



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



SUNDAY 25 August – TRINITY 13 (Proper 16)

Readings: Joshua 24. 1-2a, 14-18, Ephesians 6. 10-20,
John 6. 56-69

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

NEXT SUNDAY 1 September – TRINITY 14 (Proper 17)

Readings: Deuteronomy 4. 1-2, 6-9, James 1. 17-27,
Mark 7. 1-8, 14-15, 21-23

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 a member of the Ministry Team or Churchwardens listed in Ten Village News.

READINGS: 25 August – Trinity 13

Joshua 24:1-2, 14-18

24 Then Joshua gathered all the tribes of Israel to Shechem, and summoned the elders, the heads, the judges, and the officers of Israel; and they presented themselves before God. ² And Joshua said to all the people, ¹⁴ ‘Now therefore revere the Lord, and serve him in sincerity and in faithfulness; put away the gods that your ancestors served beyond the River and in Egypt, and serve the Lord. ¹⁵ Now if you are unwilling to serve the Lord, choose this day whom you will serve, whether the gods your ancestors served in the region beyond the River or the gods of the Amorites in whose land you are living; but as for me and my household, we will serve the Lord.’ ¹⁶ Then the people answered, ‘Far be it from us that we should forsake the Lord to serve other gods; ¹⁷ for it is the Lord our God who brought us and our ancestors up from the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery, and who did those great signs in our sight. He protected us along all the way that we went, and among all the peoples through whom we passed; ¹⁸ and the Lord drove out before us all the peoples, the Amorites who lived in the land. Therefore we also will serve the Lord, for he is our God.’

Ephesians 6:10-20

¹⁰ Finally, be strong in the Lord and in the strength of his power. ¹¹ Put on the whole armour of God, so that you may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. ¹² For our struggle is not against enemies of blood and flesh, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the cosmic powers of this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places. ¹³ Therefore take up the whole armour of God, so that you may be able to withstand on that evil day, and having done everything, to stand firm. ¹⁴ Stand therefore, and fasten the belt of truth around your waist, and put on the breastplate of righteousness. ¹⁵ As shoes for your feet put on whatever will make you ready to proclaim the gospel of peace. ¹⁶ With all of these, take the shield of faith, with which you will be able to quench all the flaming arrows of the evil one. ¹⁷ Take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God.

¹⁸ Pray in the Spirit at all times in every prayer and supplication. To that end keep alert and always persevere in supplication for all the saints. ¹⁹ Pray also for me, so that when I speak, a message may be given to me to make known with boldness the mystery of the gospel, ²⁰ for which I am an ambassador in chains. Pray that I may declare it boldly, as I must speak.

.John 6:56-69

⁵⁶ Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood abide in me, and I in them. ⁵⁷ Just as the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so whoever eats me will live because of me. ⁵⁸ This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like that which your ancestors ate, and they died. But the one who eats this bread will live for ever.' ⁵⁹ He said these things while he was teaching in the synagogue at Capernaum.

⁶⁰ When many of his disciples heard it, they said, 'This teaching is difficult; who can accept it?' ⁶¹ But Jesus, being aware that his disciples were complaining about it, said to them, 'Does this offend you? ⁶² Then what if you were to see the Son of Man ascending to where he was before? ⁶³ It is the spirit that gives life; the flesh is useless. The words that I have spoken to you are spirit and life. ⁶⁴ But among you there are some who do not believe.' For Jesus knew from the first who were the ones that did not believe, and who was the one that would betray him. ⁶⁵ And he said, 'For this reason I have told you that no one can come to me unless it is granted by the Father.'

⁶⁶ Because of this many of his disciples turned back and no longer went about with him. ⁶⁷ So Jesus asked the twelve, 'Do you also wish to go away?' ⁶⁸ Simon Peter answered him, 'Lord, to whom can we go? You have the words of eternal life. ⁶⁹ We have come to believe and know that you are the Holy One of God.'

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A Bit Of A Do In The Garden

With Bob & Alex

**Sun 1st Sept
4pm till late**



**Greenacre, Debenham Road,
Stonham Aspal, IP14 6AE**

Tickets £10 Under 16's £5, little un's no charge

**Social Fundraising event for
Stonham Aspal Church**

WHAT'S ON

Saturday 24 – Monday 26 August, Crowfield Church: FLOWER FESTIVAL. Special Service on Sunday at 10am to Celebrate the Flower Festival. Fun, Games and Joy, with music from David Tydeman. Everyone very welcome- come to the service and stay to enjoy the flowers.

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

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

Saturday 31 August, 12noon – 4pm, 5pm – 9pm Stonham Parva: SUMMER FETE AND MUSIC NIGHT. More info in Ten Village News.

Sunday 1st September, 4pm till late, Green Acre, Debenham Road, Stonham Aspal, IP14 6AE: A BIT OF A DO IN THE GARDEN, with Bob and Alex. Tickets £10 (To cover your food, donation pot for alcoholic drinks) Under 16's £5, little un's no charge. **Open mic**, please bring along your instruments and your good voices. **Raffle. All profit for Stonham Aspal Church.** Please let us know if you would like tickets. 01449711393 Robertj.Pratt@btopenworld.com alexjenkinson@btopenworld.com

Tuesday, 3 September, 12 noon, Gosbeck Village Hall: SERVICE AND SOUP. For more information – ask Judy on 01449 760375. All welcome.

Wednesday 11 September, 10.45am, Crowfield Village Hall: TEN VILLAGE COMMUNITY GROUP WALK. More information from suehargadon@outlook.com

Saturday 14 September, 10.00 - 12 noon, Coddendam Church: COFFEE MORNING and VALUATIONS by BISHOP AND MILLER. Come along with your family heirlooms and treasures (a maximum of 5) as auctioneers from Bishop and Miller will be joining our Coffee Morning, to value your items. Fresh coffee and homemade cakes will be available.

Saturday 14 September, 11am – 4pm, Hemingstone Hut: HEMINGSTONE ARCHIVE OPEN DAY. Info in Ten Village News.

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