THE NORTH BOSMERE BENEFICE



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



SUNDAY NEXT SUNDAY 3 November, All Saints Sunday

Readings: Isaiah 25. 6-9, Revelation 21. 1-6a, John 11. 32-44

9.30am	Creeting St Peter	Morning Worship
9.30am	Crowfield	Morning Worship
11.00am	Coddenham	Holy Communion
11.00am	Gosbeck	Morning Worship
3.30pm	Earl Stonham	Service of Light
4.00pm	Hemingstone	Evening Prayer

NEXT SUNDAY 10 November,Remembrance Sunday

Readings: Isaiah 25. 6-9, Revelation 21. 1-6a, John 11. 32-44

9.30am	Creeting St Mary	Remembrance
9.30am	Crowfield	Remembrance
1.00am	Hemingstone	Remembrance
10.45am	Coddenham	Remembrance
10.45am	Earl Stonham	Remembrance
10.45am	Gosbeck	Remembrance
10.45am	Stonham Aspal	Remembrance for All
10.50am	Creeting St Peter	Remembrance

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 <u>judithhailes@btinternet.com</u> 01449 760375

READINGS: 3 November All Saints Sunday

Isaiah 25:6-9

⁶On this mountain the Lord of hosts will make for all peoples a feast of rich food, a feast of well-matured wines, of rich food filled with marrow, of well-matured wines strained clear.

⁷ And he will destroy on this mountain

the shroud that is cast over all peoples,

the sheet that is spread over all nations;

⁸ he will swallow up death for ever.

Then the Lord God will wipe away the tears from all faces, and the disgrace of his people he will take away from all the earth, for the Lord has spoken.

⁹ It will be said on that day,

Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, so that he might save us.

This is the Lord for whom we have waited;

let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.

Revelation 21:1-6

21 Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. ² And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. ³ And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying,

'See, the home of God is among mortals.

He will dwell with them:

they will be his peoples,

and God himself will be with them;[

⁴ he will wipe every tear from their eyes.

Death will be no more;

mourning and crying and pain will be no more,

for the first things have passed away.'

⁵ And the one who was seated on the throne said, 'See, I am making all things new.' Also he said, 'Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true.' ⁶ Then he said to me, 'It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end. To the thirsty I will give water as a gift from the spring of the water of life.

John 11:32-44

³² When Mary came where Jesus was and saw him, she knelt at his feet and said to him, 'Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died.' ³³ When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed in spirit and deeply moved. ³⁴ He said, 'Where have you laid him?' They said to him, 'Lord, come and see.' ³⁵ Jesus began to weep. ³⁶ So the Jews said, 'See how he loved him!' ³⁷ But some of them said, 'Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?'

³⁸ Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. ³⁹ Jesus said, 'Take away the stone.' Martha, the sister of the dead man, said to him, 'Lord, already there is a stench because he has been dead for four days.' ⁴⁰ Jesus said to her, 'Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?' ⁴¹ So they took away the stone. And Jesus looked upwards and said, 'Father, I thank you for having heard me. ⁴² I knew that you always hear me, but I have said this for the sake of the crowd standing here, so that they may believe that you sent me.' ⁴³ When he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, 'Lazarus, come out!' ⁴⁴ The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with strips of cloth, and his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them, 'Unbind him, and let him go.'

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Service of Light Sunday 3 November 2024 3.30pm St Mary's, Earl Stonham



We would like to invite you, your friends and family to come to this special service which will give you the opportunity to remember your loved ones. It is a short service of hymns and prayers. Names of anyone you may wish to remember are read out, and there is an opportunity to light a candle.

If you are unable to attend and wish a name to be read out, or for further information, please contact Liz Ince at northbosmerebenefice@gmail.com or telephone 01449 711365

WHAT'S ON

Sunday 3 November, 9.30am, Crowfield: ALL SAINTS SUNDAY We will include in our service 'Remembering our Loved Ones', our Saints, in Crowfield's well-loved peaceful place, All Saints Church.

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

Every Thursday, 10am – 11.30am, Stonham Aspal Church: COFFEE INN. Free coffee, tea and biscuits, and always someone to chat to.

Thursdays, 2pm, Chapel Farm, Fen Lane Earl Stonham: THE ROMANS COURSE. Video and discussion each week.

HOME GROUP - THURSDAY EVENINGS

Home Group is back up and running on Thursday evenings which is such a delight, it has been some time since regular meetings were held. It is roughly going to run in 'term time' with the last one taking place this year on the 12th December before the Christmas break.

Currently we are looking at the 3 set readings from the previous Sunday. This gives the opportunity to chat about things that were brought up in the talks and sermons, and to share with each other how the readings spoke to us. As much as it would be lovely to see members each week, we all have other commitments that we have to follow through. These sessions are stand alone and of course you are still able to read them at home. It's not very often that you get to hear all the three readings, sometimes only two and often there are different readings chosen due to the nature of the service. I am finding the challenge of spotting the theme between the three really interesting. It is making me focus better and reading multiple times until the penny drops. I'm not a great reader and I have recently got into the habit of printing out the weekly notice sheet, with only having these small blocks of text printed out it does not feel as daunting or overwhelming with too many words. Generally we meet at Helen Norris's house or mine, 7.30pm start with prayer and we finish at 8.45pm prompt. Please do contact us if you would like more details. These sessions are open to all and you would be welcomed with open arms as we share together God's word. Helen Norris 01449 760375 Alex Pratt 07484 808527

Sunday 10 November, Remembrance Sunday: SERVICES IN ALL OUR CHURCHES. Check times on the front of this sheet.

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