

## **BISHOP'S LETTER**

### **“It's not on any map: true places never are” (from Moby Dick)**

Maps are marvellous. The current exhibition of maps at the British Library in London is attracting large crowds, and Mike Parker's **Map Addict** is proving to be a bit of a best-seller.

Why? What is it about maps which we find so compelling? Well in part the answer lies in the stories they tell about how people past and present have seen their world. They highlight the things that mattered most to previous generations, and today they facilitate travel and communications in ever more sophisticated ways.

But they remain artificial. They try to present in two dimensions what is essentially a three-dimensional world. Fascinating though they are, they only work when we apply to them our three-dimensional experience of the world around us so as to see in our mind's eye the hills and valleys on the flat map as they really are.

Adding a further dimension to what we see, hear, feel and touch day by day is what faith in God is all about. So many people lead two-dimensional lives with little sense of that something more which transfigures reality and transcends what is otherwise ordinary and everyday.

Rudolph Otto, a famous theologian of the last century, used the word “numinous” to describe that idea of the Holy which we discern with the eye of faith. Living by faith is three-dimensional living. Why settle for a mere map when you can experience the real thing? Why settle for life in two dimensions when Jesus offers us life in all its fullness (John 10:10)?

+ John Lincoln

#### **To arrange Baptisms, Weddings or Funerals please contact:-**

Rev. Sue Bradley (Associate Priest)	17 Holly Close, Cherry Willingham	01522 750292
Rev. Peter Collins (Curate)	The Rectory, Reepham Rd. Fiskerton	01522 750091
Rev. Carol Bason (Assistant Curate)	15 Church Lane, Reepham	01522 753282

Churchwardens:	Mrs F.Styles	Elveden,	Lincoln Rd.	Fiskerton	01522 750690
	Mrs L. Forman	Applegarth,	Ferry Road	Fiskerton	01526 398316

Church Key also available from: Mrs M Gibson, 14 Ferryside Gardens 01522 752117  
Benefice Website: [www.lincoln.ourchurchweb.org.uk/southlawres](http://www.lincoln.ourchurchweb.org.uk/southlawres)



#### **COFFEE MORNINGS:**

Come and join us in Church on  
**Tuesday July 13<sup>th</sup>. and 27<sup>th</sup>.**  
**Tuesday August 10<sup>th</sup>. & 24<sup>th</sup>.**  
from **10am – 11.30am.**



There will be tea or coffee and delicious cakes available. There will also be a raffle, books to borrow or buy and, of course, the opportunity to pop in and have a chat with village friends. We look forward to welcoming you to our beautiful Church.

**CHURCH SERVICES for The South Lawres Benefice:****JULY & AUGUST 2010****4<sup>th</sup>. 5<sup>th</sup>. after Trinity**

10.30am Ordination of Revd. Carol Bason at Lincoln Cathedral

**11<sup>th</sup>. 6<sup>th</sup>. after Trinity**

8am Morning Worship at Cherry Willingham

**9.15am *Morning Worship at Fiskerton***

9.15am Holy Communion at Reepham

10.45am Holy Communion at Cherry Willingham

**18<sup>th</sup>. 7<sup>th</sup>. after Trinity**

8am Holy Communion at Cherry Willingham

**9.15am *Holy Communion at Fiskerton***

9.15am Family Worship at Reepham

10.45am Holy Communion at Cherry Willingham

6.30pm Compline at Cherry Willingham

**25<sup>th</sup>. 8<sup>th</sup>. after Trinity (James the Apostle)**

10.45am Holy Communion at Reepham.

This is the first Celebration Of Communion by Revd. Carol Bason and will be followed by a 'Bring & Share' meal at Cherry Willingham & Reepham Village Hall.

