

### Ladies Group

The Ladies group will meet on 11<sup>th</sup> March 2026 in the church room. Please see Rev Heather for further details.

### Men's Group

The Men's Group next meeting will be on 5<sup>th</sup> March 2026 at The Horseshoes, Silk Willoughby.

Please talk to Charles Coulson for more details.

### Coffee and Chat

The next Coffee and Chat will be on 5<sup>th</sup> March at 10.30 in the church room.

### 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

### URGENT. Welcome Team Needs Help

Our welcome teams do a great job welcoming people into church.

They need extra help over the next few months as there are extra services, and some are away on holiday. Jobs are shared between those on the team. Some look after the coffee, cake and biscuits while others steward. Stewarding involves giving out books and putting them away after the service, counting money and generally helping the church warden. If cakes are made there is money to fund this. If we don't get extra help, sadly, stewarding will have to take priority over coffee and cake. We would then lose this greatly appreciated conclusion to our service. Please talk to Jaki or Patrick if you are able to help.

## St. Botolph's Church, Quarrington

### Notices

### Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2026

#### To Know God and to Make God Known

<b>Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> February</b>	<b>11am</b>	Holy Communion
<b>Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> March</b>	<b>11am</b>	All Age Worship
<b>Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>11am</b>	Holy Communion
<b>Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>11am</b>	All Age Communion for Mothering Sunday

### Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> February

7pm – Alpha Course – details below

### Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> March

Visit to Sleaford Manor Care Home

### Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> March

7am – 10pm – Church Room being used as Polling Station

### Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March

10.30am – Coffee and Chat in the church room – All Welcome

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

7pm – Alpha Course – details below

### Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March

1.30pm – World Day of Prayer - Our Lady of Good Counsel Church

Visit to Sleaford Hall care Home

### Monday 9<sup>th</sup> March

7pm – visit of Andrew Holmes – Diocesan Secretary

### Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> March

2pm – Ladies Group meets in the church room

### Our Prayer for this week

Holy God, our lives are laid open before you: rescue us from the chaos of sin and through the death of your Son bring us healing and make us whole in Jesus Christ our Lord.

### Please pray for this week:

Those involved in nature conservation; the local police force, community officers, CID, and all working behind the scenes; reporters, presenters and producers of local radio & TV stations and newspapers; all working in the prison and probation services; local foster and adoption agencies working with social services to provide care and stability for the most vulnerable in our area; students and lecturers in our local colleges and universities..

## Through the Wardrobe



### A Time for Prayer, Meditation and Contemplation.

Meeting monthly at 7-8pm on 3rd Friday evening each month  
at St. Botolph's Church,  
Town Road, Quarrington, Sleaford, NG34 8RS

### 'Explore life, faith & meaning: Try Alpha'

Alpha continues to meet at 1 Bass Cottages, Mareham Lane NG34 7JS every Thursday from 7-9pm, continuing on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> February. We share a meal, watch a short talk on video, and have open discussion afterwards to unpack life's big questions: 'Why am I here?' 'Who is Jesus?' 'How can I have faith?' 'How does God guide us?' and many more. It is perfect for the curious who want to find out more about Christianity as well as people who are new to the faith, or for those who simply want to consolidate what they already know. Come along - and feel free to invite your friends! Please speak to Angela Pope or contact her on 07932 646561 or on email [apope04@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:apope04@hotmail.co.uk) to register your interest.



### Care Home visits

Our monthly visits to Sleaford Manor and Sleaford Hall care homes continue in the New Year and 'congregation' numbers will hopefully continue to grow. Would you be willing to help by giving your time on Tuesday or Friday afternoons? Please let Sue Tuck know if would like to help.

### Forewarned

St Botolph's APCM will be on April 28<sup>th</sup> 2026 at 7pm. Everyone is welcome. I shall soon start thinking about collating the reports for the APCM. Accordingly, if you have a role in church, maybe now is the time to start thinking about what you would like to write for your report?  
With thanks. Maria

### World Day of Prayer

The service for World Day of Prayer will be held at 1.30pm on Friday 6th March at Our Lady of Good Counsel Church. The service has been prepared by Christian Women from Nigeria. Everyone is welcome to attend.

### Morning Prayer

Morning prayer takes place on Mondays and Fridays at 9.00am via Zoom. <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82993106061?pwd=R2Y1QXNqRVBIR25iMzQ2R1ZozkVoQT09> Meeting ID: 829 9310 6061 Passcode: 974650

### Easter Flowers

You are invited to make a donation for Easter Flowers in memory of a loved one. Please put your donation into an envelope and on the front put your name and the name of the person you would like to be remembered. Please give your envelope to Pauline Coulson by Sunday 22nd March so that I can collect the money and order the flowers which will be on display together with the names of those to be remembered on Easter Sunday.

Thank you.

### Journey through the Psalms this Lent

Explore how these ancient songs speak to topics of creation, grief, justice, forgiveness and worship – and how they point us to Jesus. Free daily emails featuring Bible readings, reflections and thought-provoking prompts

Reflections from Bible Society writers, plus special guests: Dr Andrew Ollerton, Sarah Coppin, Andy Flannagan, Jesse Fellingham and more Holy week devotionals from Dai Woolridge, finding Jesus in the Psalms Exclusive access to our audio podcast, so you can listen on the go The chance to win a copy of our brand-new Everyday Faith Bible when you sign up

<https://www.biblesociety.org.uk/resources/the-lent-encounter>

### Request for Volunteers

This could be your chance!

This is a shout to you good folks. We are calling for volunteers (chalice, readers etc) to serve on

Maundy Thursday, 2nd April - 7pm.

Please let Jaki know if you would be willing to help.

Thank you!



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