

Ladies Group

The Ladies group will be taking a break and will not be meeting in Aug
Please see Rev Heather for further details.

Men's Group

The Men's Group next meeting will be Thursday 7th August at The
Horseshoes, Silk Willoughby.

Please talk to Charles Coulson for more details.

Coffee and Chat

Our next meeting will be held on Thursday 7th August at 10.30am. We
meet on the 1st and 3rd Thursday of the month and everyone is very
welcome

Giving

Regular giving is part of Christian discipleship and we encourage
people to think and pray about a regular amount to give to the life of the
church in Quarrington. There is information about the Parish Giving
Scheme (PGS) for monthly giving at the back of the church.

You can make a one-off gift by scanning the QR code, following the link
and selecting a donation amount.



Please also consider signing up to the EasyFundraising scheme and
earning money for St Botolph's while you shop.

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk>

search for St Botolph's Church Quarrington and sign up to support the
work of the church. It really is as easy as that

St. Botolph's Church, Quarrington

Notices

Sunday 20th July 2025

To Know God and to Make God Known

Sunday 20 th July	11am	All Age Communion
Sunday 27 th July	11am	Holy Communion
Sunday 3 rd August	11am	All Age Worship
Sunday 10 th August	11am	Holy Communion
Sunday 17 th August	11am	All Age Communion

Our Prayers this week:

Lord, grant us the faith to follow you, even when the path seems
difficult. Help us to embrace the cross, knowing that it leads to life. May
we be faithful witnesses to your love and grace.

Please pray this week for:

Our MP's and local councillors; all working as musicians and other
areas of the Arts; local nature conservation protecting habitats; police
& fire services; local press and media; all those working in the prison
service; as local schools break up for the summer, may staff & pupils
be refreshed by the time to rest, may families enjoy quality time
together; all those working within the social services who may be
required to give extra support to some families.



Pastoral Care update

The pastoral care support groups continue to grow giving help and prayer to those in need. I am trying to incorporate the prayers needed for our everyday survival as a church, be that individuals or groups or PCC, so please let me know if you feel there is an issue needing our prayers, naturally confidentiality will always be taken into account. If you are able to join any of our teams, prayer, emergency assistance, or general ongoing contact by phone or visits please contact me.

Many thanks to all of you who continue to give your support in so many ways; not just the pastoral groups, also all the cake makers, greeters, tea makers, flower arrangers, technology operators and everyone who makes sure our services run smoothly every week.

God's blessings to you all. Carole

My contact details are:

email: carolepastoral@icloud.com and mobile: 07970 748983 (calling, text messages, or WhatsApp)

The churchyard clear up dates

Churchyard clear-up dates for 2025 are: -
August 30th, and November 1st.

A Chance for Learning

The Diocese of Lincoln has launched a new digital learning platform. It is free to use and we encourage you to sign up! Designed to help everyone to take their next step in the journey of faith, the platform represents an important new resource for supporting Christian mission, ministry and discipleship. Explore the resources and see what you could learn. <https://learn.lincoln.anglican.org/>

Our Peaceful Place

The garden is for all to enjoy as a quiet haven for rest and reflection. The plants which are already established need to be tended and watered especially in dry weather. Please feel free to add more pots and plants to the garden.

It is also necessary to keep the seats and path clean and dirt free.

Please give some of your time and effort to maintain the garden for us all.

Thank you.

Care Homes and Home Visits

Every month a team from St Botolph's visits Sleaford Manor and Sleaford Hall care homes, providing conversation, a friendly face and sharing Holy Communion with between 20 and 30 residents at each. We would appreciate your support with this valuable ministry in the following ways:

Could you remember this Ministry in prayer? Please pray for Sue, Jennifer and Dulcie as they carry out this Mission, and pray for the residents and staff of Sleaford Hall and Sleaford Manor.

-Could you support this Ministry with some of your time? Sue Tuck leads this Ministry, supported by Jennifer and Dulcie. One or two more volunteers would be appreciated to go along on visits. This does not need to be every month, but as a minimum of two people must attend together, some support is required to cover for sickness, holidays etc.

The dates are as follows:

	Sleaford Manor	Sleaford Hall
August	5 th	8 th
Sept.	-	12 th
Oct.	7 th	10 th
Nov.	5 th	7 th
Dec	17 th	19 th These will be Carol Services.

Do you know anyone who would appreciate a home visit? Either for conversation or to receive Holy Communion? Please speak to Sue Tuck regarding care home and home visits.

Contacts

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Churchwarden:

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Lay Ministers: Carole Shephard and Sue Tuck (ALMs)