**August:****1<sup>st</sup>. 9<sup>th</sup>. after Trinity**

8am Holy Communion at Cherry Willingham

**9.15am *Holy Communion at Fiskerton***

9.15am Morning Worship at Reepham

11am Holy Communion at Greetwell

**8<sup>th</sup>. 10<sup>th</sup>. after Trinity**

8am Morning Worship at Cherry Willingham

**9.15am *Morning Worship at Fiskerton***

9.15am Holy Communion at Reepham

10.45am Holy Communion at Cherry Willingham

**15<sup>th</sup>. 11<sup>th</sup>. after Trinity**

8am Holy Communion at Cherry Willingham

**9.15am *Holy Communion at Fiskerton***

9.15am Family Worship at Reepham

10.45am Holy Communion at Cherry Willingham

6.30pm Compline at Cherry Willingham

**22<sup>nd</sup>. 12<sup>th</sup>. after Trinity**

8am Morning Worship at Cherry Willingham

**9.15am *Morning Worship at Fiskerton***

9.15am Holy Communion at Reepham

10.45am Holy Communion at Cherry Willingham

**29<sup>th</sup>. 13<sup>th</sup>. after Trinity**

10am Combined Benefice Service at Cherry Willingham

**St. Clement's Church: Service Rotas:**

<b>July</b>	<b>Sidesman</b>	<b>Reader</b>	<b>Intercessions</b>	<b>Cleaning</b>	<b>Flowers</b>
<b>11<sup>th</sup>.</b>	Mrs A Townsend	Mrs G Walkinton <b>Colossians : 1 - 14</b>	Mr R Walkinton <b>Hall Lane</b>		Mrs A Townsend
<b>18<sup>th</sup>.</b>	Mrs F Styles	Mr R Walkinton <b>Colossians 1:15 - 28</b>	CLERGY <b>Moor Lane</b>	Mr & Mrs Walkinton	Mrs L Forman
<b>August</b>					
<b>1<sup>st</sup>.</b>	Mrs J Lunn	Mr P Forman <b>Colossians 3:1 - 11</b>	Mrs L Forman <b>Blacksmith's Rd.</b>	Mrs F Styles	M Dunkling
<b>8<sup>th</sup>.</b>	Mrs I Taylor	Mrs A Townsend <b>Hebrews 11: 1-3, 8-16</b>	Mrs G Walkinton <b>Ferryside</b>		M Dunkling
<b>15<sup>th</sup>.</b>	Mrs G Walkinton	Mrs L Forman <b>Hebrews 11: 29 – 12.2</b>	CLERGY <b>Lincoln Rd.</b>	Mrs M Broad	M Willey
<b>22<sup>nd</sup></b>	Mr R Walkinton	Mrs S Massey <b>Hebrews 12:18-29</b>	Mrs A Townsend <b>Plough Lane</b>		M Hadland

**Other Church News:**

**Village Baptism:**

On Sunday June 20<sup>th</sup>. Joseph Andrew Rook. 2010 was Baptised at St. Clement's Church. Joseph is the newest member of our Church family and we welcome him.

**Lottery Draw:** The June winners were as follows:-

£25: Number 49: Mrs Stegall

£10: Number 31: June Hoe

£5: Number 58: Steve & Rachel Rousseau

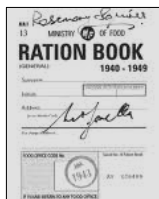
£5: Number 36: Mr J Marsh

The next draw will take place at the Church Coffee Morning on Tuesday July 13<sup>th</sup>.

**Lincolnshire Heritage Open Days: September 11<sup>th</sup>. & 12<sup>th</sup>. 11am – 4.30pm both days**

Under the title of 'Lincolnshire at War Through the ages' there is to be a display of artefacts and memorabilia displayed in St. Clement's Church over this weekend. We would be grateful for items relating to .....

- Ø Fiskerton Airfield, the early days and Fido
- Ø The Squadrons, 49 and 576 Squadron
- Ø Airfield and Church Memorials to 49 Squadron
- Ø Royal Observer Corps Memorabilia and photographs
- Ø WW1 & WW2 links of local people with pictures or photos. Stories and /or medals
- Ø Any information on the people named on the War memorial Plaques in Church would also be very much appreciated.



