not to be told, that no mortal is permitted to repeat. ⁵ On behalf of such a one I will boast, but on my own behalf I will not boast, except of my weaknesses. ⁶ But if I wish to boast, I will not be a fool, for I will be speaking the truth. But I refrain from it, so that no one may think better of me than what is seen in me or heard from me, ⁷ even considering the exceptional character of the revelations. Therefore, to keep me from being too elated, a thorn was given to me in the flesh, a messenger of Satan to torment me, to keep me from being too elated. ⁸ Three times I appealed to the Lord about this, that it would leave me, ⁹ but he said to me, ‘My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness.’ So, I will boast all the

more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may dwell in me. ¹⁰ Therefore I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities for the sake of Christ; for whenever I am weak, then I am strong.

Mark 6:1-13

6 He left that place and came to his home town, and his disciples followed him. ² On the sabbath he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astounded. They said, 'Where did this man get all this? What is this wisdom that has been given to him? What deeds of power are being done by his hands! ³ Is not this the carpenter, the son of Mary and brother of James and Joses and Judas and Simon, and are not his sisters here with us?' And they took offence at him. ⁴ Then Jesus said to them, 'Prophets are not without honour, except in their home town, and among their own kin, and in their own house.' ⁵ And he could do no deed of power there, except that he laid his hands on a few sick people and cured them. ⁶ And he was amazed at their unbelief.

Then he went about among the villages teaching. ⁷ He called the twelve and began to send them out two by two, and gave them authority over the unclean spirits. ⁸ He ordered them to take nothing for their journey except a staff; no bread, no bag, no money in their belts; ⁹ but to wear sandals and not to put on two tunics. ¹⁰ He said to them, 'Wherever you enter a house, stay there until you leave the place. ¹¹ If any place will not welcome you and they refuse to hear you, as you leave, shake off the dust that is on your feet as a testimony against them.' ¹² So they went out and proclaimed that all should repent. ¹³ They cast out many demons, and anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them.

WHAT'S ON

Saturday 6 July, 10.30am – 12 noon, Creting St Mary: CHURCHYRAD TIDY. Good company and refreshments. All welcome to help.

Sunday 7 July, 9.30am, Crowfield Church: PET SERVICE.

Sunday 7 July, 11am, Gosbeck church: ST MARY'S OPEN DAY. Service at 11am, Barbecue, refreshments from 12 noon onwards.

Every Monday, 10am-11am, Crowfield Village Hall: COFFEE ON MONDAYS. More details from nicholasjardine40@gmail.com

Wednesday 10 July, 10.45am, Crowfield Church: TEN VILLAGE COMMUNITY GROUP WALK. More info. from suehargadon@outlook.com

Every Thursday, 10am, Stonham Aspal Church: COFFEE INN. All welcome for coffee, tea, biscuits and a chat.

Saturday 13 July, 10.00 - 12 noon, Coddendam Church: COFFEE MORNING. JOIN US FOR A SAVOURY SATURDAY. Sausage rolls, cheese scones and other savoury delights. There will also be cakes and fresh coffee. We look forward to welcoming you.

Saturday 13 July, 10am – 12 noon, Creting St Peter Church Hall, COFFEE MORNING. Contact jennylhitt@icloud.com for info.

Monday 15 July, 2.30pm, 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).

Tuesday 16 July, Gosbeck Village Hall, SERVICE AND SOUP. For more information – ask Judy on 01449 760375.

Saturday 20 July, Crowfield: VILLAGE FETE AND FLOWER SHOW.

SATURDAY 20th July, 7.30pm, Coddendam Church: A SUMMER SERENADE CONCERT; SUFFOLK CONSTABULARY MALE VOICE CHOIR and THE SONGBIRDS. Tickets from Coddendam shop £10 which includes strawberry refreshments. Proceeds to Church Fundraising Appeal.

Sunday 28 July, 4pm, Stonham Aspal Church: PHILIP'S FAREWELL SERVICE with Church Band. MOVING ON CELEBRATION in Stonham Aspal Village Hall afterwards. Shared food, delivered to the hall before the service. Bar open, hot drinks available. Everyone welcome.

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