

Ladies Group

The Ladies group will meet in the Church Room at 2pm on Wednesday 10th September. Please see Rev Heather for further details.

Men's Group

The Men's Group next meeting will be Thursday 4th September at The Horseshoes, Silk Willoughby.

Please talk to Charles Coulson for more details.

Coffee and Chat

Our next meeting will be held on Thursday 4th September 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.



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Thanks for your continued support!

The churchyard clear up dates

Churchyard clear-up dates for 2025 are: -November 1st.

St. Botolph's Church, Quarrington Notices Sunday 31st August 2025

To Know God and to Make God Known

Sunday 31st August	11am	Holy Communion
	6pm	Joint CTSD Service at Folkingham
Sunday 7th September	11am	All Age Worship
Sunday 14th September	11am	Holy Communion
Sunday 21st September	11am	All Age Communion
Sunday 28th September	11am	Holy Communion

What's On

Thursday 4th September

10.30am Coffee and Chat in the church room

7pm Men's Group meets at The Horseshoes, Silk Willoughby

Wednesday 10th September

2pm ladies group meets in the church room

Friday 19th September

7.30pm Loveden Singers concert

Saturday 27th September

10am Puzzles in the Pews Jigsaw sale at St Denys.

Our Prayers this week:

God of glory, the end of our searching, help us to lay aside all that prevents us from seeking your kingdom and to give all that we have to gain the pearl beyond all price, through our Saviour Jesus Christ.

Please pray this week for:

All local veterinary surgeries caring for our pets; our local Air Force bases and all members of the armed forces; the local charity shops, volunteer workforce and all who give freely time or money to charitable organisations; workers in the commerce and retail businesses in the town and surrounding villages; construction industry building new homes so desperately needed; the energy industry especially renewables.

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)

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
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.

Gardener Required

St Botolph's Church, Quarrington requires a gardener to cut the grass and trim around the gravestones in the churchyard.

Approximately 20 hours per month from April to October. Possibly more when grass is growing faster. There may be other work available in the winter months on a pro rata basis.

An applicant should have their own equipment and insurance.

It would be helpful if the applicant could dispose of garden waste but not essential.

Rate of pay to be negotiated.

Interested applicants should contact the parish secretary on stbquarrington890@gmail.com or 07759776987

Contacts

Maria Fryer, Administrator: stbquarrington890@gmail.com
07759 776987

Churchwarden:

Patrick Pope may be contacted through Maria's email address

Lay Ministers: Carole Shephard and Sue Tuck (ALMs)

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Keynote speaker
Ruth Valerio

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Time - 10am to 4pm on Saturday 27th September 2025
Place - Alive Church, Newland, Lincoln, LN1 1XD
How faith groups can help to build resilient communities in a world in crisis

Dr. Ruth Valerio is Programmes, Partnerships and Advocacy Director for Embrace the Middle East. Formerly she was Global Advocacy & Influencing Director at Tearfund and at A Rocha, she spearheaded the EcoChurch programme.

Keynote Workshops
Drama
Prayer
Reflection

Please remember to bring lunch and keep-cup/mug for drinks

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The Lovedon Festival Singers

Join us on **Friday September 19th** for an evening of festival singing

7:30pm start
Donations on the door - no ticket needed
Refreshments available
For more details please contact:
apo04@hotmail.co.uk