It would be wonderful if we could build a really local display with items you are willing to loan. Any photographs or documents loaned would be copied for display so that originals did not get damaged. If you can help make this a special weekend by loaning items or just sharing information, please contact Freda Styles 01522 750690



## What's On in July & August      *In The Village.....*

**VISION CHURCH:** Come and join us on the first Sunday of each month (July 4<sup>th</sup>. August 1<sup>st</sup>.) in Fiskerton Village Hall from 10am – 11am. for a joyful celebration of the Lord, including good music both old and new, with refreshments afterwards. 'Vision' is a group of Fiskerton-based non-denominational Christians who wish to challenge the secular view that Christianity is old-fashioned and not relevant in our modern society. Come and see that it is.



**Luncheon Club:** Why not join us for a delicious home cooked, two -course meal every other Tuesday in the Village Hall? It will only cost you £3.00 The dates for **July** are **Tues. 6<sup>th</sup>. & 20<sup>th</sup>**. There is no luncheon club in August. Ring Mary on 595291 to book.

### Fiskerton Scout Group                      Second hand clothes collection

Beavers, Cubs and Scouts will be collecting to help raise the funds for the group. Bags will be delivered for you to fill with any of the following items:-

Adults and children's clothing, bedding, curtains soft toys shoes, belts and handbags

All bags collected will be weighed and we will be paid £400 per tonne  
(£370 Raised 2009)

#### **BAG COLLECTION    WED 7 JULY    6 – 9PM**

Please leave bags outside your house in view of the road

Thank you for your support

Tel: Ann Chesman 07749836283



#### Women's Institute

The next meeting will take place on **Thursday July 8<sup>th</sup>** and is an outing to 'Uncle Henry's' at Greyingham.

The August meeting is on **Thursday August 12<sup>th</sup>**. when Pauline Jackson will speak about the RNLI. Tea Hostesses are Mrs Gibson & Mrs Wall.

Raffle, Mrs Proctor & Mrs Pycock

#### GARDENING CLUB

On **July 12<sup>th</sup>**.there is an evening visit to Mick Cook's Garden at Winterton. We will be leaving the Village Hall at 6pm. The cost will be £2 per person. There is no meeting in August.

#### SPONSORED BIKE RIDE AND BBQ



**Saturday July 17<sup>th</sup>.                      Bike Ride to commence 1pm    BBQ from 4pm**

Ride from Fiskerton to Southrey and back along the tow path, alternatively the shorter ride (for under 12's and less agile) from Fiskerton to Lincoln and back, also along the tow path.

*Highest amount of sponsorship money wins trophy (1 adult, 1 under 12)*

*All money raised will go to the local charities listed on the sponsor form*

**Forms available from the shop and Post Office.**

**OPEN TO ALL**



Fiskerton Village Hall every Thursday at 9:45am for 1 hour  
 Gentle low impact aerobics for all abilities  
 stretching and toning  
 Cost £3:50p per session  
 Tel Ann-Marie on 07922125145 for further details or turn up at the next session

**Afternoon Bingo.**

**Why not come along and banish those MONDAY blues with a friendly game of Bingo at the Village Hall?**

**Doors open at 1.30pm. During holiday times, bring the children along so they can have a game as well.**

**VILLAGE HALL BOOKINGS for July**

Monday	5 <sup>th</sup> . 12 <sup>th</sup> . 19 <sup>th</sup> . 26 <sup>th</sup> .	Cheeky Monkeys	9.30am – 11.30am
Monday	19 <sup>th</sup> .	Parish Council.	7.30pm – 9.30pm
Tuesday	6 <sup>th</sup> . 13 <sup>th</sup> . 20 <sup>th</sup> . 27 <sup>th</sup> .	Tai Kwon Do	7pm – 9.30pm
Tuesday	6 <sup>th</sup> . 20 <sup>th</sup> .	Luncheon Club	10am – 2pm
Wednesday	7 <sup>th</sup> . 14 <sup>th</sup> . 21 <sup>st</sup> . 28 <sup>th</sup> .	Computer Classes	1pm – 3pm & 7pm – 9pm
Wednesday	7 <sup>th</sup> . 14 <sup>th</sup> . 21 <sup>st</sup> . 28 <sup>th</sup> .	Pilates	9.30am – 10.30am
Thursday	8 <sup>th</sup> . 15 <sup>th</sup> . 22 <sup>nd</sup> . 29 <sup>th</sup> .	Aerobics	10am – 11am
Friday	2 <sup>nd</sup> . 9 <sup>th</sup> . 16 <sup>th</sup> . 23 <sup>rd</sup> . 30 <sup>th</sup> .	Bingo/ Social	7.30pm – late
Saturday	10 <sup>th</sup> .	Sati Group	9.30am – 4.30pm
Saturday	17 <sup>th</sup> .	Bike Ride & BBQ	1pm – 6pm
Saturday	24 <sup>th</sup> .	Private Party	Noon – midnight
Saturday	31 <sup>st</sup> .	Private Party	1pm – 5pm
Sunday	4 <sup>th</sup> .	Vision Church	9.30 – 11.30
Sunday	11 <sup>th</sup> . 25 <sup>th</sup> .	The Vine	9.15am – 1.15pm
Sunday	11 <sup>th</sup> .	Causeway Projects	2pm – 4.45pm
Sunday	18 <sup>th</sup> .	Private Party	7.30pm - midnight

**VILLAGE HALL BOOKINGS for August**

Monday	2 <sup>nd</sup> . 9 <sup>th</sup> . 16 <sup>th</sup> . 23 <sup>rd</sup> . 30 <sup>th</sup> .	Cheeky Monkeys	9.30am – 11.30am
Tuesday	3 <sup>rd</sup> . 10 <sup>th</sup> . 17 <sup>th</sup> . 24 <sup>th</sup> . 31 <sup>st</sup> .	Tai Kwon Do	7pm – 9.30pm
Wednesday	4 <sup>th</sup> . 11 <sup>th</sup> . 18 <sup>th</sup> . 25 <sup>th</sup> .	Computer Classes	1pm – 3pm & 7pm – 9pm
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Thursday	5 <sup>th</sup> . 12 <sup>th</sup> . 19 <sup>th</sup> . 26 <sup>th</sup> .	Aerobics	10am – 11am
Thursday	12 <sup>th</sup> .	WI	7.30pm – 9.30pm
Friday	6 <sup>th</sup> . 13 <sup>th</sup> . 20 <sup>th</sup> . 27 <sup>th</sup> .	Bingo/ Social	7.30pm – late
Saturday	14 <sup>th</sup> .	Rat Show	10am – 6pm
Sunday	1 <sup>st</sup> .	Vision Church	9.30 – 11.30

To make a booking or check availability please contact:- Booking Secretary – Jenny Hayes on 07510281232

**CHILDMINDING SERVICE**

I am an Ofsted Registered Childminder, implementing the EYFS, member of the NCMA.  
 I offer professional childcare in a home environment, giving real life experiences.

**DO YOU NEED CHILDCARE?**

Full or Part time care.  
 Emergency or overnight care.  
 Before / after school.

For more information and availability please contact Fiona on  
 07748 997290 / 01522 750877

## **FISKERTON PRE-SCHOOL**

We currently have limited spaces left for the Autumn Term starting in September 2010. We can take children from the age of 2 through to 4. Our sessions are Monday to Friday 8.45 am to 11.45 am, and Tuesday and Thursday afternoons 12.30 pm to 3.30 pm. We offer a wide range of learning through play activities. To arrange a visit, request our brochure and registration forms or just a chat please contact either Mrs Barbara Field our Pre School Manager on 01522 754200 or Kirsty Atkinson our Admissions co-ordinator on 01522 595798. We look forward to seeing or hearing from you soon.

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## **PARISH COUNCIL NEWS**

### **Summary of meeting – 17<sup>th</sup> May, 2010**

- Ø The Chairman welcomed Mr. P. Good to talk about his plans for a composting centre on the airfield. He went through the points raised by Mr Darcel's letter and Mr Good did his best to clarify any issues. He reassured the Council about the number of lorries and that he did not foresee a significant peak in the summer months as Mr Darcel suggested. Mr Good also agreed to measures such as keeping paths maintained, not turning compost when breeze is blowing directly at the village, instigating a speed limit on the new track and, if it proved necessary, installing speed bumps on the track. The Clerk was asked to contact Primetake and ask if they were aware of the plans. She was also asked to write again to LCC Planning and Waste Disposal, sending them a copy of Mr. C. Darcel's letter and asking if they could bear these subsequent points in mind when making a decision.
- Ø Flood Mitigation Scheme. The draft legal scheme had been prepared and was outlined by the Chair. The Parish Council will work in co-operation with Mr. Good who has agreed to undertake maintenance work on the ditches – a letter is to be drafted stating that an annual inspection of work is to be done by the farmer with the Parish Council making a contribution. When the legal agreement is finalised, Mr. T. Adams will contact Anglian Water to look at footage of the drains to see what needs to be done and how to do it. Following that, all riparian owners will be invited to a meeting which should lead to their agreement for work to be done and hopefully paid for by the grant WLDC has received. As they have received the full grant of £96,000, the Parish Council has withdrawn their grant application. Mr. Adams is to fill in the planning application and forward it to the Parish Council for signing. Although behind schedule at the moment, it is hoped that the works will be finished on time. Villagers asked if they could write to WLDC Planning supporting the scheme – the Clerk will put a notice up when the planning application is to be submitted.
- Ø District Councillor Mrs. Davidson was congratulated on being re-elected. She reported that the Conservatives had retained control of WLDC although the leader had not been re-elected. WLDC is in the process of drawing up a strategy on gypsy/traveller sites but no applications had been made for sites.
- Ø Parishioners were reminded that the Parish Council had agreed to cut the grass on the open spaces, not maintain complicated planting schemes.

**Date of Next Meeting: Monday, 19<sup>th</sup> July, 2010 at 7.30 p.m. in the Village Hall**

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### **Newsletter Information:**

All items for inclusion in this Newsletter MUST be with the editor by the 19<sup>th</sup> of the month. Please note that items for inclusion in the Parish News can be handed in at Wishing Well Stores. Items can also be posted to Mrs L.Forman, 'Applegarth', Ferry Rd. Fiskerton, Lincoln LN3 4HU or please telephone 01526 398316. You can e-mail items to [fiskertonnews@btinternet.com](mailto:fiskertonnews@btinternet.com)

# Ladies Breakfast



at  
**Rosie Lea Café  
Cherry Willingham**



telephone - Jan 01522753432 or Ann 01522800209  
to join with us on Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> Sept. - 8.45 for 9.00am - £5 full English Breakfast  
Christian Speaker

Cherry Willingham Church Garden Fete:  
Saturday July 3<sup>rd</sup> starting at 2pm in the Vicarage Grounds.  
All the usual stalls, bouncy castle, teas, raffle and games  
To be opened by Revd. Ken Saunders.  
Come along and join in the fun

### COFFEE MORNING:



The Charity Coffee Morning will take place in Cherry Willingham Church Hall on **Saturday July 10<sup>th</sup> & Saturday August 14<sup>th</sup>**. from 10am – 11.30am.  
All proceeds from the refreshments and raffle go to a chosen charity. There will be a Tradecraft Stall for groceries and gifts.

### Reepham Methodist Church Coffee Mornings:



Everyone is invited to drop in to The Methodist Church Hall in Reepham on Saturday **July 17<sup>th</sup> & Saturday August 21<sup>st</sup>**. from 10am – 11.30am. There is free coffee and cakes and the opportunity to have a chat with friends old and new, as well as a Tradecraft Stall for all those extra food items and gifts.

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**THANKS:** for a donation of £49 to Church funds from Dot at the Carpenter's Arms. It is much appreciated.

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### Future Events:

Saturday September 11<sup>th</sup>. at Lincoln Cathedral 7pm start  
The Halle Orchestra

Tickets will be available at the beginning of July from Lincoln Minster Shop

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### Correctly connected, rivers protected

When we think about river pollution, we might assume it comes from places like factories, farms and industry. Yet in many cases the pollution in our rivers comes from a much less obvious source - our homes. Incorrect plumbing could mean that waste water from dishwashers, washing machines, sinks and even toilets is flushed directly into a local river. These 'misconnected' pipes are a common cause of pollution to rivers and streams. The Environment Agency have a duty to investigate such incidents, and are encouraging you to check your drains.

The property owner must fix any misconnected pipes. It is often simple and cheap to sort out the problem. **If you do not fix a wrongly connected pipe, you could face a fine of up to £20,000.** For more information on misconnected pipes and how you can check your home, visit [www.connectright.org.uk](http://www.connectright.org.uk) or telephone the Environment Agency on 0845 603 3113.

### Woodhall Spa 10k run

Runners from The Vine Community Church ran to raise money for all various projects that we're involved with over in Kenya - raising cash to buy packs of seeds for destitute widows to grow their own food in Kombewa, providing toilets and other basic equipment at a newly established school in Akala, and providing ongoing support for The Ark children's home in Nairobi. The run was a big challenge-most of the people taking part are a very long way from being any kind of athlete, but there were a lot of willing hearts, wanting to rise to life's challenges, and get on and make a difference

Why not take a look at the photography on the web site

**SUMMER HOLIDAY CLUB CHAMPION'S CHALLENGE HOLIDAY CLUB** will be packed full of games, crafts, drama and Bible stories as children learn how to achieve their personal best and work in a team.

It will be running every Tuesday morning starting on July 27 until 24 August. and is open to all those aged 5 to 11.

The Vine Community Church is very excited to be offering this to the children in the villages and are looking forward to a village hall packed full of happy children.

Look out for the posters

What's on

### **11:00 SUNDAY SERVICES in JULY**

All the services at THE VINE

COMMUNITY CHURCH are family & youth friendly with a vibrant children programme- coffee served from 10:45.

4 Cherry Willingham & Reepham Village Hall

11 Fiskerton Village Hall

18 Cherry Willingham & Reepham Village Hall 25 Fiskerton Village Hall

Midweek home groups and bible studies are on Tuesdays at 1:45pm

Wednesdays & Thursdays at 8pm

God's Girls for 6-11yrs is fortnightly on Mondays

THE MIX is for all 12-17's in the area looking for something exciting to do on Friday evenings

July 9—Canoe Fest, N' Hykeham

July 22—Frontline combat + BBQ

FRESH for 12-17's is on July 2 & 16.

For more details on any of the above events visit [www.thevinecommunitychurch.org.uk](http://www.thevinecommunitychurch.org.uk) or Tel 872011

### **Nettleham & Cherry Willingham Surgeries**

**New Waiting Room:** We are delighted to say that all the building work at Nettleham has now been completed and the waiting room was officially opened by Mally Daubney, our former Practice Manager on Tuesday May 19<sup>th</sup>. We are absolutely delighted with the results and are grateful for the numerous compliments from patients.

**Appointment System:** We constantly review and monitor our appointment system to try and find the 'best fit' for everyone. We acknowledge that it has not been easy for patients recently to make a routine appointment and we apologise for this. We have now introduced a new system for patients wishing to be seen on the same day with an acute problem. Anyone who telephones the surgery to request a same day appointment will be given the opportunity to come to the practice at 11.20am to a 'Sit and Wait' clinic. All of these patients will be seen by a GP that morning. To avoid long waits these appointments are strictly for single new problems which can't wait until another day.

**Bowel Cancer Screening Programme:** The NHS Bowel Cancer Screening Programme for people aged between 60 and 69 was launched by NHS Lincolnshire at the end of December 2009. This means that within the next two years everyone in the County in this age bracket will be invited to undergo bowel cancer screening.

Those people that wish to take part will be sent an easy-to-use testing kit directly to their homes which they then post back to a laboratory for testing. Anyone who has an abnormal test result will be given an appointment to see a specialist nurse in the endoscopy units at one of the local hospitals to discuss further tests.

For more information about the NHS Bowel Cancer Screening Programme, log on to:

[www.cancerscreening.nhs.uk/bowel](http://www.cancerscreening.nhs.uk/bowel) or ring the freephone helpline 0800 707 60 60

**Report from Voluntary Driver's Scheme:** The driver's scheme is continually growing and gaining support from the local people. We are about to appoint (June 2010) a new driver based in Reepham and are still looking for another driver who, if possible, will be based in Fiskerton.

We have recently been able to make changes to our fee scale which have been most appreciated by patients who use the scheme regularly.

If you are interested in becoming a volunteer driver or wish to know more about the scheme please contact Alan Price, the scheme co-ordinator on 01522 754333